

Fourth Battalion, and, with him, was transferred to the Third Battalion. Although with this family influence and a service of seven years, he did not advance any in his lineal rank.

WILLIAM VAN DUMONT was a lieutenant in the Second Battalion, and July 25th, 1781, was commissioned to the same office in the First Battalion. His service was during the entire war.

JOHN VAN NORDEN.—In 1777 and 1778 an ensign in the Fourth Battalion, and then promoted lieutenant in the Third Battalion, his service ceasing in 1782. After the war he became an instructor in King's College, Nova Scotia, and then removed to Bermuda, where he died.

JOHN VOUGHT.—A lieutenant in the Sixth Battalion, Lieutenant-Colonel Allen, commanding, in 1777 and 1778. His residence before the war was in Monmouth county, New Jersey.

JOSEPH WALLER.—Lieutenant in the Fifth Battalion in 1778. His history unknown.

JOHN WILLIS<sup>a</sup> commenced his service as ensign of Third Battalion of the volunteers, then made ensign of the Second Battalion, October 24th, 1781, and in 1783 promoted to a lieutenancy.

SAMUEL RICHARD WILSON.—A lieutenant in the Second Battalion in 1779. The following year he was transferred to the Royal Garrison Battalion.