

## **Pension Application for James Hunter**

S.44952

Queens County

State & District of New York SS.

On this Fourth day of June in the year 1810 before me the Subscriber one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas of Queens County, in the said District, personally appeared James Hunter aged, sixty three years, resident in Queens County aforesaid in the said District, who being by me first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the late Act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war."

That he the said James Hunter enlisted in the year 1777 in the State of New York in the company commanded by Captain Godwin, of the Fifth Regiment under Colonel Dubois in the New York line and on the Continental Establishment; that he continued to serve in the said corps, or in the service of the United States until the month of May or thereabouts in the year 1783 when he was discharged from service at Salem in the State of New York.

That he was in the battles at the White Plains at Fort Montgomery Onondaga, Genesee & other of less importance some of which constituted of scouting parties.

And that he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support. That he received a discharge in writing at the time above mentioned which is now lost, and he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services, except the depositions of witnesses hereto annexed. (Signed with his mark) James Hunter

Sworn to and declared before me the day and year aforesaid. Henry O. Seaman