

Pension Application for George Stoutenger

S.42422 (VanSchaick's Regiment N. York Line 1777 to June 8th 1783.)

State of New York

Onondaga County SS.

On this third day of April 1818 before me the subscriber one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the said county personally appeared George Stoutenger aged sixty seven years resident in Manlius in the said County who being by me first duly sworn according to law declared on his oath in order to obtain the provision of 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". [Revolutionary War wasn't necessarily capitalized.]

That he the said George Stoutenger in the forepart of the year 1777 he enlisted into the first New York regiment for the term of during the war and that he served in said regiment under Captains Wendell, Fink and Hick & in the service of the United States till the eighth day of June 1783 when he was discharged at Newburgh in the State of New York and that he is in reduced circumstances and needs the assistance of his country for support. [Not signed by George Stoutenger, even with an 'X']

Sworn to and declared before me the day and year above written.

I Sylvanus Tousley Judge &c aforesaid do certify that it appears to my satisfaction that the said George Stoutenger did serve in the Revolutionary War as stated in the preceding declaration against the common enemy and I now transmit the proceedings and testimony taken & heard before me to the Secretary for the department of War pursuant to the directions of the before mentioned act of Congress. Sylvanus Tousley

[Discharge paper signed by Washington is in the file.]