

Pension Application for Baptiste (Jean Baptiste) Jero (Giroux)

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Letter in folder dated September 26, 1933.

The records of this office show that one Hippolite Jero, of New York State made application for pension prior to March 30, 1843, under the act of July 29, 1848, on account of the services of her husband, Baptiste Jero (also known as Jean Baptiste Giroux), of New York State.

The papers in her application for pension were submitted on December 13, 1856, by the Pension Office to the Honorable Jacob Brown, Chairman of the committee on Revolutionary War pensions, House of Representatives, for action by that committee. The papers were never returned to the Pension Office, therefore there are not statements now on file which were made by the soldier's widow.

From bits of correspondence with Calvin K. Averill, of Rouse's Point Village, Clinton County, New York, attorney for the claimant, that soldier was presumed to have served in Colonel Moses Hazen's Regiment in 1776 and 1777; also that the soldier was survived by children; the only name shown was that of Jacob Jero who was living in 1860.

It is regretted that this office has nothing further in regard to that soldier or his family.