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 004 Trustees of the Poor, Kent County
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 140 Bastardy Bonds
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 200 1803
 210 1924
 220 1803, 1827-1924
 241 0.65 cubic feet
 261 Bonds filed in response to a law that required a bond be filed by the father of an illegitimate child, to ensure that the child did not become a burden on the county.
 27X The bonds show the names of the father and or persons being bonded; amount of bond; date; sex of child; residence of mother; date of birth of child; and signatures of the father, surety, and justice of the peace.
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 329 WORK STATUS ARCHIVIST:
 ___ needs sorting ___ review for identification/
 ___ needs unfolding ___ further determination
 ___ needs foldering/reboxing ___ processing
 ___ other: _____ ___ determine origin/purpose
 ___ other:
 CONDITION: FILM:
 ___ totally disorganized ___ for security
 ___ order not apparent ___ destroy original
 ___ origin questionable ___ other:
 ___ other: _____ ___ other:
 330 Arranged chronologically.
 331 The bastardy bond book, 1863-1900, is indexed alphabetically by the surname of the father. 1803-1924 records abstracted by volunteer and entered into Access database, 11/99.
 332 Handwritten; form printed w/writing.
 360 Fair; acid damage; dirt damage.
 390 None.
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 990 May 19, 1989
 995 June 1, 1989; November 6, 1995
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 999 Processed by Sherrie from miscellaneous almshouse papers.
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