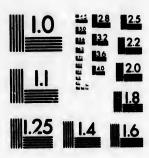


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LETTER

FROM THE

COMMISSIONERS

Appointed pursuant to the act entitled " An act for the

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OF THE

REFUGEES

FROM THE

BRITISH PROVINCES

OF

CANADA and NOVA SCOTIA."

8th May, 1800.

Referred to the Committee appointed on the 25th of February last, to prepare and report a bill, appropriating a tract of land sufficient to satisfy the Claims of the Nova Scotia and Canada Refugees, and designating the mode in which their respective bounties in land shall be located.

[Published order of the House of Representatives.]



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LETTER.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,

8th May, 1800.

SIR,

WE have the honor to transmit herewith a report pursuant to the act entitled "An act for the relief of the refugees from the British Provinces of Canada, and Nova Scotia."

We have the honor to be,

With perfect respect,

SIR,

Your obedient Servants,

JAMES M'HENRY.
OLIVER WOLCOTT.
JOHN STEELE.
Comptroller of the Treasury.

The honorable the S PEAKER of the House of Representatives of the United States.

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REPORT.

The Secretary of War and the Secretary and Comptroller of the Treasury, in pursuance of the act passed on the 7th day of April 1798, entitled "An act for the re-" lief of the Resugees from the British Provinces of "Canada, and Nova Scotia" respectfully submit to Congress the following

REPORT,

THAT they have examined all the claims which were prefented to the Secretary of War, during the time limited by the act above recited, and are of opinion, that the Claims of forty nine individuals, are duly substantiated, and that they are entitled to the quantities of lands annexed to their names respectively, in the lift herewith transmitted amounting in the whole to thirty three thousand five hundred acres.

All which is most respectfully submitted by

JAMES M'HENRY.

OLIVER WOLCOTT,

Secretary of the Treasury.

JOHN STEELE,

Comptroller of the Treasury.

8th May, 1800.

A LIST OF

CANADIAN AND NOVA SCOTIA

REFUGEES,

Who Have exhibited claims for Bounty in persuance of an act of Congress passed the seventh day of April,

ANNO DOMINI, 1798.

A LIST OF CLAIMANTS WHO ARE ENTITLED TO SPECIAL RATES OF ALLOWANCE.

mants.	quantity of land to which they ar respectively enti- tled.	e REMARKS.
The hens of James Boyd.) wo thouland acres.	of land, on which were fome valuable improvements on the East fide of what is now known to be the river St. Croix.
Martha Walk- er, widow of Thomas Walk er.		His tervices, facrifices and fufferings appear to have been equal to any of those of the Refugees. He lost property to the amount of l. 2500 ft. beside abandoning a lucrative business.
John Edgar.	Two thousand teres.	He rendered many im- portant fervices. His lof- les were very great and his fufferings still great- er.
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	to which they are refpectively enti- iled.	REMARKS.
dy.		He is particularly mentioned in one of the re- folutions of Congress His losses and services were equal to S. Hard- ing's, but col. Eddy, ha- already received some compensation from Mass sachusetts. His services and losse taken together would en
		title him to two thousand acres; but col. Living ston has already received 1,000 acres from New York,
Parker Clark.	One thousand acres.	
John Allan.	One thousand acres,	
The heirs of John Dodge.		

A LIST OF CLAIMANTS WHO ARE ENTITE TO TO A SECOND RATE OF ALLOWAN

mants.	Quantity of acres to which they are respectively enti- led.	REMARKS.
Thomas Faulker,	Seven hun- dred and fif- ty.	
Edward Faulkeer.	Seven hun dred and fif-	1
David Gay.	Seven hun- dred and fif- tv.	
Martin Brooks.	Seven hun- dred and fif- ty.	
Lt. Col. Brad- ford.	Seven hun- dred and fif- ty.	
Noah Miller,	Seven hun- dred and fif- ty.	
Joshua Lamb.	responding to the	
Atwood Fales.	Seven hun- dred and fifty.	
John Starr.	Seven hun- dred and fifty	,
William How	Seven hun- dred and fifty.	
Ebenezer Gardner.	Seven hun dred and fifty.	
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ants.	Quantity of acres to which they are respectfully enti- tied.	REMAI	RKS.
John M'Gown.	Seven hun- dred and fifty.		,
Jonas C. Minot	Seven hun- dred and fifty.		
P. Francis Cazeau.	Seven hun- dred and fifty.	He received acres, from the New-York.	d 133 1 3 ne state of

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A LIST OF CLAIMANTS WHO ARE RESPECTIVELY ENTITLED TO A THIRD RATE OF ALLOWANCE.

Names of clai mants.	Quantity of acres to which they are respectfully enti- tled.	REMARKS.
Jacob Vande Heyden.	Five hundred.	He would have been entitled to the first rate of allowance, had he not already received 500 acres from the state of New-York.
John Living- iton.	Five hundred.	He would also have been entitled to 1,000 acres had he not already received 500 acres from New-York.
James Craw- ford.	Fivehundred.	
	Fivehundred.	
Major B. Von Heer.	Five hundred.	,
Benjamin Thompson.	Five hundred.	He received from New-York, 666 2 3 acres.
Joseph Bindon.	Five hundred.	He received from New-York, 500 acres.
Jph. Levittre.	Five hundred.	
Lt. William Maxwell.	Five hundred.	·
John. D. Mer- ceir.	Fivehundred.	He received 500 acres from New-York.
James Price.	Fivehundred.	He received 500 acres from New-York.
Seth Noble.	Five hundred.	
	Five hundred.	
John Halsted.	Fivehundred.	He received from New-York, 133 1 3 acres.

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Names of clai-Quantity of acres mants. to which they are respectively enti- tled.		REMARKS.	
David Jenks.	Two hundred and fifty.	:0	
Ambrose Cole.	Two hundred and fifty.		
James Cole.	Two hundred and fifty.	,	
Adam Johnson	Two hundred and fifty.	i i	
James Duggan	Two hundred and fifty.	He received 500 acres from New York, other- wife he would have been entitled to 750 acres.	
Daniel Earl, jr.	Two hundred and fifty.	He received 500 acres from New-York, or he would have been entitled to 750 acres.	
John Paskel.	Two hundred and fifty.		
Edward Chinn.		He received 1,000 acres from New-York.	
Joseph Cone.	Two hundred and fifty.	He received 666 2 3 acres from New-York.	
John Torrey.	Two hundred and fifty.		

CLAIMANTS ENTITLED TO THE LOWEST RATE OF ALLOWANCE.

Samuel Fales Onehundred. This man is a fon of Atwood Fales' who is in the second class of claimants.

A LIST OF CLAIMANTS WHOSE PROOFS ARE INCOMPLETE, AND THE DECISIONS ON THEIR CLAIMS SUSPENDED.

Names of claimants.	REMARKS.
Lewis Roule,	It is not sufficiently proved that he fled to the United States.
James Gouett.	There is no proof of the ex- tent of the losses and sufferings of Daniel Tucker. It is not proved that his fer- vices were voluntary, nor that he migrated to the United States.
Samuel Rodgers.	He requests that time may be allowed him for producing the requisite proofs to entitle him to a bounty.
	Suspended for the same rea- sons as in the case next above.
The heirs of Nathaniel	Some of the dates in the depo- fitions are written on an erafure.

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LIST OF CLAIMANTS WHO ARE NOT INTHE OPINION OF THE COMMISSIONERS, ENTITLED TO BOUNTY FROM THE UNITED STATES.

Names of claimants.	REMARKS.
Nathaniel Earl.	He was leberally compensated by New York. He received 1,000 acres from that state
Lewis Gossine.	He has also received 1,000 acres from New-York, which is an adequate compensation.
Josiah Throop.	Liberally compensated by New-York, by a grant for 1,000 acres.
Jonas Earl. Daniel Earl.	Each of them hath received 500 acres from New-York.
James Robisheaux.	Liberally compensated by New-York.
Nathaniel and Patrick Welsh.	
Abraham Livingston.	
Oliver Miller.	Not entitled.
Lieutenant Col. J. F Hamtramck.	He has received ample compensation from the state of New-York, and the United States.
William Torrey.	He received from New-York, 1,000 acres. He is not entitled to any more.
Gideon and Mary De- lefdernier.	

A LIST OF CLAIMANTS, WHO ARE NOT EN-TITLED TO A BOUNTY, CONTINUED.

The heirs of Jonathan Delesdernier.	This case does not come within the provisions of the law.		
Henry Weibble.	Nothing can be allowed. His case is not embraced by the law.		
Philip Leibert.	He has been already com- penfated by New-York. He received 1,000 acres.		
Major Lorant Oliver.	He is compensated. New- York granted him 1,000 acres.		
John Gauley.	He received five hundred acres from New-York, which is a sufficient compensation,		
Peter Cayeau.	He allo received 500 acres from New-York, which is sufficient compensation.		

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The Foregoing abstract contains the names of all persons whose claims were presented before the expiration of the time fixed by the act of Congress. The suspended cases will be surther examined and reported on hereaster.

JAMES M'HENRY,
Secretary of War.
OLIVER WOLCOTT,
Secretary of the Treafury.
JOHN STEELE,
Compt. of the Treafury.

