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11 June 1998

Mr. George Abel
8 ½ Noyes Street
Utica NY 13502

Dear Mr. Abel,

I have checked the Census records for Red Hook and earlier for Rhinebeck (Red Hook came off in 1812) and have found no Abel family. Nor is there any record of them in our church and cemetery records.

I did check the 1790 Census for New York State and found the following:

James Abeel p.39 2-2, 2 slaves Albany County, Town of Saratoga
David Abeel p.21 2-2, 13 slaves, Albany County, Town of Catskill (Now Greene County)
Garret Abeel p.21 2,4,3, Albany County, Town of Catskill.

You might try and check the land records in the County Clerk's office, Town of Poughkeepsie. On the 2nd floor.

Good luck in your search.

Sincerely,

Barbara J. Thompson