

Pension Application for James Van Eps

R.10862 (Widow: Engettye or Engeltje Wendell before marriage.) Married December 6, 1764. He died about 1822.

State of New York and
Schenectady County SS

Engeltje Van Eps of the Town of Glenville in said County being duly sworn doth depose and says that she this deponent is the widow of James Van Eps deceased and that she this deponent is now ninety two years of age and two months, and that she was married to the said James Van Eps on the sixth day of December A.D. 1764 and that she continued to live with the said James Van Eps as his wife except while he was engaged in the service of the United States in the war of the Revolution until the time of his death which happened about fifteen years since.

And this deponent further says that she well knows of his the said James VanEps her said husband serving for the Term of nine months at one time at Stillwater and Saratoga in the war of the Revolution as a soldier in said War and at another time one month at Caughnawaga and that he was absent on duty as a soldier for more than two years over and above what is above narrated and specified, and this deponent further says that she is now very weak in body but of a sound mind that is impossible for her to go to Court to make her oath or declaration.

And that she asks of the Hon War department of the Untied States such pension as she may be entitled to under the Laws of the United States. And further she says not. (Signed with her mark) Engeltye Vaneps

Sworn and subscribed before me this 20th day of March 1837. Joshua Wilde JP
[Justice of Peace]