

Whereas it appears from information received from the War Office of the United States (tho' he means of the Honble John Dawson) that Francis Revley formerly a Captain in Continental establishment and serving during the whole of the late Revolutionary War between this Country and Great Britain hath not received the Land he is or was entitled to receive for such services and Whereas the said Francis Revley died some time since intestate and his Brother and three Sisters viz John Revley, Elizabeth Hudson, Ann Irwin and Sarah Irwin are his legal Heirs or representatives, and of consequence entitled to receive and share amongst them the Land, or other compensation which the said Francis Revley would have been entitled to have received, had he been living. Now this instrument of writing witnesseth that the aforesaid Elizabeth Hudson of the County of Stafford & State of Virginia hath for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred Pounds to her in hand paid by Charles Broughton of the same County & State, giving, granted, bargained & sold, and by these Presents doth give, grant, bargain & sell unto the said Charles Broughton and his Assigns for ever, all that right, and share in &c the claim beforementioned upon the United States & also upon any individual State or States composing that Union, which she the said Elizabeth Hudson is or may be entitled to by virtue of her being the Sister and one of the Heirs of the aforesaid Francis Revley deceased. And the said Elizabeth Hudson doth hereby constitute and appoint the said Charles Broughton her Attorney, irrevocable, in the purpose of recovering the aforesaid claim or claims from the United States, or from any of the States and to do in &c Premises for his own benefit, as she herself might or could do had she not sold the same to the said Charles Broughton. In Witness whereof the said Eliz. Hudson hath hereunto set her hand & seal in Stafford County in the State of Virginia this 27th day of January in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & three.

Elizabeth Hudson
 Signed & sealed &c in Presence of
 Maryman Payke
 Thomas McFarlane
 Eliz Hudson

Rev. & 1812 Warr Section

Francis Revelley
Mt. 261-300 J

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April 16, 1924

Miss Hattie K. Owen
237 Solar Hill
Bristol, Va.

Madam:

I have to advise you that Francis Revelley (the son of Thomas and Elizabeth Revelley) served as a Captain of the Maryland Line, War of the Revolution, no details of service given.

On April 24, 1806, three hundred acres of bounty land were allowed on Warrant Number 261, to his legal heirs, namely, his sisters, Elizabeth Hudson, Sarah Irwin and Ann Irwin; his brother, Samuel; his nephews, Thomas, Joseph and George, the sons of his deceased brother, John; his nephew, Thomas, and niece, Betsey, the children of his deceased brother, William; and his niece, Elizabeth Clomence, the daughter of his deceased brother, George.

The dates and places of soldier's birth and death are not on record. It is not stated whether he was ever married.

Respectfully,

Acting Commissioner

Be it known to all whom it may concern that I Sarah Irwin
of Culpeper County in the State of Virginia have this day constituted
and appointed by these presents do constitute and appoint Charles
Croughton of the County of Stafford in the same State my True
& Lawful Attorney, for me & for my heirs to receive of the United
States or of any of the individual States whatever Compens-
ation either in Land or money which my Brother
Francis Pickens ~~was~~ ^{is} was entitled to for his
Military Services during the Revolutionary War
between the United States of America & Great Britain
hereby empowering him the said Charles Croughton ^{by virtue of} this
Power irrevocable to do in the premises any and every
thing which my self could do. In Witness whereof
I set my hand & affix my Seal in Culpeper County this
24th day of May 1803

signed sealed & acknowledged
in the presence of us &

James Davis

William Triplett

Sarah Irwin



Culpeper County J. P. before me this day appeared James Davis &
William Triplett and made oath that M^{rs} Sarah Irwin
in their presence signed sealed & acknowledged the above
power of Attorney certified under my hand this 24 May
1803

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John Shode

one of the Justices of the peace for Culpeper Co