

Bounty Land Application for Mathews Flansburgh

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State of New York

County of Saratoga SS.

On this twenty fifth day of April A.D. 1855 personally appeared before me, the undersigned, a justice of the Peace, within and for the county and state aforesaid, Matthew Flansburgh, aged ninety three years, a resident of Day in the County of Saratoga and State of New York, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Mathew Flanesburg, who was a private in the Company of New York Militia commanded by Captain Debois, in the Revolutionary War, that he enlisted at Schenectady, on the first day of August on September or August A.D. 1780, for the term of three months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of fourteen days and until he was honorably discharged at the expiration of his term of his enlistment; that he served, and was stationed at Middle Fort and Schoharie Creek, and was present at one action with the enemy.

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land to which he may be entitled under the act approved March 3d 1855. He also declares that he has not received a warrant for bounty land under this or any other act of Congress nor made any other application therefor.

And I further declare that I cannot rad wrighting [writing] nor wright my names was always in practice of making my marke. (Signed with his mark) Mathews Flansburgh