

NATIONAL ARCHIVES TRUST FUND BOARD NATF Form 55 (9-2000) 112703 1-29-2001 2001 FEB -2 PM 1:14 GMB Control No. 3395-C032 Expires 12-31-2001

F118948 NATIONAL ARCHIVES ORDER FOR COPIES OF FEDERAL PENSION OR BOUNTY-LAND WARRANT APPLICATIONS (See instructions page before completing this form)

SECTION A. 1. INDICATE BELOW THE TYPE OF FILE TO BE SEARCHED. (Check ONE box only) If we locate the file you identify below, we will make copies as indicated. There is no charge for an unsuccessful search.

- Full Pension Application File: The cost for copies is \$37. Pension Documents Packet: (See instructions.) The cost for copies is \$14.75. Bounty-Land Warrant Application: The cost for copies is \$17.25.

REQUIRED MINIMUM IDENTIFICATION OF VETERAN - MUST BE COMPLETED OR YOUR ORDER CANNOT BE SERVICED

2. VETERAN (Give last, first, and middle names) WHITLOCK, JOHN P. 3. BRANCH OF SERVICE IN WHICH HE SERVED [X] ARMY [ ] NAVY [ ] MARINE CORPS 4. STATE FROM WHICH HE SERVED NEW YORK 5. WAR IN WHICH, OR DATES BETWEEN WHICH, HE SERVED WAR of the Rebellion

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, IF KNOWN

6. UNIT IN WHICH HE SERVED (Name of regiment or number, company, etc., name of unit) 140th N.Y. INF PRIVATE Co. J 44th N.Y. Inf FULTON Co. #729-456 7. IF SERVICE WAS ARMY, ARM IN WHICH HE SERVED [ ] INFANTRY [ ] CAVALRY [ ] ARTILLERY [ ] OTHER, specify: 8. Rank [ ] OFFICER [ ] ENLISTED 9. KIND OF SERVICE [X] VOLUNTEER [ ] REGULARS 10. PENSION/BOUNTY-LAND FILE NO. 11. IF VETERAN LIVED IN A HOME FOR SOLDIERS, GIVE LOCATION (City and State) NH 12. PLACE(S) VETERAN LIVED AFTER SERVICE FULTON Co. Saratoga Co. New York 13. DATE OF BIRTH 1945 14. PLACE OF BIRTH (City, County, State, etc.) N.Y. EPHRAJAH SARATOGA Co 17. NAME OF WIDOW OR OTHER CLAIMANT FATHER: STEPHAN WHITLOCK MOTHER: ELIZABETH PUTNAM

SECTION B. THIS SPACE IS FOR OUR REPLY TO YOU. PLEASE GO TO SECTION C.

- [ ] NO--We were unable to locate the file you requested above. No payment is required. [ ] See the attached form, leaflet, or information sheet. [ ] A search was made but there are several soldiers with the same name who served from the same State. We are unable to determine which of them is your subject using the information that you provided. If you can provide the name and/or number of the specific unit in which the soldier served, we will be pleased to search again. [ ] A search was made but there are several soldiers with the same or very similar names serving in the same unit. We are unable to determine which of them is your subject using the information that you provided. The military service records do not normally contain personal information about a soldier or his family. In such cases, we suggest that you visit the National Archives and examine the various files or hire a professional researcher to examine the files for you. [ ] We did not locate a file which matches exactly the information that you provided, however, we did locate a compiled military service record for a soldier named \_\_\_\_\_, who served in the \_\_\_\_\_ war in unit \_\_\_\_\_ He enlisted \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ He discharged \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ He died \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_. If this is your subject, please fill out the enclosed NATF form and resubmit. [ ] We did not locate a file which matches exactly the information that you provided, however, we did locate a pension application file for a soldier named \_\_\_\_\_ who served in \_\_\_\_\_ for the \_\_\_\_\_ war. He was born \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ and died \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_. His widow was \_\_\_\_\_. If this is your subject, please fill out the enclosed NATF form and resubmit. [ ] The file that you requested (C or XC \_\_\_\_\_) is not among the records in the National Archives. You must request the file from the Department of Veterans' Affairs. Attached is a list of the VA offices including the one in your region.

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Older brother of Clark Whitlock

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THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

SOLDIER'S ORIGINAL

NO. 729456

VETERAN:

John P. Whitlock

RANK:

Pvt

SERVICE:

Co I 44 7th Inf

CAN NO:

808

BUNDLE NO:

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East Div.

H.M., Ex'r.

Claim No. 729, 456  
John P. Whitlock  
Co. 44 Reg't N.Y. Vol. Infy.

Department of the Interior,  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., April 10, 1899

Sir:

Will you kindly answer, at your earliest convenience, the questions enumerated below? The information is requested for future use, and it may be of great value to your family.

Very respectfully,

Mr. John P. Whitlock  
Ephrata  
New York

[Signature]

No. 1. Are you a married man? If so, please state your wife's full name, and her maiden name.

Answer: Elisabeth maiden name Elisabeth Vellis

No. 2. When, where, and by whom were you married? Answer: March 29<sup>th</sup> 1866

at Ephrata Vellis by Rev. W. H. Smith

No. 3. What record of marriage exists? Answer: Certificate signed

by minister and two witnesses

No. 4. Were you previously married? If so, please state the name of your former wife and the

date and place of her death or divorce. Answer:

No. 5. Have you any children living? If so, please state their names and the dates of their

birth. Answer: Sara S. Whitlock Born July 13 - 1870

John A. " " July 26 - 1876

Sara May " " May 10 - 1878

Date of reply, April 15, 1899.

John P. Whitlock  
(Signature.)

R.B. L.P. *Boyer*  
SPECIAL EXAMINATION DIVISION.

Orig. No. 729,756

Claimant

Soldier John P. Whitlock

Co. D 140, Reg't N. Y. Inf.

Enlisted Oct. 10, 1864

Discharged June 3, 1865

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., Oct. 5, 1896

Mr. John N. Coleman, ✓  
Youngville, Pa.

SIR:

To aid this Bureau in the settlement of the above described claim for pension, you are requested to answer the questions noted below.

You will please fill out, sign, and return this circular, even though you do not remember the soldier or that he was wounded, disabled, or diseased in the service.

The enclosed official envelope for your reply requires no stamp.

Very respectfully,

*H. J. Smith*

Commissioner.

Q. Do you remember the soldier, John P. Whitlock,  
as a member of your company?

Ans. I do remember John P. Whitlock he enlisted as teamster

Q. Do you remember that he suffered with any wound, injury, or disease while in service?

Ans. he was sick a good deal I think

Q. If you do remember any such wound, injury, or disease, state the nature of same.

Ans. if I remember right he was troubled with chronic  
Scurvy I think he was unable to do duty  
some time as to wound could not say

(Signature:)

*John N. Coleman*

(Address:)

Youngville Pa  
(In cities, street and number.)  
Box five