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Land Grant Application- Davis, John (Thomaston)

John Davis

Eunice Davis

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State of Maine
Lincoln. Co. - As a Court of Probate held at
Thomaston within and for the County of Lincoln
on the fifth day of November A D 1835 -

I hereby certify that satisfactory evidence has
been adduced here in open Court that Eunice
Davis was the lawfull wife of John Davis
late of St. George in said County deceased and
is now his widow, and applies for the benefits
of the resolve of Maine of March 17th 1835.

Nathaniel G. Foster
Judge of Probate

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Eunice Davis
widow of John Davis,

Filed Dec. 31, 1835,

Application for evidence
of service has been
made to the Pension
Office at Washington
but none obtained
Rejected

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES
JANUARY 1836

Wm. D. 1835
Dec 31 1835

IN SENATE, JANUARY 1836
I HEREBY CERTIFY AND CONFIRM
HERRICK testifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my
hand and seal this 31st day of December 1835.
I hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said certificate, for me and in my name, to execute
deceased Officers and Soldiers, to the benefit of which Reserve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is
authorized in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the
as he may issue to me, in virtue of a Reserve of the said State, passed March 15, 1835, entitled a
Attorney for me and in my name, to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine, such certificate
consent and appoint *John Davis* of *Washington* in the County of *Franklin* my true and lawful
and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby
of *Washington* in the County of *Franklin*
I HEREBY CERTIFY AND CONFIRM
HERRICK testifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my
hand and seal this 31st day of December 1835.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto subscribe my name the day and year last above mentioned.
to be her free act and deed.
above named, and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Attorney by me signed
before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace in said County, personally appeared
1835

John Davis

Justice of the Peace

I *Eunice Davis* of *Shumaston* in the County of *Lincoln* and State of Maine, aged *about 67* - years, do, upon oath, declare, in order to obtain the benefit of a Resolve of the Legislature of Maine, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a "Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the deceased Officers and Soldiers," that I am the widow of *John Davis* late of ~~*St. George*~~ in the County of *Lincoln* and State of Maine, who died at ~~*St. George*~~ on the day of *May* A. D. *1792*

That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, *John Davis* did enlist ~~*in the*~~ *in the Service of the* U.S. in the Revolutionary army (So called) at or near the Commencement of said war - and that he enlisted for three years and that he actually served three years & that he was regularly discharged

I do further on oath declare that I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, *John Davis* was at the time of his said enlistment, an inhabitant of *the town of Scarborough State of Maine* and that I do know that he was at the time of his decease as aforesaid, an inhabitant of the said State of Maine, residing in *St. George* aforesaid, where he had resided for *5 years* years before his decease. That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that neither my said late husband, nor any one claiming under him did receive, (nor have I received since his decease,) a grant of Land, or money in lieu thereof, from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, for his said service, or any other service during the Revolutionary War, and that I am therefore justly entitled to the full benefit of said Resolve.

Attest John Miller
Moses Kellock

her
Eunice Davis
Mark

STATE OF MAINE.

Lincoln ss.....Subscribed and sworn to this *Twentieth* day of *August* 1835
BEFORE ME,

John Miller Justice of the Peace.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I
Eunice Davis of *Hamastan* in the County of *Linncoln*
and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby
constitute and appoint *William Hoar* of *Augusta* my true and lawful
Attorney for me and in my name, to receive from the Land Agent of the State of Maine, such certificate
as he may issue to me, in virtue of a Resolve of the said State, passed March 17, 1835, entitled a
"Resolve in favor of certain Officers and Soldiers of the Revolutionary War, and the Widows of the
deceased Officers and Soldiers," to the benefit of which Resolve I am entitled. And my said Attorney is
hereby authorized and empowered upon the receipt of said certificate, for me and in my name, to execute
such receipt or acknowledgment therefor, as I might, were I personally present.

HEREBY ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney shall do by virtue hereof, Witness my
hand and seal this *twentieth* day of *August* A. D. 1835.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED
IN PRESENCE OF

John Miller
Moses Zelleck

Eunice Davis
Mark

STATE OF MAINE.

Linncoln ss.

Be it Known, that on this *twentieth* day of *August* - 1835,
before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared *Eunice*
Davis above named, and acknowledged the foregoing Power of Attorney by her signed,
to be her free act and deed.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto subscribe my name the day and year last above mentioned.

John Miller

Justice of the Peace.