

**Commonwealth of Massachusetts.**

Secretary's Office, June 15<sup>th</sup> 1835.

**I hereby Certify,** That, from an examination of the Books and Documents, relating to Military Services in the War of the Revolution, which remain in this Department, it appears that the name of James Killsea, as a private, is borne in the Continental Army Books, and is allowed for services in Col. Sherburne's Regt. from March 3 years. 18<sup>th</sup> 1777, to March 17<sup>th</sup> 1780, thirty six Months.

Wm. Tufts. *Depy Secretary.*

**STATE OF MAINE.**

**Kennebec County, ss.**

**Be it Known,** That on this *twenty second* day of *June* 1835, satisfactory evidence has been adduced to me, that *Lydia Killsea* of *Thomaston* *June 6<sup>th</sup>* was the Wife and is the Widow of *James Killsea* late of *Sad Thomaston* deceased.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name this *twenty second* day of *June* A. D. 1835.

*H. Fuller*

Judge of Probate, Kennebec County.

269.  
Lydia Killa widow  
of James Killa,

Recd. June 23. 1835.

Deved 33m 150

Deved 2m 170

35m 80

Admitted Certificate N<sup>o</sup>. 145,  
ip<sup>d</sup>. Oct. 22. 1835,

Oct. 22. 1835. Recd. certificate  
N<sup>o</sup>. 145. for Lydia Killa,

Robert C. Mearns  
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R. C. Vose

**KNOW ALL MEN** That I, *Lydian Kilwa* **named**  
in the foregoing Power and Affidavit, do hereby constitute, appoint and make **ROBERT C. VOSE**, of  
**AUGUSTA**, in the County of Kennebec, my Attorney irrevocable, for me and in my name and stead to  
bargain for, sell, dispose of and transfer to any person, and upon such terms as he may think best, the  
Certificate which he may obtain for me of the Land Agent, and of my right and interest in and to the  
Land to which I shall be entitled in virtue thereof and of the Resolve aforesaid. And in case my said  
Attorney shall not sell or transfer such certificate before the Land shall be surveyed and laid out into  
lots as provided in said Resolve, and ready for selection and conveyance, I further hereby authorize and  
empower my said Attorney to represent me before the Land Agent, and for me and in my stead to  
select and make choice of the lot of Land to which I am entitled, and to receive from the Land  
Agent a Deed and Conveyance thereof to me in fee, and after having obtained such Deed and  
Conveyance, I hereby further authorize and empower my said Attorney to sell and dispose of such lot  
of Land on such terms and conditions as he may think proper, and for me and in my name and stead to  
make, execute and deliver a Deed and Conveyance thereof to the purchaser, as fully as I could do if  
present. Hereby ratifying and confirming whatever my said Attorney may do for me in the premises,

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and seal this

*20th*

day of

*June 1835*

A. D. 1835

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED  
IN PRESENCE OF

*G. W. Morton*  
*John H. Kilwa*

*Lydian Kilwa*  
*Mark*

**STATE OF MAINE.**

*Kennebec*  
**KENNEBEC ss.**

The aforesaid *Lydian Kilwa*  
Power of Attorney to be *his* free act and deed.

appeared and acknowledged the foregoing

BEFORE ME,

*G. W. Morton*

Justice of the Peace.

I Cydia Killis of Thomaston in the County of Lincoln and State of Maine, aged seventy five 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 James Killis late of Thomaston in the County of Lincoln and State of Maine, who died at Thomaston on the 25 day of June A. D. 1792

That I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, James Killis did enlist as a private in the year 1777 for three years into Capt Burton company 8th Sherrburn Regiment & was transferred into Capt Grafton company 8th Jackson Regiment and was discharged at West Point in the year 1780 having served the full period of three years & rec<sup>d</sup> an honourable discharge

I do further on oath declare that I have reason to believe, and do fully believe, that my said late husband, James Killis was at the time of his said enlistment, an inhabitant of Bristol in the then District 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 Thomaston aforesaid, where he had resided for several 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.

Cydia <sup>her</sup> Killis

mark  
STATE OF MAINE.

Thomaston  
Lincoln

SS.....Subscribed and sworn to this  
BEFORE ME,

20th day of June 1835

Geo. Wmorton

Justice of the Peace.

**Know all Men by these Presents, That I,**

Cydia Killis of Thomaston in the County of Lincoln and State of Maine, being the same person by whom the foregoing declaration was made, do hereby constitute and appoint ROBERT C. VOSE, of AUGUSTA, in the County of Kennebec, 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 20th day of June A. D. 1835

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED  
IN PRESENCE OF

Geo. Wmorton  
John H. Killis

Cydia <sup>her</sup> Killis

mark  
STATE OF MAINE.

Thomaston  
Lincoln SS.

Be it Known, that on this

20th

day of

June 1835,

before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said County, personally appeared

Killis

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.

Geo. Wmorton

Justice of the Peace.

Lydia Milson, 145

Lot No 111 in No 2 D.P.  
conceded Jan'y 1. 1836  
conveyed to grantee  
Jan'y 17. 1837

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No 111 Indian Purchase  
Rec'd the deed of the above  
Lot Jan'y 27. 1837  
Governor

STATE OF MAINE.

LAND OFFICE,

Augusta, Oct. 22.<sup>d</sup>

1835<sup>3</sup>

N<sup>o</sup>. 145.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That *Lydia Kilboe* (widow of *James Kilboe*)  
of *Thomaston* in the County of *Lincoln*  
by declaration sworn to on the *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* last, (see  
*claim N<sup>o</sup>. 269.*)  
and other accompanying evidence has satisfactorily proved her claim  
to the benefits of a "Resolve in favor of certain officers and soldiers  
of the Revolutionary war and the widows of deceased officers and  
soldiers," approved March 17, A. D. 1835, and that "the lawful  
holder" of this certificate is entitled, under said Resolve, to TWO  
HUNDRED ACRES OF LAND.

*John H. Ferguson*

Land Agent of Maine.

*Exam'd & countersigned,*

*M. Mearns*