

Pension Application for John Ransier

S.43884

State of New York

County of Niagara SS.

Personally appeared before me Gideon Frisbee one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, in and for the county of Niagara and State aforesaid, John Ransier aged sixty three years, now a resident at Youngstown County and State aforesaid who being by me duly and legally sworn according to law, doth depose and say that he the deponent belonged to the army during the Revolutionary War and served as a private soldier from first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven until the eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty two or three when the army was disbanded.

That he enlisted on the said first day of January 1777 at Schoharrie [Schoharie] in the State of New York in the company commanded by Captain Andrew Fink attached to the first Regiment of New York Infantry commanded by Colonel G. VanSchaick in which company he the deponent continued to serve until after the battle of Monmouth when he was transferred to a company commanded by Captain Leonard Bleeker same regiment in which company he continued to serve until the said eight day of June 1782 or 1783, when he was discharged from the said corps and service near New Windsor State aforesaid. That he the deponent has lost his discharge and that he is unable to give any further or better evidence of his claim that is hereunto annexed, further that he the deponent from his reduced circumstances needs the assistance of this country for support. (Signed) John Ranier

Sworn to and subscribed the fourteenth day of October A.D. 1818, before me. G. Frisbee. One of the Judges of the Court of Com. Pleas, Niagara County.