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# Land Grant Application- Pike, John (Paxton)

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X Copy of a Deed to  
Samuel Pike, a Soldier  
Lot N<sup>o</sup> 100 in Township N<sup>o</sup> 2. 7<sup>th</sup> R.  
west of the monument  
Executed 19 Nov. 1832  
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**Know all Men by these Presents, THAT**

Whose name is undersigned & seal hereunto affixed appointed an AGENT by the General Court of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, to make and execute conveyances, agreeably to a resolve of said Court passed the 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1820 \_\_\_\_\_ and pursuant to resolves of said Court passed the 4<sup>th</sup> day of March 1828, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1829, and 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 1831 \_\_\_\_\_

do give, grant, convey and confirm, and by these presents, in behalf of said Commonwealth, have given, granted, conveyed and confirmed unto Samuel Pike, formerly a Corporal in the 9<sup>th</sup> Massachusetts Regiment, commanded by Col. Weper \_\_\_\_\_

who enlisted as a Soldier into the American Army to serve during the revolutionary War with Great Britain, and who was returned as a part of the Massachusetts quota of said Army, and who did actually serve in said Army the full term of three years, and was honorably discharged, and to his heirs and assigns, all the right, title, and interest of said Commonwealth, in and unto a lot of land numbered 100 \_\_\_\_\_

situate and lying in a township, in the County of Penobscot \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of Maine, numbered two in the 7<sup>th</sup> range of townships, west of the east line of said State \_\_\_\_\_

said lot contains two hundred acres, bounded on the north by lot number 101, on the east by lot number 88, on the south by lot number 99, and on the west by lot number 112 \_\_\_\_\_

according to a plan of the survey of said township made by Joseph L. Kelcey \_\_\_\_\_ in the month of Autumn of eighteen hundred and 29 \_\_\_\_\_ and will more fully appear on reference being had to said plan now on file in the Land Office.

**To Have and to Hold** the aforegranted premises to the said \_\_\_\_\_

Samuel Pike \_\_\_\_\_ his heirs and assigns, to ~~his~~ their use and behoof forever. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my seal this nineteenth day of November in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and 32 \_\_\_\_\_

Signed, Sealed and Delivered  
in presence of

John J. Linzee  
Joseph Foster

Geo. W. Coffin Esq.

Suffolk ss 19 Nov. 1832 Then the above named Geo. W. Coffin Esq. appeared personally before me, and acknowledged the foregoing instrument by him subscribed, to be his free act and deed in his said capacity.

Edward D. Mays Justice of the Peace.

State of New York  
County of Warren

I Samuel Pike aged Seventy three years do upon oath testify and declare that about or in the year 1777 I entered or enlisted into the service of the State of Massachusetts for the term of during the war and that I served in the 9th Regiment of the Massachusetts line commanded by Colonel Wepon and that I continued in the service aforesaid until the close of the war when I was regularly discharged from the said Regiment of the Massachusetts line commanded by Colonel Jackson  
I further declare that I have never received or had for the quantity of Land promised me on the part of the State of Massachusetts or any commutation therefore

I therefore know all men by these presents that I Samuel Pike aforesaid do hereby constitute and appoint Lewis Wakeley of the City of Albany to be my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name to select from the tract of Land appropriated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts for the Satisfaction of Revolutionary Claims such Lot or Lots of Land as he shall see fit and proper and further to receive from the Land agent a title or deed therefor  
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty second day of September in the year 1832  
Signed & sealed  
in presence of  
Joseph Whittier

his  
Samuel Pike

County of Warren, N.H.

Personally appeared before  
me Joseph Whitley — a Justice of the Peace in and  
for the County aforesaid Samuel Pike subscriber  
to the above declaration who acknowledged the  
Spouse of Morney therein subscribed to his free act and  
deed and likewise made solemn oath to the truth of  
the foregoing declaration dated this twenty second  
day of September in the year 1852

Joseph Whitley a Justice of the Peace  
of the County of Warren, New York

Samuel Pike  
Witness

Albany N.Y. Decem<sup>r</sup> 4<sup>h</sup> 1832

Received of George W Coffin Esq<sup>r</sup> Said Agent of the  
Common<sup>th</sup> of Massach<sup>ts</sup> a Deed for two Hundred  
acres of Land in favor of Samuel Pike, lying in a Township  
in the County of Penobscot in the the State of Maine N<sup>o</sup> 2  
in the 7<sup>h</sup> Range of Townships west of the East Line of said  
State

Levis Wakeley