

REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS

1. DATE

05 June 2014

2. FULL-TIME/STAFF INITIAL

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3. NAME OF REQUESTER

Michelle M. Ros

4. RESEARCHER CARD NO.

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ITEM NOS. 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, AND 9 FOR STAFF USE ONLY

5. STACK AREA

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6. ROW

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7. COMPARTMENT

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8. SHELF

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9. SEARCHER

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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.)

MILITARY SERVICE

PENSION

BOUNTY LAND

55-120-34941

11. NAME OF SOLDIER

James Kent

12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable)

13. UNIT (CO, BN, or REGT.)

OH Mil. Private Cap. Murray

14. STATE SERVED FROM

OHIO

15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE

War of 1812

16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS

APPLICATION

CERTIFICATE

a. INVALID

b. WIDOW

c. MINOR

d. MOTHER

e. FATHER

f. OTHER NUMBER

unindexed

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18. DATE

19. RETURNED

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THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

BOUNTY LAND FILES

ACT OF 55-120 Wt # 34941

VETERAN James Kent

1812

GRADE Privt.

SERVICE Capt E Murray

Ohio mil

CAN NO. 559 BUNDLE NO. 147

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15 of Aug. 487 (53) Apr. 21/53

James Kent. Priv.

Cap. E. Murray

Gen. M. Arthur Ohio

Ent. Sep 18 - 1814 War

Dis. Dec 20 1814 1812.

Rec. Warrant No. for 40 acres of land.

Warrant No. 55-120-34941

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R. C. Clark Esq

Marysville

Union Co

Ohio

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June 7/52

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James Keit, Private
Ohio Militia Capt. Elias Murray
Major Campbell
Genl. W. McArthur

Ent Sep: 12th 1814

and Dec: 1st 1814

Board Dec. 13/51

3rd And Office July 25th
1852

For the service in this
case the Captain's name
must be given

[Signature]

^{3rd Union March 4}
Adm^d 40 A
July 12/52 JPC

W. H. Crawford
sent July 16/52

W. H. Crawford
Delaware
Ohio

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APPLICATION FOR BOUNTY LAND.

State of Ohio, Delaware County, ss.

On this seventh day of January A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty one personally appeared before me, the subscriber an acting Justice of the Peace within and within and for the County and State aforesaid, James Kent aged fifty seven years, a resident of Delaware County, in the State of Ohio who being duly sworn according to law, declares, that he is the identical James Kent who was a Private in

the Cavalry in the company commanded by Captain Elias Murray ~~in the~~ attached to the two Battalions of Mounted Riflemen one from Ken- tucky ^{Regiment of} commanded by Major Peter Dudley one from Ohio ^{commanded by} commanded by Major Campbell all under the imme- mediate command of Genl. Duncan McDuffie an action through Upper Canada under a requisition from the Governor of Ohio in the late war with Great Britain de- clared by the United States on the 18th day of June A. D. 1813 that he volunteered at New Orleans ~~about the 10th of~~ on or about the 13th day of Sept - A. D. 1814 and inactivate for the term of and continued in actual service in said war for the term of about

three months and was honorably discharged at Deloit on or about the first of December A. D. 1814 and returned to Delaware Ohio about the 20th day of December A. D. 1814, as will appear by reference to the muster roll of said Company on file in the war department having received a written discharge the com- pany being held as Minute Men during the war

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.

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

Stiles Parker J.P.

THE STATE OF OHIO. }
Delaware COUNTY, SS. }

I, George W. Stark Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the said county of Delaware do hereby certify, that on the 7th day of January A. D. 1851,

Stiles Parker whose name is annexed to the foregoing certificate, was an acting Justice of the Peace of the said county of Delaware appointed and qualified in due form of law, and authorized to administer oaths for general purposes.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 10th day of May A. D. 1851.

G. W. Stark
Clerk

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On this *Seventh* day of *January* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and

fifty one personally appeared before me, *the subscriber an acting*
Justice of the Peace within and
within and for the County and State aforesaid, *James Kent*

aged *fifty seven* years, a resident of

Delaware County, in the State of *Ohio* who being duly sworn according

to law, declares, that he is the identical *James Kent* who was a *Private in*

the Cavalry in the company commanded by Captain *Elias Murray* in the attached to
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of Sept - A. D. *1814* for ~~the term of~~ *and* ^{and} *continued in actual service in said war for the term of* *about*
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States," passed September 28, 1850.

James Kent

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written. And I hereby certify, that I believe the said

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855.

(CIRCULAR I.)

PENSION OFFICE,

Sept 21, 1855

SIR:

The application of *James Kent* for Bounty Land under the act of 3d March, 1855, No. *49,489* for service under the command of bearing date has been examined and the claim suspended.

It is necessary that the following affidavit be subscribed by claimant, and returned properly certified to this office before further action can be had on said claim.

Very respectfully,

L. P. Waldo
L. P. WALDO,
Commissioner.

STATE OF *Ohio* }
COUNTY OF *Union* } ss.

On this *22* day of *October* A. D. one thousand eight hundred and *fifty five* personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid, *James Kent* who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that *he* has not applied for or received bounty land under this or any previous act of Congress, other than the application referred to as the application under which *he* received *40* warrant, issued under the act *Sept 25th 1850*

sum to and subscribed before me the day and year above written and I certify that I well know the affiant to be the person he represented himself to be
J. N. Wells J.P.

Witness are true
J. N. Wells, J.P.

Endorse the words "Additional evidence" upon the envelope of all papers addressed to this office upon business already before it.

ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855.
(CIRCULAR F.)

PENSION OFFICE,

1855.

SIR:

The application of *James Kent* for bounty land under the act of March 3, 1855, is herewith returned for amendment.

It is necessary that the following affidavit of identity be executed and returned, properly verified, to this office, before further action can be had on said claim.

Very respectfully,

J. MINOT,
Commissioner.

STATE OF *Ohio* }
County of *Union* } ss.

We, *Amos Beach Jr* and *M. C. Letwell*, residents of *Union Co*, in the State of *Ohio*, upon our oath declare that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by *James Kent* in our presence; and that we believe, from the appearance and statements of the applicant, that *he is* the identical person *who* represents *himself* to be.

M. C. Letwell
Amos Beach Jr

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year above written; and I certify that I know the affiants to be credible persons.

J. P.

J. N. Wells J. P.

W. H. H.

Dancy

20 June 1852

15 days

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Sir

Capt. name being furnished, please examine.

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J F C Kipton
For Command.

Geo. S. Gallaher Esq

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James Kent served under Captain
Elias Murray from 20 September 1814 to
19 November 1814 and 15 days allow
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John
Honor to
Officers & Privates

Direct the Warrant to Dr. K. K. K. K. K.

The State of Ohio Union County

I Gaber Randall Clerk

of the Court of Common Pleas in and for the County of Union and State of Ohio do hereby certify that I N. Wells whose name appears to the within certificate was at the date thereof an acting Justice of the peace in and for the said County of Union and State of Ohio duly Commissioned and qualified according to law as I do find of record. And I further certify that his signature is genuine

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court at Marysville this April 3rd A.D. 1855



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Arthur in the war of 1812 that he ^{was captured} James Kent on
or about the 10th day of Sept 1814 and continued
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which he received a warrant for forty acres
in which he has sold and does not recol-
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