

**Andrew Rock** appeared in Hamilton County IN 07Dec1857 to apply for a federal pension (FPA R8920) based on service during the Revolutionary War.

Andrew deposed that he was in a Maryland Regiment originally under Captain Join Floyd and Colonel Pike. They fought in Pennsylvania early in the war. Later they were attached to Daniel Morgan and William Washington and deployed in the south. In the **Battle at the Cowpens**, a British dragon **slashed his left arm** with a sabre.

Rock's application was first rejected, but later granted. He was issued Indiana certificate #38.146. The Fold3.com archives for Andrew Rock do not contain the complete record to see the amount of his pension or other details.

[p2] Certificate # 38.146 Indiana

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Noblesville, Hamilton  
County, Indiana, December 7, 1857

To the honorable the  
Commissioner of Pensions of the U.S.

Dear sir,

Herewith I send you this declaration

And papers of one Andrew Rock (of this county) who claims to have been a soldier of the Revolution and to have served for nearly five years in the American Army. He found these papers for the purpose of procuring a pension under act of congress passed June 7<sup>th</sup> 1832. I have not been acquainted with him until about a year since. He appears to be and had the character in fact of a quiet and respectable old man

His personal appearance is indicative of great age.

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And he also shows the scar of the bayonet wound which he says he received at the Battle of the Brandywine and the scar of the sabre cut which he received at the battle of the "Cowpens".

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He is now very poor and destitute. ....

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The company commanded by Captain John Floyd in the regiment of Maryland State (as he believes) troops (infantry) commands by Colonel Pike.

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Resided in the state of Maryland about 12 miles east of Baltimore.

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His said company. That he was also in the battle at the Cowpens in North Carolina and fought in that battle, and received a severe cut with a sabre from one of the British Cavalry upon his left arm, the scars of which are very plainly visible is

