

## Pension Application for Morris Barto or Bartoe

S.44595

State of New York  
Queens County SS.

At a Court of Common Pleas held at the Court house at North Hempstead in and for the County of Queens constituted by the constitution and Laws of the State of New York, a court of Record with power to hear, try and determine according to Law all actions near & personal arising within the said County and all transactions [?] actions although not arising within said county the sixth day of June AD 1820 personally appeared in open court Morris Bartoe aged sixty two years, resident in said county who being first duly sworn according to law doth on his oath declare as follows viz—I Morris Bartoe do solemnly swear that I enlisted the latter part of 1665 or beginning of 1777 in a company commanded by Capt. Jonathan Titus in a regiment commanded by Colo. Henry B. Livingston and was then drafted in the company commanded by Capt. Theodores Fowler and on the new arrangement was transferred to a company commanded by Captain John Francis Handramick in Colo Philip VanCortland's Regiment on the Continental Establishment in which, last company I continued to serve to the end of the Revolutionary War in 1783 when I received an honorable discharged now on file with the original declaration dated the 7<sup>th</sup> day of April 1818. That I was placed on the pension list by virtue of a Law of the United States of the 18<sup>th</sup> of March 1818, the certificate of which I can date the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1818 and is numbered [?83]

And I do solemnly swear that I was a resident citizen of the United States of the 18<sup>th</sup> 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 being myself within the provisions of an act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for certain persons engaged in the land an naval service of the United States in the revolutionary war" passed 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 I do further solemnly swear that I am a common labourer. That my family residing with me consists of a son named Obadiah aged 16, a daughter named Jane aged six and a daughter named Hannah aged about 10 years and that from age and infirmities I am not able ty the exertions of myself and children to support myself & family without the aid of the government except by private or public charity. (Signed) Morris Barto.

Sworn and subscribed to this 6<sup>th</sup> day of June 1820 in open court before the Judges thereof.

Schedule of property belonging to Morris Barto

One silver watch \$10

One looking glass 1.

One Chest 2.50

One pair of shove & tongs 1.25

Two trammels 1.25

One grid Iron .50

One trunk 35

One gun 5

Half dozen old chairs 1.50

Pots and dishes 3.75

One [?] 5

One hog 5.50

Hand Irons .50

One table 2.50

Two benches 1

Candlesticks and other small articles 2.

Two axes 2

\$45.60 Signed Morris Barto

Edward Parker, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of the County of Queens.

Letter in file dated May 6, 1924, written in response to an inquiry.

I have to advise you that from the papers in the Revolutionary War pension claim, S.44595, it appears that Morris Barto, pensioned Bartoe, enlisted in 1776 (place not stated) and served as private in the New York Troops in Captain Roe's, Jonathan Titus', Theodosius Fowler's and John F. Hamtramick's Companies, Colonels Henry B. Livingston's and Philip VanCortland's Regiments, was discharged June 8, 1783, having served six years and six months in all.

He was allowed pension on his application executed April 7, 1818, while residing in Huntington, Suffolk County, New York, aged 59 years. He died February 6, 1839.

There were 12 children, only names stated were Obediah, 16 years of age, Jane, 14 years of age, and Hannah, 10 years of age, in 1820. There is not further family data on file.

The above noted is the only Morris Barto found on the Revolutionary War records of this Bureau.