

Charles Kent [John Charles Kent?] (unindexed) bounty land warrant application no. 50-40-80592 (accepted), War of 1812, Virginia Militia, 37th Regiment, Commanded by Captain Henry Travers under Colonel Thomas Downing, Private, Northumberland Co., Virginia, "Unindexed Bounty-Land Warrant Files," Records Relating to Pension and Bounty-Land Claims 1773-1942, Pension and bounty land application files based upon service prior to the Civil War, Record Group 15, Department of Veterans Affairs, National Archives Building, Washington, DC. Photocopied onsite in March 2016 at NARA by Michelle M. Roy.

NOTES FROM FILE. Please note that this was a quick cursory review of file, please refer to file to audit for more information. - Michelle M. Roy <michelle@gavinroy.com>.

- On 18 February 1852, John Kent / Charles Kent, was age 80 (born about 1772) and a resident of Northumberland Co., Virginia.
- Robert Henderson testified as to his identity.

<b>REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS</b>				1. DATE 08 March 2016	2. PULLTIME/STAFF INITIALS 10/41
3. NAME OF REQUESTER M.M. Roy			4. RESEARCHER CARD NO. #178584		
ITEM NOS. 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, AND 9 FOR STAFF USE ONLY	5. STACK AREA #17E27	6. ROW 9	7. COMPARTMENT 6	8. SHELF 6	9. SEARCHER
10. RECORD IDENTIFICATION (Check one only)			(If Military Service or Bounty Land checked - complete items 11, 13, 14, and 15. If Pension is checked - complete items 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, and 16.)		
<input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY SERVICE		<input type="checkbox"/> PENSION		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BOUNTY LAND	
11. NAME OF SOLDIER Charles Kent			12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable)		
13. UNIT (CO, BN, or REGT.) VA Militia, Capt. Gavers Col. Worthing			14. STATE SERVED FROM Virginia		15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE 1812
16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS					
a. INVALID			APPLICATION		CERTIFICATE
b. WIDOW					
c. MINOR					
d. MOTHER					
e. FATHER					
f. OTHER NUMBERS (C, XC, BLWT, etc.)			50-40-80592		
17. RECEIVED		18. DATE		19. RETURNED	
				20. DATE	

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**THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES**  
**BOUNTY LAND FILES**

ACT OF 50-40-80592

VETERAN Charles Kent

1812 GRADE Pvt

SERVICE Capt. Henry Gavers  
Col. Thomas Worthing Va. Mil.

CAN NO. 40 BUNDLE NO. 86



# Bounty Land Claim.

## Form of Declaration for surviving Officer or Soldier.

State of Virginia }  
County of Northumberland } ss.

On this Eighteenth day of February A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty two, personally appeared before me No. Henderson a Justice of the peace within and for the County and State aforesaid, John Kent aged 80 years, a resident of Northumberland County, in the State of Virginia who being duly sworn according to law, declares, that he is the identical, John Kent who was a Soldier in the Company commanded by Captain Henry Foxworth in the 37<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Virginia militia commanded by Col. Thomas Semmes in the war with Great Britain that he was called out at Northumberland Va on or about the first day of May A. D., 1813 for the term of two Months and continued in actual service in said war, for the term of two Months and was honorably discharged at Northumberland Va on the first day of May A. D., 1814 as will appear by the Muster roll of said Company  
He was discharged without a written discharge

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the Bounty Land to which he may be entitled under the "act granting bounty land to certain officers and soldiers who have been engaged in the military service of the United States," passed September 28, 1850.

Test  
No: Henderson

Charles Kent  
John Kent

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written: and I hereby certify that I believe the said Charles Kent to be the identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated.

No: Henderson { SEAL }

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ }  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_ } ss.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk of the County Court, in and for the County and State above mentioned, do hereby certify, that \_\_\_\_\_ whose genuine signature appears above, is, and was at the time of signing the same a \_\_\_\_\_ in and for the County and State aforesaid, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit; and that the aforesaid County Court, is a Court of Record, having general jurisdiction.

GIVEN under my hand and Seal of Office, at \_\_\_\_\_  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D.  
185 .



State of Virginia, County of Northumberland - 55

On the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ AD 185-  
personally came before me a Justice of the Peace  
in & for said County  
who being duly \_\_\_\_\_ according to Law saith  
that he was in the service of the United  
States in the year \_\_\_\_\_ as a  
Attached to the Company of Captain  
in the within declaration mentioned that he  
was and yet is personally well acquainted  
with \_\_\_\_\_ who makes and signs  
the said declaration and that he is the  
identical \_\_\_\_\_ who was a private  
Attached to and belonging to said Company  
as he has set forth in his said declaration  
And  
Subscribed before me the day & date above  
written

J. P.

State of Virginia  
County of Northumberland SS

I William D. Bell Post Master at Heathsville  
do hereby certify Robert Henderson whose genuine  
Signature appears above is and was at the time of  
Signing the same a Justice of the Peace in and  
for the County and State aforesaid and all his  
official acts as such are entitled to full faith &  
credit

Gives under my hand & seal  
William D. Bell Post Master  
at Heathsville Va

151.5894.1/52  
Wm D. Bell



151389 Sep 1/32  
Charles Kent, Soldier

Capt Henry Gravers  
Co B Thomas Downing  
Va Mil

Cur May 1813

Dis May 1814

Adm 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 1812

3<sup>rd</sup> Aud. Office

Nov 8. 1832  
Charles Kent served  
in Capt. Henry Gravers  
Co. from 18<sup>th</sup> July to 4<sup>th</sup>  
August 1814, and 13<sup>th</sup>  
days between from 29<sup>th</sup>  
October to 14<sup>th</sup> November

1814 M. Gallaher

Wm S Bell For Genl

Heathsville  
Va



18 July 1814

4 Aug. 1814

15 days from 29 Oct.

14 Nov 1814

(Add.)

W<sup>m</sup> 80 <sup>592</sup> ~~30~~ <sup>9</sup> sent

Jan 12/13

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