

District of New Jersey

On this twenty first day of April 1818 before me
the subscriber one of the Judges of the Circuit Court of the Uni-
ted States for the said District, personally appeared, David Con-
gton aged Seventy years, resident in Aqueduct Town-
ship in the County of Essex in the said District, who being by
me first duly sworn, according to Law, doth on his oath
make the following Declaration in order to obtain the pro-
visions made by the late act of Congress, entitled "An act to
provide for certain persons engaged in the land and naval ser-
vices of the United States in the revolutionary war, That he the
said David Congton enlisted in the Spring 1776 at Charlot-
town in Maryland in the Company commanded by Cap-
tain Stanton in the first Maryland Regiment commanded
by Col Stone in the Maryland line on the Continental
establishment that he enlisted for one year but before
the year expired he reenlisted in the same company then
commanded by Captain Puring in the first Maryland Reg-
iment as a soldier for the term of three years, that after this
term expired he again reenlisted for the war in the same
company commanded then by Lieutenant Commandant
Mitchell in the said first Maryland Regiment, that he
continued to serve in the said corps from the Spring of
1778 untill the Peace in 1783 when he was discharged
from service at the Head of Elk in the State of Maryland,
that he lost his discharge, that he was in the Battle of

Long Island, Harlem heights, White Plains, Albany,
Saratoga, Germantown & York Town, and that he is in
reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assis-
tance of his country for support, and that he has no
other evidence now in his power of his said services
known to and desired before me
the day & year as ensue

William Remington
District Judge

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David Congleton
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I, William S. Remington Judge of the United States Dis-
trict Court for the District of New York, do certify
that it appears to my satisfaction that the said Da-
vid Congleton did serve in the revolutionary war of
this State in the preceding declaration against the Common
Enemy, and I now transmit the proceedings & testimony
taken & had before me to the Secretary for the Department
of War, pursuant to the directions of the aforesaid
act of Congress.

New York April 21st 1797

William Remington
District Judge