

on the line within the command of Genl. Gates by the
orders & Direction of Captain Richmond. That in the
Month of May 1783 he this Deponent was transferred
from the Command of the said Captain Richmond to the
company of Captain ^{Mason} belonging to a Detachment of
Maryland Troops then in the State of New York
under the command of Major Thomas Sandford &
marched from thence to Baltimore in the State
of Maryland and there Discharged regularly on
the day of June One thousand ~~seven~~ ^{eight} him
dred and Eighty three Peace having been conclu
ded & the revolutionary war ended. That he
is desirous of obtaining a pension under the Act of
Congress passed the 18th March 1818 entitled "An Act to pro
vide for certain persons engaged in the land and marine
service of the United States in the revolutionary war."
That he sold his discharge to pay his expenses when
he was laying sick for the sum of fifteen dollars
and is thereby unable to produce his discharge
And that from his reduced circumstances he
needs assistance from his country for support
and ~~therefore~~ ^{therefore} he never received a pension ~~before~~
And further this deponent saith that he
swore & subscribed before
me the ~~day of~~ 25th day of ^{March} Banks & Webb
May 1818

Joseph Taylor atty.

He hereby relinquish all claim and right to any
pension allowed the soldiers of the United States ^{Army}
the revolutionary war by Congress except that of
the 18th March 1818 & gives under my hand 25th May 18
Presence of }
Law. Davis Jr } Banks & Webb
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