

Reuben Kent (unindexed) bounty land warrant application no. 55-120-11003 (accepted), Creek Indian War (1836), Florida Volunteers, Capt. Pitman & Col Brown, Commanded by Captain Dempsy Pittman under Colonel Levin Brown, Private, Res. Jackson Co., Florida, "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 30 November 1850, Reuben Kent was age 35 (born about 1815) and was a resident of Jackson Co., Florida.

- On 22 March 1855, Reuben Kent was at Jackson Co., Florida and he was age 37 (born about 1818) and a resident of Jackson Co., Florida.

- Reuben Kent signed with his signature.

REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS				1. DATE 28 Oct 2016	2. PULL TIME/STAFF INITIALS 1 = [initials]
3. NAME OF REQUESTER M. M. Roy			4. RESEARCHER CARD NO. 178524		
ITEM NOS. 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, AND 9 FOR STAFF USE ONLY	5. STACK AREA 742	6. ROW 7	7. COMPARTMENT 9	8. SHELF 6	9. SEARCHER [initials]
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 Reuben KENT			12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable)		
13. UNIT (CO, BN, or REGT.) FL Mil, Cap PITMAN, Brown			14. STATE SERVED FROM Florida		15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE 1838
16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS					
	APPLICATION			CERTIFICATE	
a. INVALID					
b. WIDOW					
c. MINOR					
d. MOTHER					
e. FATHER					
f. OTHER NUMBERS (C, XC, BLWT, etc.)	# 55-120-11003				
17. RECEIVED	18. DATE	19. RETURNED		20. DATE	

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ACT OF 55-120-ut-11003

VETERAN Reuben Kent

1836 GRADE 1st Lt.

SERVICE Capt. Demps. Pittman
Col. Levin Brown Hami

CAN NO. 460 BUNDLE NO. 123

STATE OF Florida
COUNTY OF Jackson

On this the 22nd day of March A. D. one
thousand eight hundred and fifty five, personally appeared before me, a Judge
of Probate within and for the county and

State aforesaid Ruben Hunt, aged about 37
years, a resident of Jackson County, in the State of Florida
Hunt, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Ruben
Hunt, who was a Private in the company company commanded
by Captain Dempsey Pittman, in the
regiment of Florida Militia, commanded by Col. Edwin
Brown, in the war with The Creek Indians
for the term of

and continued in actual service in said war for fourteen days; that he has heretofore made application for
bounty land under the act of September 28, 1850, and received a land warrant, No. not Recalled, 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.

Ruben Hunt

We, Jos. S. Myrick and William C. Bryan, residents of
Jackson County, in the State of Florida,
upon our oaths, declare that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by Ruben
Hunt, 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.

Jos. S. Myrick
William C. Bryan

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 this claim.

Jos. B. Noulhae Judge of Probate
Jackson County
State of Florida

STATE OF *Florida*

Jackson

County. }

I hereby certify that *Joseph B Roulhac* before whom
the foregoing declaration and affidavit were made, is, and was at that time, a *Judge of Probate*
in and for the county aforesaid, duly commissioned and sworn.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal

of my office, as clerk of the *Circuit*

Court of said County, this *23rd*

day of *March*

185 *5*.

John W. Foster Clk
C. C. J. C.



(946)

Marianna March 24th 1855

Sir You will find enclosed
Eight Applications for Bounty Fund
under the late act. A good many
of the applicants as you will
see do not enclose the Number of
their other Warrants. Your early
attention will very much oblige
Yours Respect
Jas. J. Myrick
Agt.

To G. P. Walden Esq
Prison Agt
Washington City
J. J.

John Davis
Peters B. Carlton
Peter Larimon
Reuben Kent
William H. Morrison
William B. Whalley
Hugh Sperry
Elias Nichols

Application for
S. Land Warrants
By Jas J. Bennett
att -

Marianna Fla

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Reuben Kent Pri;

Capt. Dempsey Pittman

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2nd Auditor's Office

11. Sept 1857

Served from 14. Sept to 14. Oct 1837.

2nd Service from 6. May to 8. July 1837.

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J. E. Heath Esq
Com of Pension.

McLayton

2nd Auditor

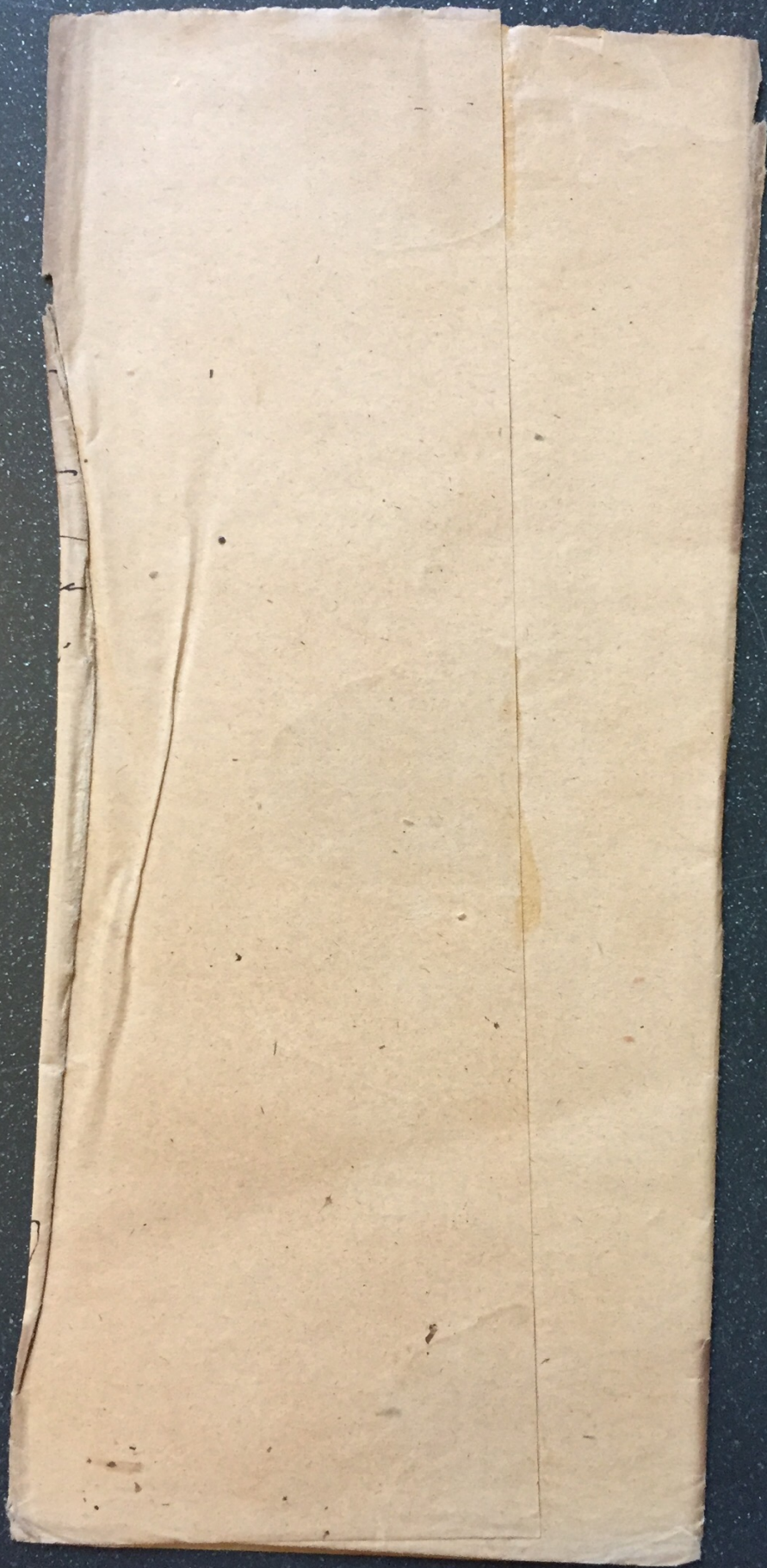
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Declaration for Surviving Officer or Soldier.

State of Florida }
County of DeFuria } SS.

On this 21st day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and 86 - personally appeared before me, a justice of the peace, within and for the County and State aforesaid, Reuben Kent aged 36 years, a resident of St. Johns County in the State of Florida, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Reuben Kent who was a private in the Company commanded by Captain Samuel Pittman in the 1st Regiment of Florida Militia commanded by Gen. Robert in the War with the Creek Indians; that he enlisted at Moravia on or about the 1st day of August, A. D. 1837, for the term of one month, and continued in actual service in said War, for the term of one month, and was honorably discharged at Moravia on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1837, as will appear by the muster rolls of said Company.

He furthermore declares that he is the identical Reuben Kent who was a private in the Company commanded by Captain Samuel Pittman in the 1st Regiment of Florida Militia commanded by Col. Brown in the War with the Creek Indians; that he enlisted at Moravia on or about the 1st day of August, A. D. 1837, for the term of one month, and continued in actual service in said War for the term of one month, and was honorably discharged at Moravia on the 1st day of September, A. D. 1837, as will appear by the muster rolls of said Company.

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AND that the whole time he engaged to serve in said War - was more than one month, and that he actually served near two months.

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. and sworn Reuben Kent swears before me his attorney, with power to affirm a substitute to demand near his bounty land or rent.

Reuben Kent

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

Richard Nelson
Justice of the Peace



STATE OF Florida }
County of Jackson } ss.

I hereby Certify, That Richard Wilson, Esq., before whom the declaration upon the opposite side of this sheet was made and sworn to, and who has thereto subscribed his name, was at the time of so doing, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County aforesaid, duly commissioned and sworn.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of my Office, as the Clerk of the circuit Court of said County, this 30th day of November, A. D. 1850

Sam C. Bellamy Clerk



13241 Robert Hunt Dec 26th

Flor. Prob.

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L. C. Gorge

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Fla.

State of Florida.

County of Jackson.

Personally appeared,

before me, Member Kent who being duly sworn says,
he was regularly & honorably discharged from the
Military service of the United States as set forth
in his petition for Bounty Land under Law of 1840
filed in Revenue office by C. C. Young, Esq. and that no
written discharges were ever given to him,
sworn to and subscribed before me.

This 11th day of ~~October~~ November

A. D. 1857

Member Kent

C. C. Young

Notary Public

Benjamin Kent

Yours

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No. 27461

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Reuben Kent, Prt.

Capt. Demp Pittman

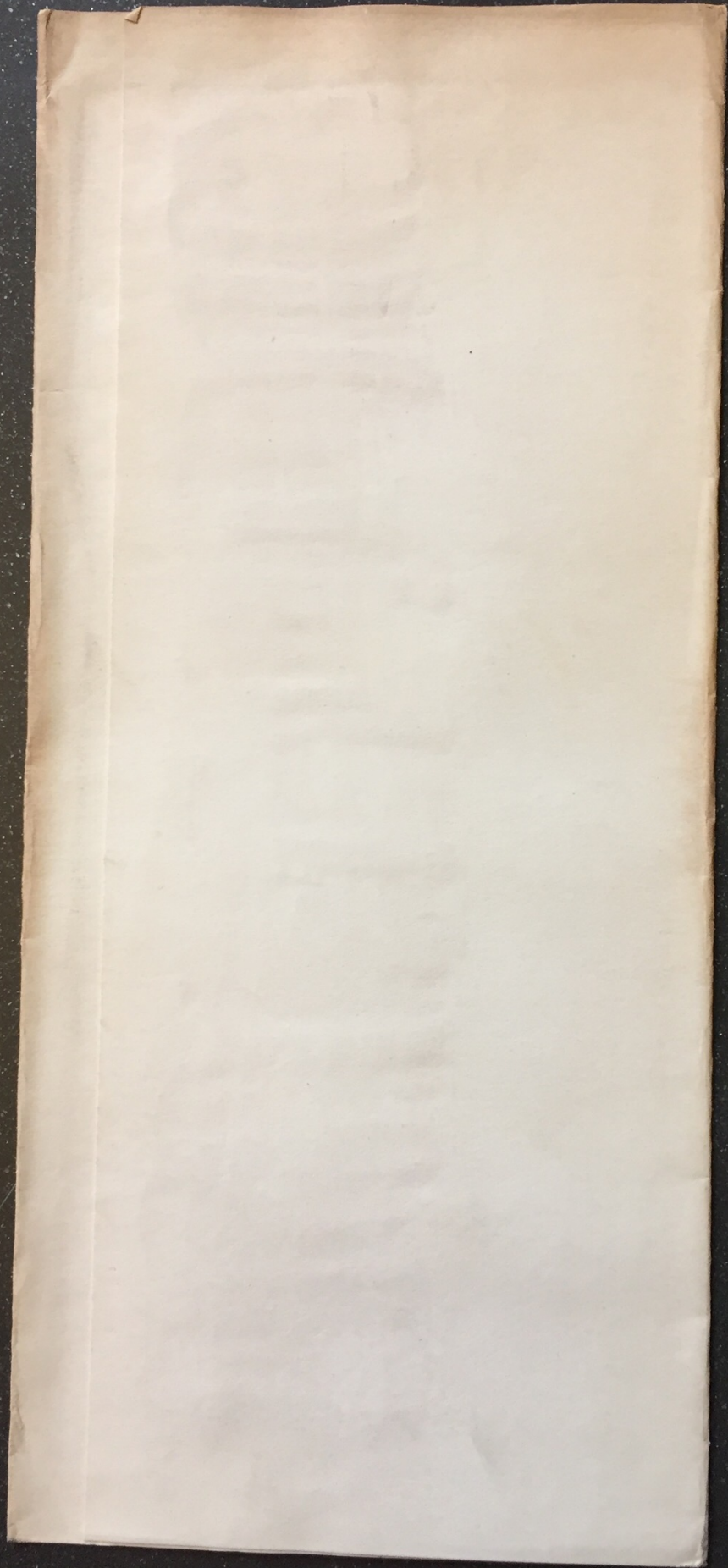
Col. Levin Brown

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Warrant No. 11003

For 120 acres.



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Reuben Kent, Print

Capt. Dempsey Pettman
Col. Levin Browne
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