

July 5th 1800

Sir, I have been applied to by a John Kincaid for his
 who states that he called on you for his donation
 land from Penn^d as a private in the Penn^d line
 in the Revolutionary war - I had disposed of my
 right to all those claims I made to the Penn^d Reso-
 lution Company the papers were in the hands of
 Messrs. ~~gentlemen~~ in this City who hold them in trust
 for the Company I referred the person who applied
 to me as above to him he sent a person with
 the papers for inspection and upon inspection
 it appeared to have been sold by Kincaid
 in Carolina to one John Brown who sold
 it to one Edman who sold it to me - He
 bears say this was not him but his cousin
 of the name of John Kincaid - who had
 been an 18 months man & who was discharged
 with him at the end of the war - If so
 he must have intitled after his 18 mo expired & in
 this case each of them was intitled to donation
 land and in that case there is no interference
 your truly
 M^r Nicholas

James Trimble Esq

John Kincaid

Donation Land