



Wake County; that William Lashley left home to serve under Captain Bledsoe and was later placed under Captain John Medearis' Company; that William Lashley was absent from home about 3 years and that his service was corroborated by Captain John Medearis during his lifetime; Cader Medlin collaborated the testimony given by Drury Medlin.]

State of North Carolina Office of secretary of State

I William Hill Secretary of State in and for the State of North Carolina, do hereby certify, that it appears of record in this Office, that a warrant for bounty land was issued for the services of William Leshley [sic] a private Soldier of the Continental line of this State in the revolutionary war, for 274 acres the quantity of land allowed by law to a private Soldier, who served 3 years which warrant was issued on the certificate of a Field Officer and is No. For 525, dated 24 December 1796.

Given under my hand at office this 22nd day of May 1844

S/ Wm Hill, Secretary of State