

James L. Kent (aka James Little Kent) (unindexed) bounty land warrant application no. 55-120-26637 (accepted), Creek Indian War of 1836, Alabama Militia, Commanded by Moses Bush under Colonial John Currie, "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>.

- On 09 July 1879, James L. Kent also known as James Little Kent, was age 69 (born about 1810) and he was a resident of Parish Caddo, Louisiana.
- His brother was Julius Daniel Kent that served in the same company and regiment.
- James L. Kent's birthplace was Wilkes Co., Georgia and he was a farmer and about 25 years of age when he enlisted.
- He served during the Creek Indian War of 1836 as a private in the Alabama Volunteers, Commanded by Moses Bush under Colonial John Currie.
- Volunteered at Irvington, Alabama in May
- Seminole or Florida War of 1835 & 1836
- Since discharged he had resided in Alabama, Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana.
- Signed with his mark.
- In 1879 James Little Kent was living in Cross Lake, Caddo Parish, LA.
- He received 80 acres under the 1850 act.
- He had given an application for bounty land at the Probate court in Butler Co., Alabama
- James Little Kent wrote a personal letter to the Bureau and signed with his signature.
- On 09 November 1850, James Little Kent and was a resident of Barbour Co., Alabama and was age 40.
- On 07 April 1855, James L. Kent was age 44 and was a resident of Butler Co., Alabama.

REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS				1. DATE 28 Oct 2016		2. PULLTIME/STAFF INITIALS 11-045	
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 782	6. ROW 7	7. COMPARTMENT 9	8. SHELF 6	9. SEARCHER K	
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 James L. Kent				12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable)			
13. UNIT (CO, BN, or REGT.) Ala. Mil., Capt BUSH				14. STATE SERVED FROM Alabama		15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE 1836	
16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS							
				APPLICATION		CERTIFICATE	
a. INVALID							
b. WIDOW							
c. MINOR							
d. MOTHER							
e. FATHER							
f. OTHER NUMBERS (C, XC, BLWT, etc.)				A55-120-26637			
17. RECEIVED		18. DATE		19. RETURNED		20. DATE	

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THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

BOUNTY LAND FILES

ACT OF 55-120 WA 26637

VETERAN James L. Kent (served as James Kent)
1836 GRADE. Pvt.

SERVICE Capt Bush-Ala. Mil.

CAN NO. 522 BUNDLE NO. 13

CLAIM OF SOLDIER FOR BOUNTY LAND.

[To be used by the Soldier who has had a Land Warrant, or who has never before had one.]

N. B.—All the blank spaces in this form must be carefully filled up in accordance with the instructions on the back hereof; and from the best information possessed, or obtainable, by the applicant.

State of Louisiana }
Parish of Caddo } SS.
County of Caddo

On this 9th day of July, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine, personally appeared before me, clerk of the 10th Judicial District Court in Parish of Caddo State of Louisiana the same being a court of record within and for the county and State aforesaid, (1) James Little Kent, aged 64 years, a resident of this county in the county of Caddo in the State of Louisiana, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical (2) James Little Kent, who served under the name of (3) James L. Kent as a (4) Private, in the company commanded by Captain Moses Bush in the regiment of Alabama Volunteers, commanded by Col. Curry, in the war of (5) Seemingly Florida War; that he (6) voluntarily at Irvington Ala. on or about the day of May, A. D. the war, and continued in actual service in said war for the term of (7) the war about two years, and was honorably discharged at Irvington on the day of May, A. D. the war. That since his discharge from said service he has resided as follows, viz: (8) Alabama, Arkansas and Texas and now in Louisiana

The following was his description at the time of his enlistment, viz: (9) in height 5 feet blue eyes black hair light complexion weight about 150 lbs

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the Bounty Land (or the Additional Bounty Land) to which he may be entitled under the act approved March 3, 1855. He also declares that he has heretofore made application for (10) land warrant for services rendered as above stated and received a warrant for eighty acres (this under act of 1850) this under 100

He hereby appoints HEYLMUN & KANE of Washington D.C. his true and lawful Attorney, with power of substitution, to prosecute this his claim for land, to receive the Certificate or Warrant when issued, and to do all other acts necessary and proper in the premises.

ATTEST:

C. C. Henderson
G. J. Pucan

James L. Kent
Signature of Claimant.
mark

Also personally appeared George Solomon, aged forty-three years, residing at No. street, in Caddo Parish, and N. T. Siles, aged thirty-eight years, residing at No. Caddo Parish street, in Louisiana persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they have known the said James Little Kent for thirty years and years, respectively; that they were present and saw him sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing

(11) That Mr. Solomon has known him for thirty years and always
heard and learned he so served Mr. Sisler's father was a comrade
of Kent; and he has often heard his father speak of it, has known Kent
from childhood
and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Y^{rs} Solomon
H. J. Liles

A. D. 1879; and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words.....
erased, and the words, added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

(Official character.)

er.) Clerk of 10th Judicial
Dist. Court Parish of
Caddo State of Louisiana

NOTES.

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 2. Here allege the name of claimant again.
 3. Here allege the exact name under which the service was rendered.
 4. Here allege the rank under which the service was rendered.
 5. Here name the war in which he was engaged.
 6. Here state "enlisted," "volunteered," or "was drafted," as the case may be.
 7. Here allege the number of days or months of service rendered by the claimant; fourteen days being the shortest period for which bounty land is by law allowed, unless the claimant was actually engaged in battle. If the claim is made for battle service, or for service should be so varied as to allege such service in addition to the allegation of term of service.
 8. Here state all the places of residence; if in city, giving the street and number, and from and to what dates he resided at each place.
 9. Here let a full description follow, giving age, occupation, birth-place, height, color of hair, eyes, and complexion, and any other particulars as to description.
 10. If any application for bounty land or pension has previously been made, state the fact here, giving the date and number if possible, and designating whether it was a claim for bounty land or pension, and whether a warrant for the land or a certificate for the pension was ever issued.
 11. Here make out all the facts and circumstances which enable the witnesses to swear that they know the applicant to be the identical person who rendered the service alleged.
 12. If the applicant was a regimental or staff officer, or served in the Navy, the declaration must be varied, according to the facts of the case.
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- These affidavits must be executed before the Clerk of a Court of Record.

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and sold by W. H. Moore, 511 11th st., Washington, D. C.

**SOLDIER'S APPLICATION FOR
BOUNTY LAND.**

26637-120-53

59241. Act March 3/53.
7364 April 11/53.

James S. Kent
Private

Capt Bush
Col. Currie

Leut. May 1836. \ Ala
Dis. June 1836 S Mil.
Creek War

Reid War. No. 15.117 = 40 acres

15.117

James Kent served in Bush's Co. from 27.
Jan'y to 27. Feb 1837.

McLayton

2d A. O.
Oct. 9. 1855.

2d Auditor

Act. 120 ac Oct. 11/55

Thomas Dunder
Montgomery
Alabama

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Apr. 18/29 letter to Christ.
giving names of witnesses
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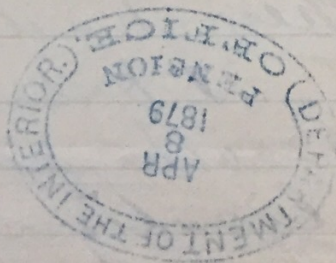
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Cross Lake Caddo Parish, La.
March the 31 AD 1879

Mr J. A Bentley

Sir Sir I desire to know
under the act of Congress if
I am not entitled to Pension for
serving in the flureday Indian
War I served and under the
Act of 1850, I drew a Land Warrent
which you can finde on the
Records at Washington DC the
Warrent was issued in 1854,
I drew an 80 acres Warrent by
Application of Jack Boldin Judge
of Probate Court in Butler County
La I am intitled to 80 acres more
by my application in 1878 for
it through application of D. H. Talbot
it seemed as they had both been
issued but I desire also to know
if the was both issued how
made the Application and got the
Last Warrent Pleas to send me on
instruction

Please send me the address
of who to find out about the
Land and also if how to
make application about the
Pension as there is no Attorney
around to attend the Pension but
you I can make all the Proof
that are necessary & then
I had please give me the
proper instruction and how to
manage the Berysness and Wight
my address to Langwood P.O. off
your Caddo Parish La in care of
G. J. Bucar
young
Very Respectfully
Lamy S. Hunt



Pension Office,

Sept. 27/55.

Sir.

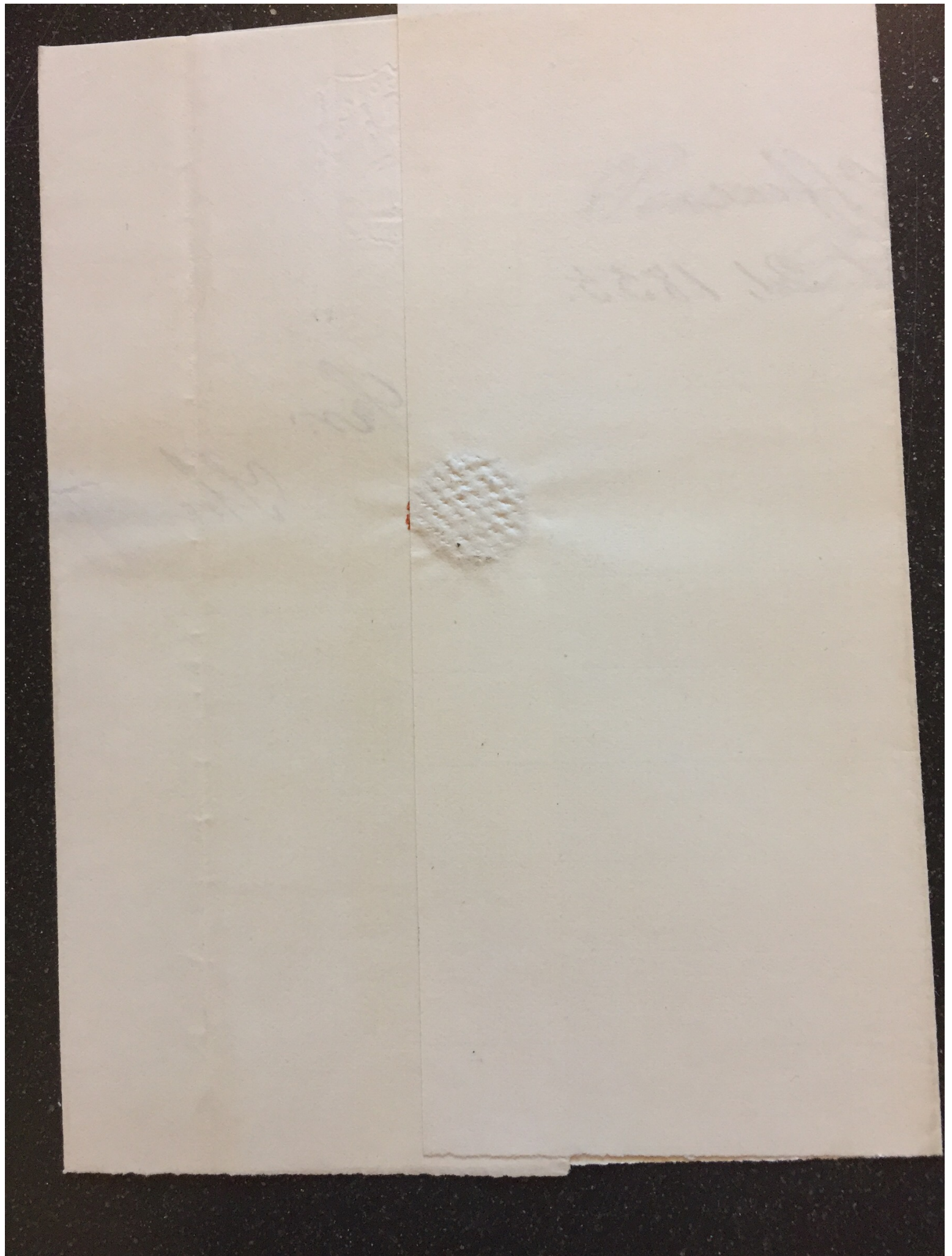
Please repeat the name
of the Capt. in whose com-
pany the service reported
was rendered

Very respectfully

J. Cole

For Commissioner

I Auditor



DECLARATION FOR ADDITIONAL BOUNTY LAND--ACT MARCH 3, 1855.

Printed by COWAN & MARTIN, Montgomery, Ala.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

ON THIS 7th day of April, 1855, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, James L. Grant aged 44 years, a resident of the County of Bartow and State of Alabama, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical James L. Grant who was a Private in the company commanded by Captain Bush in the Alabama regiment of Volunteers commanded by Colonel Greene in the war with the Creek Indians in Alabama in 1836; that he volunteered at Princeton on or about the 10th day of May, 1836, for the term of thirteen months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of fourteen days; that he has heretofore made application for bounty land under the Act of September 28th, 1850, and received a Land Warrant, No. 7, for forty acres, which he has since legally disposed of, and cannot now return.

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the additional bounty land to which he may be entitled under the Act approved the 3d day of March, 1855. He also declares that he has never applied for nor received, under this or any other Act of Congress, any bounty land warrant except the one above mentioned; and desires that when issued it be sent to THOS. DURDEN, Montgomery, Ala.

James L. Grant
Make

WE, John S. Speerlock, and F. M. Cady, residents of the County of Montgomery, Alabama, and State of Alabama, upon our oaths, declare that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by James L. Grant in our presence, and that we believe, from the appearance and statements of the applicant, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be.

John S. Speerlock
F. M. Cady

THE foregoing declaration and affidavit were sworn to and subscribed before me, on the day and year above written; and I certify that I know the affiants to be credible persons; that the claimant is the person he represents himself to be, and that I have no interest in his claim.

In testimony whereof I have set my hand

and affixed my Notarial Seal

Thos. Durden
Notary Public

Witness my hand and seal in the presence of

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In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed my Notarial Seal this 7th day of April

40 of the Notary and Notary Public

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

MONTEGOMERY COUNTY

IN SENATE, January 1, 1891.

REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE LAND OFFICE.

ALBANY, N. Y.: 1891.

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I respectfully
ask to know if the Bounty
land act, giving bounty to
soldiers of the Florida
Indian War of 1835 & 6-
gives to Julius Daniel
Kent, brother of J L
Kent, same Compy & Regt
any land -

Mr J L Kent has applied
for his land warrants and
is told that they have
been drawn by certain
application of

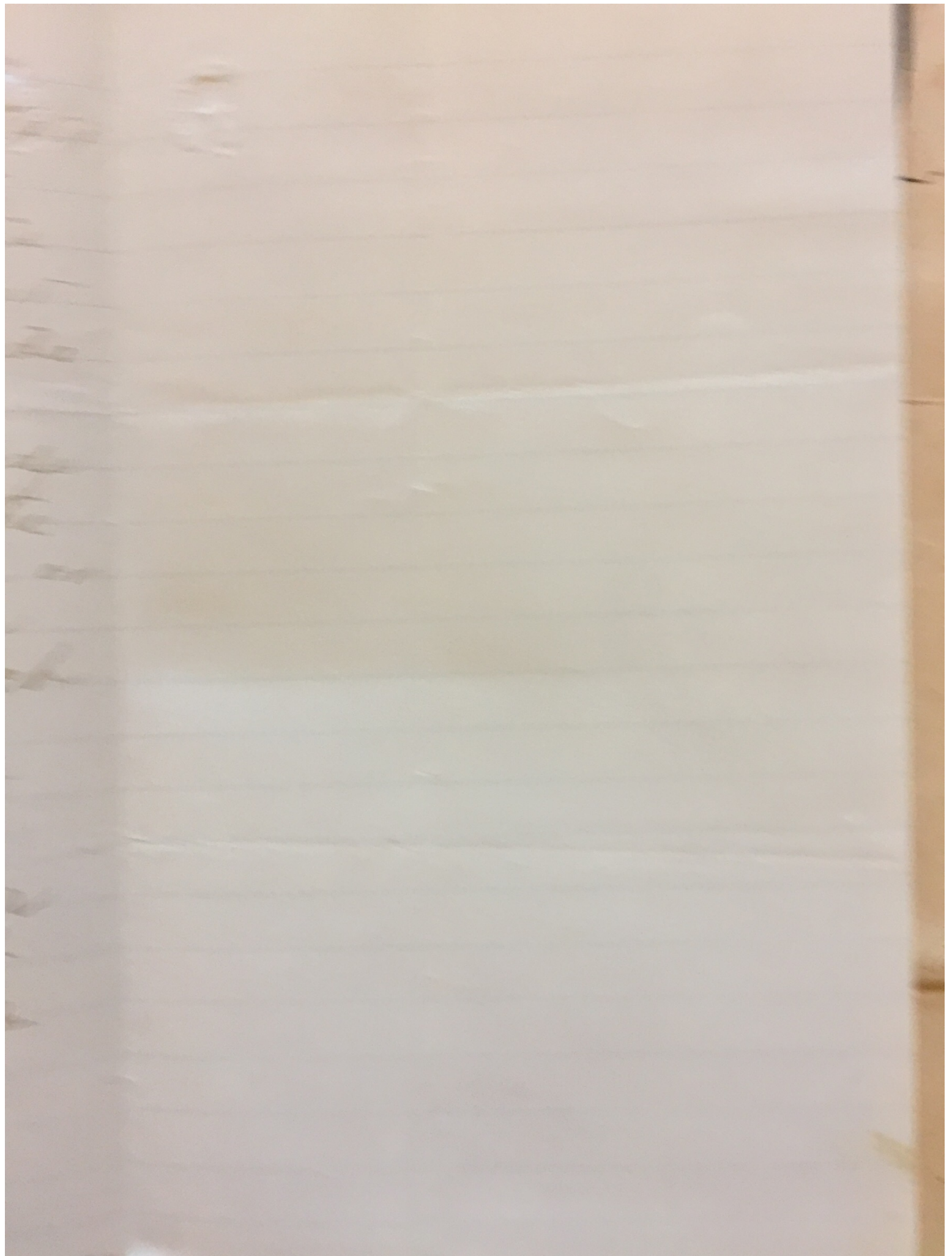
Made before
Durdan of Montgomery
Ala, and witnessed by
John Spurlock and

F M Cowley
I wish to know whether
the witnesses hereto
have testified that Julius
D. Lent ever drew any lands
for services in the Florida,
or Seminole war.

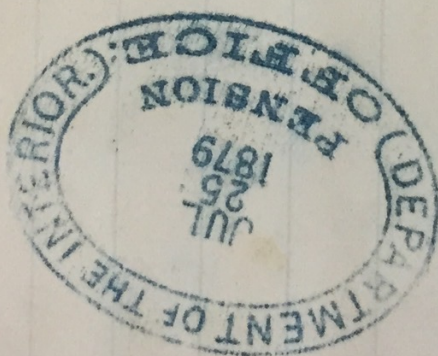
I wish to know who made
the application in the
name of Julius D. Lent or
J. L. Lent for the land
warrant under the act
of 1855

Please answer and
address

G. J. Lucar
Shreveport
La



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CLAIM OF SOLDIER FOR BOUNTY LAND.

N. B.—All the blank spaces in this form must be carefully filled up in accordance with the instructions on the back hereof; and from the best information possessed, or obtainable, by the applicant.

STATE OF Louisiana } ss:
Parish County of Caddo

On this 9th day of July, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and Seventy Eight
personally appeared before me J. M. Wheaton Clerk of the Dist. Court the same being a
Court of Record within and for the county and State aforesaid, (1) James L. Kent
aged Sixty Eight years, a resident of the Parish of Caddo in the county of
in the State of Louisiana, who, being duly sworn
according to law, declares that he is the identical (2) James L. Kent, who served under the
name of (3) James L. Kent, as a (4) private
in the company commanded by Captain Moses E. Bush, in the
regiment of _____, commanded by _____
in the war of (5) Florida; that he (6) volunteered at
Swinton Barbour County Ala. on or about the first day of May, A. D.
1835-8, for the term of the war, and continued in actual
service in said war for the term of (7) about two years, and was honorably discharged
at Swinton Ala., on the _____ day of _____, A. D. 1837
That since his discharge from said service he has resided as follows, viz: (8) In Swinton Ala till
1868 from thence to Caddo Parish La where he now resides

The following was his description at the time of his enlistment, viz: (9) about 25 years of age
occupation farmer, birth-place Wilkes Co. Ga. height 6 ft
hair dark, eyes blue, complexion light

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the bounty land (or the additional bounty land) to which he may be entitled under the act approved March 3d, 1855, and hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

D. H. Talbot — — — of Swine City
Woodbury Co. Iowa, his lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim. He also declares that he
has heretofore made an application for (10) and received a bounty land
warrant for eighty-acres of land in 1852-3

and that his residence is No. _____, city (or town) of _____,
Parish County of Caddo, and State of Louisiana, and that his post-office address is
Crop Lake

ATTEST:

J. M. Wheaton
H. S. Liles
G. J. Lucas

James L. Kent
mark

Also personally appeared _____, aged 46 years,
residing at No. _____ street, in Caddo Parish La, and

H. S. Liles, aged 37 years, residing at No. _____
_____ street, in Caddo Parish La, persons whom I certify to be respectable and

entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they have known the said James L. Kent
for 12 years and 30 years, respectively; that they were present

and saw him ~~and his name~~ make his mark to the foregoing declaration: that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and they further say that they are able to identify him as the identical person who rendered the service alleged in the above application (in the company of Captain *Moses E. Bush*), in the regiment of

, in the war of *Florida* by the following-named facts

and circumstances, viz: (1) *That he is the identical person who formerly drew a land warrant for the same services*

and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

G. J. Lucas
H. T. Liles
SWORN to and subscribed before me this *9th* day of *July*, A. D. 1878

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and

explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words *"sign his*

[L. S.]

name, or

, erased, and the words

added, and that I have no interest, direct

or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim

James L. Smith
Clerk 10th District Court, Caddo Parish La
(Official character.)

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APPLICATION OF A SOLDIER

FOR

BOUNTY LAND

or

Additional Bounty Land

James L. Smith
a relative of Capt. Moses E. Bush's
Reg't
Florida War
26637-
Filed by
James L. Smith

Please Refer to the
Initial

D
In Your Answer,
Also to the Date of
this Letter.

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D. H. TALBOT, A.W.B.

General Land Scrip and Warrant Broker,

Will Buy and Sell all Classes of Land Scrip for Location upon Government and State Lands, Railroad,
County and State Bonds, Obtain Bounties and Pensions, Purchase Imperfect
Titles, and do a General Land Business.

Sioux City, Iowa July 15th 1878

Hon. Commissioner of Pensions.

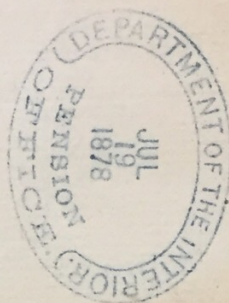
Washington D.C.

Sir:

Please find enclosed "application
for Bounty-land" of James L. Kent
of Cross Lake, Caddo Co. La. who served
as private in Co. commanded by Capt.
Moses E. Bush. Regt. commanded by Curry.
in Florida War.
the claimant having recd a warrant
for 80 acres of land in year 1852 or '53.

Very Respectfully

D. H. Talbot.



[Faint, mirrored handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the paper.]

39241

7364 Nov 29/50

James L Kent for
Capt Turner & Bush &
Gibbons - Ala Vol

Col John Currie
vol Sep 1836
dis Sep 1837
Coast Inds Land

402 ~~Apr 20/51~~

2^d Auditor's Office

to yr

21. June 1851.

Served from 12 May to 16 June 1836

J. E. Heath Esq
Com of Pensioners.

H. Layton
2^d Auditor

Warrant 15717 ind,
Augt. 9th 1837 and
sent to

A. Baker
Enfanta Ala
100 Gnd 52 Ppl 1841

bur 5 Jan 9 179
bur 5 July 24 179

July 19/51 bur to apt
J.D.J.

The State of Alabama Barbour County
On this ninth day of November A.D. One
Thousand eight hundred and fifty
personally appeared before me, Alpheus Baskin
Jr. a Justice of the Peace within and for
the County and State aforesaid James Little
Kent, aged forty years, a resident of
Barbour County in said State, who being
duly sworn according to law, declares
that he is the identical James Little Kent
who was private in the Company com-
manded first by Captain John R. Turner
next by ^{Captain} Moses Bush and next by Cap-
tain Gibbens in a Regiment
commanded by Colonel John Curry
in the war with the Creek Indians in
1836., That he volunteered in Barbour
County in said State or or about the
middle of April 1836. for the war and
continued in actual service above twelve
months and was honorably discharged
at Irwinton (now Cuscuta) in said State
or or about the middle of April 1837 as
will more fully appear by the muster
rolls of said Company his discharge
being lost or mislaid. 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 & ^{his} James L. Kent
I swore to and subscribed before me ^{mark}
The day and year above written and I hereby certify that I
believe the said James L. Kent to be the identical man
who served as aforesaid and that he is of the age above
stated

Alpheus Baskin Jr. J.P.

1364
James A. Hunt
Ala. Co.,
Nov 29/30

Oct 28 1830

Florida

James

A. Baker
Barbour Co. Ala.

The State of Alabama } I W R Coover Judge of Probate
Barbour County } Court in and for said County &
Ex-officio Clerk of said Court and Keeper of
the Records & Seal of said County, do hereby Certify
that A Baker whose name is affixed to the
 foregoing affidavit is & was at the date thereof
an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County
duly commissioned & qualified according to law
& that full faith & credit should be given
to all his acts as such & that his signature
is genuine Given under my hand &
Seal of Office this 20 day of
November AD 1830
W R Coover
Judge of Probate



Montgomery. July 30 1857
Alabama

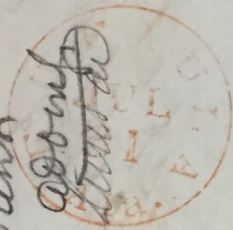
Sir

Your communication which I had the honor to receive a few days I herewith reenclose that you without difficulty see what my business refers to.

James L. Kent is unable, without great trouble and expense, to make further proof in reference to the Land Bounty he claims. You will therefore please furnish a warrant for the 40 acres to which the rolls show him to be entitled.

Very respectfully
Alpheus S. Baker Jr
for J. L. Kent.

Gas L. Kent
Mr. Dickson



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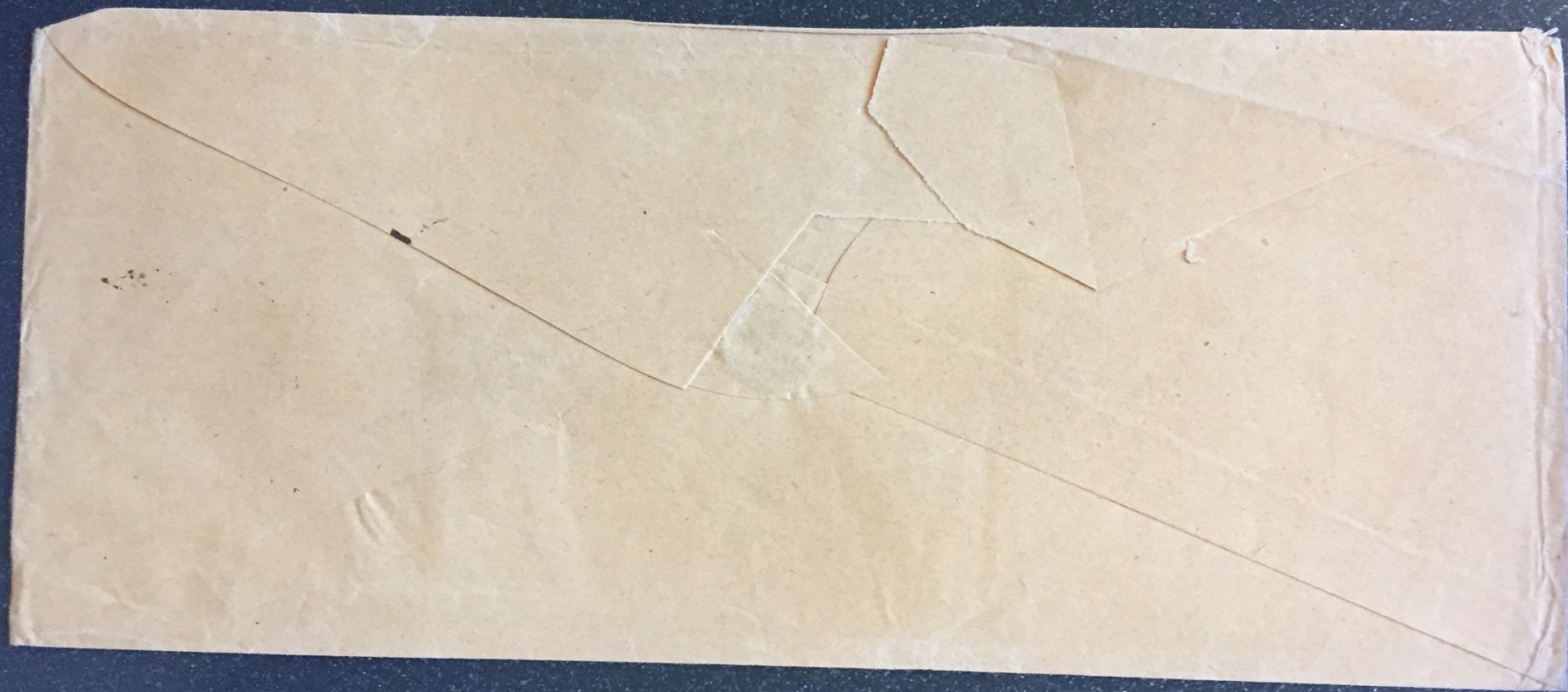
Hon. J. E. Heath.
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Hon. Commissioner of Pensions
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PENSION OFFICE,

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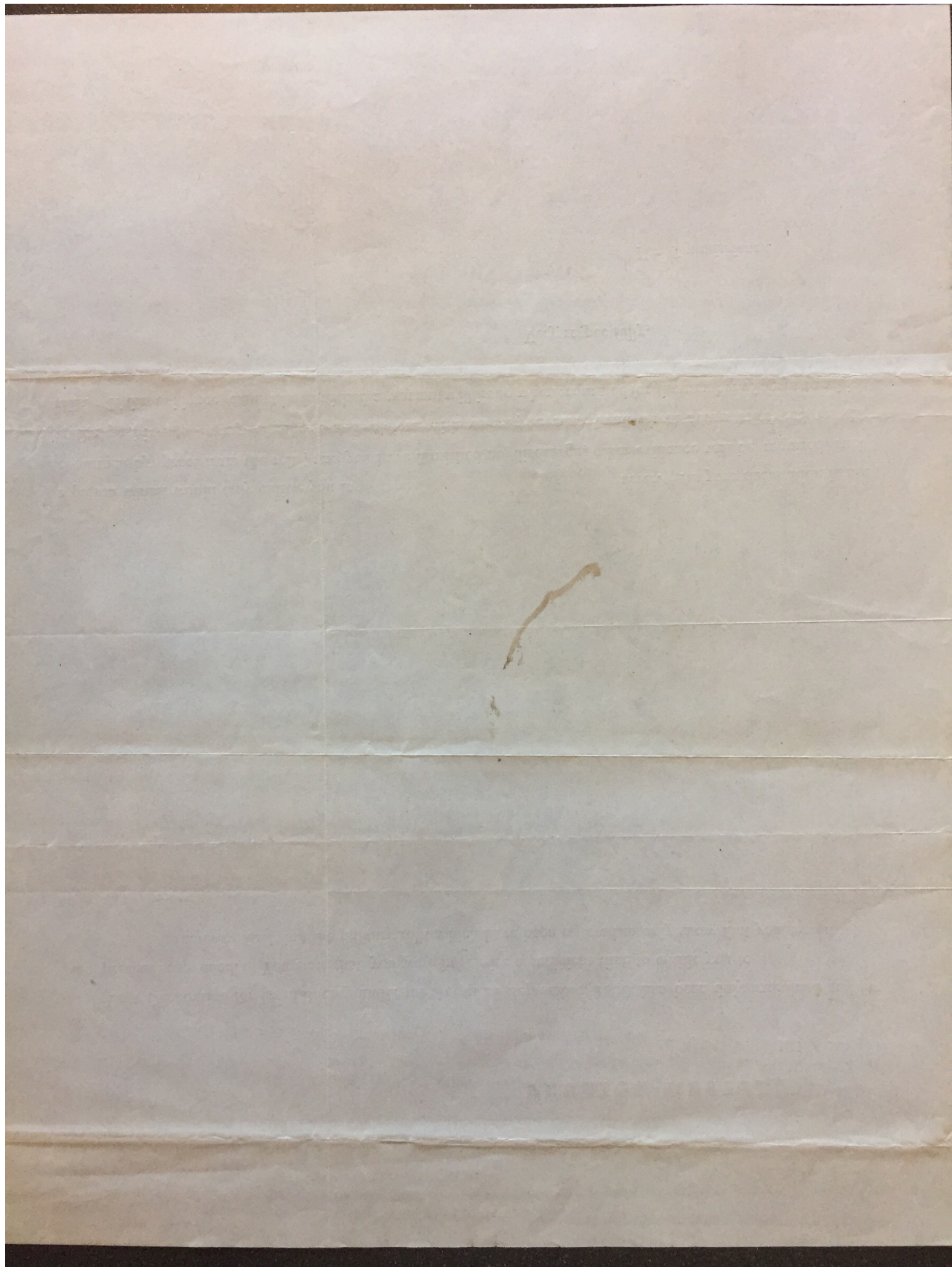
Your Declaration for Land Bounty under the Act of 28 September, 1850, has been duly examined and for the present suspended. You state that you were in service a sufficient time to entitle you to *one hundred and sixty* acres of land, but the military rolls which have been referred to only show that you served in *Captains Turner, Bush & Gibbons Co of Alabama Vols from the 12th of May 1836 to the 16th of June 1836*

a period which would only entitle you to *Forty* acres. As your declaration is not confirmed by proof from the rolls, and you have furnished no discharge, other evidence will be required, such as the positive testimony of officers and soldiers with whom you served and whose names are found on the rolls. If this evidence cannot be furnished a warrant will issue when requested for the number of acres to which you are entitled.

Very respectfully,

H. S. Evans
For Commissioner.

Mr James L. Kent
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For 120 acres.