

Southern Campaigns American Revolution Pension Statements & Rosters

Bounty Land Warrant of William Love BLWt1245-200

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Pension application of

Transcribed and annotated by Will Graves

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S. C. Love, William

B.L.Wt.1245-200 Lieut.

Issued June 21, 1794

Also recorded as above under

B. L. Wt.2644

No papers¹

[this file also erroneously includes the cover sheet for a bounty land for a William Love, Private, Virginia, Warrant Number 12312 for 160 Acres issued May 29, 1792 to Francis Graves, assignee.]

South Carolina Audited Accounts² relating to William Love
Audited Account No. 4689

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[Book O]

No. 26

[No.] 93

Mr. William Love his Account of Militia Duty as Private & Lieutenant in 1780, 1781 and 1782
Amounting to

Stg. [Sterling] £71.12.10 ¼

“The duty should have been expressed when it commenced & when it ended”

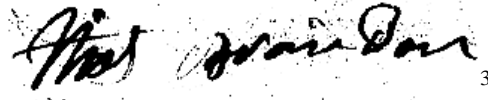
Ex^d J. M^c. A. G. [Examined by] John McCall, Adjutant General]

¹ The reason there are no surviving papers relating to this bounty land claim is that the offices of the War Department along with the papers filed there were destroyed by fire in 1800 and all pension and bounty land records predating that fire were destroyed. Further, pension and bounty land papers generated between the fire of 1800 and 1814 were lost when the British burned Washington DC on August 14, 1814.

² The South Carolina Audited Accounts (AAs) are now available online at <http://www.archivesindex.sc.gov/>. To find the AA for a specific person, click on the [Just take me to the search page](#) link, then enter the person's surname first in the "Full name" box followed by a comma and the person's Christian name. The number behind the 'pp' indicates the number of pages in the file and the 'Audited Account No.' is the actual Account Number assigned by the South Carolina Archives.

24 January 1785
The Remark on this Account is now obviated
J McC, AG

Rec'd 26 January 1785 full Satisfaction for the Within in an Indent No. 93 O per Order
Thos Brandon [Thomas Brandon]



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See Order 19 O

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State South Carolina Dr. [Debtor] to William Love
1780 & 81 254 Days Col. Winn's [Richard Winn's] Regiment
Genl. Sumter's [Thomas Sumter's] Brigade,
Mounted on Horse at 20/ [20 shillings old SC Currency] per day £254.00.0
Part of 1781 & 82
110 Days as Lieutenant in General Sumter's
Brigade at 45/per day £247.10
Sterling £71.12.10 ¼ £501.10

Appeared Lieut. William Love & Made Oath that he did the Above Services in Genl. Sumter's
Brigade of militia & that is Justly due him for the Same.
Sworn to before me the 26th of January 1784

John McCool, JP

I do Certify that the above Account is Just & true
John McCool Capt.

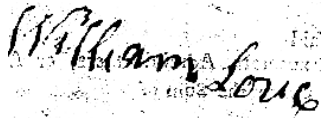


[p 4: Printed form of indent No. 93 Book O dated January 26, 1785]

[p 5: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, the following endorsement

I Sign over the within to Mr. Charles Mile [sic, Charles Miles]

William Love



[p 7]

Gentlemen, Please to Deliver to William Henderson my Indent he having paid Me the full
Valuation for the Same from Your Humble Servant this 8th of May 1784

S/ WiM Love Junr.

³ This is the signature of Colonel Thomas Brandon of the South Carolina militia

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Wm Love".

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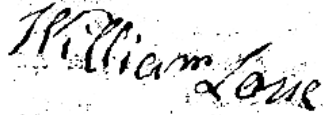
Thomas Brandon, JP

[p 8: Printed form of Indent No. 19 Book O dated January 18, 1785 “delivered to Mr. William Love this our INDENTED CERTIFICATE for the Sum of Thirty One pound eight Shillings and Six Pence three farthings Sterling Three horses and a Saddle lost in Militia Service in 1780 and 1781 per Account Audited.”]

[p 9: Reverse of the above Indent bearing, among others, the following endorsement:

I Sign over the within to Mr. Charles Miles

William Love

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "William Love".