

**Pension Application for James Hall**

S.44894

District of New York

City & County of Albany SS.

Court of Common Pleas

To wit—

On this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June 1820, personally appeared in open court, being a court of Record, in and for the City & County of Albany, James Hall a private aged seventy five years in May last, a resident in the city of Albany, in said district, who being first duly sworn according to law, doth on his oath declare, that he served in the Revolutionary War as follows, in Capt. Parsons Company, Col. VanSchaick's Regiment of Infantry, in the New York Line—and that the date of his original declaration is the sixth day of April 1818—that his Pension Certificate is numbered Two thousand eight hundred and thirty seven—And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of March 1818; and that I have not since that time by gift sale or in any manner disposed of my property or any part thereof with intent thereby so to diminish it as to bring myself within 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 on the 18<sup>th</sup> 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 hereto annexed, and by me subscribed.

And this deponent further saith, that he has no occupation—and that he lives with his daughter, whose husband has left her, with a family for which he has to provide, and that by daily labour.

And this deponent further saith that he is too infirm and weak to perform manual labour and consequently needs assistance from his country for support, having no other property than his necessary wearing apparel. (Signed with his mark)  
James Hall

Sworn to and declared on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June 1820 before H. A. Williams Depy  
Clk

Letter in folder dated April 12, 1927, written in response to an inquiry.

I have to advise you from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim S.44894, it appears that James Hall was born in May 1745, place not stated.

He enlisted February 15, 1777 and served as a private in Captain Parsons' Company, Colonel VanSchaick's New York Regiment, and was discharged in 1783.

He was allowed pension on his application executed April 6, 1818, while a resident of Albany, New York.

In 1820, he stated that he was living with a daughter, whose husband had left her with a family, no names are given, and there is not further data on file as to family.

The above noted James Hall is the only soldier of that name found on the Revolutionary War records of this Bureau, who served in the New York Troops.

From the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim of John Hall (S.13334) it appears that he was born May 9, 1758 at Peekskill, New York, and when pensioned in 1832, he was a resident of Warwick, New York. Names of his parents not on file.

From the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim of Stephen Hall (W.19678) it appears that he was born June 22, 1760 at Peekskill, New York and when pensioned in 1832, he was living in Warwick, New York. Names of his parents not on file.

The Revolutionary War records of this Bureau fail to afford any information in regard to Reuben Hall, who served in the New York Troops.