

Elijah Kent (unindexed) bounty land warrant application no. 47-160-34727 (accepted), U.S.-Mexican War, Alabama Volunteers, Company E, Commanded by Captain Blanton McAlphin, Born about 1831 at Henry Co., GA, "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 October 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>.

- Elijah Kent took an Oath of Identity on 07 August 1848 at Tallapoosa Co., Alabama.
- Elijah Kent had voluntarily enlisted on 03 February 1848 during the U.S.-Mexican War.
- He was a private in the Battalion of Alabama Volunteers, Company E, commanded by Captain Blanton McAlphin.
- Elijah Kent was born at MacDonald [McDonough?], Henry Co., Georgia in about 1831.
- He was age 17 when discharged on 26 June 1848.
- He was a farmer at time of enlistment.
- He signed with his mark.

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| REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS | | | | 1. DATE 28 Oct 2016 | 2. PULLTIME/STAFF INITIALS 10 th DHS |
| 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 7E2 | 6. ROW 7 | 7. COMPARTMENT 9 | 8. SHELF 6 | 9. SEARCHER ✓ |
| 10. RECORD IDENTIFICATION (Check one only) <input type="checkbox"/> MILITARY SERVICE <input type="checkbox"/> PENSION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> BOUNTY LAND <small>(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.)</small> | | | | | |
| 11. NAME OF SOLDIER Elijah KENT | | | 12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable) | | |
| 13. UNIT (CO, BN, or REGT.) AL Vols, Capt. McAlpin | | | 14. STATE SERVED FROM Alabama | | 15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE 1848 |
| 16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS | | | | | |
| a. INVALID | APPLICATION | | CERTIFICATE | | |
| b. WIDOW | | | | | |
| c. MINOR | | | | | |
| d. MOTHER | | | | | |
| e. FATHER | | | | | |
| f. OTHER NUMBERS (C, XC, BLWT, etc.) | | # 47-160-39727 | | | |
| 17. RECEIVED | 18. DATE | 19. RETURNED | 20. DATE | | |

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ACT OF 47-160-... Wt. 39-727

VETERAN Elijah Kent

1848 GRADE Private

SERVICE Capt. McAlpin Co. "E"
Batt. Regt. of Alabama Volunteers

CAN NO. 2227 BUNDLE NO. 94

OATH OF IDENTITY.

The State of Alabama

County of Tallapoosa

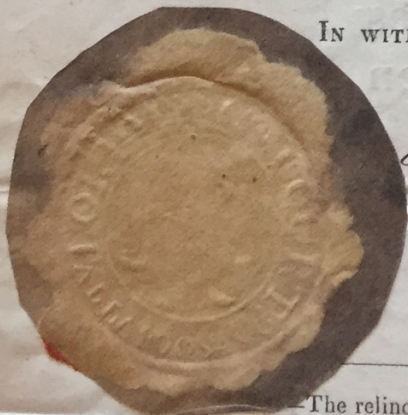
On this the seventh day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty eight personally appeared before me the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace for the county and State the above mentioned, Elijah Kent who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Elijah Kent who was a Private in the company commanded by Captain Stanton M. Allen in the regiment of Alabama Battalion volunteers commanded by Colonel Sables that he enlisted on the third day of February 1848 for the term of during the war and was discharged at Mobile Alabama on the Twenty sixth day of June 1848 by reason of the expiration of the term of his service

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written

James Vaughan Elijah + 1 Kent
mark

I CERTIFY that James Vaughan before whom the above affidavit purports to have been made is a Justice of the Peace duly authorized to administer oaths and that the above is his signature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this seventh day of August in the year 1848 at Dadeville in the State of Alabama



John A. Jordan
Clerk of the County Court
Tallapoosa County Alabama

The relinquishment of the right to bounty land must be signed by the claimant, if he wishes to receive scrip in lieu of land, and the relinquishment must be witnessed by some one who writes a legible hand. No assignment of land or scrip can be made until after a land warrant has been issued from the Pension Office, or a certificate of scrip, as the case may be.

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Elijah Kent

Land

William C. Gresham

Dadeville

Alas.

UNITED STATES VOLUNTEER SERVICE.



KNOW YE, That *Elijah Hunt* a Private of Captain *Blanton*
McAlpin's Company [E] *1st* Battalion Regiment of *Alabama* Volunteers, who
was enrolled on the *thirteenth* day of *February* one thousand eight hundred and
forty eight to serve DURING THE WAR WITH MEXICO, is hereby HONORABLY DISCHARGED
from the service of the United States, this *26* day of *June* 1848,
at *Mobile Alabama* by reason of being mustered out of service on the
expiration of his term.

Said *Elijah Hunt* was born in *MacDonald, Albany Co.* in the State of
Georgia is *seventeen* years of age, *five* feet *four* inches
high, *fair* complexion, *blue* eyes, *brown* hair, and by occupation, when
enlisted, a *farmer*
GIVEN at *Mobile Ala* this *26* day of *June* 1848.

F. N. Page
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Mustering Officer.

Blanton McAlpin Commanding Company.

Dadeville August 18th - 1848
To The Commissioner of Pensions

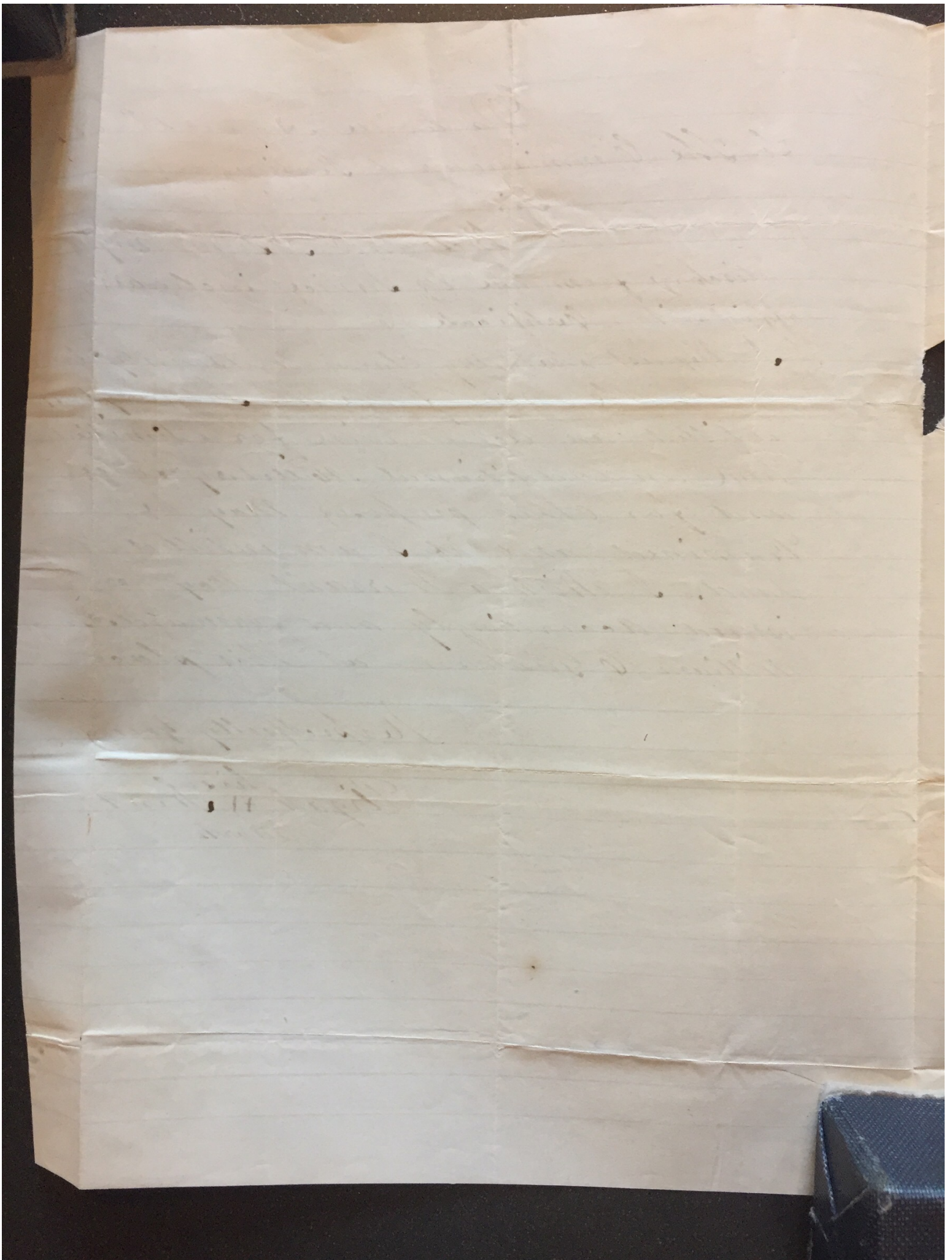
Sir

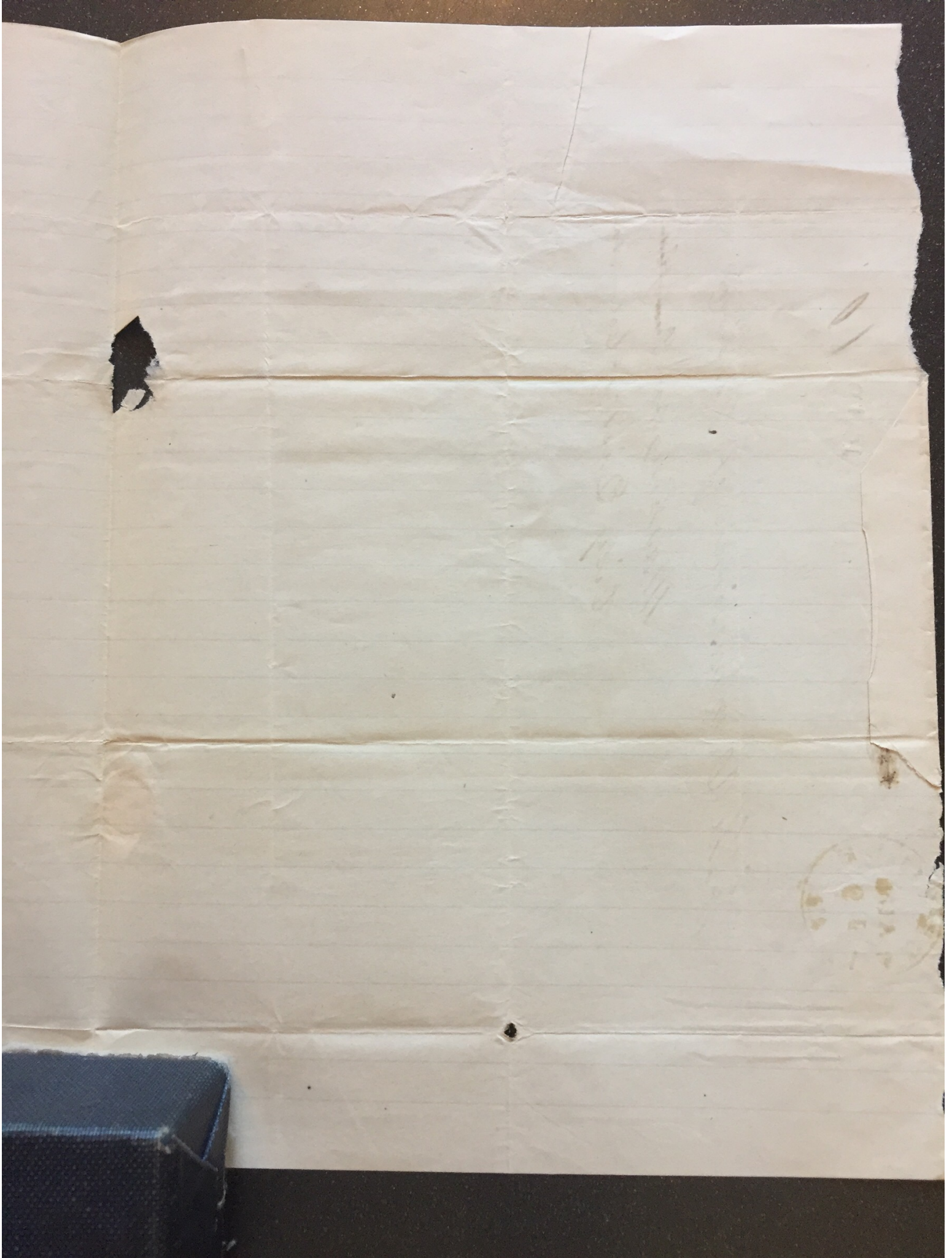
Enclosed I send my
discharge from the U.S. Service including
affidavit - Certificate &c - - - - -

I Request that my Claim to Bounty land
under the act of the 11th February 1847
entitled an act to raise for a limited
time an additional Military force
and for other purposes may be
examined and if I am entitled to
land, I wish a Warrant may be
issued accordingly and forwarded to
William C. Grisham at this place

Respectfully yours

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To The Commissioners of Pensions
Washington ~~District~~
City Dist of Columbia

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Elijah Scott. priv
Capt. M^cAlpin's Co. Battⁿ. Ala.
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on the Land

ca 100 Acers.

Manant N. 39727
Issued Novem. 29th 1848
and Notification suit

William C. Gresham.
Dadeville.
Ala.

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