

Pension Application for Justus Battle

R.4939

Pension Application for January 27, 1931, written in response to an inquiry.

You are advised that it appears from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension Claim, S.4939, that Justus Battle was born in 1754 in Needham, Massachusetts.

He marched from Tyringham, Berkshire County, Massachusetts, as a minute man, on the alarm which followed the battle of Lexington, to Roxbury, where he enlisted, May 1, 1775 and served eight months in Captain Samuel Warren's company, Colonel Joseph Read's Massachusetts regiment, and reenlisted and served one year under the same officers, and was in the battle of White Plains.

He marched in the militia, officers names not given, at the time Ticonderoga was evacuated by the Americans, to Lake George and was in the retreat to Stillwater, length of service about four months.

He was allowed pension on his application executed August 2, 1832, at which time he was a resident of Brighton, Lorain County, Ohio.

There is no reference to wife or children.