

Isaac Van Wart

No Pension

No Bounty Land

One of Andre's Captors and there have been so many inquiries about him that I placed him in files as a memorandum.

Letter in folder dated April 11, 1927, written in response to an inquiry.

I have to advise you, that the Revolutionary War records of this bureau consist of claims for pension and bounty land, only, on account of military and naval services rendered during that war. It has no records of civil services.

A careful search of the records fails to show such a claim on file on account of the services of Isaac van Wart, (under any spelling of that name) who assisted at the capture of Major Andre.

He was allowed an annuity of two hundred dollars, by Congress, but as the allowance of such annuities did 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.