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INDICATE BELOW THE TYPE OF FILE DESIRED AND THE METHOD OF PAYMENT PREFERRED.

1. FILE TO BE SEARCHED
(Check one box only)

- ☐ PENSION
- ☑ BOUNTY-LAND WARRANT APPLICATION *(Service before 1856 only)*
- ☐ MILITARY

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REQUIRED MINIMUM IDENTIFICATION OF VETERAN - MUST BE COMPLETED OR YOUR ORDER CANNOT BE SERVICED

3. VETERAN *(Give last, first, and middle names)*: RAINWATER JOHN

4. BRANCH OF SERVICE IN WHICH HE SERVED: ☑ ARMY ☐ NAVY ☐ MARINE CORPS

5. STATE FROM WHICH HE SERVED:

6. WAR IN WHICH, OR DATES BETWEEN WHICH, HE SERVED: WAR OF 1812

7. IF SERVICE WAS CIVIL WAR, ☐ UNION ☐ CONFEDERATE

PLEASE PROVIDE THE FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, IF KNOWN

8. UNIT IN WHICH HE SERVED *(Name of regiment or number, company, etc, name of ship)*: 27 JULY 1813 - 19 AUG 1813 CAPT. BOWIE'S JULY 1814 - AUGUST 1814 CAPT. LORD'S COMPANIES

9. IF SERVICE WAS ARMY, ARM IN WHICH HE SERVED: ☑ INFANTRY ☐ CAVALRY ☐ ARTILLERY

If other, specify:

Rank: ☐ OFFICER ☑ ENLISTED

10. KIND OF SERVICE: ☐ VOLUNTEERS ☐ REGULARS

11. PENSION/BOUNTY-LAND FILE NO.: WARRANT No. 86910

12. IF VETERAN LIVED IN A HOME FOR SOLDIERS, *GIVE LOCATION (City and State)*:

13. PLACE(S) VETERAN LIVED AFTER SERVICE: CRAWFORD CO., ARKANSAS

14. DATE OF BIRTH:

15. PLACE OF BIRTH *(City, County, State, etc.)*: N. C.

16. DATE OF DEATH:

17. PLACE OF DEATH *(City, County, State, etc.)*:

18. NAME OF WIDOW OR OTHER CLAIMANT:

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FILE DESIGNATION: John Rainwater 1812 Rej. Cert 86910-1850

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THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

BOUNTY LAND FILES

ACT OF 1850 Rejected - 86910

VETERAN John Rainwater

1917

GRADE Pvt.

SERVICE Capts Bowie & Wm Lord

N. C. Vols

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Comd of Pensions

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Hon. James E Heath
Commissioner of Pensions
Washington City
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John Rainwater, Pte,

N C Mil,

Capts Bowie & Ward.

Ent July 1814

Dis. Augt 1814.

War 1812

Land office
10 April 1852.

John Rainwaters serv-
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from 27 July 1813 to 197
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John Rainwater, Pri

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A. S. Gallaher

For 3d Aud

Claimt, Van Buren

Crawford Co

Ark.

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Bounty Land Claim

State of Arkansas } ss
County of Crawford }

On this day of A. D.
one thousand eight hundred and fifty one personally appeared before me Robert C Hallaway a justice of the peace duly authorised to administer oaths within and for the County and State aforesaid, John Rainwater aged about 75 or 80 years. a Resident of Crawford County in the State of Arkansas, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the Identical, John Rainwater who was a private in a Rifle company commanded by Captain Bowie of the Rifle Corps of Richmond County in North Carolina and he with others of said County of Richmond aforesaid volunteered in said County and State of N.C. in Spring of A.D. 1814 to serve three months in the late war with Great Britian, declared in 1812 and he declares that he was called into actual service in July of the same year and was marched to Willmington in N.C. under command Capt. Bowie aforesaid and from thence transported to Fort Johnson in North Carolina. and that he was there Mustered into service and plced under the command of Captain William Lord and from thence ordered to Federal point and from thence ordered to the Sound works under command of Lieut James McFarlin Richmon County aforesaid at which place (i.e. the said works) and he was discharged in mass with others — without Recieving any Certificate of discharge after serving one month and that he with said Rifle company of Richmond were honorably discharged from serve in said war in August A.D. 1814 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 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 further declares that he has not Recieved and is not entitled to Recieve lands under any act of Congress heretofore passed for said Services Rendered said war declared on the 18th day of June A.D. 1812 By the United States against Great Britian aforesaid

Sworn to and Subscribed Before me the day and year above written and I hereby certify that I Believe the said John Rainwater to Be the Identical man who

signing the same a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid duly Commissioned and Sworn: that all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit, and that the aforesaid Circuit Court is a Court of Record having general jurisdiction

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court this 6th day of March A.D. 1857

J. M. Lean Clerk
of Crawford Circuit Court, Arkansas.

Bounty Land Claim

State of Arkansas } ss
County of Crawford }

On this the first day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty one personally appeared before me Robert H. Hattaway a justice of the peace duly authorised to administer oaths within and for the County and State aforesaid John Rainwater aged about seventy five years a Resident of said Crawford County in the State of Arkansas, Who being duly sworn according to law declares, that he is the Identical John Rainwater, who was a private in a Rifle company which Belonged to Richmond County in the State of North Carolina and Commanded by Captain Bowie in the late War with Great-Britain, declared on the 18th day of June A.D. 1812 that he with others of said company Volunteered at Richmond County aforesaid in the Spring of A.D. 1814 for the term of three months and continued in actual service in said war for the term of one month that he with others under Command of said Captain Bowie were ordered to fort Johnson in July 1814 in said State of S.C. Where he was Mustered into service and placed under command of Captain William Lord and marched to fidral point and from thine to the Sound (or Salt Works) under command of Lieut Zadoc McFarlin Where he and all others of the same corp were honorably discharged in mass without Receiving any Certificate of discharge - in August A.D. 1814 one month after Being marked from Richmond Co aforesaid - as will or should 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 granting bounty land to Certain Officers and Soldiers who have Been engaged in the Military service of the United States" passed September 28th 1850 and he further declares that he has not Received and is not entitled to Receive lands under any act of Congress heretofore passed

John his X Rainwater
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Sworn to and subscribed Before me the day and year above written - And I hereby certify that I Believe the said John Rainwater to be the Identical Man who served as afore said, and that he is of the age above Stated

Robt C Hathaway J P [Seal]

State of Arkansas }ss
County of Cleburne }

I Alexander McLean Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that Robt C Hathaway whose genuine Signature appears to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, is, and was, at the time of

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