

Pension Application for Robert Hass

W.23204 (Widow: Eleanor) Married February 14, 1780, Robert died April 8, 1831.

At a Court of Common Pleas held at the Court House in the Village of Newtown in and for the County of Tioga before the Judges of the same Court on the second Tuesday of February in the year 1823. Present, Gamaliel H. Barstow, Esqr, First Judge. Jacob Willsey, John McConnel, Esquiries Judges.

State of New York

Tioga County SS.

On the 13th day of February 1823 personally appeared in open court aforesaid being a Court of record, because it proceeds according to the course of the Common Law, with a jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount and having the power of fine and imprisonment. Robert Hass a resident of said County aged sixty five years who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the acts of Congress of the 18th of March 1818 and the 1st May 1820; that he the said Robert Hass enlisted for the term of during the war in the month of May 1776 at Old Paltz in the County of Ulster in the State of New York in the Company commanded by Capt. Isaac Belknap in the Regiment commanded by Col. Lewis Dubois, in the New York line of Continental Rangers; that he continued to serve in the said corps until on or about the 13th day of June 1777; when he was discharged from the said service in Newburgh in the said County of Ulster in the State aforesaid and that he has no other evidence in his power of his said services.

And in pursuance of the act of the 1st May 1820 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 manner disposed of my property for any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within the provision of an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & naval services of the United States in the Revolutionary War passed on the 18th day of March 1818 and that I have not nor has any person in trust for me any property or other securities contracts or debts due to me; nor have I any income other than what is contained in the Schedule hereto annexed and by me subscribed.

That my occupation is that of a farmer; but for the last four years, have in a great measure been almost wholly unable to labour on account of my left arm having been broken by the fall of a Tree and otherwise disabled by age and infirmities. That my family who reside with me consists of my wife only about sixty years of age somewhat infirm and able to do but little. (Signed) Robert Hass

That the schedule of my property is as follows to wit:

3 chairs, 4 cups & saucers, 3 earthen plates, 3 pewter plates, 4 knives & 3 forks, 1 pr shovel & tongs, 1 pr And Irons, 1 Wooden Bowl, 1 Churn, 2 pails, 1 Ax, 1 odl chest, 1 small pot, 1 teakettle, 1 pewter teapot, 1 teakettle, 1 pewter teapot, 2 wheels, 1 Reel, 1 bakepan, 1 candlestick, 1 cow, 1 table, 1 chest of drawers. (Signed) Robert Hass

Sworn & Subscribed in open court this 13th Feby 1823. Gamaliel H. Barstow,
First Judge.