

Pension Application for Caleb Wadams

S.11643

State of New York

Cayuga County SS

On this 18th day of June AD 1832 before me the Subscriber first Judge of the Court of Common Pleas in & for the County of Cayuga & State aforesaid personally appears Caleb Wadams aged eighty years resident in the town of Scipio in the County of Cayuga and State aforesaid, who being by me first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provisions made by a late act of Congress entitled “an act Supplementary to the act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution”—

That he the said Caleb Wadams enlisted in the town of Nine Partners in the County of Dutchess in the State of New York in the company commanded by Captain James Youngs, in Col. Baldwins, Regiment of “Artificers” in month of October AD 1777. That he continued to serve in said company until the month of October AD 1781 when hew as discharged at Orange town in the County of Orange in the State of New York—that Captain [blank] Purdy took the command of said Company after the command thereof was given up by Capt James Youngs that subsequently the said Company was commanded by Captain John Sheperd—that said Shepherd commanded said company when he the said Wadams was discharged from said company after the command thereof was given up by Capt James Youngs that subsequently the said Company was commanded by Captain John Shepherd—that said Shepherd commanded said Company when he the said Wadams was discharged from said company—that he the said Wadams received a discharge from said company but has since lost the same.

He further declares that he has no other evidence of said services except the following affidavit of John Dill. (Signed) Caleb Wadams

Sworn to & declared before me the same day & year first aforsaid [aforesaid]. J. L. Richards [tear in page]