

### **Pension Application for Jonathan Barton**

S.44612

Letter in folder dated April 26, 1937, written in response to an inquiry.

Reference is made to your letter relative to soldiers of the Revolutionary War and War of 1812.

War of 1812 data furnished by this office are obtained from claims made to the United State for pension based upon military service of soldiers in that war.

A careful search of the records fails to show a claim of Ezra Barton, all spellings of the names searched as described by you.

The data contained herein were obtained from the paper on file in the Revolutionary War claim for pension, S.44612, based upon the military service of Jonathan Barton in that war.

The date and place of birth and the names of the parents of Jonathan Barton are not shown.

While a resident of Royalston, Worcester County, Massachusetts, Jonathan Barton enlisted January 1, 1776, and served one year as private in Captain Gleason's Company, Colonel John Nixon's Massachusetts Regiment. He immediately reenlisted, served three years as private in the same company under Colonel John Nixon and was at the taking of Burgoyne. He again immediately enlisted and served in Captain Sewall's Company, Colonel Ebenezer Sprout's Massachusetts Regiment until the disbanding of the army in 1783.

He was allowed pension on his application executed April 14, 1818, at which time he was a resident of Bainbridge, Chenango County, New York.

In 1830 he was aged sixty years and his wife was sixty-two years old, her name not given.

Reference was made to his family but no names were stated and there are no further family data.