

William Kent bounty land warrant application, War of 1812, Kentucky Militia and Ohio Militia, Regiment of Ohio and Kentucky Calvary, Commanded under Duncan McArthur by Captain Elias Murray, Private, Bounty Land Warrant No. 55-120-75067 (accepted), "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.

Notes from file from Michelle M. Roy, <michelle@gavinroy.com>, Jan. 2014:

- William Kent was confirmed as volunteering for military service at Delaware Co., Ohio and he served between 20 September 1814 to 19 November 1814 and was on an expedition to Upper Canada. His company was commanded by Captain Elias Murray. He was also attached to two Battalions of Mounted Riflemen from Kentucky under the command of Major Peter Dudley and one regiment from Ohio Militia under Captain Aaron Strong, commanded by Major Campbell.
- Affidavit dated 27 March 1851 at Delaware Co., Ohio states William Kent was then age 56.
- A 13 May 1851 letter from William Kent's (then) attorney, James W. Crawford, stated that William Kent was waiting for his two brothers to return "from the West" to attest to William's military service. His two brothers had rendered service to the same company. [Notation: This would be his brothers, Daniel Kent of Union Co., Ohio and James Kent of Delaware Co., Ohio.]
- Affidavit dated 23 October 1852 at Delaware Co., Ohio stated William Kent was then age 52 and a resident of Union Co., Ohio.
- On 11 Sept. 1855, William Kent was in Delaware County, Ohio. He declared in court that he was age 60 and lived in Appanoose Co., Iowa.
- A note in this file refers to William Kent, Esq. at Soap Creek, Iowa. [It is unclear as to why it states "Esq." since William could only sign with "his mark." Perhaps he was representing himself?] In June 1856, there was a directive to send correspondence to Soap Creek, Davis, Iowa.
- George H. Purdy and Jacob B. Stanberry[?] witnessed declaration and were residents of Delaware County, Ohio.
- Affidavit dated 06 September 1852 at Delaware Co., Ohio from Roswell Tuller testified that he served with William Kent bet. September 1814 and December 1814.
- Affidavit of Daniel Kent dated 15 August 1853 at Delaware Co., Ohio stated he served with William Kent and he [Daniel] had received 40 acres with warrant no. 81, 337 [Bureau of Land Management website shows that land patent no. 81,227 was to Daniel Kent under September 28, 1850: ScripWarrant Act of 1850 (9 Stat. 520) for 40 acres and assigned to Edwin Beecher. Land patent submitted at Vandalia, Illinois land office for land located in Wayne Co., Illinois. Final patent issued 01 July 1854.]
- E. Cummins was eventually the attorney on file for William Kent and was located at Moravia, Appanoose, Iowa.
- William Kent received Warrant No. 44,862 for 40 acres under the September 28, 1850: ScripWarrant Act of 1850 (9 Stat. 520). [William Kent assigned it to Shepler Powell and used at Charlton, Iowa land office for land in Clarke Co., Iowa. Final patent was issued on 10 March 1854. Information taken from Bureau of Land Management website.]
- William Kent received Warrant No. 75067 for 120 acres under Act of March 3, 1855. The first one was never received and a replacement was requested on 13 May 1856. [Additional Notation: This land warrant no. 75067 was assigned to Lorenzo Beach and turned in at Warsaw, Missouri land office. Final patent was issued 15 Dec. 1859. Information taken from Bureau of Land Management website.]

REQUEST FOR MILITARY RECORDS				1. DATE	2. PULLTIME/STAFF INITIALS	
3. NAME OF REQUESTER Michelle M. Roy			4. RESEARCHER CARD NO. <del>697799</del> 178,584			
ITEM NOS. 2, 5, 6, 7, 8, AND 9 FOR STAFF USE ONLY		5. STACK AREA 7E2	6. ROW 7	7. COMPARTMENT 9	8. SHELF C	9. SEARCHER JD
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 William KENT			12. NAME OF DEPENDENT (if applicable)			
13. UNIT (CO, BN, or REGT.) KY: OH Mil. Capt Murray			14. STATE SERVED FROM KY		15. WAR, OR DATE OF SERVICE 1812	
-16. PENSION FILE NUMBERS						
a. INVALID			Application			
b. WIDOW			Certificate			
c. MINOR						
d. MOTHER						
e. FATHER						
f. OTHER NUMBERS (C, XC, BLWT, etc.)						
17. RECEIVED		18. DATE				

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BOUNTY LAND FILES

ACT OF 55-120 W. 75-067

VETERAN William Kent

1812

GRADE Priv

SERVICE Capt. E. Murray

Ky. and Ohio Mil

CAN NO. 737 BUNDLE NO. 84

1850 upon which he obtained the said land warrant  
for forty acres and the one now presented  
William Kent  
Noah

sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year  
above written and I hereby certify that I believe the  
said William Kent who signed and executed the above  
declaration and is now present to be the identical man  
who served as aforesaid and that he is of the age above stated  
and that I have no interest in said claim

Noah Smith L.P.

State of Iowa )  
County of Davis ) Personally appeared John Henry Sippert  
and citizens of the said county and State aforesaid were  
being duly sworn to see and say that they are respectively

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**State of Iowa,** }  
DAVIS COUNTY, } SS. **I Daniel Stow, Clerk**

of the District Court, in and for said County and State above mentioned, do hereby certify that  
Noah Smith, Esq., before whom the foregoing <sup>affidavit was made</sup> ~~Dava~~ was acknowledged, and  
who has thereunto signed his name, was at the time of so doing a JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, in and for said County  
and State above named, duly commissioned and sworn, that all his OFFICIAL ACTS as such, are entitled to full faith  
and credit, and that his Signature thereto is genuine.

IN TESTIMONY of which, I have set my Hand and affixed the Seal of  
the District Court, at office, in Bloomfield, this 12<sup>th</sup> day  
of June, 1856.

Daniel Stow  
CLERK

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Direct to Soap Creek,  
Davis Co  
Iowa

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1061 275 211886 mag 16/51  
William Kent from  
Cap Elias Murray  
Reg Reg Mt Rifles  
May Dudley  
& Ohio Mil  
May Campbell  
20<sup>th</sup> Sep 1814  
dis Dec 19<sup>th</sup> Nov

3rd and office  
20 Feb 1852  
William Kent served  
under Captain Murray  
from 20 September 1814  
to 19 November 1814

R. J. Callahan  
W. B. Saw  
Ad. 40 acres Mich 5/52  
J. H. G.  
James W Crawford  
Delaware Ohio  
Vol Art. P. 45  
W. 44862 if 21<sup>st</sup> rank  
March 8/52 Ohio

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*Census M*

*Let to E. Leummis Sq of Moravia, Iowa, Mar-1975*

*See letter to Agent for 10/03 Blado*

*Commission of Pensioners*  
*Washington D.C.*

*U.S.*

Delaware Ohio May 13<sup>th</sup> AD 1857  
The Commissioner of Pensions  
Dr Sir

Inclosed are three applications for bounty land which should have been forwarded some time past but was detained by order of the applicants for various causes in the case of Mrs Grindle it was detained in order to procure testimony for other services rendered by her husband in that late war with England which has not yet been received in the case of Dixon in making search for the one that disappeared as you will discover a notice to that effect on the application and Wm Kent waiting for his two Brothers to return from the West who also rendered services in the same campaign these some others will be forwarded soon -

In the Application of Crawford and Case sent on in Dec<sup>r</sup> or first of January Mr Case is becoming extremely anxious to hear from his claim

Respectfully yours &c  
J A W Crawford

James C. Heath Esq  
Comm<sup>r</sup> of Pensions

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Sealed under my hand and official seal the day &c above written

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DC.

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11/3/50 ~~accepted~~ 28/52

William Kent  
Private  
Cap. Aaron Strong

Col. ~~W. M.~~ Ohio Militia  
Enl'd October 1812  
Dis. Dec. 1812.  
1812

13 Aug. 1812  
The name of Rec. 13/52  
William Kent is  
not found on rolls  
of Capt. Strong's  
Co. Ohio Ma.

H. Gallaher  
101 Feb 8/53  
Ex. 34  
~~Adm. 4010~~  
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The Honble S. P.  
Commissioner of War

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Commissioner of Pensions  
Washington City  
D. C.

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Record Group 15,  
Department of Veterans  
Affairs, National  
Archives Building,  
Washington, DC.

The State of Ohio Delaware County ss  
On this 6<sup>th</sup> day of September AD 1852 Personally  
appears before Me the Signer a Notary Public  
in and for said County Roswell Fuller of lawful  
age to Me well known to be the person he represents  
himself to be who being sworn in due form of  
law upon his oath declares that he was well  
acquainted with William Kent who was a  
private in the Company commanded by Capt  
Aaron Strong of the Ohio Militia in the late  
war with Great Britain declared by the Uni-  
ted States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June AD 1812 that  
said William Kent rendezvoused in said Campa-  
ny and with said affiant at Delaware Ohio on or  
about the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October AD 1812 and continued  
in the service of the United States in said Company  
until the 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> of December AD 1812 about two weeks  
and was discharged at Delaware Ohio with said  
Company about the 5<sup>th</sup> or 6<sup>th</sup> of Decr 1812 affiant further  
saith that he served in said Company at the same  
time with said William Kent and knew him every  
day and affiant further saith that he received a  
land warrant for said service for forty acres the date  
and number of said warrant not recollected ha-  
ving disposed of it, and affiant further saith that  
he is disinterested

73,872 Roswell Fuller  
Sworn to and subscribed before Me the day and year  
first above writing, and I hereby certify that I am well  
acquainted with said Roswell Fuller and know him to  
be the person he represents himself to be and that he is  
respectable and that his signature is genuine  
Given under my hand and official  
seal the day & above written  
J. D. C. Torrey  
Notary Public

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Affidavit of  
Russell Fuller

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The State of Ohio Delaware County ss  
On this 13<sup>th</sup> day of August AD 1853 Personally appeared before me the Signer a Notary Public in and for said County Daniel Kent of lawful age who being sworn in due form of law upon his oath declares that he is well acquainted with William Kent who was a private in the Company commanded by Capt. Aaron Strong of the Ohio Militia in the war with great Britain declared by the United States on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June 1812 that said William Kent rendezvoused with said Company at Delaware Ohio on or about the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1812 and marched with said Company and continued in the service of the U. S. about two months and was discharged with said Company at Delaware Ohio on or about the 5<sup>th</sup> day of December 1812 that said affiant served in said Company with said William during said Campaign and in the said War and that he affiant received a Land Warrant for said Service for forty acres dated February 21<sup>st</sup> AD 1853 and Numbered 81.337 and affiant further declares that he is disinterested

Daniel Kent

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year first above written and I here by certify that I am well acquainted with said affiant and know him to be the person he represents himself to be and he is respectable and that his signature is genuine

Given under my hand and official seal the day and year above written

J. D. W. Crawford  
Notary Public

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Warrant - S. D.

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Applicant of  
David Kent & Co

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Dear Sir Sept. 7<sup>th</sup> - AD 1853  
The Govt - Commissioners  
of Pensions Washington  
Dr Sir

Enclosed are the affidavits of Daniel Kent and Russell Fuller proving the service of William Kent in the Company Company and by Capt Aaron Strong Ohio Militia War of 1812 whose name I am informed through <sup>your</sup> office is not found on the roll of Capt Strong's Company the enclosed proof I suppose is in conformity with the regulations of the department the Warrant when issued will be forwarded to me

Very Respectfully yours &c -  
J. B. Crawford

Govt - S. P. Waldo

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# APPLICATION FOR BOUNTY LAND.

State of Ohio, Delaware County, ss.

On this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October A. D. one thousand eight hundred and

~~fifty two~~ personally appeared before me, *Wesley M. Patten* Notary Public

within and for the County and State aforesaid, *William Kent*

aged *fifty eight* years, a resident of

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

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

in the company commanded by Captain, *Aaron Strong* in the

~~Regiment of~~ *in the*

*late war with Great Britain declared by the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1812 that he volunteered in said company*

at *Delaware Ohio* on or about the *7<sup>th</sup>* day of *October*

A. D. *1812* for *an indefinite period* and continued in actual service in said war for the term of

*about two months* and was honorably discharged at *Delaware Ohio* on or about the *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* A. D. *1812* as will appear by

*reference to the Muster rolls on file in the Department at Washington having never received a written discharge*

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.

*William Kent*

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

*William Kent* to be the identical man who served as aforesaid, and that he is of the age above stated.

*In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and official seal*

THE STATE OF OHIO, }  
COUNTY, SS. }

*Henry J. Estlin* Notary Public

Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the

said county of \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby certify, that on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 185 \_\_\_\_\_

whose name is annexed to the foregoing certificate, was a

of the said county of \_\_\_\_\_ appointed and qualified in due form of

law, and authorized to administer oaths for general purposes.

~~Union~~ County in the State of Ohio years, a resident of  
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Regiment of ~~Scouts~~ ~~in the~~

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set my hand and official seal

THE STATE OF OHIO,  
COUNTY, SS.

Newey J. Eaton D. Public

I, Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas within and for the  
said county of do hereby certify, that on the day of A. D. 185  
whose name is annexed to the foregoing certificate, was a  
of the said county of 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 day of A. D. 185

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William Kuntz  
Application for  
Bounty Land

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Jay. M. Crawford  
Delaware  
Ohio

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Pension Office  
Sept. 27/53

Sir,

It appearing upon recent examination, that Wm Kent, whose application No. 154.492, for bounty land, was filed by you, has already received a warrant through you for the service now claimed for; you are hereby informed that his second application cannot be allowed. Warrant No. 44.862 for 40 A1. was issued in favour of William Kent, and sent March 5/52 to your address at Delaware, Ohio.

Very Respectfully

J. Cole

Act Com. Missionary

Jas. W. Crawford Esq.

Delaware

Delaware Co.

Ohio

R.D.C.

No 1018

James W Crawford  
Delaware Ohio

Oct 3/53

William Kent  
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Mr Clarke Oct 8/53  
See answer Oct 14/53  
Bladw

Application for Bounty Land

The State of this Delaware County

On this 27<sup>th</sup> day of March AD one thousand eight hundred and fifty one personally appeared before me the undersigned a Notary Public within for said County William Kent aged fifty six years who being sworn in due form of Law declares that he is the identical William Kent who was a private in the Company of Cavalry Commanded by Capt Elias Murray attached to the two Battalions of Mounted Riflemen one from Kentucky under the Command of Major Peter Dugally and one from Ohio under the Command of Major Campbell the whole under the immediate Command of Genl Duncan McArthur on an expedition through Upper Canada in the late war with Great Britain declared by the United States on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June AD 1813 that he entered in said Company <sup>at Delaware</sup> on or about the 13<sup>th</sup> day of September AD 1814 for an indefinite term and continued in actual service for the term of about three Months and was honorably discharged at Detroit Michigan on or about the 1<sup>st</sup> of December AD 1814 and returned to Delaware on or about the day of December AD 1814 as will appear by the Muster Roll on file in the War Department having never received a written discharge He speaks of dates from Memory

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ACT OF MARCH 3, 1855.

Received Sept 17, 1855

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Capt. E. Murray  
Gen. D. McArthur  
War 1812.

Warrant No. 75067  
All 120 acres May 13/55

Geo M. Crawford  
Delaware  
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State of Ohio, County of Delaware

On this 11th day of September 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, William Kent aged Sixty years, a resident of Apponosa County in the State of Ohio who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical William Kent who was a Private in the company commanded by Captain Elias Murray in the campaign in the war with Great Britain declared by the United States on the 18th day of June 1812 for a campaign of the 11th day of September 1814 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 30th 1850 and received a land warrant, No. not known 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.

William Kent

We, George H. Purdy and Jacob B. Stoutenberg residents of Delaware County in the State of Ohio upon our oaths, declare that the foregoing declaration was signed and acknowledged by said William Kent 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, and we further swear that we are disinterested in his claim

Geo H. Purdy  
Jacob B. Stoutenberg

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.

and that his signature is genuine  
William P. Reid Jr. J. P.  
All explanations made

The State of Ohio  
 Delaware County ss. I, D. M. Longbrunne Clerk  
 of the Court of Common  
 Pleas within and for the  
 County aforesaid, hereby certify that William  
 F. Reid, Esq. before whom the foregoing Declaration  
 and affidavits were made, was at the time of  
 holding a Justice of the Peace within and  
 for the County aforesaid, duly commissioned  
 and qualified and that his signature thereto  
 is genuine.



In testimony whereof I have  
 hereunto set my hand & affixed  
 the seal of said court this 11<sup>th</sup> day  
 of September A.D. 1865 at Delaware,  
 D. M. Longbrunne  
 Clerk

*See lists application  
 for additional Bounty  
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*Please enclose receipt  
 and warrant to the  
 undersigned Delaware  
 Ohio Lab A Crawford*

Wm. Kent's application  
for additional Bounty  
Land

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Please enclose receipt  
and Warrant to the  
undersigned Delaware  
Ohio La. W. Crawford

of September 29, 1883 at Delaware  
D. M. Joseph  
Clerk



Pension Office,

Oct. 6, 1856.

Sir:

Land warrant No. 75,067 issued on the 22<sup>d</sup> of May last in your favor, said warrant calling for 120 acres, and was sent to James W. Crawford, Delaware, Ohio. Your application, No. 249,517, is therefore rejected.

Very respectfully,

C. H. Kett.

For Commissioner.

William Kent, Esq.  
Soap Creek,  
Iowa.

This warrant has never been  
And will the kind proceed to  
collect it?

Yours truly  
E. C. Munnis  
Morrison  
Appanoose Co Iowa

A.R.S.

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William Kent. Pri.

Capt. Murray.

Gen. Duncan M. Arthur.

C. Ma.

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Claimant

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William Kent

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PENSION BUREAU.

In reply to your letter of the forwarding one from this office dated Dec. 6<sup>th</sup> 1874 stating that Ed. W. No 75047 had been issued and paid, and that the same had <sup>not</sup> been ~~never~~ <sup>by the agreement</sup> paid. I want to state that you should apply for a duplicate according to the instructions contained in the enclosed circular.

E Cummins  
Moravia  
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Wm Howells the Commissioner  
of Pensions  
Washington City

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State of Iowa  
County of Davis } Ten this 9th day of June 1861  
I, John M. Beach, Justice of the Peace in  
and for said county, William West aged Sixty one  
years a resident of Appanoose Co. in the State of  
Iowa has been duly sworn according to law declaring  
that he is the identical person who was a private  
in the company commanded by Captain Murray  
of the Regiment of Ohio Kentucky Cavalry  
volunteers commanded by General Duncan McArthur  
of Ohio in the late war between Great Britain and  
the United States that he mustered at Delaware  
Ohio on the 11th of September 1814 and there marched  
and occupied the lines to Canada and continued in  
actual service in said war for the term of two months  
and was honorably discharged at Delaware Ohio  
in December 1814 on account of being disabled  
as will appear by the muster rolls of said company

He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the  
bounty land to which he may be entitled under the act  
granted additional bounty land to certain officers and soldiers  
who have been engaged in the military service of the United  
States approved March 3. 1838 and refers to his former  
muster rolls made under act of 28th September 1850 upon which  
he obtained a Land Warrant No. for 160 Acres  
which he having legally transferred and disposed of  
is not within his power now to return with  
them he recollects the number

He further declares that he has not received  
a warrant for bounty land under any other act  
of Congress nor made any application herefor  
than the one above referred to under act of 28th September