

Pension Application for Mathias or Matthias Beeman

S.37755

I Matthias Beeman of Sharon in the County of Litchfield and State of Connecticut deposes and declares that on or about the 20th day of July 1775 I entered the service of my country in the Revolutionary War as a sergeant against the common enemy my enlistment was for the term of five months in the company of Capt. Cheyeman Company in the Regiment of Col. Mardoodls & served at Crownpoint and Ticonderoga—I again enlisted for the term of one year on or about the last of January 1777 & enlisted in the company commanded by Capt. Swift in the Regiment commanded by Col. Charles Burrell which joined the Northern Army & served the full terms of my enlistment and was discharged and immediately after I again enlisted to service during the war in the Continental Line & served until the close of the war in the regiment commanded by Col. Herman Swift, the Capt. [?] under was Albord Chapman I was honorably discharged and honored with a badge of merit for six years faithful service. My discharge was signed by his Excellency Gen. Washington the 7th June 1783 but by time and accident is lost—I further declare I am poor and stand in need of the assistance of my country for support.
(Signed) Matthias Beeman

State of Connecticut Litchfield County SS. April the 8 day personally appeared Matthias Beeman, signer of the foregoing affidavit and made solemn oath to the truth of the same before me. Augustus Pettibone, Chief Judge of Litchfield County Courts.