

Pension Application for David Hamnore

S.44919

State of New York

County of Steuben

On this 17th day of October 1820 personally appeared in open court being a Court of record for said County David Hamnore aged sixty three years resident in the Town of Wayne in said County of Steuben who being first being first duly sworn according to Law—doth on his oath declare that he served in the revolutionary war as follows to wit: that I enlisted on the First day of January 1777 in a Company of New York Artillery commanded by Captain Andrew Moody belonging to the Regiment commanded by Colonel Lamb.

That I continued to serve in said Corps until the month of October following when I was taken Prisoner by the British at Fort Montgomery and remained such Prisoner about or nearly Eleven months when I escaped from the British and joined said Company at the White Plains and continued to Serve in said Company—until the term of three years from my said enlistment when I was Discharged there from at West Point in the State of New York.

That I afterwards enlisted in a company commanded by John Hardenbarick [sic] in Col. Wysenvelt's Regiment in the New York line and Continued to serve in said last mentioned Company & Regiment for the term of nine months as by my original Declaration bearing date on the tenth day of August 1818 will more fully and at large appear that I have obtained a pension certificate from the office of the Secretary of War pursuant to the Act of Congress passed 18th March 1818 granting Pensions in certain cases which certificate is numbered 2,468—

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not since that time by Gift, Sale, or in any other manner disposed of my Property or any part thereof—With intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself Militia the provisions of an 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 passed the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or securities, contracts or Debts due to me nor have I any income other than what is contained in the Schedule hereunto annexed and by me Subscribed.

Schedule

I have no Real Estate whatever.

(Personal Estate) four sheep—two old Pots, one old pair tongs, 2 common chairs, one old Earthern, & one old wooden table, plate, two knives & forks, 2 or 3 iron table spoons one wash tub, one old Pine Chest. Not sufficient wearing apparel & Bedding to make me and family comfortable—I have no trade nor profession. I am very much afflicted with the Rheumatism which renders me almost totally unable to labour and cannot permorm [perform] any labour except to do a little chopping wood at my door my family consists of two persons including myself to wit my wife Eleanor

aged about sixty years very infirm and not able to do much besides Knitting. (Signed)
David Hanmore

Sworn to & declared on the 17th day of October 1820 before me. Wm H. Bull
Dep Clk of Steuben Com. Pleas