

### **Pension Application for Hendericus Van Wagenen**

R.10905 Hendericus died March 24, 1839. His wife Margaret died December 1, 1842. They were married November 30, 1782.

Declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress of the 7<sup>th</sup> June, 1832.  
State of New York

County of Ulster SS

On this tenth day of September in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty four personally appeared in open court, before the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, of the County of Ulster aforesaid, now sitting, Hendricus van Wagenen a resident of the town of Esopus in said County, aged Seventy three years, who being aged seventy three years, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June 7, 1832.

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named officers, and served as herein stated.

1<sup>st</sup> In answer to the first interrogatory he says—that he was born in the town foKingston, County of Ulster and State of New York on the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1760.

2d That the Record of his age is contained in the book of baptismal Records of the Protestant Dutch reformed Church of the town of Kingston aforesaid.

3d That at the time he was called into service he lived in the said town of Kingston, County and State aforesaid. Has lived there since the Revolutionary War and now lives in the town of Esopus in said county & State.

4<sup>th</sup> That he volunteered into the United States Service.

5<sup>th</sup> There were no Regular Officers nor Continental troops where he served.

6<sup>th</sup> He never he [sic] received a written discharge but was verbally dismissed at the end of his service.

And the said Hendricus van Wagenen declares that in the year 1778 he served as a volunteer and private soldier in the revolutionary war for the term of nine months and more in the company of infantry commanded by Captain Philip Swart Lieutenants Van Aken and Teerpening and Ensign Olsworth all of whom are now dead in Colonel Pawlings Regiment, that he has no documentary evidence there of that this service was performed at Warsing, Shandaken, Woodstock & Kingston part with the Captain and the rest under the Subalterns, at the above different frontier posts in Ulster County.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever, to a Pension or Annuity, except the present, and declares that his name is not on the Pension Roll of any Agency in any State. (Signed) hendericus [Hendericus] Van Wagenen

Sworn to and Subscribed, the day and year aforesaid. Samuel Stilwell, Wells Lake, Henry Wynkoop, Judges.