

### **Pension Application for William Nelson**

R.7589 (Widow: Eunice) Eunice Youngs and William Nelson married April 8, 1791. William died in the township of Saltfleet County of Wentworth, province of Canada on the 27 June 1842.

Letter in folder dated September 82, 1921, written in response to an inquiry.

In response to your letter dated the 10<sup>th</sup> ultimo, you are advised that it appears from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim R.F. 7,589 that William Nelson son of William and Hannah Nelson was born June 2, 1760 in New York State and married April 28, 1791 at Coeymans Patent, N.Y. Eunice Youngs born April 13, 1772 in New York State. Their children were Elizabeth born August 26, 1793, Aron born August 5, 1795. James born September 3, 1797. Levinah born March 20, 1800. Joseph born February 17, 1802. Hanah born March 18, 1804. John born August 18, 1806. Sarah born October 9, 1808. Reuben D. born February 11, 1811. William Y. born April 5, 1815.

Soldier died June 27, 1842 in Saltfleet Township, Wentworth County, Canada, and his widow Eunice applied for pension September 18, 1854, while residing at Houghton, Norfolk County, Canada and alleged that he enlisted in Dutchess County, New York, February 12, 1777 as a Private in Captain Johnson's Company Fifth Regiment New York Troops, and served until January 26, 1780. Her claim was not allowed as she failed to prove that her husband was the man who rendered the alleged service.