

Southern Campaign American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Pension application of William Davidson BLWt607-450

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N.C. Davidson, William

B.L.Wt. 607-450 Lt. Col.

Issued June 1, 1792

No **Papers**

October 15, 1936

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William Davidson

B.L.Wt. 607-450

Mrs. Walter R. Gresham
134 Maple Street
French Lick, Indiana

Dear Madam:

Reference is made to your request for information relative to General William Lee Davidson who served in the Revolutionary War.

The Revolutionary War records of this office show that Warrant 607 for 450 acres of County land was issued June 1, 1792, on account of the service in the Revolutionary War of William Davidson as Lieutenant Colonel of North Carolina troops.

There is no further data on file relative to William Davidson the cause of the destruction in the claim when the War Office was burned in 1800.

For information relative to the location of the land referred to above, it is suggested that you address the Commissioner of The General Land Office, In Colonel Department, Washington, D. C, giving the warrant number, the acreage and the date of issuance as means of identification of the claim.

It is possible that you may obtain further information relative to the military service of Lieutenant Colonel William Davidson by addressing The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington, D C.

The Revolutionary War records of this office fell to afford any information in regard to a William Lee Davidson.

Very truly yours

A.D. Hiller

Executive Assistant

[Note: Most of the papers in this file relate to inquiries made by third parties regarding General William Lee Davidson who was killed at Cowan's Ford on February 1, 1781. This land warrant

appears not to relate to General Davidson but to another man by the name of William Davidson who only held the rate of Lieutenant Colonel. There is a note in this file indicating that the William Davidson to which this land warrant applied was alive as of 1805.]