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VETERAN

Calvin Powell

GRADE

1812 Pres.

SERVICE

Capt. Gordon Taylor

Col. Saml. Blackwell, Reg. Me.

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Jan. 18. 1856.

Calvin Powell

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Cot. Saml. Blakesly.

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PENSION OFFICE,

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1857.

Sir:

Please report
from the rolls examine with
special reference to
enclosure "A"

Very respectfully,

J. A. Acker,

S. Cole
FOR COMMISSIONER.

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To the Commissioner of Pensions
Washington
D. C.

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Nor on the rolls
of cap Abram Mattison's
com. N.Y. Ma

W. H. Gallager
J. J. Neely
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RE-EXAMINED BOUNTY LAND CLAIM.

No. 232168

Treasury Department,
THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

July 13th 1858.

Calvin Powell served in Captain
Gould Taylor Company N Y Militia
" from the 23^d Dec 1813 until the 6th Jan'y 1814
" Rowland Powell Detachment Lewis & Clark for the same
period each for 15 days, the time,

W. J. Johnson

Auditor.

COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS,
Department of the Interior.

Examined by

Caughill

State of Illinois ³ On this sixth day of March,
Stark County, ³ AD. Eighteen Hundred and
fifty one, Personally appeared before me, Oliver Whitaker,
Clerk of the Circuit Court, within and for the County
and State of aforesaid, Calvin Powell, aged fifty
Eight Years, a resident of the County of Stark in the
State of Illinois, who being duly sworn according to law
declares that he is the identical Calvin Powell, who
was a private in the Company commanded by Captain
Gould Tyler, in a Regiment of Volunteers, commanded
by Colonel Samuel Blakesley, in the war with
Great Britain, declared in 1812, that he volunteered
at Batavia in the State of New York, on or about the
20th of December AD. 1813, for no definite time, that
he continued in actual service in said war for the
term of about 18 days, and was disbanded ~~immediately~~
~~immediately~~ immediately after the Battle of "Black Rock",
but did not receive a written discharge. — That on
or about the first of March AD. 1814, he was drafted
as a private in the Company commanded by Captain
Abram Mattison, in the Regiment of Militia, commanded
either by Colonel Hugh W. Dobbin, or — Smith, (he does
not distinctly recollect which) for the term of three months,
at Williamsville in the State of New York, that he continued
in actual service in said war for the term of about one
month, at Williamsville aforesaid, and was honorably
discharged at Williamsville aforesaid, on account of
being mustered out of the service, as will appear by the
Muster Rolls of said Company; that his discharge has
been destroyed; that he has never received, nor is he
entitled to any Military bounty land under any act of
Congress heretofore passed, —

He makes this declaration
for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which

State of Illinois }
County of Stark }

Know all men by these presents that I
Calvin Powell, of the County of Stark, and
State of Illinois do hereby Make, constitute and
appoint John F. Neely Esq. of Washington City, My true and lawful
attorney for me, and in my name, and for my benefit, to demand and receive
from the United States, through the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, the
Certificates or warrants to which I may be entitled for my military services as set
forth in my accompanying declaration hereby made, and Countenancing
any other power or authority that I may have heretofore given
to any person or persons whatsoever for the above specified purposes.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and seal, this sixth day of March, in the year
of our Lord, one thousand Eight hundred and fifty

Ans,
In presence of
Thomas J. Henderson

Calvin Powell

State of Illinois }
County of Stark }

On this sixth day of March, A.D. 1854,
Personally Came before me, Calvin Powell,
whose name appears subscribed to the foregoing
Power of attorney, and who is well known to me, & acknowledged
the Execution thereof as his free act and deed for the
uses and purposes therein expressed.

Witness, Olin Whitaker, Clerk of the
Circuit Court in and for the County and
State of said, the day and year last
above written.

Olin Whitaker, Clerk,

Mr. Powell says his name may be written near
a Jr. on the Green Hills, he his Father of the
same name, was living at that time.

C.W.

He may be entitled under the "act granting bounty
land to certain officers and soldiers who have been
engaged in the military service of the United States"
passed September 28th 1830.

Calvin Powell

State of Illinois ^{3rd}
County of Stark, ^{3rd} Sworn to, and subscribed before me
the day and year first above written, And I hereby
Certify that I believe the said Calvin Powell, to be the
identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is
of the age above stated, Witness My hand, and the
Seal of said Circuit Court,
this 6th day of March, A.D. 1834,
Oliver Whitaker, Clerk.

87. 65-6 Aug 27/57
Bounty Served Claim
of Calvin Powell.

He is Capt. ^{1st Co.} Blakely
Comp. Art. Co. Col. Blakely
& subsequently in Capt. Matteson
Comp. Reg. Mil. Col. Dotson
or Smith

War of 1812

J. J. Neely

Territory of Oregon }
3d.

County of Linn }
3

On this 15th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five (1855) personally appeared before me, John H. Lines, Clerk of the United States District Court, within and for the County of Linn, and Territory of Oregon, Calvin Powell, aged sixty three (63) years, a resident of Linn County, Oregon Territory, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Calvin Powell who was a soldier in the company commanded by Captain Gould Tyler, in the regiment of New York volunteers, commanded by Samuel Blakesly in the war with Great Britain, declared by the United States on the 18th of June, 1812, and that he volunteered at Batavia, N. Y. in the month of December, 1813, for an indefinite period of time, and continued in actual service in said war for the term of fourteen days, and was honorably discharged at Williamsville - near Buffalo, in the month of January, A.D. 1814.

And he, the aforesaid Calvin Powell, also and further declares that he is the identical Calvin Powell who was a soldier in the company commanded by Captain Abraham Matteson, in a regiment of Regular Militia, commanded by — Smith, in the war with Great Britain, declared by the United States on the 18th of June, 1812, that he was

drafted at Linonia, Ontario County, State
of New York, on or about the month of March
or April, A. D. 1814, for the term of three
months, (3) and continued in actual ser-
vice in said war for the term of more
than fourteen days, and was honorably
discharged at Williamsville (near Buffalo,
on Allen's Creek) in the month of April
or May, A. D. 1814. (The precise day is not recol-
lected, but it was upon the arrival, at Will-
iamsville of Generals Brown and Scott,) that
his discharge has been lost.

He makes this declaration for the
purpose of obtaining the bounty land to
which he may be entitled under the Act
approved March 3, 1855. He also declares
that he has not received a warrant for bounty
land under this or any other Act of Congress,
nor made any other application there-
for; and that he authorized an agent a few
years ago to apply for him, who returned for
answer that the record evidence of the ser-
vices of the regiments in which the present
applicant served, was burned when the
Capitol at Washington was ^{partially} destroyed by
fire ~~the~~ ^{some three or four years since}, and that, therefore, his appli-
cation could not then be allowed.

Colwin Powell

We, Delazon Smith and Daniel Simons
residents of Linon County, in the Territory
of Oregon, upon our oaths declare that
the foregoing declaration was signed and

and acknowledged by Calvin Powell, in our presence, and that we believe, from the appearance and statements, of the applicant, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be.

Delazon Smith

John J. Jones

The foregoing declaration and affidavit were sworn to and subscribed before me on the day and year above written; and I certify that I know the affiants to be credible persons; that the claimant is the person he represents himself to be, and that I have no interest in this claim.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand and the seal of the United States District Court in and for Henry County Oregon this 16th day of October A.D. 1855

John J. Jones Clerk
of said Court,

To the Commissioner of Pensions.

Sir

Please acknowledge the receipt of
the within. If deficient in the form or per-
haps inform me. Address the undersigned
at Albany, Linn Co. Oregon, or Calvin Powell,
the Applicant, at Davisburgh, in same Co.

Respectfully & Obediently

Calvin Powell

State of New York }
County of Livingston } 2

On this seventh day of September

above thousand eight hundred and fifty seven
personally came before me a Justice of the Peace
Rowland Powell and Armon Lindsey who
have made Application and receive Warrants
of one hundred and sixty Acres each, Nor of
Richard Powell Warrant 2694 Lindsey number
not Armon depones further State that
they were well acquainted with Calvin Powell
Jr. Armon Lindsey States that Calvin
Powell Jr. was actually in Service at Black
Rock in ~~the~~ Capt Tyler's Company and Col Blake
by Regiment Said Calvin Powell and Lindsey
fought side by side at Black Rock Rowland
Powell further States that he saw Calvin Powell Jr.
when the army was retreating from action and
that they were directed at Millers town about
three miles east of Buffalo to return to Buffalo
and had orders to go to Eleven mile Creek
depones further say that the said Calvin Powell
father was living at that time and that
Calvin Powell for whose benefit this ap-
plication is made wrote his name
Calvin Powell Jr. Armon Lindsey

Rowland Powell Jt

State of New York }
County of Livingston } 2

On this seventh day of September

above one thousand eight hundred and fifty

to notice and register the fact, or "the re-
cord of any town", or "my accredited history."

Sinner personally appeared before me a Justice
of the peace in and for said County Rowland
Powell and Almon Sinsley who being duly
sworn according to Law declare that the
above declaration is true I further certify
that I am well acquainted with the said
Rowland Powell and Almon Sinsley and
know them to be Credible witnesses and
that I have no interest in this claim

J. Justice of the Peace
S. H. Chamberlain in said County

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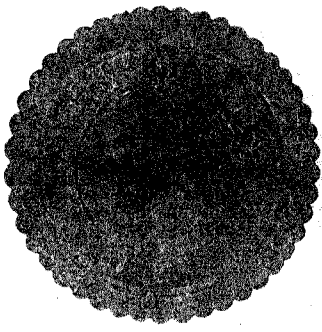
State of New York
County of Saratoga
and Town of Saratoga
and this 27 day of July A. D. 1854 Personally
before me came Abner Wallace and
he swore me a Justice of the Peace
in and for the County of ~~Saratoga~~ ~~Chatham~~ who
has obtained a warrant No. 2675
of one hundred and Sixty Acres, said Abner
Wallace further testifies that he is well acquainted

Sworn personally appeared before me a Justice
of the peace in and for said County Rowland
Powell and Almon Linsley who being duly
sworn according to Law declare that the
above declaration is true I further certify
that I am well acquainted with the said
Rowland Powell and Almon Linsley and
know them to be credible witnesses and
that I have no interest in this claim

J. Chamberlain Justice of the Peace
in said County

GEORGE A. SANDERS, Book and Job Printer, Office of the Genesee Democrat.

STATE OF NEW YORK,
Livingston County Clerk's Office } ss.



I, A. Buell Esq. DO HEREBY CERTIFY That.....
J. Chamberlain Esquire, was at the date of the Certificate
of Proof or acknowledgment of the annexed instrument in writing, a Justice
of the Peace in and for said County, duly author-
ized to take the same; that I am well acquainted with his hand-writing, and verily believe
that the signature to said certificate is genuine.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of
said County and Court, this 16 day of September A. D. 1857

A. Buell Esq. CLERK.

State of New York
County of Livingston } ss.
and Town of Scania
on this 27 day of July A. D. 1857 Personally
appeared before me Almon Waller and
before me as Justice of the Peace
in and for the County ~~Westchester~~ who
has obtained a warrant No. 2675
of one hundred and sixty Acres said Almon
Waller further testifies that he is well acquainted
with the said Rowland Powell

State of New York
County of Livingston }
and town of Sironia } SS

on this 27 day of July A.D. 1857 Personally
present came Abner Wallace and

before me a Justice of the Peace
in and for the County ~~West~~ ~~Chamberlain~~ who
has obtained a warrant No. 2695

of one hundred and sixty Acres. Said Abner
Wallace further testifies that he is well acquainted
with Calvin Powell Jr and that said Powell
was drafted with said Wallace and sent
to Eleven mile Creek and served from
^{fourteen} to twenty days and was honorably discharged
on account of the regular forces being sent
on, the said Wallace and Powell served
under Capt Abram Mattison

Abner Wallis

Sworn and Subscribed
before me this 27 day
of July 1857

J. S. Chamberlain J.P.

I further certify that I am well acquainted with
Abner Wallace and that he is a credible
witness and I have no interest in this
claim

J. S. Chamberlain

to notice and register the fact, or "the re-
cord of any town", or "my accredited history."

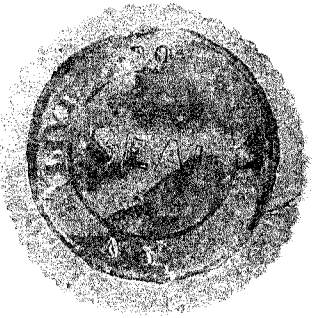
State of New York }
County of Livingston)
on this 27 day of July A. D. 1854
Personally appeared before me the
Justice of the peace in and for
and that Rowland Powell
Lewis to me well known ^{as} credible
who being duly sworn according
declare that the above declaration is true
according to their knowledge and belief

Seth Norton Chamberlain J. P.

Attest that the above declaration is true according to their knowledge and belief
John Norton Chamberlain

GEORGE A. SANDERS, Book and Job Printer, Office of the Genesee Democrat.

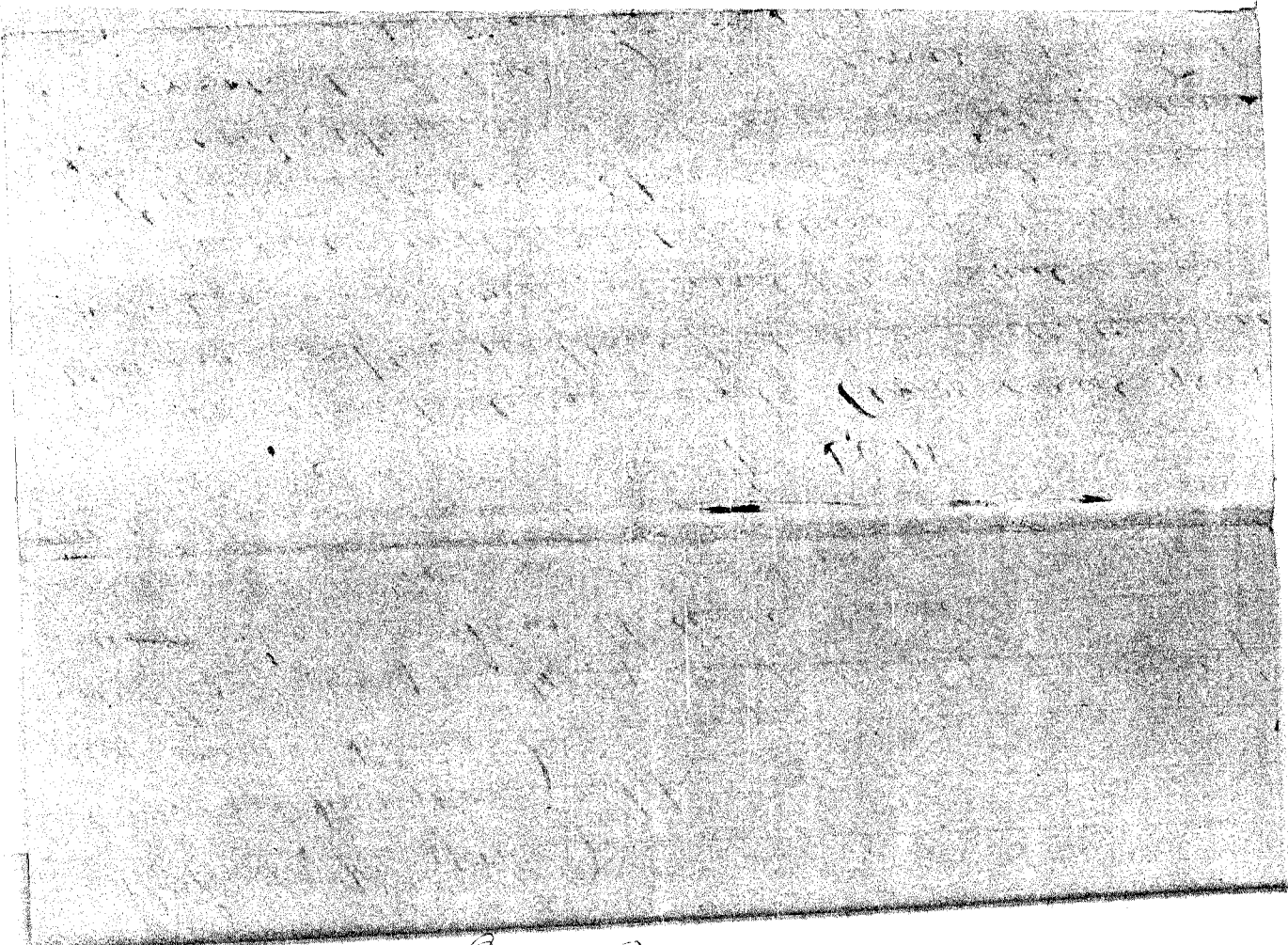
STATE OF NEW YORK,
Livingston County Clerk's Office



ss. I, *A. Buell* Deft. DO HEREBY CERTIFY That *S. C.*
Whitcomb Esquire, was at the date of the Certificate
of Proof or acknowledgment *of the Affidavit to* the annexed instrument in writing, a *Justice*
of the Peace in and for said County, duly author-
ized to take the same; that I am well acquainted with his hand-writing, and verily believe
that the signature to said certificate is genuine.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the seal of
said County and Court, this *14* day of *Sept* A. D 185*7*

A. Buell Deft. CLERK.



Territory of Oregon
County of Sim 3d.
Calvin Powell, Jr., Application for
Bounty Bond. "Additional Evidence." No of the
29 188.

Territory of Oregon?

County of Cim 3^d.

Calvin Powell, Jr's Application for
 Bounty Land. "Additional Evidence," No of the
 Claim 282.168.

Now on this 12th Day of November, A. D. one
 thousand eight ~~eight~~ hundred and fifty seven, per-
 sonally appeared before me, J. M. H. Eines, Deputy
 Clerk, United States District Court, within and
 for the County and Territory aforesaid, Calvin
 Powell, a resident of the aforesaid County &
 Territory, who being duly sworn according to
 Law, declares that he is the identical Calvin
 Powell who recently made application for the
 General Land Office for Bounty Land, now on
 file and "Suspended", numbered "282.168," that
 he has been unable, after diligent search and
 inquiry, to discover or procure "record evi-
 dence" of his services, as claimed and set forth
 in his application now on file in the depart-
 ment; that his "discharge" is lost and prob-
 ably destroyed; that he has had no knowledge
 or information as to the whereabouts of the
 muster or pay rolls; that he has been unable
 to discover "a contemporaneous entry of any
 kind made by a person whose duty it was
 to notice and register the fact," or "the re-
 cord of any town," or "any accredited history."

able to procure any such "second evidence" as the office requires, and that he can furnish no other, although a search of those records, that ~~there~~ which are

And he, the said Powell, Applicant, further says that at the time he performed the service, (1812) his father, ^{Calvin Powell} was living, and he, (the applicant) then signed his name as junior, but since his father's death he has dropped the "junior."

But, the affiant says that he has procured the affidavits herewith annexed and made a part of this "Additional Evidence".

And affiant further says, that in the battle at Black Rock, in which affiant was engaged, his Captain, Gould Tyler, was killed; that the length of time since the service was performed by affiant, and so many of his comrades in arms have since died or reside in parts unknown, that it is now nearly, if not quite impossible, for affiant to procure evidence of his service in addition to that now procured.

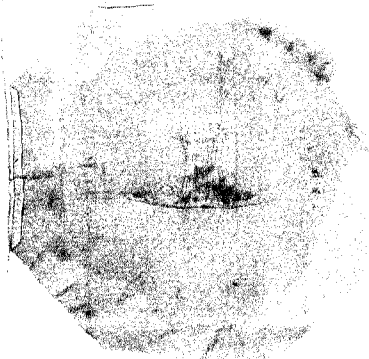
And affiant further says that his services were paid for at the rate of eight dollars per month, at, according to his best recollection, Bloomfield, in the State of New York, by whom not recollected, further than that it was by a paymaster of the Government.

And, finally, affiant, the aforesaid Calvin Powell, junior, says that he is m-

able to procure any such "record evidence"
as the office requires, and that he can
furnish no other, different or addi-
tional evidence, than that which ac-
companies this affidavit.

Calvin Powell

The foregoing affidavit was sworn to
and subscribed before me on the day
and year above written. And I certify
that I know the affiant to be the per-
son he represents himself to be, and that
I have no interest in the claim in-
regard to which the foregoing and ac-
companying affidavits are additional
evidence.



In testimony whereof, I have set
my hand and official seal
of the District Court for Lincoln
County, aforesaid this 13th day
of September 1887.

E. J. Harding, Clerk
S. J. G. Sibley, Deputy
for Lincoln County

Catharine Powell claim No. 282.168.

Address any communication to
Hampshire County, Va.