

Bounty Land Papers for Ethan Allen

B.L.Wt.1601-500

Continental

Green Mt. Boys

Letter in folder dated May 3, 1937, written in response to an inquiry.

Reference is made to your letter in which you request information in regard to Ethan Allen of Crown Point and Ticonderoga fame, and of his brothers, James, Ira, and William Allen who served in the Revolutionary War.

There is no claim for pension on file based upon service in the Revolutionary War of any Ira Allen and, with the meager information furnished, no claims have been identified as those of the James and William Allen in whom you are interested.

The data given herein were found in the claim for bounty land based upon service of Ethan Allen in the Revolutionary War.

Ethan Allen of Vermont served as Colonel in the Revolutionary War, was taken prisoner and conveyed to England. His age, names of his parents and date of his death are not shown in this claim.

He was survived by a widow, whose names is not shown.

September 25, 1829,¹ in Norfolk County, Virginia, Ethan A. Allen, only son of Colonel Ethan Allen, made application in behalf of himself and other heirs (names not stated) for the bounty land which was due on account of the service of his father, given above.

Warrant #1801 for 500 acres of bounty land was issued February 26, 1830.

In 1837, Mrs. Lucy Hitchcock, daughter of the officer, was living in Plattsburg, New York. There are no further data regarding the family.