

**Pension Application for Casbar, Caspar, Casper Meller or Miller**

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State of New York

County of Columbai SS.

On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1818 before me the Subscriber one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in & for the County & State aforesaid personally appears Casper Meller aged Seventy three years resident in Germantown in the County aforesaid who being by me first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following declaration order to obtain the provision made by the late act of congress entitled an act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land & naval service of the United States in the Revolutionary War.

That he the said Casper Meller enlisted for the war in the spring 1778 in Captain Possum's company in Colonel VanSchaacks regiment of New York Continental troops—

He enlisted in the town of Claverack in said state.

That he continued to serve in the said Corps untill May or June 1783 at the close of the war when he was honorably discharged near Newbergh in said State having served in al five years and about two months.

He was at the Battle of Yorktown at the capture of Cornwallis and on the western expedition under General Sullivan.

That he is in reduced circumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his country.

He has no other evidence now in his power of his said services excepting the affidavit of John C. Fuhs who belonged to the same corps during most of the time this deponent was in the revolutionary service as above mentioned.

Sworn to and declares before me this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1818. Hezekiah Dayton  
Judges as aforesaid. Casbar Meller