

**Pension Application for John (or Joshn) Wormwood or Wormood or Wormund**

W.26093 (Widow: Catharine) Married October 1785. He died February 18, 1832.

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Family Record

Births

John Wormood was born June the 1794

Sally his wife was born Aug 8<sup>th</sup> 1799

Uriah Wormood was born June 30<sup>th</sup> 1821

Wm H. Wormood was born May the 18, 1823

Eugean Hamilton Wormood was born Feb 19<sup>th</sup> 1825

Charles V. Wormood was born Feb 12, 1827

Family Record

Marriages

John Wormood was married to Sally Shield May 2 1819 James Vilesey

Declaration. In order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress of the 7<sup>th</sup> July 1838, entitled "An act granting half pay and pension to certain widows".

State of New York.

County of Onondaga SS

On this 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 1844, personally appeared before the Subscriber a Judge of the Court in and for said County, Catharine Wormood a resident of the town of Manlius in said County aged Seventy Seven years, and upwards, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth, on her oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provision made by the act of Congress, passed July 7<sup>th</sup>, 1838, entitled "An act granting half pay and pensions to certain widows".

That she is the widow of John wormwood late a soldier in the war of the Revolution, that her said husband served under various officers, Capt Fink, Col Willet, Capt Pierce, Col Willet, Capt Skinner, Capt or Col Klock, Capt Ostrom, those named this declarant recollects but having been married after the war, she can not be too positive as to the officers named, that her late husband served under; it is possible that he may not have served under them all; but she well recollects, that her late husband resided at or near Palatine in the midst of the war; and that she understood and believed that he served two or three years and may be four or five years as he was in much of the war of the revolution and the names of the officers were frequently mentioned;--

She further declares that she was married to the said John Wormwood in October in the year 1785, seventeen hundred and eighty five; that her husband, the aforesaid John Wormwood died on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1832, eighteen hundred and thirty two; that she was not married to him prior to his leaving the service, but the marriage took place previous to the first of January, seventeen hundred and ninety-four viz, at the time above stated; that this deponent has not a family record of any kind whatever. (Signed with her mark) Catharine Wormood

Sworn to, and subscribed on the [day] and year above written before—Amosa H. Jerome, Judge of On Co Courts.