

WAR OF 1812			
NUMBERS	SOLDIER	BOUNTY LAND	
A.O. 16596	Lake, Benjamin H.		
	WIDOW		
	SERVICE		
	Sgt. Capt. S.D. Velie's Co. Post. Capt. S. Storm's Co.		
	N.Y. Mil.		
ENLISTED	DISCHARGED		
RESIDENCE OF SOLDIER	REMARKS		
RESIDENCE OF WIDOW			
MAIDEN NAME OF WIDOW			
MARRIAGE OF SOLDIER AND WIDOW			
DEATH OF SOLDIER			
DEATH OF WIDOW			

NP 6076

ACT OF FEBRUARY 14, 1871.

WAR OF 1812.

76.478-160-20

Conf. A. Lake
Lt. Paul. Quinn.
Capt. S. L. Velin's Co.

Discharged _____, 18

Also Capt. Stornum Co.

Rejected 16th March 1874

Received May 22^d, 1871.

J. A. Morgan

Washington

D.C.

Attorney.

1871 Oct. 16th 3^d Auditor

1872 Jan. 11. P. L. Div.

May 29. Atty

statement

1872

1873

Nov. 20. Atty. Explanation

as regards letter being

returned without evidence

letter or endorsement

1873 March 11. Atty. Special

circular.

1873 Nov. 7. Atty again

asked for correct statement

of 20th in

Third Aud. for exam-

ination of the books of Col.

Knickerbocker Regt N.Y. Mil

Rejected March 16th 1874

Thos. Lewis. Atty

Graduation Oct 22, 71

Services in Bealey's Co. HCU.

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WAR OF 1812.

ACT FEBRUARY 14, 1871.

BRIEF OF CLAIM FOR A SURVIVOR'S PENSION

in the case of Benjamin H. Lave,
of Captain S. Storms Company, Stew York, Militia.
Residence, Ramsey County Minnesota.
Post Office address, St. Paul, Ramsey County Minnesota.
Enlisted Sept. 8th, 1844, discharged Sept. 18th, 1844.
Served afterward from Sept. 18th, 1844, to Sept. 18th, 1844.
in Captain S. Storms Company, Militia.

Declaration and identification in due form, filed May 22nd, 1871.

SERVICE FOR SIXTY DAYS SHOWN AS FOLLOWS:

5th And reports service from 8th to 18th of Sept. 1844, travel included in Capt. S. Storms Oct. 10, 1844.
Rejected by reason of insufficient service.

Other service was alleged, but no response has been received to various calls for evidence relative thereto and the claim is presumed to be abandoned.

Length of service 14 days.

Claimant declares he is not a pensioner under any previous act. Name not on list of pensioners.

Loyalty, claimant's averment and testimony of, _____

Their credibility shown by certificate of _____

Oath to support the Constitution of the United States subscribed.

Admitted Rejected March 16th, 1871, to a pension of eight dollars per month, from February 14, 1871.

J. A. Morgan, Esq.
Present.

W. H. Kingsley
 Examiner.

APPROVED:

A. W. Fisher
 Reviewer.

Revised

No. 16,596. P.

Treasury Department,

THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

Nov. 16th, 1878.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions with the information that there are no Rolls of Captain Bealy or Beale's Company of New York Militia, War of 1812, on file in this Office.

The Rolls of Capt. Samuel Storm's Co. of N.Y. Militia show that Benjamin H. Lake served from Sept. 8th, 1814 to Sept. 18th, 1814. Paid for eleven days.

Wm. J. Lawrence
Deputy Auditor.



No. 16596

1871

Treasury Department,
THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

December 29, 1871.

Respectfully returned to the Com-
missioner of Pensions with the informa-
tion that the rolls of Capt. Stephen
J. Velie's Company of
New York Militia show
that Benjamin H. Lake Corp.
served from 5 September, 1814,
to 16 September, 1814.

9 days

Allan Tucker
Auditor.

No. 16, 596 822

Treasury Department,

THIRD AUDITORS OFFICE,

November 12, 1873.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions with the information that the rolls of Capt.

Stern's Company of New York Militia show that Benjamin H. Lake, Corp served from September 3, 1811, to September 15, 1811, and included

Certificate of December 29th 1811, in comd. No evidence of command by Capt. Nile

Allan Rusherford
Auditor.

No. 16596 P



Treasury Department,

THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

Am. Dec 23rd, 1878.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions with the information that there are no Rolls of Captain *Bealey* Company of *New York* Militia, War of 1812, on file in this Office.

M. H. Lawrence
Deputy Auditor.

Benj. H. Lake

J.M.M. 64
No. 16,596.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE, 1812 DIVISION.

Dec. 7th, 1873.

Respectfully returned to the
Hon. Third Auditor

Present.

with the request that this
Office be informed if
there is any evidence of
the command of Colonel
William Knickerbocker
N.Y. Mil. I send the
name of Benj. H. Lake
appears upon any Co. Roll
of the Regt. if found
for what period?

By order of the Commissioner,

Alex. Wick
Actg. Chief Clerk.

Col. Knickerbocker
Knickerbocker

Enl. R. E.
to by Knickerbocker
Capt. D. P. H. A. R.
" W. H. H. H.
" A. Storrs, X
" E. Whitford
" A. Clumson,

8 to 18 Sep. 1874.
we understand

that of Dr. H. H. H.
should be in of
the Bell's Co. H.

X
for
Clerk
ing
by

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Survivors' Pension Claim.

No. 16.596

Soldier Benj. H. Lake
Served in Capt. W. S. Miles Co.
N. S. Mil

Varrant No. 76478-160-55

Required: Was B. L. allowed
to name of Capt.
State Militia & length
of service

Frantz, Examiner.

Report: No evidence that
application for Bty. Land
has been made

M. J. G. G. G.
Chief B'ty L'd Div.

May 24th 1922

A. M. D.
1878

Army, Old War, and Bounty
Land Division.

Service Pension, War of 1812,
or Bounty Land Claim.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

October 22, 1878.

Sir:

You are respectfully requested to furnish official evidence of the enrollment, muster, service, duty, and discharge or death of Benjamin N. Lake, who is alleged to have been _____ at _____, on the _____ day of _____, 18____, in Captain Bealey's Company, of Col. _____ Regiment of N. Y. M. I., and to have been discharged (or died) at _____ on the _____ day of _____, 18____.

If the above name is not found on the rolls of said Company, will you so state, and report as to enrollment, &c., in the case of any man bearing a similar name, whom you have good reason for believing to be the soldier inquired for.

Please return this Circular with your report.

Claim No. 16,596

Respectfully yours,

Am. Bird
Auditor
Present.

J. A. Smith
Commissioner.

Service Pension, War of 1812, or
Bounty Land.

No. 16596

Enlisted _____

Discharged or died _____

2716
Samuel Bailey
Wm. Thompson

WAR OF 1812.
DECLARATION OF SOLDIER FOR PENSION.

To be executed before Judge or Clerk of Court.

State of *Maine* }
COUNTY OF *Penobscot* } S.S.

On this *13* day of *May*, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy *four*, personally appeared before me *Clute* of the *District* Court of Record within and for the county and State aforesaid, *Benjamin F. Locke* aged *seventy eight* years, a resident of *Saint Paul*, County of *Penobscot*, State of *Maine*, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is married; that his wife's name was *Harvey Crink*, to whom he was married at *Portland, Maine* on the *10th* day of *January*, 1818; that he served the full period of sixty days in the (1) *Penobscot* service of the United States in the war of 1812; that he is the identical *Benjamin F. Locke* who (2) *was drafted* in Captain *Stephen* *Allen* company, *regiment*, *brigade*, *division*, at *181*, and was honorably discharged at *181*, on the *13th* day of *May*, 1818; that (3) *after the*

boarding of Capt. Allen's company by Genl. in Capt. Stone's
company he was commanded by Col. William Lanierbrook
that he was transferred to the Naval Service and
was on board vessels attempting to reach the great
battle on Lake Champlain, but owing to the
lack of breeze and did not get into reach
the scene of action although in hearing of the guns

that he, at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States, adhered to the cause of the enemies of the Government, giving them aid or comfort, or exercised the functions of any office whatever under any authority, or pretended authority, in hostility to the United States; and that he will support the Constitution of the United States; that he is not in receipt of a pension under any previous act; that he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States, under the provision of the act approved February 14, 1871, and he hereby constitutes and appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

Harvey F. Morgan of *Washington D. C.* his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim and obtain the pension certificate that may be issued; that his post office is at *Saint Paul*, County of *Penobscot*, State of *Maine*; that his domicile or place of abode is *Saint Paul, aforesaid*.

Benjamin F. Locke
Applicant.

ATTEST:

J. A. Brown

(Note.—If applicant makes his mark, let two persons who write their names attest his signature. The officer administering the oath cannot be one of the attesting parties.)

Notes.—1 "Military" or "naval."

2 "Was drafted," "enlisted," or "was enrolled."

3 Here give place, capacity, and manner of service, and any historical events in the war in which he participated, or with which he was connected. And state if discharge is lost, on file in Pension Office, or herewith filed.

Also, personally appeared John P. Baker residing at No. 22
In Beaumont street, in St. Louis, and John P. Baker
residing at No. 100 in St. Louis, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being by me duly sworn,
say: They were present and saw Benjamin F. Lake the claimant, sign his
name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance
of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be;
that at no time during the late rebellion against the authority of the United States did he adhere to the cause of the
enemies of the Government, giving them aid or comfort; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this
claim.

A. G. Pringle
John P. Baker

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of May
A. D. 1871, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration,
&c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words
erased, and the words
added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

Robert H. Norton
Notary Public
Beaumont, La.



WAR OF 1812.
DECLARATION OF SOLDIER FOR PENSION.

CLAIM OF
Benjamin F. Lake

FILED BY
Wm. M. Morgan
Washington D.C.

Printed and sold by W. H. Brown, 111 1/2 St. N. Washington, D. C.

ALSO personally appeared William B. Luzzie and William G. Hendrickson
 residing at Port Town Wayside William William William
 aged 25 25 25 years, residing at Port Town Wayside William William William
 persons whom I know to be respectable and capable of doing, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they have
 known the said William B. Luzzie William G. Hendrickson William William William years, respectively; that they were present and saw him sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that
 they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the
 identical person he represents himself to be; and they further say that they are able to identify him as the identical per-
 son who rendered the service alleged in the above application (in the Company of Captain S. L. Benley
 and Capt 52 52 52 in the regiment of Col. Knickerbocker U.S. Militia
 in the war of 1812 by the following stated facts and circumstances, viz:

and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.
William B. Luzzie
William G. Hendrickson
 Subscribed before me this 20th day of August
 A. D. 1877; and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, do, ever fully and truly known and ex-
 plained to the applicant and witnesses before me, including the words
 read, and the words _____ added; and that I have no interest, direct or
 indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.



Samuel H. Loe
County Clerk
Wm.



Department of the Interior
PENSION OFFICE

Washington, D.C. May 29th 1872

Sir:-
In the pension claim of Benjamin N. Lake No. 16596, as survivor of the war of 1812, under the Act of February 16th 1871, the records show unsuccessfully served in Captain Stephen T. Velies Company of New York Militia. The claimant is requested to furnish this Office with a correct statement of his service in the war of 1812, ^{or} if in the Naval Service, the name of the ship on which he served, should be given, with the

16596

A correct statement
of service is called for
long since the same
has been furnished and
no more payment can
be made is abundant
and not accordingly.
Charles C. Townsend
Nov 14th 1874.



number of his land warrant, if
he received one. Please return
this letter with your answer.

Very respectfully
J. M. B. Baker
Commissioner

James A. Morgan,
Washington
D. C.

J. M. B.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

To:

Oct 5, 1871.
You are respectfully requested to furnish official evidence of the enrollment, muster, service, duty, and discharge or death of Samuel Beale, who is alleged to have been enrolled at Fort Monroe, Va., on the day of Sept, 1864, in Captain Beale's Company, of Col Beale's Regiment of Ar. G. Mil., and to have been discharged (or died) at Fort Monroe on the day of Sept, 1864.

Served as Sergeant in Capt Beale's, or Beale's Co
afterward as private in the same Company, transferred
with Capt Starnes Company A. G. Mil.

If the above name is not found on the rolls of said Company, will you so state, and report as to enrollment, &c., in the case of any man bearing a similar name, whom you have good reason for believing to be the soldier inquired for.

Please return this Circular with your report.

Service Claim No. 16,576

Respectfully yours,

Sam'l H. Smith

Agent.

J A Smith

Commissioner.

Samuel Storm's Co
49 Van Vechten

Service Pension, War of 1812, or
Bounty Land.

No. 16596

Benj A Lake Corp
Served in Capt

Samuel Storm's Co
from Sept 8 to Sept
16 - 1814

Paid for 19 days

Benjamin A. Lake
Capt. Keeler's Battery
U.S. Mil.

Enlisted 1814

Discharged or died 1814

276 "G" M. Laughton

WAR OF 1812.

ACT OF FEB. 14, 1871.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

Deton *14th*, 1871.

Sir:

You are respectfully requested to furnish official evidence of the enrollment, muster, service, and duty of *Benjamin H. Lake*, who *enlisted* at *N. Y.*, on the *day of* *18*, in Captain *Lehman S. Smith's* *Company* *Regiment* *New York Militia*, and who was discharged at on the *day of* *18*. He again enlisted at *18*, on the *day of* *18*, in Captain *Company* *Regiment*, and was discharged therefrom at on the *day of* *18*.

The following are related as the principal incidents of the War of 1812 in which he participated:

If the above name is not found on the rolls of said Company, will you so state, and report as to enrollment, &c. in the case of any man bearing a similar name, whom you have good reason for believing to be the soldier inquired for.

Please return this circular with your report.

Circular No. *4596*

Respectfully, yours,

J. H. Baker
Commissioner.

Third Auditor,
Present.

Room No. *100*

WAR OF 1812.

Act of Feb. 14, 1871.

No. 16894

Benjamin N. Lake
Capt. Stephen D. White
& Stems N. G. Hill

Enlisted No. Date

Discharged
Capt. S. S. White
Co. B. 4th Cal.,
No. 100,
Capt. S. Stems
Wm. Kichson
Capt. 8th 16 Sept 1814

SOURCE INFORMATION

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S O Pension Number: 16596

S C Pension Number: [Blank]

W O Pension Number: [Blank]

W C Pension Number: [Blank]

Soldier: Lake, Benjamin H

Widow: [Blank]

Bounty Land Warrant Number: [Blank]

Bounty Land Acres Granted Number: [Blank]

Bounty Land Blw Act Year: [Blank]

Service: Sgt Capt S S Velier's Co Pvt Capt S Storm's Co NY Mil

State Organization: New York

Marriage Date: [Blank]

Soldier Death Date: [Blank]

Widow Death Date: [Blank]

Certificate Year: [Blank]

Additional Full Name: [Blank]

Conflict Period: War of 1812

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