

**Pension Application for Jacob Loomis or Lomis**

S.42889

Certificate of Pension dated 13<sup>th</sup> June 1818. No. 1,369.

Schedule.

State of New-York.

City & County of Albany SS.

Court of Common Pleas of the term of September 1820.

On this thirteenth day of September 1820, personally appeared in open court, being a court of record for the said City & County of Albany having criminal Jurisdiction Jacob Loomis, lagged seventy two years, resident in Albany City in Said County of Albany who being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath, declare that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows: about the middle of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven he enlisted in a company commanded by Captain Jonathan Hallet under the command of Colonel Philip VanCortland of the New York line and the second Regiment of Infantry he was in the battle of Bemis's heights and there severely wounded in the breast by a musket ball passing through the breast he was also at the siege of York Town in taking Lord Cornwallis.

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1818; and that I have not, since that time, by gift, sale, or in any manner, disposed of my property, or any part thereof, with intent thereby so to diminish it, as to bring myself within the provisions of an 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," passed on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, 1818; and that I have not, nor has any person in trust for me, any property, or securities, contracts, or debts, due to me, nor have I any income other than what is contained in the schedule hereto annexed, and by me subscribed. To wit one old bed and bedding one small iron pot and kettle three old kitchen chairs, tea kettle in all not worth more than the whole than five dollars has three sons and one daughter. Do not know where the three sons are, the daughter is married to a man that is a servant and poor none of the children are capable of furnishing any support for me the said Loomis to the best of my belief.  
(Signed) Jacob Loomis

Sworn to, and declared, on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September AD 1820 before H. A. Williams Depy Clk