Pension Application for John Paulding

No pension No bounty land

One of Andres Captors and there have been so many inquires relative to him that I placed this in files as a memorandum. He died Feb. 18, 1818. Letter in folder dated March 7, 1929, written in response to an inquiry.

I advise you that this bureau is unable to furnish the history of a soldier of the Revolution unless a claim for pension or bounty land has been made on account of his services and a careful search of the records fails to show such a claim on file on account of the services of John Paulding who assisted at the capture of Major Andre.

He was allowed an annuity of two hundred dollars by Congress, but as the allowance of annuities does not come under the Jurisdiction of this bureau, there are no papers on file relative to him.

For information relative to said annuity, see Lossing's "Field book of the Revolution", Volume 1, page 773, which you can probably obtain at some public library.