

**Pension Application for Jeremiah Willcox or Wilcox**

R.11523

State of New York

County of Warren SS

On this fourteenth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three personally appeared before me Hobby Mean a Judge of the Court of Common Pleas and General Sessions of the Peace in and for the County of Warren and State above said Jeremiah Wilcox a resident of Warrensburgh in the said County of Warren aged 80 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<sup>th</sup> 1832.

That he enlisted in the army of the United States, April in the year 1777 in Capt Philip Lakes Company Col. Yates Regiment & under General Philip Schuyler. Marched to Fort George and from there to Fort Edward and to Fort Miller and there was discharged and served four months, and in the service of the United States in the ;month of April under Col. yates and marched to Saratoga and there was employed in the Works destroyed by Burgoyne, and served seven month[s] in that campain [campaign] when he was discharged has no written discharge nor had none given he lived in the Town of Argyle Washington County New York, knows of no person living who as in the service with him or who can testify to he services.

He hereby relinquishes every claim what ever to a pension or annuity except the Present and declares that his name is not on the pension[roll] of the agency of any state.

Here follows the Interrogatories.

1<sup>st</sup> was born in [Cllove?] Dutchess County New York.

2<sup>nd</sup> has no record of his age does not know of any.

3d in Saratoga so caled [called] now Argyle Washington County New York. he lived 18 years in Lancaster New Hampshire no resides in Warrensburgh where he has resided 24 years.

4<sup>th</sup> was drafted the first 4 months ;and enlisted the 7 months.

5<sup>th</sup> General Schuyler Col Yates, Capt Lake served the 1<sup>st</sup> campain [campaign] at Fort George untill it was avacuated [evacuated] then they burned two or three boats that were building on the Lake, and blowed up the magazine and marched off to Fort Edward (under the command of Col. Yates) and staid at Fort Edward a short time and marched from there to Fort Miller to keep before Burgoyne, and at Fort Miller he was discharged, the officers having to repair to their families and move them off before the enemy and in 1778 he served under Col. Yates in Repairing the Barrack and other works which were distroyed [destroyed] by Burgoyne's army and served 7 month[s] was discharged the first of Novr 1778.

6<sup>th</sup> He never had any written discharge but Col. Yates told him that he was discharged.

7<sup>th</sup> John Weller, Solomon Thurston, Harvey Powers, Albro Tripps, Samuel C. Dickinson, Sheldon Graves, James Starbuck, Henry Darrow, Elijah H. Howe &c.  
(Signed) Jeremiah Wilcox

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid before me. Hobby Mead, a  
Judge of Warren Common Pleas.