

REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS

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Michelle M. Roy

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ITEM NOS. 2, 5, 6, 7,
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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

11. NAME OF SOLDIER

KENT, Samuel

12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable)

Mary Kent

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

Capt. Needs Co. Vt Mil.

14. STATE SERVED FROM

Vermont

15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE

War of 1812

16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS

	APPLICATION	CERTIFICATE
a. INVALID		
b. WIDOW	41001	
c. MINOR		
d. MOTHER		
e. FATHER		
f. OTHER NUMBERS (C, XC, BLWT, etc.)		

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WAR OF 1812

NUMBERS

SOLDIER

Kent, Samuel

BOUNTY LAND

Wid Orig 41001

WIDOW

Kent, Mary

SERVICE

Capt. Weed's Co 14 Mil

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DISCHARGED

RESIDENCE
OF SOLDIER

REMARKS

RESIDENCE
OF WIDOW

MAIDEN NAME
OF WIDOW

MARRIAGE OF
SOLDIER AND WIDOW

DEATH
OF SOLDIER

DEATH
OF WIDOW

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SERVICE PENSION.

WAR OF 1812.

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Act of February 14, 1871

Mary Kent

Kyger: Gallia Co Ohio

WIDOW of Samuel Kent.

Capt. Weed,

Vermont mil.

Died 19th March 1857.

Rejected June 15, 1882.

Rejected

Mar 31 - P

Received March 29th 1881.

Martin Butcher.

Kyger: Gallia Co

Ohio

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Milton Kent, Porter, Ohio Island
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June 7/82 Rejected - *see name*
July 10 83. Clmt. d. 10m.

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State of Ohio }
Gallia County } 3

I Benjamin Martin
a Notary of Public within and for
the County of Gallia Ohio do hereby
certify that after looking over the
names signed to this petition say
that I am well acquainted with
each person that they are residents
of said Gallia County and that they
are mostly old people, and that they
are respectable for truth and veracity
in the community in which they
reside, That I have no interest
direct or indirect in the prosecution of
this claim. That a certificate of my
qualification as a Notary of Public is
on file in the Pension Department
at Washington. This the 19 day of
March A.D. 1884



Benjamin Martin
Notary Public

within and for Gallia County Ohio

To the Congress of United States

Washington D.C.

We the undersigned Citizens do Memorialize
and petition your Honorable body to pass an
act whereby a pension may be secured for the relief
of Mrs Mary Loumine former wife of Samuel
Kept. soldier in the war of 1812 and who is now
widow ^{of said} Loumine

petitioners

names

Saucci Mcmellen

Stephen Wilcox

Saul R Holcomb

William Welker

Ann J Holcomb

Kate Holcomb

Martin Scott

Swannah Scott

Lois H. King

Elizabeth M Kerr

Samuel Welker

Rebecca Welker

Edward J Holcomb

Ed Macomber

Esther Matthews

Alfred James

W. H. Shack

Chas Davis

M. H. Glenn

W. J. Butler

Benj Martin



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Department of the Interior,
PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., July 11th, 1883

Madam:

In reply to your inquiry relative to the pension claim
No. 41,001 of yourself, as the widow of
Samuel Kent, under act of mch 9th 1878,
of Co. Reg't

you are informed that it was rejected June 15th 1882
on the ground that you re married
after the soldiers death.

A rejected claim will not be reopened except upon new and
material evidence pertaining to the cause of rejection.

Very respectfully,

W. W. Dudley

Commissioner.

Mrs Mary Kent
care AB Hamilton
Tinton
Gallia Co
Ohio

Act of March 9" 1878 etc
a lady of the

Mrs Mary A Kent
Vinton
for
Pension

Special act
Pension Office
Letter of Rejection
for remainings

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Department of the Interior
PENSION OFFICE

Washington, D.C.

May 1882

Confidential
Sir:

In Pension Claim of "Mary Kent under Act of March 9" 1878 No
41,001 you are requested to inform this office whether a lady of the
above name resides in your vicinity reputed to be the widow of Samuel
Kent a Soldier of the War of 1812.

Please return this letter with the reply.

Very respectfully
Wm. W. Dudley

Commissioner

Postmaster

Weygen Gallia Co

Ohio

In reply to above there is a lady here who was the
widow of Samuel Kent, but she married after Kents death
a man by name of Sumner & is a widow again
she is known as much by one name as the other
June 2nd 1882 Respect yours Wm. W. Dudley

Honorable J. W. L. ...
Dear Sir yours of 20th June.

41.001

Mary Kent

Pm - 20

1812



Ref

Tinton O March 19th 1834

Honorable J. W. Hornum

Dear Sir yours of 20th last came
to hand in due time in which
you suggested that we send in
other evidence in the case of
Mr Kent to Mr Hornum.

I had about concluded to aba-
-ndon the case, not knowing
what would was required. But
concluded to get up a few -
affidavits of old acquaintances
of hers. which affidavits I suppose
has been forwarded you by David
H Kent. which I now fillon with
a petition with names of only
those who ~~knew~~ personally
knew Samuel Kent and

Many Next Now Many
Tourmin. I only send the
names of a few. As I do
not know whether it is of any
use. But if it is the thing required
I can send in a good many
more. It is not the long list
of names I judge that the Comm-
ittee requires.

Now I don't want to bore
you with too long a letter. But
must say that I think that Congress
ought to remove the existing disabili-
ties and grant the privilege asked.
As the Old Lady is now over ninety
years old. And is quite helpless
and dependent and at most
will not require a pension very long
hope to hear from you soon
again
Yours
A. B. Hamilton

State of Ohio
County of Gallia

Gallia Co Ohio March 13 AD 1854
Genl W McCormick Dear Sir
Please find enclosed two sworn statements
proving the identity of my Mother
all the evidence that my Father had showing that he
was a Soldier in the War of 1812 was furnished
in procuring that land warrant which my Mother
own about the year 1856 if the committee require
any testimony in the case please write me and
let me know result of the evidence and the nature
of the bill whether it dates back to the act of 71 or to the
act of March 78 Address all communication to me or
Mary Sumner in care of Mr Erno Gallia Co Ohio
Very Respectfully
S. H. Kent

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Gallipolis March 24th 1864
Hon. J. M. McCormick

Dear Sir

I Am requested to write you in the
int. of the application of Mrs. Mary
Lumine. for Pension. Widow of the late
Saml. Kent. of this County. Who was
a Soldier in the War of 1812. &c. a
true Patriot. and friend to his country
through life. Mother Lumine is about
Ninty years old. Is and has been thro-
ugh life a most amiable Christian
Wife. Mother. Neighbor. and friend.
Is poor and penniless. No home. No
support. Only as bared out through Charity.
And has no children able to care for her -
that can do so. I take pleasure in say-
ing to you. If any thing can be done
for her through the Government. it would
be a most richous act. And I fondly

cherish the hope that you may be
able to be the happy agent to ac-
complish this vicarious request.
How the New Leon District will af-
fect matters with us in future time
only can develop. But Old Galicia is
immovable, and will stand faithfully
by her Colors to the bitter end -
Very Truly

William Symmes

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State of Ohio
County of Gallia
Hager Gallia Co Ohio 21st AD 1881

To the Hon Commissioner of pensions Washington D.C.
Dear Sir

you will find enclosed an application for a pension
for the war of 1812 all the evidence in this claim
outside of the affidavits statement is on file in that
department as she states that she applied and drew
a land warrant of 1.60 acres of land about the year
1856 or 57 it is a matter almost impossible to go back
68 or 70 years to get evidence on any subject without
having records to refer to the old Ladies mind is pretty
much gone she is very old and very poor and destitute of
any means of support she lives with a son who is
invalid and not able to support her
I wish to state that I am no claim agent and make
no charges for what I do ^{in the} matter if her claim
can be allowed and adjusted it will relieve her very much

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10th 18
Mr W. Dornick
Dear Sir
I have notice
of your notice
of pension claim
of Samuel
written on the
day of signing
your name
as above and
to have as
moving

and save her from going to the poor house
if the department requires evidence as to the death of the
said Samuel Kent or as to the said Samuel Kent and
Mary Kent living and cohabiting ^{together} as man and
wife we can furnish it at any time

Address Martin Butcher
Kyer Gallia Co Ohio

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Vinton Dec 10th - 1883

Son of W M McCormick

Dear Sir

inclosed I send you notice of a rejected Russian claim of Mary Kent, Widow of Samuel Kent, which is rejected on the grounds of her remaining.

Now we desire to have you present the facts in her case, and use your influence to have a special act passed removing the abridging clause,

which has been done in case of Widow Neal of Walnut T.P.

this County. There is no doubt of her not needing and deserving a pension if the above disability is removed. As the granting of

of the Land warrant will show.
Now I think if you will do
the favour of presenting
the case and ask Congress
to remove the disability (as
referred to) that there would be
much trouble in getting this
claim allowed. As the widow
is very old and dependant now
over 90 years old.

I send the rejected notice that
it may save trouble in hunting
the claim up

Yours Truly
M. B. H.

SHACK & HAMM
Flour, Feed and
Also, Manufacturers

of the Land warrant with
how I think if you will do
the favor of presenting
the case and ask Congress
to remove the disability (by
refund to) that there will be
much trouble in getting the
claim allowed. As the widow
is very old and dependent now
over 70 years old.
I send the rejected notice that
it may save trouble in hunting
the claim up.

Yours Truly
W. B. Hamilton

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OFFICE OF

SHACK & HAMILTON,

Manufacturers of, and Dealers in

Flour, Feed and Grain of all kinds,

Also, Manufacturers of Woolen Yarns of Every Description,

Vinton, G. Feb 12th 1883

Comr Dudley

Commissioner of Pension
we wish know what further evidence
is necessary to establish claim of
Mary Kent, widow of Samuel Kent
who was a soldier in the war of twelve
now deceased.

for services in said war he received a
land warrant about the year eighteen
hundred and fifty five or six. his widow
is yet living and in much need,
and there is no question but she is the
widow of said soldier. please inform
me what further step is required to
procure said Pension.

Cannot give no of claim of land warrant
Pension. for reference see Honorable St.
S. Reed, M.C. Address Vinton
Illia Co O

Yours truly A B Hamilton



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Dumini-Kent Case

See Mr Stubble

Mrs. Kent married
Dumini, and is now
a widow

She drew a Land
Grant in 1871 - in
and in 1878 -

D.H. Kent wants
Special Act to
take effect 1871
date of her resignation

No clue to
Land Grant
or Appl. for
pension - ?

House of Representatives

Washington
D.C.

McCormick



MAR 27 1881

reason of her age and
is unable to leave her home
and has been for three years past, Johnstown, Pa.
Dumini to avoid duties; but before me
the 1st of February 1881 and I

Post Office Depa

POST OFFICE AT _____

OFFICIAL BUSINESS.

A penalty of \$300 is fixed by law, for using this
Envelope for other than Official Business.

State of Ohio
That he is a practicing Physician
and That he is well acquainted
with Mary Kent and That by
reason of his age
is a

State of Ohio
County of Cuyahoga

Personally came before me
a Judge of the Probate Court in and for
the aforesaid county and State
James J. [unclear] a resident of
Cuyahoga County State of Ohio
who being duly sworn declares
that he is a practicing Physician
and that he is well acquainted
with Mary Kent and that by
reason of her age and disease she
is unable to leave her home
and has been for the year past.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 21 day of February 1881 and I
herby certify that affiant is a
Physician in good standing.

S. D. Cowden
Probate Judge



Deposited Statement
of ~~James Johnston~~
In the Claim of
Mary Kent ~~_____~~

Inquiry

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Essex Falls Co Ohio Dec. 10. 1893
Hon. John W Mc Cormick
Dear Sir

When you delivered your speech
in the Town of Porter I spoke to you in
reference to a Pension for My Mother
My Father was a soldier in the war of
1812 he died on the 19 day of March 1855
and Mother Remarried and is now a widow
again under the act Congress about 1834
She drew a land warrant that was granted
to My father She drew this warrant in 56 or 57
She is very old and she is destitute I have the
care of her and I am an invalid from a long
hard service in the Rebellion I am unable
to do manual labor and like most old soldiers
I am poor and I wish you to get Speed act
to date from January 1st 1871 which she
would have been entitled to had she not
Remarried She sees that she was married in
September 1814 in the Town of Rupert
Bennington County Vermont
My fathers name was Samuel Kent
her present name is Mary Linn
does not correspond with any other parties
on this subject but the
the fact of her drawing a land warrant
is evidence enough to warrant a claim

Ohio
in

it is a hard matter for any person to go back seventy
years and get evidence I will forward my claim
to you with some additional evidence as soon as I get
it ready please do your best on this claim and oblige
a true Republican I will send my case in a few
days

Respectfully

D. H. Kent

To the Hon. John W. McCormick
House of Representatives
Washington D.C

Mr McCormick

MR 2524

Kent

State of Ohio
County of Gallia } ss

in the matter of Mary Lumina for special pension
who was the wife of Samuel Kent who served
as a soldier in the Vermont Militia in war of
1812 personally appeared before me Benjamin
Martin Notary Public in and for the county
and State of said

Joseph H. Kerr well known to me to be
reputable and entitled to credit
and who being duly sworn by me according
to law declares in reference to the following
case as follows that he was personally
acquainted with Samuel Kent and Mary
Kent his wife now Mary Lumina having
lived a widow to them twenty years prior
to the death of said Samuel Kent
and that he has been personally acquainted with
his wife now Mary Lumina since the death
of said Samuel Kent in March 1835 up to the
present time and that she is the identical
woman who was the wife of Samuel Kent
for whose services in the war of 1812 she claims
pension and that he has no interest direct
or indirect in the settlement of this claim

Jo. H. Kerr



WAR OF
Pension, under the Provisi
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 10th day of March 1894
and 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 settlement of this claim
a certificate of my office on file in

The Pension office

Berj. Martin

Notary Public

within and for Harrison County Ohio



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Sworn to and subscribed
by Edward J. Holcomb
for the claim of Mary
Quinn
for the War of 1812

State of Ohio
County of Gallia } ss

in the matter of Mary Lumine for special pension
who was the wife of Samuel Kent who served
as a Soldier in the Vermont Militia in war of
1813 personally appeared before me Benjamin
Martin Notary Public in and for the county
and State of aforesaid

Joseph H. Kerr well known to me to be
reputable and entitled to credit
and who being duly sworn by me according
to law declares in reference to the following
case as follows that he was personally
acquainted with Samuel Kent and Mary
Kent his wife now Mary Lumine having
lived a widow to them twenty years prior
to the death of said Samuel Kent
and that he has been personally acquainted with
his wife now Mary Lumine since the death
of said Samuel Kent in March 1855 up to the
present time and that she is the identical
woman who was the wife of Samuel Kent
for whose services in the war of 1813 she claims
pension and that he has no interest direct
or indirect in the settlement of this claim

Jo^s. H. Kerr



Inclusive Revised Statutes,
1871

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Record

Swear to and subscribed before me this day of
March 1884 and I hereby certify that contents of
the above declaration &c. were fully made known
and explained to the applicant and witnesses
before swearing including the words - added
and the words - added and that I have no interest
direct or indirect in the settlement of this claim

Entire file on file

Bery Martin

Notary Public

of Gallia County Ohio



WAR OF 1812
Provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740 inclusive Revised Statutes, and
the Act of March 9, 1878. Act February 14th 1871 -

at the claim of
Mary Quinone
for the war of 1812

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Sworn Statement
of Joseph H. Kerr
in the claim of
Mary Linnine
for the war of 1812

of Harrison Co

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WAR OF 1812

Claim of Widow for Pension, under the Provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740 inclusive Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878. Act February 14th 1871

State of Ohio }
County of Gallia } ss.

On this 15th day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and 1880

personally appeared before me, W. B. Perkins J.P., the same being a **Court of Record** within and for the county and State aforesaid, (1) Mary Kent aged 56 years, a resident of Gallia County in the State of Ohio, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that she is a widow of (2) Samuel Kent deceased, who was the identical

of Samuel Kent, who served under the name of (4) Samuel Kent as a (5) Private in the company commanded by Captain Samuel McKean, in the regiment of Mount White, commanded by Col. Samuel McKean in the war of 1812; that her said husband (6) date of enlistment unknown on or about the _____ day of _____, A. D. _____, for the term of _____, and continued in actual service in said war for the term of (7) three weeks and whose services terminated, by reason of (8) unknown at date of enlistment on the date day of unknown, A. D. _____. She further states that the following is a full description of her said husband at the time of his enlistment, viz: (9) _____ years of age, _____ height _____ complexion a farmer born in Bennington Vermont 5'10" inches high dark hair dark complexion dark eyes. She further states that she was married to the said Samuel Kent at the city (or town) of Rupert in the county of Bennington, and in the State of Vermont, on the _____ day of September A. D. 1814, by one (10) George Moore, who was a (11) Resident of Bennington Co and justice of the peace; and she further states that (12) neither her or Samuel Kent was married at the time the service was rendered and that her said husband (13) Samuel Kent died in Gallia Co, in the State of Ohio, on the 19 day of March, A. D. 1855; and she further declares that the following have been the places of residence of herself and her said husband since the date of his discharge from the Army, viz: (14) Meigs and Gallia Counties in the State of Ohio since the year 1818 prior to that time in Bennington County Vermont

She makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the pension to which she may be entitled under the provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740 inclusive Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878, and hereby constitutes and appoints with full powers of substitution and revocation Benjamin P. George of Ohio, her true and lawful attorney, to prosecute her claim, and she further declares that she has heretofore made no application for (15) Pension in the year 1856 or 57 she received a land warrant for 100 acres of land under act of 1854 and that her residence is No. _____ street, city (or town) of _____ county of Gallia, State of Ohio, and that her post-office address is Kygnite Gallia Co Ohio

ATTEST: Benjamin P. George
Mary Kent
(Claimant's signature)

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.

WAR OF 1812

Claim of Widow for Pension, under the Provisions of Sections 4736 to 4740⁴⁷³⁸ inclusive Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878. Act February 14th 1871—

State of Ohio }
County of Gallia } ss.

On this 15th day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and 1880

personally appeared before me, N. B. Jenkins J. P., the same being a **Court of Record**

within and for the county and State aforesaid, (1) Mary Kent aged 86 years, a resident

of Gallia County in the State of Ohio, who, being duly sworn according to

law, declares that she is a widow of (2) Samuel Kent deceased, who was the identical

(3) Samuel Kent, who served under the name of (4) Samuel Kent

as a (5) Private in the company commanded by Captain Name unknown, in the

regiment of Vermont Militia, commanded by Col. Name unknown in the war

of 1812; that her said husband (6) date of enlistment unknown on or about the

_____ day of _____, A. D. _____, for the term of _____, and continued in actual service

in said war for the term of (7) three months and whose services terminated, by reason of (8) unknown

at date of enlistment, on the date day of unknown, A. D. _____. She further

states that the following is a full description of her said husband at the time of his enlistment, viz: (9) years of age about

(1) Samuel Kent, who served under the name of (2) Samuel Kent
as a (3) Private in the company commanded by Captain Samuel unknown, in the
regiment of Vermont Militia, commanded by Col. Samuel unknown in the war
of 1812; that her said husband (4) date of enlistment unknown on or about the
_____ day of _____, A. D. _____, for the term of _____, and continued in actual service
in said war for the term of (7) three months and whose services terminated, by reason of (8) unknown

at date of enlistment, on the date day of unknown, A. D. _____. She further
states that the following is a full description of her said husband at the time of his enlistment, viz: (9) _____

Occupation a farmer - born in Berlington Vermont ^{5¹/₂} inches high dark
dark complexion & dark eyes. She further states that she was married to the said

Samuel Kent, at the city (or town) of Rupert, in the county of
Berlington, and in the State of Vermont, on the _____ day of September

A. D. 1814, by one (10) Esquire Moore, who was a (11) Resident of Berlington
and justice of the peace; and she further states

and that her name before her said marriage was Mary Stephens; and she further states
that (12) neither her or Samuel Kent was married at the
the service was rendered

and that her said husband (13) Samuel Kent, died at in Gallia Co, in the State
of Ohio, on the 19 day of March, A. D. 1855; and she further

A. D. 1814, by one (10) Expaine Noie, who was a (11) Resident of Bennington C
and that her name before her said marriage was Mary Stephens and Justice of the peace; and she further states

that (12) neither her or Samuel Kent was married at the time
the service was rendered

and that her said husband (13) Samuel Kent, died at in Gallia Co, in the State
of Ohio, on the 19 day of March, A. D. 1855; and she further

declares that the following have been the places of residence of herself and her said husband since the date of his discharge
from the Army, viz: (14) Wedge and Gallia Counties in

the State of Ohio since the year 1817
prior to that time in Bennington County Vermont

She makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the pension to which she may be entitled under the provisions of
Sections 4736 to 4740 inclusive Revised Statutes, and the Act of March 9, 1878, and hereby constitutes and appoints with full
powers of substitution and revocation of Martin Butcher of Lygon Ohio

her true and lawful attorney, to prosecute her claim, and she further declares
that she has heretofore made no application for (15) Pension in the year 1856 or 57

She Received a land warrant for 100 acres of land
under act I think of 1854

and that her residence is No. Gallia County street, city (or town) of _____
county of Gallia, State of Ohio, and that her post-office address is

Kygerville, Gallia Co. Ohio

ATTEST: Peola. Eva

Mary X Kent
(Claimant's Signature.)
Mark

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Benjamin P. George

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.

Samuel Kent military pension file, Private, Vermont Militia, War of 1812, Widow's Application No. 41,001 (rejected), 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.

ALSO personally appeared Peala Eric, aged 49 years, residing at in Gallia street, in County of State, and of Ohio
also Benjamin D. and George, aged 46 years, residing at No. 1 street, in Gallia, 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 May Kent for 20 years and for 22 years, respectively; that they were present and saw her sign her name (or make her mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and they further say that they are able to identify her as the person who was the wife of the identical (16) Samuel Kent, who rendered the service alleged in the above application (in the company of Captain Sammundbaum in the regiment of ... in the war of 1812) by the following-named facts and circumstances, viz: (17)
She is the identical May Kent who was the wife of Samuel Kent who rendered service...

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The State of Ohio,
Gallia County, ss.
 I, John L. Guy Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, being a Court of Record within and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that William S. Jenkins Esq., was, at the date of taking the annexed, Deed a Justice of the Peace within and for said County, duly authorized to take the same; that I know his hand-writing, and verily believe that his signature to said certificate is genuine; and that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the laws of the State of Ohio.
 In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at Gallipolis this 22nd day of May A. D. 1870
 Deputy. John L. Guy Clerk.



NOTES.

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 2. Here allege full name of soldier.
 3. Here allege again the name of soldier.
 4. Here allege the name under which the soldier served.
 5. Here allege the rank under which the soldier served.
 6. Here state "enlisted," "volunteered," or "was drafted," as the case may be.
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 8. Here insert the words "an honorable discharge," or "death," as the case may be.
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APPLICATION FOR
 WIDOW'S PENSION.
 WAR OF 1812.
Mary Kent
 FOR WIDOW OF
Samuel Kent
 of Capt. ...
 Co. ... Reg't of ...
 DND Book ...
 Filed by ...
 Standard 19 March 1861

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No. in Gallia street, in County State, and of Ohio

also Benjamin D, aged George years, residing at No. aged 46 years
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She is the identical Mary Kent who was
the wife of Samuel Kent who rendered a man's service

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certify that William S. Jenkins Esq.,

was, at the date of taking the annexed,
a Justice of the Peace
within and for said County, duly authorized to take the same; that I know his
hand-writing, and verily believe that his signature to said certificate is genuine;
that the annexed instrument is executed and acknowledged according to the



the Wife of Samuel Hunt who served in the War

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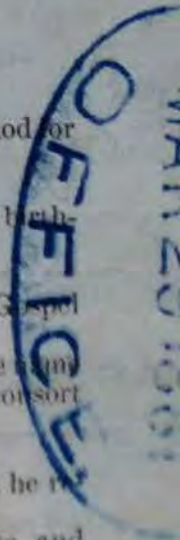
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Deputy. *John L. Guy* Clerk.

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APPLICATION FOR

WIDOW'S PENSION.

WAR OF 1812.

Mary Kent

FOR WIDOW OF

Samuel Kent

of Capt. _____

Co. _____ Reg't of Vt 2nd

Wm Duff

W L B

Filed by

Martinez Butcher

Agent

Ohio

For Sale at the Office of the U. S. RECORD AND GAZETTE,
Washington, D. C.

Died 19 March 1853

ALSO personally appeared Peola Eric, aged 46 years, residing at No. 22 street, in Gallia County, State of Ohio, and of Ohio
also Benjamin D. George, aged George years, residing at No. George street, in Gallia County, State of Ohio, and of Ohio,
persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, for

being by me duly sworn, say that they have known the said Mary Kent for 20 years and for 22 years, respectively; that they were present and saw her sign her name (or make her mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and they further say that they are able to identify her as the person who was the wife of the identical (16) Samuel Kent, who rendered the service alleged in the above application (in the company of Captain Samuel Kent, in the regiment of Samuel Kent, in the war of 1812) by the following-named facts and circumstances, viz: (17) she is the identical Mary Kent who was the wife of Samuel Kent who rendered aforesaid service and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Peola Eric
Benjamin D. George
[Signatures of Witnesses.]
Two witnesses

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of May, 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 _____, erased, and the words _____, added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.
Benjamin D. George [Signature.]
[V. S.] Benjamin D. George (Official character.)
Wm. S. Jenkins
J. P.
Clerk of Court

NOTES.

REJECTED

[3-182.]

Claim No. 41,001

Act of March 9, 1871

Dist. No. _____

SERVICE PENSION,
War of 1812.

Original Case

Repealed from

Act of _____

WIDOW'S BRIEF.

Mary West, widow of

Rank: Private

Captain J. West

Regiment: 11th

State: Wt

Samuel West

Post Office: Wygona, County of Latah, State of Ohio

Attorney: Martin Butcher, P. O. Wygona

Latah County, State of Ohio No. _____, Fee _____ Contract _____

Application filed March 29th, 1881

Alleged service, Cannot trace officer, unless the 11th Regiment, Vermont Militia

Record evidence of service, "Samuel West served in Capt J^o West Co 11th Regt from 20th Sept to 17th Nov 1812 3rd and March 24/55"

Proof evidence of service, Rejected on the ground of some irregularity subsequent to the death of the soldier as appears by evidence on file in the claim. (See En. Lett.)

Length of service 57 days

Proof of identity, Warden name same as in the claim. Offr of 11th Regt. Aug 1812

Proof of loyalty, _____

Admitted Accepted June 7, 1882, to a pension of 50 DOLLARS per month from _____ the date of _____

NO pension previously applied for

W. L. Cooke
Pension Searcher.

Bounty Land claim 101 51 42 2 160 - 55

W. L. Cooke
Bounty Land Searcher.

Rejection
APPROVED June 14th, 1882

McGranger
Examiner.

REJECTED

[3-132.]

Claim No. 44001
Act of March 9, 1878
Cert. No. _____

**SERVICE PENSION,
War of 1812.**

Original Case.
Reopened from
Act of _____

WIDOW'S BRIEF.

Mary Neut, widow of

Samuel Neut

Rank: *Private*
Captain *J. Wood*
Regiment: *Mib*
State: *It*

Post Office: *Hyger*, County of *Gallia*, State of *Ohio*

Attorney: *Martin Dutcher* P. O.: *Hyger*

Gallia County, State of *Ohio* No. Fee _____, Contract _____

Application filed *March 29*, 18*81*.

Alleged service. { *Cannot name office. All for the use of B. H. Warrant - Vermont Mib*

ation filed

March 29th

, 1881 .

d service.

Cannot name office. All in the vic^{ty} of Warranout - Vermont Mich

vidence service.

"Samuel Hunt served in Capt Geo Woods Co 8th Mil from 26th Sept to 17th Nov 1813th 3rd and March 24/53 -

Rejection

vidence service.

Rejected on the ground of veniam ago subsequent to the death of the soldier as appears by Evidence on file in the Claim. (See Pm letter)

of service

54 days

of identity.

Maiden Name same as in Pm Claim. Affs of Peola Enos & Benj P George.

of loyalty.

of service

57 days

of identity.

Maiden Name Same as in R.R. Claims. Affs of Peola Grov & Benj P George.

of loyalty.

d *Refused* June 7th, 1882, to a pension of ~~EIGHT DOLLARS~~ per month the date of

No pension previously applied for

Wm L. Cooke
Pension Searcher.

Bounty Land claim 107. 51. 423. 160 - 55

Wm L. Cooke
Bounty Land Searcher.

J. M. Granger
Examiner.

ED June 14th, 1882
Wm L. Cooke

Rejected

SERVICE PENSION,
War of 1812.

WIDOW'S BRIEF.

Claim No. *41,001*

Certificate No. _____

Act of *March 9' 1878*

Claimant, *Mary Kent*

Soldier, *Samuel Kent*

Action, *Rejected*

Examiner, *M. Granger*

INCIDENTAL MATTER.

Widowhood.

Death of soldier.

Date

Proof as to capacity to marry.

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