

**Pension Application for Joseph Perkings or Perkins**

R.20424

State of Kentucky

Franklin County Sct.

On this 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 1932 personally appeared before James Shannon a justice of the peace in & for the County of Franklin County [sic] State of Kentucky, Joseph Perkins a resident of the county of Harrison State aforesaid, who being first duly sworn, according to law, doth on his oath, on oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefits of the provisions of the act of Congress passed Mat 15<sup>th</sup> 1828.

That in the year 1776 he the said Joseph Perkins enlisted as a regular soldier in the Army of the United States during the war of the revolution, for and during the war, under Captain Venness in the first New York Rigiment [Regiment] commaned [commanded] by Col. Hosey Van Scoik [Goose VanSchaick] in the Continental line, thereof, that at the time of his enlistment he resided in said State in Dutchess County in the Town of Armenia, that he continued in the service untill 1783 all the time of the war, that during the time of said service he was in the battles of the White Plains the Battle of Trenton, and York Town at Cord Cornwallis' surrender in 1781, that from said service he was discharged in 1783 by Col. Hosey VanScoik that he has lost the same, that he has no living witness by whom he can prove his services except his brother James, who is now on the Rol [missing].

He hereby relinquishes all [missing] whatever for a pension except [missing] and he declares his name [missing] pension Roll of the United States or any agency of any state.

Sworn to this 30<sup>th</sup> day O Nob 1832 and subscribed. (Signed) Joseph Perkings

State of Kentucky, Franklin County Sct., James Shannon, a justice of the peace in & for Frankling Couaty.