

Pension Application for Matthias Out

S.9448 Matthias died August 18, 1834 leaving no widow but the following children surviving. Matthias Out Jr of Tully Onondaga County NY and Mary Holenbeck of Preble Cortland County NY.

State of New York

Cortland County SS.

Declaration. On this 30th day of April personally appeared in open Court, before the judges of the Court of Common Pleas now sitting Matthias Out a resident of Preble In the County of Cortland and State of New York aged sixty nine years on the sixteenth day of February last past, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the benefit of the Act of Congress passed June seventh eighteen hundred & thirty two—

That he entered the service of the United States under the following named Officers and served as herein stated.

That in the month of October Seventeen hundred and seventy nine he went as a substitute, for his Father Matthias Out in the Militia of the State of New York, in the Army of the Revolution, under Captain Myndert VanSchaick, Lieutenant Leonard Bronk, Lieutenant Gersham Tryon, & Ensign John VanSchaick, the Regiment was commanded by Colonel Anthony VanBergen, all of the above officers, together with myself lived in the Town of Coxsackie & in said State aforesaid but, now long he was out, he does not now recollect for his memory is very frail, he says he was out and stood on guard, at different times, and was Sergeant of the Guard, at all times, when out, from December seventeen hundred and seventy nine til the close of the Revolutionary War,—he was stationed, the principal part of the time, at or near Phillip Bronk's in said Coxackie [Coxsackie] aforesaid, he sometimes went with Scouting parties to Barick near on Scouting parties to Barick near on [Haigns's?] so called and to [Verkithall?] so called we quartered at Daniel Houoghtailing's that time, and several other places which he does not now recollect—

He says that the company ton which he belonged, were called Minute Men, and that a part of said company, were continually out on Scouting parties and on Guard from the time aforesaid til the close of the Revolutionary War he says, he is confident that he served at least Eighteen or twenty months, on active duty, in the above term of time and that, John Out, Jonas Bronk & John VanSchaick (if living), can testify to his services as a soldier in the Army of the Revolution.

He has no documentary evidence of his services, as aforesaid.

Interrogatory 1st by the court—Where & in what year were you born. Answer—I was born in February Seventeen & Sixty four, in the Town of Coxackie [Coxsackie] in the State of New York. I lived in the Town of Coxsackie When called into the service—I moved from Coxackie to Tully in the County of Onondaga & State of New York twenty five or twenty six years ago—from Tulley aforesaid, I moved [moved] to Peeble in the County of Cortland, in the said State where I now live—I [?] went as a substitute about six months for my father, Matthias Out, who died Eighteen years ago coming July, the remainder of the time I was turned out & volunteered in the said services, he was

acquainted with Philip Canine who was a continental officer in the Army of the Revolution, and Ensign also Daniel Everson who was an officer, Ensign from Salisbury, in the State of Connecticut, also he knows Col. VanSchaick who was a brother to Myndert VanSchaick, who was a Brother to Myndert VanSchaick, his captain—he says he never received a written discharge while in the service – he says that the Reverend Matthew Harrison and Ebenezer Moore can testify as to his character for veracity and their belief of his service as a soldier of the Revolution.

He hereby relinquishes every claim whatever to a pension or annuity except the present and declares that his name is not on the pension Roll of the agency of any state. (Signed) Matthias Out.

Sworn and subscribed the day and year aforesaid. Sam Hotchkiss Jr. Clerk of Cortland County