

**Pension Application for Johannes Kalder**

W.20289 (Widow: Peter Nella Kalder) Married February 23, 1776. Johannes died Sept 1834.

State of New York

Ulster County SS.

Peter Nella Kalder, (Widow of Johannis Kalder, late of the town of Rochester in said County deceased) being sworn says, that she was married to said Kalder on the 23d day of February 1776; that in the spring of said year her said Husband enlisted and in the season of said year 1776 did serve for the term of five months at Kingsbridge, New York & White Plains—

Said Deponent is certain that her said Husband did serve said term in said Campaign and recollects it from the circumstances of his going in to the service shortly after the marriage.

Said Deponent cannot positively say in what company or Regiment her said husband did serve in said campaign, but from what she has heard her said husband say in his lifetime, he served either in the Company of Capt. Benjamin Kortright, Col. Levi Pawling's Regiment, or in the Company of Capt. John Hasbrouck in Col. Johannis Hornbeck's Regt – but said deponent can positively say that her said Husband did serve said term of Five months in said above mentioned Campaign and returned home near Christmas in said year 1776.

The reason why said Deponent cannot say whether her husband served in this campaign under Capt Kortright or Capt Hasbrouck is because he has heard her said husband say in his lifetime that he had served under both said Captains and she cannot recollect under which he served in said Campaign of 1776—but is sure that he served said term under one or the other of them. (her mark) Peter Nella Kalder

Sworn & Subscribed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1839 before me and I do certify that said Deponent is a person of truth and veracity and that his testimony is entitled to full credit. Edw Lounsbery J. P.

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Cornelius Quick of Rochester in said County being sworn says that he is eighty years of age, that in the time of the Revolutionary War and before and afterwards, he was well acquainted with Johannis Kalder of Rochester in said County deceased—

That in the year 1776 said Deponent did serve for the term of nine months in the Continental Army—That in said year the said Johannis Kalder did serve at New York, Haerlam & White Plains (where said Deponent then was), for the term of five months in the Company of Capt. Benjamin Kortright, in Col. Johannes Hornbeck's Regiment in Genl John Morin Scotts Brigade—

Said Deponent saw said Kalder in the service aforesaid frequently, and then understood that he was enlisted and served for the term of five months.—

Said Deponent also states that shortly after the Revolutions aid Kalder informed him that in the winter of 1777 he served for the term of one month at Paramus and

Kakiat in New Jersey in Capt. Joakim Schoonmaker's Company in Col. Hornbeck's Regiment –

Said Deponent has also been told by his Brother Henry who was also to said place, that said Kalder did serve there—

Said Deponent in the year 1777 served for the term of Four Months at Fort Montgomery in Capt. John Hasbrouck's Company in Col. Levi Pawling's Regiment—that said Johannis Kalder also served at said place for the term of four months in said Regiment of Col. Pawling in said Hasbrouck's Company.

Shortly after the return of said Deponent and said Johannis Kalder from Fort Montgomery—we were raised to go to the Northward to stop the progress of Burgoyne—

That said Deponent and said Kalder did then enlist and serve at Saratoga for the term of three months in the Company of Capt Benjamin Kortright in Col. Graham's Regiment were discharged late in October in said year 1777—

Said deponent farther states that said Johannis Kalder was married sometime in the beginning of the war to Peter Nella Hornbeck, with whom said deponent is well acquainted, and that said Kalder died about four years ago, and that said Peter Nella still remains his widow. (Signed) Cornelius Quick

Sworn & subscribed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1838 before me. Abm G. Hardenbergh J. Peace

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Peter Nella Kalder, widow of Johannis Kalder late of Rochester ins aid County being sworn says that she is in the seventy ninth year of her age, that before her marriage her name was Peter Nella Hornbeck, that she was married to said Johannis Kalder on the 23d day of February 1776 by the Rev'd Mr. Romeyn of Rochester aforesaid, that her husband the said Johannis Kalder died in September 1834—

That the same year in which they were married her said husband died serve for the term of five months at New York, Haerlan & White Plains, when the British took New York that he served said Campaign in the Company of Capt. John Hasbrouck in Col. Johannis Hardenbergh's Regiment as she then understood from her said Husband; recollects that her said Husband came home in the beginning of the winter—

After his husband had been home a short time, men were called upon to go to Paramus in New Jersey, that her said Husband was carried there with the other men in Sleighs—That he served in Col. Hornbeck's Regiment in Capt. Joakim Schoonmaker's company—served in said Campaign for the term of one month—after his return from N. Jersey in the Spring of the year her said husband was ordered and marched to Fort Montgomery where he served for the term of four months in a company of Capt. John Hasbrouck in Col. Levi Pawling's Regiment, came home towards harvest and shortly after was ordered to Saratoga to stop the progress of Genl Burgoyne, where he said husband served for the term of three months in the Company

of Capt Benjamin Kortright in Col. Graham's Regiment, came home late in October in said year 1777—

Said Deponent farther states that in the spring of the year 1779 when Sullivan's Army went westward after the Indians, her said husband had enlisted for the Term of Eight months, that he was stationed at Shandakan in Ulster County and while there was ordered to join Sullivan's Army at Achquago [Oquaga] on the Susquehannah [Susquehanna] & that he marched under Col. Albert Pawling to said Achquago and when he arrived there, Sullivan's Army had left that place that her said husband with the force accompanying him, being out of provisions then returned, and suffered very badly—

When her said husband came home, he was in a miserable condition, his back and shoulders were sore of carrying the pack, his legs and thighs were raw of traveling through the Brush, and he was so lean and weak from suffering that said Deponent hardly knew him—

Said Deponent cannot recollect who was the Capt. of the company in this campaign but recollects that Albert Pawling was his Colonel—

Said deponent farther states that her said husband was frequently in service on the frontiers for one month, and sometimes for a less period, which she cannot now recollect or particularize—

Recollects he was in the service against the Indians, when said deponent farther states that her said Husband was frequently in service on the frontiers for one month, and sometimes for a less period, which she cannot now recollect or particularize—recollects he was in the service against the Indians, when Schuyler and Miller were murdered; also when Warsink was burnt and at Shandakan when [Ride?] was killed—That her said husband was not home a whole season that said Deponent recollects during the whole war. (Signed with her mark) Peter Nella Kalder

Sworn & Subscribed this 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1838 before me. Abm S. Hardenberg J. Peace