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- On July 21, 1852 William Kent was a resident of Knox Co., Illinois.
- William Kent signed his name.

REFERENCE SERVICE SLIP

DATE 05 June 2014 NO.

NAME OF REQUESTOR

Michelle M. Roy

AGENCY OR ADDRESS

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NA Administrative Use

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REQUEST HANDLED BY

[Signature]

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OUTCARD NO.

Section 28, Aliquots NE 1/4 NW 1/4, George Godfrey (assignee), Under Authority of September 28, 1850: Scrip Warrant Act of 1850 (9 Stat. 520), Fairfield, Iowa Land Office, Military Warrant, War of 1812, Ohio Militia, Sergeant in Captain Richardson's Company, Records of the Bureau of Land Management, Record Group 49, National Archives Building, Washington, DC. This is the full file and was photographed by Michelle M. Roy, June 2014. [On July 21, 1852 William Kent

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William Kent Military Warrant
40 acres

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No. 15972 — 40 — 40 acres
Act Sept 1850.

Wmth Kent - Srgt. in
Capt. Richardson's Co.
Ohio - Mil - War 1812.

George Godfrey - affth
Fairfield - Iowa
40 acres

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June 6, 1853
Wapello Co.
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Land Warrant No. 15.972

Issued Aug. 21. 1852
Satisfied Oct. 1

George Godfrey assigning
William Kent

NE 1/4 NW 1/4 - 28 - 73 - 13.

Fairfield Iowa.

W. Kent

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For value received I, William Kent to whom the
within warrant No 15772 was issued to hereby sell
and assign unto George Godfrey of the County of
Wapello in the State of Iowa and to his heirs
and assigns forever the said warrant and
authorize him to locate the same and receive
a patent therefor Witness my hand and
seal this 21st day of July 1852

Attest: W. S. Mow, Secy
P. Burnett

State of Illinois
Knox County

On this 21st day of July in the
Eighteen hundred and Fifty two before
me personally came William Kent to me well known
and acknowledged the foregoing assignment to be his
act and deed and I certify that the said William
Kent is the identical person to whom the within
warrant issued and who executed the foregoing
assignment thereof

Wm S. Mow, Secy

It is known that
and to hereby seal
the County of
To be well
and being
and being
July in the
July were before
well known
want to be his
and William
the within
the foregoing
J. P. [Signature]

State of Illinois
Knox County
in and for the County and State aforesaid do hereby
Certify that Aisam T Morey Esq. whose genuine sign-
ature appears to the foregoing ^{strip cut} was on the date
thereof to wit on the 21st day of July AD 1852 an acting
Justice of the Peace in and for said County and State
duly elected commissioned and qualified

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subsc-
ribed my Name and affixed the Seal
of said Court this 21st day of July 1852
J. P. Cooley Clerk

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UNITED STATES AMERICA

Department
Office of

of the Interior
Pensions

THE COMMISSIONER OF



It is hereby Certified, that under the Act of September 28th 1850
entitled "An Act granting Bounty to certain Officers and Soldiers
who were engaged in **MILITARY SERVICE**

William Kent Sergeant in
Mexican War of 1847



Capt. Richardson



FORTY ACRES

is entitled to receive the same...
in conformity to the legal
land upon any of the public lands,
By the date of August 1857
J. Smith Commissioner

Department

Office of the COMMISSIONER, PATENT

This is hereby Certified that under the Act of Sept. 17, 1874, the following person shall be deemed to have performed THE MILITARY SERVICE

William Kent Sergeant in Capt. Richard's

Military War of 1861

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FORTY ACRES

PAID

[Faint handwritten text and signatures, including a date 'Nov. 21, 1872' and a signature 'Wm. Kent']

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MILITARY BOUNTY LAND ACT OF 28 SEPTEMBER, 1850.

Land Warrant, }

No. 15972 }



Register and Receiver's

No. 16821

Land Office, Fairfield Iowa August 21st 1852

WE HEREBY CERTIFY, That the attached Military Bounty Land Warrant, No. 15972 was on this day received at this office, from George Godfrey, of

Wapello county, State of Iowa Francis Springer Register.
M. Wallace Receiver.

I, George Godfrey

, of Wapello county, State of Iowa

hereby apply to locate and do locate the North East quarter of North West

of Section No. Twenty Eight in Township No. Seventy three N of Range No. Thirteen West

in the District of Lands subject to sale at the Land Office at

Fairfield Iowa containing Forty acres, in satisfaction of the attached Warrant numbered 15972 issued under the act of 28 September, 1850.

Witness my hand this 21 day of August A. D. 1852.

Attest:

Francis Springer Register.

M. Wallace Receiver.

George Godfrey

I request the patent to be sent to

Deblunga Wapello Co Iowa

Land Office, Fairfield Iowa Oct 1st 1852

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

M. Wallace Receiver.

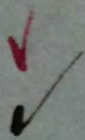
Land Warrant No 15.972

Filed Aug 21. 1852
Located Oct 1

George Godfrey assignee of
William Kent

NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 = 28 = 73 = 13.

Fairfield Iowa.



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Names On Document

	GODFREY, GEORGE,
	KENT, WILLIAM
Military Rank:	---

Miscellaneous Information

Land Office:	Fairfield
US Reservations:	No
Mineral Reservations:	No
Tribe:	---
Militia:	---
State In Favor Of:	---
Authority:	September 28, 1850: ScripWarrant Act of 1850 (9 Stat. 520)
General Remarks:	---

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BLM Serial Nr:	---
Indian Allot. Nr:	---
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Survey Information

Total Acres:	40.00
Survey Date:	---
Geographic Name:	---
Metes/Bounds:	No

Land Descriptions

Map	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Section	Survey #	County
<input type="checkbox"/>	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	NE¼NW¼	28		Wapello





The United States of America,

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, In pursuance of the Act of Congress, approved September 28th, 1850, entitled "An Act granting Bounty Land to certain Officers and Soldiers who have been engaged in the Military Service of the United States," Warrant No. 15,972 for 40 acres, issued in favor of *William Kent - Sergeant in Captain Richardson's Company, Ohio Militia War of 1812.*

has been returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE, with evidence that the same has been duly located upon the *North East quarter of the North West quarter of section Twenty Eight in Township Seventy Three North of Range Thirteen West in the District of Lands subject to sale at Fairfield Iowa. Containing Forty Acres.*

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Lands returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL: *Which has been assigned unto George Godfrey.*

Now Know Ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said *George Godfrey.*

the tract of Land above described: TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said *George Godfrey and his heirs.*

heirs and assigns forever.

In Testimony Whereof, I, *Franklin Pierce*
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
fifth day of *May*
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and *fifty three* and of the INDEPENDENCE
OF THE UNITED STATES the *seventy-seventh*

SEAL

BY THE PRESIDENT: *Franklin Pierce*
By *M. B. French* Act. Sec'y.

J. N. Granger Recorder of the General Land Office.


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Image	Accession	Names 	Date	Doc #	State	Meridian	Twp - Rng	Aliquots	Sec. #	County
	MW-0995-382	 BENNETT, JEREMIAH,  STEWART, GEORGE W	12/20/1850	24418	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	W½SW¼	27	Wapello
							073N - 013W	NE¼SE¼	28	Wapello
							073N - 013W	NW¼NW¼	34	Wapello
	MW-0652-494	 GODFREY, GEORGE,  KENT, WILLIAM	5/5/1853	15972	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	NE¼NW¼	28	Wapello
							073N - 013W	SW¼SW¼	21	Wapello
	MW-1016-128	 GODFREY, GEORGE,  SMITH, GEORGE W	9/2/1850	24411	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	W½NW¼	28	Wapello
							073N - 013W	SE¼NW¼	28	Wapello
							073N - 013W	NE¼	28	Wapello
	IA1980__099	 GODFREY, GEORGE	1/1/1847	13286	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	NE¼	28	Wapello
	IA2110__073	 GOPAGE, JOHN,  BROHERD, JAMES	11/1/1852	20038	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	SE¼SE¼	28	Wapello
	IA2040__232	 GRAY, ROBERT T	4/3/1849	16355	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	W½SW¼	28	Wapello
	MW-1011-284	 MCCHESENEY, ROBERT W,  MONEY, EDWARD	9/5/1850	23022	IA	5th PM	073N - 013W	W½SE¼	28	Wapello
							073N - 013W	E½SW¼	28	Wapello