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Pension Application of William Athey S34629

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State of Maryland Allegany County to wit

on the twenty third day of April in the year of our lord Eighteen Hundred & eighteen before me the Subscriber one of the Associate Judges of the fifth Judicial District of Maryland which District is composed of the counties of Allegany Washington & Frederick, personally appeared William Athey aged about fifty seven years Resident in Allegany County aforesaid who being by me duly sworn according to law doth on his oath make the following Declaration in order to obtain the provision made by the late act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide for certain persons engaged in the Land & Navil Service of the united states in the Revolutionary War, that he is the same William Athey who enlisted in Lowden [sic: Loudoun] County in the state of Virginia in the year Seventeen Hundred and Seventy Seven in the summer of said year for three years in the company commanded by Captain Thomas West in the tenth Virginia Rejiment, that he joined said Rejement the day after the Battle of German Town [Germantown PA, 4 Oct 1777] at a place called Perkyimin from thence they marched to the State of New york that he was with the army at the taking of Stony point [16 Jul 1779] under General [Anthony] Wayne that he continued with the army untill they arrived at Philadelphia that he was Discharged at Philadelphia in year seventeen Hundred & Eighty as near as he can Recolect that he had a Discharge when he quit the army but that he has since lost said Discharge that he is in Reduced cercumstances and stands in need of the assistance of his country for support and that he has no other evedence now in his power of his said Service.

NOTE: A document in the file states that Athey died on 30 Oct 1818.