

I William Sisco of Troy in the County of Orleans and State of Vermont testify and say that I entered the service in the revolutionary Army the first Campaign before Boston in the eight months service in Captain Samuel Massey's Company in Col. George Beeds Regiment New Hampshire line, before the eight months were expired I was returned by my Officer, as enlisted during the War. ~~But~~ although I did not list in the Spring of 1776 I entered in Capt. Isaac Fairwell's Company in Col. Sully's Regiment in Gen. Sullivan's Brigade N.H. line in which Company I continued till the close of the war. A little before the end of the War I received a furlough for some months to visit my family, on my return to the Army in about two months after I left it, returning home having been discharged, I accordingly returned with them and did not receive my discharge I further testify and say that I am in reduced and indigent circumstances and need the assistance of my Country for ^{my} support

William Sisco
mark


State of Vermont
Orleans County ss. Greensboro May 12th 1818 personally appeared the above named William Sisco and being duly cautioned made solemn oath that the foregoing declaration contained the truth and nothing but the truth before me.

Thos. Stanley Judge of Orleans
County Court

And I hereby certify that the said William Sisco has produced satisfactory proof that he served in the revolutionary War against a common enemy as stated in his declaration and that he is in reduced circumstances and needs the assistance of his Country for support, and I transmit the foregoing Testimony taken in the case to the Secretary of the Department of War.

Thos. Stanley Judge of Orleans
County Court

State of Vermont
Caledonia County



I certify that the Hon. Timothy Stanley
is an Assistant Judge of Caledonia County Court
and that the foregoing is his signature
Attest John W. Allen Clerk & Notary
public

Revolutionary Claim under act of Congress, May 1st. 1820.
 State of Vermont
 Franklin County, 3^d. Supreme Court July. Term. 1820
 On this. Eleventh day of July 1820 Personally appeared in
 open Court being the Supreme Court of said State for the County
 of Franklin, and a Court of Record for said State and County
 having the Power of fine and Imprisonment
 William Sisco of Franklin aged 70 years resident in
 Franklin in said County who being duly Sworn according
 to Law doth on his oath declare that he served in the
 Revolutionary war as follows. Enlisted in the State of New
 Hampshire in the year 1775 under Capt. Farewell. Col.
 Cillys Regiment and served during the war when I was
 discharged I was in Monmouth Battle on Bunker hill
 I was with General Sullivans in the Indian country my
 Original declaration is dated, May 12th 1818 My family
 consists of one wife age is 68 years two daughters one fifteen
 the other twelve I have a pension Certificate dated
 May 7th 1819 N^o 10,352. And I do Solemnly Swear
 that I was a Resident citizen of the United States on the
 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that
 time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property
 or any part thereof with intent thereby so diminish it as to
 bring myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entit-
 led an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land
 and naval Service of the United States in the Revolutionary
 war passed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I
 have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or
 Securities contracts or debts due to me nor have I any income

Other than what is contained in the schedules hereto annexed
and by me subscribed. — Real Estate None.

Personal Estate one Cow. 18.00 three Sheep 12.00 House
hold furniture 10.00 I am a farmer by occupation but inf
irm by reason of age William ^{his} Sisco
marks

I owe as much as I have due me

Sworn to and declared on the
eleventh day of July 1820 } Before the Court

Attest Horace Jones Clerk

State of Vermont

Franklin County ss } I Horace Jones Clerk of the Supre
me Court do hereby certify that the foreg
oing oath and the Schedules thereto ann
exed are truly copied from the Record
of said Court. And I do further certify
that it is the opinion of the Court that the
total amount in value of the property exhibited in the aforesaid
schedule is thirty two dollars In Testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said Court
on this 15th day of July 1820

Horace Jones Clerk

Cap^d 1874 37

Vermont 1846
 } Abigail Sisco
 widow of William Sisco
 N. H.
 who died on the 12 January 1832
 of George's Co in the State of Vermont
 who was a private in the company commanded
 by Captain _____ of the _____ commanded
 by Col _____ in the
 line for two years private

Inscribed on the Roll of Vermont
 at the rate of 80 Dollars — Cents per an. m. to
 commence on the 1st day of March, 1834. 12
 January 1832

Certificate of Pension issued the 11th day of July
 1837 and sent to
 William Briggs Salbans

Arrears to the 1st of March 1837 \$411.50
 Semi-annual allowance ending 31st — 40.00

\$ 451.50

{ Revolutionary Claims }
 { Act July 4, 1836, }
 { Section the _____ }

Recorded by *Saml Boyd* Clerk,
 Book _____ Vol. _____ Page 41

Declaration

In order to obtain the benefit of the 3 section of
the act of Congress of the 4th of July 1836
State of Vermont } St. Albans February 27th
Georgia (District) } 1837.

On this day personally
appeared before me the undersigned with only
Abigail Sisco, a resident of Franklin in the
County of Franklin and State aforesaid, aged eighty
three years on the 10th day of March last, who
being first duly sworn according to law, doth on
her oath make the following declaration in
order to obtain the benefit of the provisions made
by the act of Congress passed July 4th 1836.

That she is the widow of William Sisco, who
was a private soldier in the army of the Revolution;
that according to the best of her recollection,
some time previous to the engagement on
Bunker Hill, her said husband entered the service
as a volunteer and served as such in the battle
of Bunkers hill, and that he was absent eight
or nine months, does not recollect whether he
served the whole time as a volunteer or not,
but believes he was enlisted a part of the time.
That he afterwards enlisted for three years or during
the war & served in Col. Lillys Regt and continued
in the army til near the close of the war, that
he often related to her the particulars of his service,
his being with Gen Sullivan in the expedition
against the Indians at the West & also his being in
the battle at Narrmouth Rhode Island &c
That her said husband was an inhabitant of the town

of Unity in the state of New Hampshire when he entered the service, and returned there after his discharge from the army, moved from thence to Weathersfield Vt from thence to Swanton & from thence to Franklin, county & State aforesaid where she has lived nearly twenty years.

She further declares that she was married to the said William Sisco on the 30th day of September, But the year in which she was married she does not recollect. But it was before the commencement of the Revolutionary war, that she was seventeen years of age on the 10th day of March previous to her marriage, that her husband the said William Sisco, was a Pensioner of the United States and that he died on the 12th day of January 1832, and at the time of his decease she had lived with him sixty years; and that she has remained a widow ever since that period, as will more fully appear by reference to the proof hereunto annexed

Sworn to, and subscribed
the day and year above written

Abigail ^{her} Sisco
mark

Before me William Bridges Judge
of Probate for the District
of Georgia

I further certify that the said Abigail Sisco is reported to be a woman of good character

W^m Bridges Judge of Probate

I Daniel Chilton of Enosburgh in the
 County of Seneca & State of Vermont do certify
 & say that I was born in Wetherfield in this
 State in the year 1776 & that while I resided
 with my Father in said Wetherfield a family
 by the name of William Sisco lived near
 my Father & that they had children older
 than I was & that they afterwards removed to
 Seneca in this State - that I was well
 acquainted with said family between the
 years 1780 & 1790 & that I have been acquainted
 with said family in Seneca for the last
 20 years & until the old man died & that
 his widow now resides in said Seneca
 & that the old man died about a year
 from government of正月 the southern
 Enosburgh April 25. 1837 - Daniel Chilton

State of Vermont of then at Enosburgh this
 Seneca County 25th Day of April 1837
 personally appeared Daniel
 Chilton the signer of the above deposition
 & made oath that the above deposition
 by him signed is true according to the best
 of his knowledge & belief -

Before me

Austin Fuller
 a Justice of the Peace
 of Seneca County

I Certify that I have been acquainted
~~with~~ within Samuel Dennis Chilson for more
 than 20 years & that I believe him to be a
 man of truth & veracity & for the last 10
 years he has lived in the same neighborhood

Attest Austin Fuller
 Justice of Franklin
 County Court

I Dorcas Glover of Franklin in the County of Franklin & State of Vermont, aged 66 years, do testify and say that I formerly lived in Weatherford in the State of Vermont in the year 1791. at the same time one William Sisco & Abigail his wife lived on my father's farm in said Weatherford and that I was well acquainted with the family & that they lived there for the space of four or five years they then removed to the town of Swanton in Vermont & resided there a few years from thence to said Franklin, that they lived together as man & wife & although I was not present at their marriage yet I have no doubt but that they were lawfully married for I have often heard of her father & mother & other friends say that they were at the wedding & that Sisco resided in said Franklin until his death and was a Pensioner of the United States. his widow now resides in said Franklin & has remained a widow ever since the death of her husband and is a person of reputable character.

Dorcas Glover

Sworn to & subscribed this
5th day of May 1837

Before me P. S. Gates Justice Peace

I further certify that I am personally acquainted with the above named deponent and know her to be a woman of truth & veracity -

P. S. Gates Justice Peace

I Timothy Foster of Swanton in the County of Franklin & State of Vermont aged forty eight years do testify and say that in the year 1801 or two my father assisted in removing William Sisco & his wife Abigail Sisco from Rutland County Vermont to Swanton aforesaid where they settled and lived for several years as man & wife, they were so reputed and I have no doubt of the fact. They then had children according to the best of my recollection between the age of twenty and thirty years of age one of the sons of Mr Sisco was a hired man and lived in my fathers family the next following year after they settled in Swanton as aforesaid and I should say that he was of lawful age at that time. I have been well acquainted with the family of Mr Sisco up to the present time and by reputation William Sisco & Abigail Sisco his wife, had been lawfully joined in marriage. I further say that William Sisco was a Pensioner several years previous to his death, and that his wife Abigail Sisco has ever been considered a reputable person.

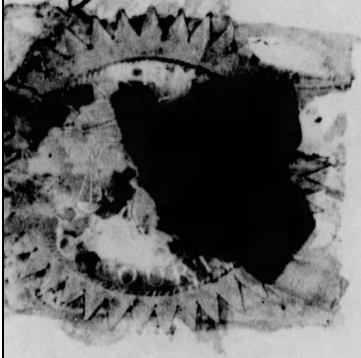
Sworn to and
 subscribed this 15th day of April 1837
 Before me William Bridges Justice of the Peace

Timothy Foster

I further certify that the within named
 Depo^{er}ant is a man of high respectability
 having ^{been} Sheriff of Franklin County Vermont
 and a gentleman with whom I am well acquai-
 nted and consider his statement within, entitled
 to full faith & credit
 W. Bridges Justice of the Peace

W. Bridges
 State of Vermont } I Joseph McBrainerd
 Franklin County } Clerk of Franklin County
 Court, do hereby certify that
 Austin Fuller who has affixed his name to the
 Deposition of Daniel Chillson is Epistont Judge
 of the county court for the county of Franklin
 and that William Bridges who has affixed his name
 to the Deposition of Timothy Foster and the Decla-
 ration of Migail Sisco is Judge of the Court of
 Probate for the District of Georgia, and a Magistrate
 within & for the county of Franklin Co., and that
 Phillip S Gates who has affixed his name to the
 Deposition of Dorcas Glover is a Magistrate in
 & for the county of ^{commissioned} and that the said Fuller, Bridges
 & Gates are duly qualified to act in their capacities
 and being well acquainted with each of their hand

writing I know that the signatures purport-
ing to be theirs and affixed to the several
instruments above named are their genuine
signatures -



In testimony whereof I
have herewith set my hand
and affixed the seal of sd county
Clerk at Stillbans in said
county this 20th day of May
1837

Joseph H. Brainerd Clerk

This certifies that I have examined the records
belonging to the Clerk's Office of this Town, and
find no record of the Marriage of any persons
by the names of Sisco or Brand

The Statute of this State requiring Marriages,
Births & Burials to be recorded by Town Clerks,
was passed Sep. 15th 1791, and I find no record
of any marriages whatever previous to that
date

Unity N.H. March 27th 1837

Amos Perkins Town Clerk

2040
 Abigail Sisco
 wid of William
 Nt.

May 78 8 mo

Adm^o per \$80 per
 ann commencing 12th
 Dec^r 1830 -

Oct 1838

Mr Brian Cup
 St Albans Nt.

Rev. & 1812 Wars Section

February 18, 1926

Mrs. G. Lindbladh
340 School St.
Watertown, Mass.

Madam:

I have to advise you from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, W. 22209, it appears that WILLIAM SISCO or SCISCO, while living in Unity, New Hampshire, enlisted and served eight or nine months as private in Captain Samuel Massey's Company, Colonel George Reid's New Hampshire Regiment; he was in the battle of Bunker Hill. He enlisted in the spring of 1776 in Captain Isaac Farwell's Company, Colonel Cilley's New Hampshire Regiment, was in the battle of Monmouth and went on Sullivan's Indian expedition and served until the close of the Revolution.

He was allowed pension on his application executed May 12, 1818, at which time he was a resident of Troy, Orleans County, Vermont.

In 1820 he was seventy years of age and a resident of Franklin, Franklin County, Vermont. He died January 12, 1832.

He married September 30, 1770, Abigail (her maiden name not stated) who was born March 10, 1753. She was allowed pension on her application executed February 27, 1837, while a resident of Franklin, Vermont.

In 1801 or 1802 they had a son of lawful age and other children between the ages of twenty and thirty and they had a daughter born about 1805 and a daughter born about 1808 but no names were stated.

The above noted is the only soldier named William Sisco (searched under all spellings of the name) found on the Revolutionary War records of this Bureau.

Respectfully,

E. W. MORGAN
Acting Commissioner

*William Sisco. Cert.
Adt March 18. 1818. when last
paid. HHS*

*Died 12th Jan. 1832 p^d. that period
JA*

Concord N. H.

April 21, 1926

Bureau of Pensions:

Dear Sir,

Could you give me any information in regard to William Sisco who used to live in Franklin Vermont, but enlisted from New Hampshire in the Revolutionary War. Do you know where he was born? He died in Franklin

Vermont,
 Mrs Lena Allen
 Depot Restaurant
 Concord
 N. H.

1926 Feb. 18. Lett. to
 Wm. S. Sisco black U.S.A.
 1926 July 6. Hist. to Mrs. Lena Allen. I was
 det. while W. S. was in base army.

Rev
WIDOW, &c.

File No. 22,209
Abigail Sisco
Widow of
William Sisco
Brig. Gen. War

Act July 4th 1836

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[Arrangement of 1870.]

340 SCHOOL STREET
WATERTOWN
MASSACHUSETTS

Com. of Pensions
Washington, D. C.
Will you please send me
a copy of the complete
Military Record of Wm.
Sisco who is known to have
been discharged Sept. 23. 1777
and whose place of abode is
given as Savel N. H. - Born 1748
I will appreciate any information
concerning his family, names
of his children etc.
Respectfully Mrs G. Lindblad
340 School St.
Watertown, Mass.

