

# Register of land bounty rights A0808

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#### Overview of the Records

**Repository:** New York State Archives

**Summary:** This fragmentary volume contains information on the

assignment of land bounty rights to militia "classes." It lists class,

soldier's name, muster master, and regiment. It is in fragile

condition due to burn damage.

Creator: New York (State). Auditor General

Title: Register of land bounty rights

Quantity: 0.5 cubic feet

Quantity: 1 volume

Inclusive Date: 1782

Series: A0808

## **Scope and Content Note**

This series consists of a burned fragment of volume of "Land Bounty Rights" (possibly for Albany County). By Acts of 1778 and 1780 each militia Regiment was divided into classes which were obliged to furnish one armed man on call. "Land Rights" were awarded to classes which did so.

This volume (a transcription of the original) lists class, soldier's name, muster master, and regiment, but much of the information has been destroyed.

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## **Other Finding Aids**

### **Available at Repository**

There is an "Index to Heads of Classes", and an "Index to Certificates of Location".

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## **Use of Records**

#### **Access Restrictions**

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of the material.

### **Administrative Information**

## **Custodial History**

These records were burned in the 1911 State Capitol fire.

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## **Access Terms**

- Registers (Lists)
- Regulating
- Distributing
- New York (State)
- Finance, Public--New York (State)--Accounting
- New York (State). Department of Audit and Control
- New York (State). Comptroller's Office