

Pension Application for John Cunningham

S.43440

State of New York

Onondaga County SS.

On this 28th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighteen before me, the subscriber, one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas, personally appears John Cunningham aged 82 years, resident in the town of Camillus in the county of Onondaga and state aforesaid, who being by me first duly sworn according to Law, doth, on his oath, make the following declaration, in order to obtain the provision made by the late act of Congress, entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the Land and Naval Service of the United States, in the Revolutionary War."

That the said John Cunningham enlisted in the town of New Windsor in the state of New York in the spring of the year 1777 in the company commanded by Captain Thomas Matchen in Col. Lamb's Regiment in the New York Line. That eh continued to serve in said Corps, or in the service of the United States, until the full end & term of the said War from the time of his enlistment aforesaid when he was discharged from service in or at West Point in the state of New York that he was in the battles of James River, Fort Montgomery & York Town, and is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his Country for support, and that he has no other evidence now in his power of his said services. (Signed) John Cunningham

Sworn to and declared before me, the day and year first aforesaid. Squire Manro, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, County of Onondaga.