

affair at Stono, devoting his leisure to the acquirement of professional knowledge, and rising fast in the esteem of the general and army. When Lincoln attempted to dislodge lieutenant-colonel Maitland from his entrenched camp on the Stono, Davie received a severe wound, and was removed from camp to the hospital in Charleston he was confined for 5 months.

Soon after his recovery he was empowered by the government of North Carolina to raise a small legionary corps, consisting of one troop of dragoons and two companies of mounted infantry; at the head of which he was placed with the rank of major.

Quickly succeeding in completing his corps, in whose equipment he expended the last remaining shilling of an estate bequeathed to him by his uncle, he took the field, and was sedulously engaged in protecting the country between Charlotte and Camden, from the enemy's predatory incursions. On the fatal 19th of August, he was hastening with his corps to join our army, when he met our dispersed and flying troops. He nevertheless continued to advance towards the conqueror; and by his prudence, zeal, and vigilance, saved a few of our waggon and many of our stragglers. Acquainted with the movement of Sumpter, and justly apprehending that he would be destroyed unless speedily advised of the defeat of Gates, he despatched instantly a courier to that officer, communicating what had happened, performing, in the midst of distress and confusion, the part of an experienced captain. The abandonment of all the southern region of North Carolina, which followed this signal overthrow, and the general despondency which prevailed, have been recorded in the body of this work; nor have the fortunate and active services of major Davie been overlooked. So much was his conduct respected by the government of North Carolina, that he was, in the course of September, promoted to the rank of colonel commandant of the cavalry of the state.

In this station he was found by gen. Greene on assuming the command of the southern army; whose attention had been occupied from his entrance into North Carolina, in remedying the disorder in the quarter-master and commissary departments.—To the first Carrington had been called; and Davie was now induced to take upon himself the last, much as he preferred the station he then possessed. At the head of this department colonel Davie remained throughout the trying campaign which followed; contributing greatly by his talents, his zeal, his local knowledge, and his influence, to the maintenance of the difficult and successful operations which followed. While before ninety-six, Greene foreseeing the difficulties again to be encountered, in consequence of the accession of force to the enemy by the arrival of three regiments of infantry from Ireland, determined to send a confidential officer to the legislature of North Carolina, then in session, to represent to them his relative condition, and to urge their adoption of effectual measures without delay, for the collection of magazines of provisions, and the reinforcing of his army. Col. Davie was selected by Greene for this important mission, and immediately repaired to the seat of government, where he ably and faithfully exerted himself to give effect to the views of his general.

The events of the autumn assuring the quick approach of peace, col. Davie returned home; and having shortly afterwards intermarried with Miss Sarah Jones, daughter of gen. Allen Jones of North Carolina, he selected the town of Halifax, on the Roanoke, for his residence; where he resumed the profession with the practice of the law.

## Army of the United States.

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### Organization of the Army of the U. States.

COMPONENT PARTS OF A COMPANY.

Infantry	Riflemen	Light Artillery	2d and 3d do.	1st Artillery	COMPANY
1	1	1	1	1	Captains
1	1	1	1	1	First Lieutenants
1	1	1	1	1	Second Lieutenants
1	1	1	1	1	Third Lieutenants
1	1	1	1	1	Ensigns
1	1	1	1	1	Cornets
5	5	5	5	5	Sergeants
6	6	6	6	6	Corporals
2	2	2	2	2	Musicians
					Artificers
					Masters of the sword
					Saddlers
					Farriers
					Blacksmiths
					Privates
90	68	72	56	81	TOTAL
108	84	95	81	81	

### COMPONENT PARTS OF A REGIMENT.

Infantry	Riflemen	2d Dragoons	1st Dragoons	Light Artillery	2d and 3d do.	1st Artillery	REGIMENT
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Colonel
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Lieut. Colonel
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Major
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Adjutant
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Quarter-master
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Pay-master
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Surgeon
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Surgeon's mate
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Sergeant major
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Quarter master sergeant
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Principal musician
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	Riding master
10	10	10	10	10	10	10	No. of companies
853	853	853	853	853	853	853	Strength of each regt.
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	No. of regiments
36574	853	853	853	853	853	853	Aggregate strength

Two regiments form a brigade, to be under a brigadier-general, who has one aid-de-camp and one brigade major. Two brigades form a division to be commanded by a major-general, who has two aid-de-camps, one adjutant-general, one inspector-general, one quarter-master-general, two assistant adjutant-generals, two assistant inspector-generals, one deputy quarter-master-general and four assistants, one topographical engineer and one assistant.

NOTE.—By an act of the 29th of January, 1813, 20 additional regiments for 12 months service are authorised,

21,880  
36,374  
Total authorised force 58,254