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ANN STORY
Pioneer Patriot Spy
“Mother of the Green Mountain Boys”

Down this lane is the site of the Ann Story Homestead, established in 1774. Ann Story braved the wilderness as well as Tory and Native American raids. She was eager to help the Green Mountain Boys, offering her services as a spy and messenger. Her cabin was their outpost and the Otter Creek cave that she created was the hiding place for supplies and gunpower. Ann Story was an early frontier settler, who demonstrated exemplary determination, courage, and grit.

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