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ORD IDENTIFICATION

Feb. 11, 1847 Scrip Warrant  
Edwardsville, Ill.  
Gideon KENT / George  
Doc # 69343

BY: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_ RETURNED TO: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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Gideon Kent land case entry  
file no. 69343 (01 May 1851),  
Notarized at Harrison Co.,  
Ohio, Military Bounty Land  
Warrant, Edwardsville, Illinois  
land office, 160 acres, Illinois,  
Sangamon Co., Third Prime  
Meridian, Township 013N,  
Range 004W, Section 09,  
Mexican War, U.S. Infantry,  
Fourth Regiment, Captain  
Alden's Company, Private,  
Under Authority February 11,  
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[George S. Thompson of Ohio  
County, Virginia was  
assignee.]

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Gideon Kent, Private  
Alden's Co 4 Reg U S  
Inf.

George S Thompson, assignee  
of Howell & Co. assignee of  
Jacob P Flanner, who  
was & Co

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W 1/2 S E } 9 13 N 4 W  
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Edwardsville Ills

Pat 1 May 1851  
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Department of the Interior,  
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS.

It is hereby certified, that the said Warrant No. 69343, for 160 acres  
has been issued in the name of

Gideon Kent, private  
Captain Alden's Company 4<sup>th</sup> Regt U.S. Inf'ty.

under date April 29<sup>th</sup> 1850 and will be deposited in  
the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, at the Seat of Government; and that pursuant  
to the provisions of the subjoined ninth section of the Act of Congress, approved on the  
11th day of February, 1847, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional  
military force, and for other purposes," this Certificate of right to locate said warrant on any  
Public Section of land subject to private entry, will be received at  
any of the Land Offices of the United States, under the regulations and restrictions set forth in  
the accompanying statement of the Commissioner of the General Land Office.

After the location of this Certificate, it is to be surrendered to the General Land  
Office, whence the Patent will issue.

GIVEN under my hand, at the Pension Office,

this 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 1850

Care of  
Hon. A. W. Bud.  
House of Representatives

J. L. Edwards

Commissioner of Pensions

Gideon Kent  
land case entry  
file no. 69343 (01  
May 1851),  
Notarized at  
Harrison Co.,  
Ohio, Military  
Bounty Land  
Warrant,  
Edwardsville,  
Illinois land  
office, 160 acres,  
Illinois,  
Sangamon Co.,  
Third Prime  
Meridian,  
Township 013N,  
Range 004W,  
Section 09,  
Mexican War,  
U.S. Infantry,  
Fourth  
Regiment,  
Captain Alden's  
Company,  
Private, Under  
Authority  
February 11,  
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Stat. 123),  
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Virginia was  
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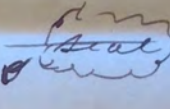
For value Received I Lidam Kent do hereby  
sell and assign unto Jacob S. Plummer all  
my right & title in and to the Land Warrant  
or Certificate No 69343 for one Acre and  
Sixty acres Assented by the Commissioners of  
Pensions dated 29<sup>th</sup> April A.D. 1830 herewith  
attached

Witness my hand and Seal this  
8<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1830

In presence of

Robt. Mann

Wm Buchanan

Jacob S. Plummer 

State of Ohio } Acknowled before me  
Harrison Co. } the Subscriber a Justice  
of the Peace in and for said  
County and State this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July  
A.D. 1830 I also certify the date of  
this my certificate to the foregoing  
assignment was filled up by me  
on the day on which the same  
was acknowledged before me in my  
Official Capacity as aforesaid.

William Buchanan  
Justice of the Peace

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The State of Ohio }  
Harrison County }



I Samuel M<sup>r</sup> McCormick Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for said County do hereby certify that the above William Buchanan Esq before whom the above assignment appears to have been acknowledged, and whose to the above certificate of said Act, acknowledgment is subscribed, was at the time of taking said acknowledgment and so certifying and subscribing the same, and now is an acting Justice of the Peace within and for County duly Commissioned & qualified as such, and that to all whose Official Acts as such full faith and credit is due and ought to be given, and that the above signature purporting to be his I believe to be genuine.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed the seal of said Court at Cadiz this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September A.D. 1850

S. M. McCormick Clerk

For value received I, Jacob P. Flanner do hereby sell and assign unto Lister Howell & Co all my right and title to the within and annexed certificate or warrants No 69343 for one hundred and sixty acres of land, as described in the warrants hereto attached dated the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1850 and assigned to me by Gideon Kent on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1850 - as witness my hand and seal this second day of August A.D. 1850

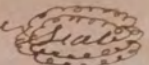
Jacob P. Flanner

Signature signed and sealed before me  
a Notary public in and for the  
County of Jefferson Ohio  
the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1850

Gideon Kent  
land case entry  
file no. 69343  
(01 May 1851),  
Notarized at  
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Ohio, Military  
Bounty Land  
Warrant,  
Edwardsville,  
Illinois land  
office, 160  
acres, Illinois,  
Sangamon Co.,  
Third Prime  
Meridian,  
Township  
013N, Range  
004W, Section  
09, Mexican  
War, U.S.  
Infantry,  
Fourth  
Regiment,  
Captain  
Alden's  
Company,  
Private, Under  
Authority  
February 11,  
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Roy, Sept.  
2014. [George  
S. Thompson  
of Ohio  
County,  
Virginia was  
assignee.]

For value received I, Jacob P. Flanner do  
herely sell and assign unto Lister Howells & Co  
all my right and title to the within and annexed  
certificate or warrants No 69343 for one hundred  
and sixty Acres of Land, as described in the warrants  
hereto attached dated the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D 1850  
and assigned to me by Gideon Kent on  
the 8<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D 1850 - as witness my hand  
and Seal this seven<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D 1850

Jacob P. Flanner



signed and sealed before me  
a Notary public in and for the  
County of Jefferson Ohio  
the 9<sup>th</sup> of ~~the~~ 1850

I also certify that the certificate  
mentioned in the foregoing assignment  
was filled up by me on the day on  
which the same was acknowledged  
before me in my official capacity  
as aforesaid done at the town of  
Mt Pleasant to which I have  
signed my name and affixed the  
Seal of my office the day and year  
above written

Attest

Isaac Harris  
William Reid

Isaac Harris Notary Public

For value received of ~~George S Thompson~~ Howell & Co do hereby  
sell and assign unto George S Thompson all our right  
and title to a certificate or Warrant issued from the Commission-  
er of Pensions office dated 29 April 1850 by J L Edwards  
Commissioner of Pensions in favor of Gideon Kent private Cape  
Alden's Company 4th Regt U S Infantry and assigned  
by said G. Kent to Jacob P Flanner and by said  
Jacob P Flanner to us said Warrant or certificate  
being numbered 69,343. for one hundred and sixty  
acres Land. Witness our hands this 24 day of October

1850.

Attest

~~Notarum~~  
And<sup>m</sup> White

Henry K. Liss } Compo-  
A. Allen Howell } sion-  
} the firm

Wm. H. Stebbins }  
}  
Geo. Howell & Co

Acknowledged by Henry K Liss a Allen  
Howell & Wm H Stebbins before me the day and year above men-  
tioned I also certify that they compose the firm of Liss  
Howell & Co - I certify also that the day and year above mentioned  
was filled up before signing - the 24 day of October 1850

James L. Brown  
Notary Public

It is provided by the 3d section of the act of February 11, 1847, entitled "A act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," and by the act of May 27, 1848, entitled "An act to amend an act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," and by the act of May 27, 1848, entitled "An act to amend an act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," that each non-commissioned officer, musician, private, or soldier, who has served or may serve during the present war with Mexico, and who shall receive an honorable discharge, or who shall have been killed or died of wounds received, or sickness incurred, in the course of such service, or who shall have been discharged before the expiration of his term of service, in consequence of wounds received, or sickness incurred, in the course of such service, shall be entitled to receive a certificate or warrant from the Office of the Secretary of the Interior for the quantity of one hundred and sixty acres, and which may be located by the warrantee, or his heirs at law, at any land office of the United States, in one body, and in conformity to the legal subdivisions of the public lands upon any of the public lands in such district then subject to private entry; and upon the receipt of such certificate or warrant, with evidence of the location thereof having been legally made, to the General Land Office, a patent shall be issued therefor. That in the event of the death of any such non-commissioned officer, musician, or private, during service or term of service, and before the issuing of a certificate or warrant as aforesaid, the said certificate or warrant shall be issued in favor of his heirs, his widow, his mother, his father, or his children, or his next of kin, according to the following rules: First, to the widow and to his children; second, his father; or his mother; and third, to his brother or sister, or in equal proportions to the brothers and sisters, according to the foregoing order of priority. And in the event of his children being minors, then the legally constituted guardian of such minor children shall, in common heretofore, have power to sell, and dispose of such certificate or warrant for the benefit of those interested. And all sales, mortgages, or other instruments of writing, going to affect the title or claim in any such bounty right, made or executed prior to the issue of such certificate or warrant, shall be null and void to all intents and purposes whatsoever, nor shall such claim to bounty right be in any way affected by, or charged with, or subject to, the payment of any debt or claim incurred by the soldier prior to the issuing of such certificate or warrant. Provided, That no land warrant issued under the provisions of this act shall be laid upon any lands of the United States to which there shall be a pre-emption right, or upon lands which shall have been received into the service of the United States since the commencement of the war with Mexico, for less than twelve months, and shall be subject to private entry, and in the event of the location of such land, shall be subject to the same provisions as to the location of such land as are contained in the act of August 14, 1848, and in the act of March 3, 1853, and in the act of March 3, 1857, and in the act of March 3, 1859, and in the act of March 3, 1861, and in the act of March 3, 1863, and in the act of March 3, 1865, and in the act of March 3, 1867, and in the act of March 3, 1869, and in the act of March 3, 1871, and in the act of March 3, 1873, and in the act of March 3, 1875, and in the act of March 3, 1877, and in the act of March 3, 1879, and in the act of March 3, 1881, and in the act of March 3, 1883, and in the act of March 3, 1885, and in the act of March 3, 1887, and in the act of March 3, 1889, and in the act of March 3, 1891, and in the act of March 3, 1893, and in the act of March 3, 1895, and in the act of March 3, 1897, and in the act of March 3, 1899, and in the act of March 3, 1901, and in the act of March 3, 1903, and in the act of March 3, 1905, and in the act of March 3, 1907, and in the act of March 3, 1909, and in the act of March 3, 1911, and in the act of March 3, 1913, and in the act of March 3, 1915, and in the act of March 3, 1917, and in the act of March 3, 1919, and in the act of March 3, 1921, and in the act of March 3, 1923, and in the act of March 3, 1925, and in the act of March 3, 1927, and in the act of March 3, 1929, and in the act of March 3, 1931, and in the act of March 3, 1933, and in the act of March 3, 1935, and in the act of March 3, 1937, and in the act of March 3, 1939, and in the act of March 3, 1941, and in the act of March 3, 1943, and in the act of March 3, 1945, and in the act of March 3, 1947, and in the act of March 3, 1949, and in the act of March 3, 1951, and in the act of March 3, 1953, and in the act of March 3, 1955, and in the act of March 3, 1957, and in the act of March 3, 1959, and in the act of March 3, 1961, and in the act of March 3, 1963, and in the act of March 3, 1965, and in the act of March 3, 1967, and in the act of March 3, 1969, and in the act of March 3, 1971, and in the act of March 3, 1973, and in the act of March 3, 1975, and in the act of March 3, 1977, and in the act of March 3, 1979, and in the act of March 3, 1981, and in the act of March 3, 1983, and in the act of March 3, 1985, and in the act of March 3, 1987, and in the act of March 3, 1989, and in the act of March 3, 1991, and in the act of March 3, 1993, and in the act of March 3, 1995, and in the act of March 3, 1997, and in the act of March 3, 1999, and in the act of March 3, 2001, and in the act of March 3, 2003, and in the act of March 3, 2005, and in the act of March 3, 2007, and in the act of March 3, 2009, and in the act of March 3, 2011, and in the act of March 3, 2013, and in the act of March 3, 2015, and in the act of March 3, 2017, and in the act of March 3, 2019, and in the act of March 3, 2021, and in the act of March 3, 2023, and in the act of March 3, 2025.

Gideon Kent  
Sept 11<sup>th</sup> 1847

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Rules to be observed in the location of Land Warrants.

1. Special care must be taken not to interfere with a tract of land to which there may be a right of pre-emption, or upon which there shall be an actual settlement and cultivation, whether the occupant be entitled to the right of pre-emption or not.
  2. Soldiers may locate their warrants on lands in which they may be entitled to a pre-emption in their own right, whether such lands have been offered at public sale or not; but the amount of such warrants can only locate them on lands subject to "private entry," at the minimum price of \$1 25 per acre.
  3. The soldier, his widow, or heirs, holding a warrant in his, her, or their own right, may locate the same on any legal subdivision of public land, subject to "private entry," where the minimum price exceeds \$1 25 per acre, by reckoning the warrant at \$1 25 per acre, for the number of acres therein specified, and paying the excess in money.—See act of Congress of August 14, 1848.
  4. Any legal subdivision may be located by a warrant either in the same or different sections and townships, provided the several tracts are contiguous, or separated only by a line, and make a compact form in one body.
  5. The affidavit required of the locator of a warrant, showing that the land is vacant, may be made either by himself, or by any disinterested credible witness, to the satisfaction of the Register and Receiver of the local land office.
- To prevent interference with the rights of persons entitled to the right of pre-emption, or claiming by settlement and cultivation, the party applying to locate the warrant, will be required to file an affidavit, substantially, in the following form:
- I, \_\_\_\_\_, being desirous of locating the \_\_\_\_\_, in township No. \_\_\_\_\_, of range No. \_\_\_\_\_, in the district of lands subject to sale at \_\_\_\_\_, with the within warrant No. \_\_\_\_\_, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that from my own knowledge of the fact, after actual inspection of the said tract of land, on or about the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, there was not, at that time, an actual settlement and cultivation upon any part of said land, nor was there any person or persons residing upon it; and I do verily believe that there is no actual settlement and cultivation, or any person or persons residing upon any part of said land at this time.

C. D., Justice of the Peace.

The Register of the land office at which the location is desired to be made will thereupon note on the location (in ink) the date when the same is received at his office, and indorse thereon (in pencil) the tract of land desired to be located, and make a corresponding entry (in pencil) on the tract book and township map, and so soon as it shall have been determined that the desired location can be admitted, the Register will make the appropriate entry permanently (in ink) on the tract book and map.

The Register will also examine the assignments (if any) and see that they have been made substantially in accordance with the following form, to wit:

For value received I, (or we) \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby sell and assign unto \_\_\_\_\_, all my (or our) right and title to the within certificate or warrant, No. \_\_\_\_\_, for \_\_\_\_\_ acres of land.

Witness my hand this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_.

Acknowledged before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_.

I also certify that the date of this my certificate of the foregoing assignment, was filled up by me on the day on which the same was acknowledged before me in my official capacity as aforesaid.

Attest: A. B.

E. F., Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace.

If the assignment be acknowledged before any person not using a seal, it must be accompanied by a certificate, under seal from the power attorney, as to the official character of the person before whom the assignment may have been acknowledged. Should the assignment be made by an attorney for the warrantee, the power of attorney under which he acts must accompany the assignment; and, to avoid suspicion, assignment should in all cases, when practicable, be made on the back of the warrant.

Justices of the peace and notaries public are especially required, in certifying to the acknowledgments of soldiers, either to powers of attorney, or assignments of warrants, to fill up the date on which such instruments are executed, and in fraud of the act of Congress upon that subject—as a matter of precaution, I also suggest, that whenever the soldier is unknown to the Justice or notary, proof or oath of the Justice should in all cases be required.

Registered this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1847.

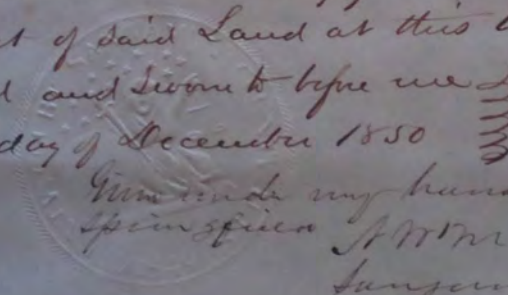
J. BUTTERFIELD,  
Commissioner of the General Land Office.



Land warrant Certificate No 69343

George S Thompson being desirous of locating  
the East half of the South west quarter and  
the west half of the South East quarter of Section  
Number Nine Township Thirteen South of Range  
Number Four West of 3<sup>rd</sup> P.M. in the District of Lands  
subject to sale at the Land Office at Edwardsville  
with the attached Military Land warrant Certificate  
No 69343 issued under the provisions of the ninth  
Section of the Act of Congress Approved February 11<sup>th</sup> 1847  
I Benjamin F. Chew do solemnly affirm that from  
my own knowledge of the fact after a actual inspection  
of the said Tract of Land on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1850, there was not at that time an actual settlement  
and cultivation upon any part of said Land, nor was  
there any person or persons residing upon it - And I  
do verily believe that there is no actual settlement  
and cultivation on any person or persons residing upon  
any part of said Land at this time

Subscribed and sworn to before me  
this 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 1850

 B. F. Chew  
Notary Public  
Sangamon County

I request my Patent to be sent to Wheeling Virginia  
George S Thompson

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Thompson of Ohio  
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Land Warrant,  
No. 69343

Register and Receiver's,  
No. 1036

Land Office, December 17, 1850.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY, That the attached Military Bounty Land Warrant, No. 69,343 was on this day received at this office, from George J. Thompson, of Ohio county, State of Virginia

M. Willispie Register.

P. Johnson Receiver.

I, George J. Thompson, of Ohio county, State of Virginia hereby locate the East half of the South west quarter and the West half of the South East quarter of Section No. Nine in Township No. Thirteen North of Range No. Four West of 3<sup>rd</sup> P.M. Edwardsville in the District of Lands subject to sale at the Land Office at containing 160 acres, in satisfaction of the attached Warrant numbered 69343

Witness my hand this Thirteenth day of December A. D. 1850

Attest:

M. Willispie Register.

George J. Thompson

P. Johnson Receiver.

Land Office, January 31<sup>st</sup> 1851.

WE HEREBY CERTIFY, That the above location is correct, being in accordance with law and instructions.

M. Willispie Receiver.

P. Johnson Register.

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George S. Thompson

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**Names On Document**

THOMPSON, GEORGE S,
KENT, GIDEON
<b>Military Rank:</b> ---

**Miscellaneous Information**

<b>Land Office:</b>	Edwardsville
<b>US Reservations:</b>	No
<b>Mineral Reservations:</b>	No
<b>Tribe:</b>	---
<b>Militia:</b>	---
<b>State In Favor Of:</b>	---
<b>Authority:</b>	February 11, 1847: ScripWarrant Act of 1847 (9 Stat. 123)
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**Survey Information**

<b>Total Acres:</b>	160.00
<b>Survey Date:</b>	---
<b>Geographic Name:</b>	---
<b>Metes/Bounds:</b>	No

**Land Descriptions**

Map	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Section	Survey #	County
<input type="checkbox"/>	IL	3rd PM	013N - 004W	E½SW¼	9		Sangamon
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**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**



To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

**KNOW YE,** That in pursuance of the Act of Congress, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force, and for other purposes," approved February 11th, 1847,

*Gideon Kent Private Captain Alder's company Fourth Regiment United States Infantry,*

having deposited in the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** a **WARRANT** in *his* favor, numbered *69343*

**THERE IS THEREFORE GRANTED BY THE UNITED STATES,** unto *George S Thompson, Assignee* of said *Gideon Kent* and to his heirs, the East half of the South West quarter, and the West half of the South East quarter, of Section Nine, in Township Thirteen North, of Range Four West, of the Third principal Meridian, in the district of lands subject to sale at Edwardsville Illinois containing One hundred and Sixty acres.

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Land returned to the **GENERAL LAND OFFICE** by the **SURVEYOR GENERAL**, which said tract has been located in satisfaction of the above mentioned Warrant, in pursuance of the Act of Congress above mentioned, approved February 11th, 1847. **TO HAVE AND**

**TO HOLD** the said *Tracts* section of land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *George S Thompson, and to his*

heirs and assigns forever.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I,** *Millard Fillmore*

**PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,** have caused these Letters to be made Patent, and the **SEAL OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE** to be hereunto affixed.

**GIVEN** under my hand, at the **CITY OF WASHINGTON,** the *first* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *fiftyone* and of the **INDEPENDENCE** OF THE **UNITED STATES** the seventy-*fifth*

**BY THE PRESIDENT:** *Millard Fillmore*  
By *Alex McCornick* asst Sec'y.

*E S Terry* Recorder of the General Land Office.

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