

Pension Application for Marcus Wackman

R.10975

State of Ohio

Ross County SS

Session Com. Pleas of the Term of September 1834.

Personally appeared this day of September 1834 in open court before the Honorable Frederick Greenke President, and James McClintick, Isaac Cook & Joseph McCruchers his associates Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the County aforesaid, Marcus Wackman, 78 years of age, a Resident of the Town of Liberty in the County aforesaid who after being duly subscribed and sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the provision, made by the act of Congress passed June the 7th 1832.

That at the commencement of the revolutionary war was but what year or month he is unable to state at Shawangunk Ulster County New York, he formed a company of Rangers commanded by Captain Isaac Belknap the first Lieutenant of said Company was Abraham Schoonmaker & the second lieutenant named Peter Roper, that from Shawangunk he marched to Newburgh & from Newburgh to Fishkill where the company rendezvoused, the principal employment of the company to which he belonged was picking up Tories, that at some time during his service then was about 300 Tories confined in the Dutch church who had been taken by his and around at Fishkill. Many of the Tories were taken in Dutchess [Dutchess] County, New York & some in the state of Connecticut. That he served in the above company about three months when he was discharged at Fishkill but from time or accident his discharge has been lost, in addition to this he acted as a militia from five days to two weeks at a time for the space of [?] years in Ulster County County [sic] New York. (Signed with his mark) Marcus Wackman

Sworn to & subscribed in open court September 27, 1836, Humphrey Fullerton
Clerk.