

Pension Application for Eggo T. H. Van Hoevanbargh or Van Hoavanbargh

S.11615

Declaration. In order to obtain the benefit of the act of Congress passed June 7th 1832.

State of New York

Ulster County SS

On this twelfth of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty two personally appeared in open Court before the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the said county proceeding according to the course of the common law with a Jurisdiction unlimited in point of amount and keeping a record of their proceedings having a clerk and seal of their own now sitting Eggo T. H. Vanhovenbergh a resident of the town of Kingston in the County of Ulster and State of New York aged sixty eight years.

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 7th 1832. That eh entered the service of the United States under the following named officers and served as herein after stated.

That he hired as a substitute for a Class to serve in a Battalion or Regiment whereof Albert Pawlin was Colonel Commandant and attached to a company Commanded by Capt Henry Pawlin and Lieutenants John Fan Duesen and Henry Van Hovenbergh and were mastered in Ulster County in the month of April 1781 and after dividing into two Parties one of which was placed under the command of Capt Henry Pawlin and Lieutenant Van Duesen and took their station at a place called Yangh Cripple Bush on the Frontier in the Town of Marble Town County of Ulster and State of New York and to the other party placed under the command of Lieutenant Henry Van Hovenbergh in which I was placed and ordered to a place called Ashokan in the Town of MarbleTown Ulster County of Ulster and State of New York where he built a Picket Fort and a Log House in which was included the dwelling House of Hendrick Crispell who with his family remained there during our stay for the protection of the Frontiers our service was scouring the Frontiers to the North and West in small Partner for the safety of the Inhabitants on the Frontiers.

I was discharged in the month of January 1782, and served between eight and nine months I then returned to Dutchess County and there remained until 1787 after that came to the Town of Kingston Ulster County and remained there will 1791 then removed to the Town of Shandaken Ulster County and remained there until 1784 [?] to the Town of Kingston and remained until about 1797 then remove d to the Town of Clinton Dutchess County and there remained until about 1801 and then removed back to the Town of Kingston and remained to 1806 and after that became a transient person in the Counties of Dutchess and Ulster Counties subsisting by labour my bodily infirmities being such that I could not earn much untill lately when I moved back to the Town of Kingston where I now reside.

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 any agency in any state. (Signed) Eggo T. H. V Hoevanbargh

1st I was born at Rhinebeck in the County of Dutchess, State of New York on the Thirtieth day of March 1764 have no record of his birth have the information from his Brother Henry Van hovenbergh who is six years older than himself and still living.

2nd when called in the service I lived in the Town of Clinton Dutchess County entered as a substitute for a class does not recollect the named one person of the Class whose name was Benjamin Van Steenbergh.

I received a certificate for my pay which I sold for a small amount from whom he received it does not recollect.

I can state no other general circumstances of my services than as above set forth.

I am known to James DuMond and Abraham Van Steenbergh, residing in my neighborhood who can testify to my character for veracity and their belief of my services as a soldier of the revolution. (Signed) Eggo T.H. V. Hoevanbargh

Sworn to and subscribed the day and year aforesaid. A. D. Soper, First Judge.
Abm G. Hardenbergh, Abm A. Deyo, John Jansen, Judges.