

National Number 45684 State Number 2138

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## THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

—OF—

*James E. Deane*  
DESCENDANT OF  
*Jesse Belnap*

Application examined and approved *Nov 15 1927*  
*J. Bond Waff* Registrar

Accepted by the State Board of Management *Nov 15 1927*  
*William J. Astin* State Secretary

Application filed with State Secretary \_\_\_\_\_

Notification of election \_\_\_\_\_

Fees paid *dues*

Duplicate sent to Registrar General \_\_\_\_\_

Approved and registered by Registrar General *11/19/27 JWC*

Certificate of Membership delivered \_\_\_\_\_

Badge delivered \_\_\_\_\_

Resigned \_\_\_\_\_ Transferred \_\_\_\_\_

Deceased \_\_\_\_\_

Full maiden name of applicant's wife *Bertha May Brunker (Cook)*

NAMES OF CHILDREN AND GRANDCHILDREN OF APPLICANT.  
(Added to blank by order of Trustees. July, 1918.)

Name	Date of Birth	Residence
<i>Louise Hibberd Cook</i>	<i>May 15-1905</i>	<i>Camp Hill Penna</i>

Statement of applicant of services, if any, in the Military or Naval forces of the United States of America.

The following are references to the authorities for the record of my ancestor's service:

(Signature of applicant) *George Denton Cook*  
(Name in full) (Also to be signed at bottom of second page.)

[The following form of acknowledgment is required]

STATE OF *Pennsylvania* }  
COUNTY OF *Cumberland* } ss: *Arthur S* 1927

Personally appeared *George Denton Cook*

signor of the above and foregoing application and statement, and made oath before me that the statements therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Official Signatures, *John W. Picking*  
*James A. Belnap*  
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES  
FIRST MONDAY IN JAN. 1928

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ISSUED BY AUTHORITY OF THE NATIONAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES

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TO THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF  
**THE PENNSYLVANIA STATE SOCIETY**  
 OF THE  
**SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION**

I, James E. Dean being of the age of 34 years

hereby apply for membership in this Society by right of lineal descent in the following line from

Lease Belnap  
 who was born in Nebron, Conn on the 31 day of Aug 1760  
 and died in North East, Erie Co., Penn on the 10 day of Oct 1854

and who assisted in establishing American Independence.

I was born in Erie State of Penn on the 23 day of March 1893

- (1) I am the son of Alexander M. Dean born 1868, died \_\_\_\_\_, and his wife Mauda Larna Belnap born 1870, died 1927, married 1891
- (2) grandson of James Emory Belnap born 1841, died 1904, and his wife Sarah Davis Casar born 1849, died 1922, married 1869
- (3) great-grandson of Ira Belnap born 1806, died 1874, and his wife Julia Ann Henry born 1812, died 1843, married 1830
- (4) great-great-grandson of David Belnap born 1780, died 1858, and his wife Rosay Furness born 1785, died 1843, married 1800
- (5) great-great-great-grandson of Lease Belnap born 1760, died 1854, and his wife Eunice Hall born 1763, died 1848, married 1779
- (6) great-great-great-great-grandson of \_\_\_\_\_ born \_\_\_\_\_, died \_\_\_\_\_, and his wife \_\_\_\_\_ born \_\_\_\_\_, died \_\_\_\_\_, married \_\_\_\_\_
- (7) great-great-great-great-great-grandson of \_\_\_\_\_ born \_\_\_\_\_, died \_\_\_\_\_, and his wife \_\_\_\_\_ born \_\_\_\_\_, died \_\_\_\_\_, married \_\_\_\_\_
- and he, the said Lease Belnap (No. 5) is the ancestor who assisted in

establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Artificer

Nominating and recommended by the undersigned members of the Board

William J. Deakin Jr

Signature of applicant, (Name in full)

James E. Dean  
 Address 265 Bell Ave, Mt Lebanon, Pittsburgh  
 Occupation Dist. Mgr. Bell Telephone Co.

## ANCESTOR'S SERVICE

"SECTION 1. Any man shall be eligible to membership in the Society who, being of the age of twenty-one years or over, and a citizen of good repute in the community, is the lineal descendant of an ancestor who was at all times unflinching in his loyalty to, and rendered active service in, the cause of American Independence, either as an officer, soldier, seaman, marine, militiaman, or minute man, in the armed forces of the Continental Congress, or of any one of the several Colonies, or States, or as a signer of the Declaration of Independence; or as a member of a Committee of Safety or Correspondence; or as a member of any Continental, Provincial, or Colonial Congress or Legislature; or as a recognized patriot who performed actual service by acts of resistance to the authority of Great Britain. Provided, however, that any male person, above the age of 18 years and under the age of 21 years, whose qualifications in regard to ancestry and personal character are as above prescribed, shall be eligible to qualified membership to be known and designated as junior membership."—Constitution of National Society S. A. R., Article III, Section 1, adopted June 3, 1907, and amended.

Membership is based upon one original claim; when the applicant derives eligibility by descent from more than one ancestor, and it is desired to take advantage thereof, separate applications, to be marked "Supplemental Application," should be made in each case and filed with the original.

State fully such documentary or traditional authority as you found the following record upon, and also the residence of ancestors, with dates of birth and death, if known.

By order of the Board of Trustees, May 3, 1911, the recipient of a certificate granted on this application, agrees to surrender his certificate upon failure to pay his membership fee, unless his membership shall cease by reason of death or actual inability, to be determined by the Society of which he is a member.

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

Lease Belnap enlisted from Nebron, Galland Co., Conn on Aug 1777 for three years. He served as a private in Capt. Stephen Osborn's company, Colonel Jonathan Baldwin's Regiment of Artificers, which regiment was credited to the state of Connecticut. In the winter of 1777-78, he worked as a blacksmith at Danbury, Conn; in the spring and summer of 1778, he was at New Windsor engaged in making the chain to place across the Hudson river. This chain is now preserved at West Point, N.Y. He was afterwards stationed at Norristown and Freshness, and was discharged 4 August 1780 at Peekskill, N.Y. He was allowed pension on his application executed 8 Aug 1832 at which time, he was a resident of North East township, Erie Co., Pennsylvania. The surname is also spelled Bellnap and Bellinap.



Full maiden name of applicant's wife: Ann Provan

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#### APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

— OF —

MARION Wiest Erick

DESCENDANT OF

Jacob ZARTMAN

Private, Northumberland Co., Pa., Militia

Application examined and approved: 1 Accepted by the State Board of Management: 9/16/1927

State Registrar: \_\_\_\_\_ State Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_

DATES

Application filed with State Secretary: 1

Notification of election: advised

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Deceased: \_\_\_\_\_

The following are references to the authorities for the record of my ancestor's service:

Gen. file # 2068 Reulow - Dept of Interior, Bureau of Pensions  
Act # 4260 issued 19 Sep 1851 Treasury Dept, Auditor for the Receiver  
Johnston's Record of Civil War in Gen. of Res. pp 291-292  
D. A. R. Roll No. 111654

(Signature of applicant) James E. Dean  
 (Name in full) (Also to be signed at bottom of second page.)

[The following form of acknowledgment is required]

STATE OF Pennsylvania COUNTY OF Allegheny at Pittsburgh Pa Nov 4 1927

Personally appeared James E. Dean

signer of the above and foregoing application and statement, and made oath before me that the statements therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

Official Signature, H. N. Corbett  
H. N. CORBETT, Notary Public  
 MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JANUARY 20, 1930

