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 Proof of disability of John Baberton

State of North Carolina I, J. A. Baberton, personally appeared before
 me, Benjamin Bryant, age 52 years
 and resident of Hatteras in Co. of Currituck
 et al. who being duly sworn according
 to law declare as follows that he is
 acquainted with John Baberton applicant
 for invalid pension and know the
 said John Baberton to be the identical
 person of that name who enlisted as
 private in Co. H. 40
 regt us & of Ensign and who was
 discharged at Chatham Co. Ga. on about
 25 day of April 1866 by reason of he was
 mustered out of the us & Ensign and
 that the said John Baberton while
 in his line of his duty at New Bridge
 Port N. C. at of Oct. 6. did on about
 March 1846 become disabled in fall-
 ing manure to wit was taken
 down with the S. S. M. H. H. and becom
 service which affected his health and
 he lost his health by reason of Barren
 Swamp and his sent to me to the
 hospital at Big Bridge Port N. C. and
 was also taken with the regt to
 Rheumatism in the winter of 1865
 and 1866 also sent before he was discharged
 he complain with pains in head
 of which resulted in weakness of
 head and Dimness of eyesight
 partial Blind in right eye that
 the fact I stated are personally
 know to the affiant by reason
 I was ~~discharged~~ discharging of some

Go and right and now present
 where the afore said disease was
 contracted we stayed together in
 one tent and also he had diarrhoea
 and piles and lost his teeth by
 reason of bad scurvy and Rheumatism
 by cold and exposure to weather
 and piles by drinking bad water
 and straining of him Robertson was
 treated while in hospital at Bridge
 ports Ct. and also by the Surgeon
 Dr. and when we was discharge April
 25 1864 at Chatam a Tenn the at
 Chatam a Tenn the claimant the
 Soldier was sick there with afore said
 disease and was discharge I have
 seen him about twice in five
 years up untill an about December
 1891 he was a near neighbor of me
 from Dec 1891 to the present I have
 seen him twice a week and I visit
 him and he grow worse and was nat
 able to do any manual labor
 his Post address is Harlow

Carpenter
 East Smith

Benjamin & Bryan
 marks

Claim No 1094112

original pension claim of Jh Baberton

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of original invalid
 pension claim No 1094112 of John Baberton
 late of first of Co of 40 regt
 M. A. Co. 8th on this 2 day of Aug. 1892
 personally appeared before me a Just and
 within the County and State aforesaid
 said Ben. G. H. Elyman age 45 years
 resident of Harlow Craven Co. N. C.
 well known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 I became acquainted with the claimant
 John Baberton on or about 1867 at River
 dail Craven Co. N. C. he was then
 living at River Dail and I lived
 8 or 9 miles from him and I saw
 him about once a week and he was
 then complaining of weakness of head
 and dimness of eyesight he was partial
 blind in right eye and he was bad
 off with his throat and he had lost
 his teeth of which he told me he
 lost in the U. S. Co. also he complain
 of Rheumatism pains in side and back
 and legs and legs faints and he
 continued to grow worse and worse
 and the claimant are living near
 neighbors and I see him twice a
 week and he continues to complain
 of the Rheumatism and weakness of
 the head and loss of vision and
 he is partial blind of the right
 eye and he is ^{now} unable to do any
 manual labor what little work

he do is very light and he has
to stop good many times and go to
the house and rest at times he being
blind he cant hardly see and he
also complains of his throat and
continues to grow weak and weak
each year & am no pretation to
the claimant and has not no
interest in her claim my Po
is Harlow &c.

W. W. Hyman

Enucarpion

E. C. Smith

Birth of Aug 4 1862

Claim of William Laine

State of North Carolina County
of Craven in matter of original
decrease left etc 736 324 of William
Laine Late of point of Co H 14 regt re
S & H et al on this 4 day of Aug 1892
personally appears before me John H
Williams age 24 years President of
Fisher Craven Co etc well known
to be reliable and entitled to credit
who being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows et now raise and
in the County of Craven near Fisher
etc and et have been well acquainted
with Webb Laine about 18 years every
sense et was et small boy and et
have been living a near neighbor
of him all my life and have not
seen Webb Laine et any manner
labor since et have been acquainted
with him by reason of reputation
diarrhea and piles and kidney disease
et et he has been complaining
of liver and weakness of small
part of back and he was slight deaf
and et have known the Laine
to be down for at five times a
year and two or three weeks at time
and for the last four years he has
been so he could not work one third
of his time and he was greatly
troubled with diarrhea and piles
et see the symptoms of diarrhea
and piles at the time and he
was passing blood and the piles
come down on him at he was

helpless and has to have
 a constant nurse he suffer
 with Rheumatism and pains
 in left side and chest and
 shortness of breath and he
 are at the present time total
 unable to do any manner labor
 and he are suffering with Rheumat
 ism diarrhoea and piles pains
 and weakness of back and slight
 deafness and when speaking
 to him you will have to speak
 loud and he groans roars and
 wares each minute and if he dont
 get any better he will have to
 die it appears that the heart
 troubles will kill him the
 heart disease resulted from
 the Rheumatism at times he
 fall and can not help his self
 his wife has to nurse him he
 fell helpless June 1892 and
 others had to take him in a
 cart and carry him home to
 his wife and he was helpless for
 two or three weeks confined
 to his house and now he
 seem to grow weak and
 wares all the time
 Encarper John Williams
 of Green

Sicut Aug 4 1892

for invalid pension of Daniel Bryant ^{act} of June 27 1890

I sat at Stoughton Massachusetts do of Justice
in on this 2d day of July 1892
personally appeared before me
Daniel Bryant age 51 years resident
of West Boone Granville Co. N.H. who
being duly sworn according to law
declared as follows that he is the older
brother of Daniel Bryant who was enrall-
ed on the 22 day of May 1863 in
Co D 35 regt 88 N.Y. in the war
of the rebellion and served at least
ninety days and was honorable disch-
arged at Charleston S.C. on the 1st
day of June 1864 that he was total-
ly disabled to work or support by man-
ual labor by reason of a disfigure-
ment of right leg and Rheumatism and
last of nervous debility and piles
and pains in arms said disease
was contracted while in the U.S. Army
in line of duty that said disability
was not due to his own vice or habits
and are to the best of his knowledge
and belief permanent that he has
applied for pension under application
No 470023 and has been examined
also and have furnished competent
testimony that he has not been emp-
loyed in the military and naval
services other wise than as stated above
that he makes this declaration for
the purpose of being placed on the
pension roll of the U.S. under
the provisions of the act of June
27 1890 he here by affirms

Fredrick Douglass of New Bern
 etc. his true and lawfull attorney
 to present his claim and he directs
 that the sum of ten dollars to
 be paid to his said attorney and
 this he add is New Bern Ceram
 Co etc.

Henry James Daniel ^{his} Bryant
 Nathan Whitney mark

Sent August 5 1892

Claim of Elsom Owens

State of etc etc of Ceram
 in matter of original increase
 of old and new disabilities by
 etc 352582 of Elsom Owens late

private of Co H 35 regt U.S. C. I

on this 4 day of Aug 1892 personal

appeared before me Elsom Owens

age 56 years resident three miles

West of New Bern etc who being

duely sworn according to law de

clares as follows I filed a declaration

for pension for old and new

disabilities Aug 5 1889 to wit

injury of left shoulder and left

hip and side and injury of

the right side and hip and

Boresure

Pyorrhea and diarrhea and

Piles I am detained for injury

of left shoulder and right side

later twelve dollars per month
 by certificat etc 352582 But I
 have not been rated for

my left side and rupture and
 Rheumatism and Diarrhea and piles
 which I greatly suffered the Rupture
 a knot on my right side greatly
 prevents me from working and
 walking and Rheumatism the bare
 my feet and legs to swell so as me
 state to be able to wear my shoes
 which said Rheumatism has resul-
 ted in heart disease cause me to
 be total unable to do any work
 and the pension I now receive is
 not enough and are not sufficient
 to pay the attending Physicians
 and nurses and pay medicines
 also therefore authorize and affirm
 Frederick Douglas of New York
 my old legal and lawful attorney
 to present and prosecute my claim
 I filed Aug 1889 which is now
 pending in the pension department
 and I further ask that the Bureau of
 Pension authorize me to appear before
 some medical Examiner to be exam-
 ined as to disabilities resulted the
 claimer this declaration supplements
 to my original declaration dated
 Aug 5 1889 that I have been under-
 rated according to the rates laid
 down in the Bureau of Pension to
 that class of disabilities for which
 I claim pension and I ask
 that my claim be rated according
 to law and the extent of disability
 which has existed in the past

degree from date of discharge to
 the present care me total
 disable to perform manual labor
 that my to add is John Bern
 witness Edson ^{his} Owens
carpenter ^{mark}
E. Smith

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Doctor Certificate is signed by J. H.
 Pender in Book No. 18 on Page 200
 Claim of Edson Owens
 also personally appeared Henderson
 Green age 50 years resident near
 John Bern etc. well known to
 be reputable and entitled to credit also
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows & become acquainted
 with Edson Owens about the
 Spring of 1881 at Etuborn etc
 and El live on the same plantat
 ion he was El live in one hundred
 yards of him and when El first
 met him and when El first met
 him he was complaining of and
 clasp in left shoulder and of
 rupture of this right side of
 which he said to me he received
 in the ussory and had been
 suffering with it every war in
 the small part part of the back
 and sometimes to complain of
 right side and left shoulder he
 was in El suffering condition
 and then that I depart him
 self he was unable to work

an account of said injury of left
 shoulder and rupture of right side
 and he was complaining of rheumat-
 ism in feet and legs and arms
 also he complain of weakness of back
 and his occupation is that of a farm-
 er and was not able to perform any
 manual labor and could not follow
 his plow by reason of rupture of right
 side and pains in shoulder and
 back I have seen him trying to
 work and he would have to stop
 and go to the house I have kno-
 wn him to be down in bed for
 two or three weeks at a time and
 that to four or five times each year
 and he continues to grow worse and
 worse and the Rheumatic Car-
 tilage of feet and legs to swell up and
 pain in left side and breast and
 also shortness of breath and has
 become total unable to do manual
 labor he is lame and very weak
 and he suffers with diarrhea and
 Piles I saw the symptoms of diarrhea
 and piles at the time also I have
 seen the rupture of right side
 and he has a very large knot on
 his right hip and it swells
 and he is greatly troubled with
 it and it prevents him from work-
 ing and it grows worse and worse
 all the time my Poole
 is a Green ~~Barren~~ ~~Anderson~~ ~~Green~~
 E. W. Carpenter ^{made}
 E. C. Smith Dated May 5 1892

also personally appears & says Willis declares the same as on page 34 in sworn sworn case of 55 residents of New Bern North Aug 6 1892

Claim of James Cooper
State of North Carolina County of Granville in matter of original pension claim etc of 420832 of James Cooper
Widow of James Cooper present of Co of 14 Regt N.S. & C. Artillery on this 6 day of Aug 1892 personally appeared before me William Barber age 60 years residents of New Bern N.C. well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows & become acquainted with James Cooper in about the winter of 1862 at New Bern and he was at will and heart man from all appearance before he enlisted in the U.S. Army and some time in the Spring and Summer of 1864 James Cooper enlisted in the Union in Co of 14 Regt N.S. & C. Artillery & was a member of the 34 Regt N.S. & C. Artillery and I remember that James Cooper and his regt guarded me and my company and regt at Butler's Barracks at New Bern N.C. in the fall of 1864 also I saw James Cooper at Fort Macon N.C.

an ar about the fall of 1865 when
 my Co went to fort Macon etc and
 returned to 14 regt us & H arty and
 el saw James Cooper and he was
 then complaining of misery in
 Side and Brust and also diarrhea
 and Piles this was an about Nov
 1865 and el did not see him any
 more not untill on about feb 1867
 el come home to New Bern etc and
 when el come home el visit him
 and he was complaining of Rheu-
 matism diarrhea and piles and he
 complained of pains in left side
 and cause heart disease throbbing
 pains about the heart and he
 continued to grow worse and worse
 and was total unable to perform
 manual labor and he was swell
 up and feet and legs swell up and
 he continued to grow worse and
 worse and at times he could not
 hardly bring breath complained
 of pains in left Side and Brust
 and he suffered with diarrhea and
 Piles and he continued to grow
 worse and worse el visited him
 in his last sickness also el remember
 that Dr H G Bates died at New Bern
 etc treated him for the above
 disease and an about July 2 1872
 he died at New Bern etc
 he was living near neighbor el
 pass his house in the time he
 was dying he died from the

of heart disease and sharp pains
 in breast & visited him before
 he died and at his death the left
 the claimant his widow and two
 minor children & am well acquainted
 with his wife she was with him
 part of the time in his home
 at mare head City and she and
 his wife come her and was
 considered as man and wife
 my friend & friend Bern & Co
 & Carpenter William Barber
 J. H. Powell

Physician affidavit for
 Leaser Taylor

State of North Carolina
 County of Orange No 458778
 of Leaser Taylor private Co of 35
 Regt N.C. I personally appeared
 before me Linster Duffey a
 citizen of the State of North Carolina
 & Co. well known to be reputable
 and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law de-
 clares as follows that he is a practicing
 physician and that he has been ac-
 quainted with the said Soldier for about
 12 or 14 years & did not know him
 prior to enlistment in N.C. army
 he has been a provider of medicines
 at my drug store and that of
 my medicines for ailments
 which he did he contracted

in the line of duty in the army
 far preferable for ten or twelve years
 presence. Entering the service of
 physicians I have been his attending
 physician for a period of four years.
 He is subject to attack of dyspepsia
 and occasionally annoyed with Rhuma-
 tism with heart complications
 at this musing pulse rate & interm-
 itted in character he seems to suffer
 very much with lamago being at
 times unable to do any work at
 this affecting his stomach is some-
 what distended and tympanitic fargor
 localities he is derigual fied for the
 performance of manual labor
 in my opinion to the extent of
 $\frac{2}{3}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$ on account of the above
 mentioned disabilities.

of Linster Duffey
 Sent August 6 1892

Edmond Hill.

Claim of Jane Hill widow of

State of North Carolina County
of Granville in matter of original
claim etc 409159 of Jane Hill widow
of Edmond Hill private of \$ 14 Sept
U S C & C. In this 12 day of
1892 personally appeared before me
Dorinda Weeks age 60 years resident
of Essex County Granville Co. etc. well
known to be reputable and entitled
to credit who being duly sworn
according to Law declared as follows
I am well acquainted with Jane
Hill & become acquainted with her
in the Spring of 1862. She was then
married to a man by the name
of Peter Simmons and Peter Sim-
mons died in the same year in
the fall of Small Pox the year
after when Burns was taken by
the Union Army the next year
I become acquainted with Edmond
Hill and Jane was living near
me at the same time when Edmond
Hill went with her and resided here
and after a while they went together
as man and wife and her husband
enlisted in the U. S. A. and Jane
came and stayed with me until
her husband came back out of
the Army and when he came
back he was sick had the Rheu-
matism heart disease and shortness
of breath he stayed in my house
8 or 10 months and he
was sick very much all

The time and could do any thing I
 think he and Jane went and got
 married Licens before he married in
 his brother house I know me and
 my husband went about the time
 and got over and Edmond Hill and
 his wife were about at ^{the same time} ~~the same time~~ from
 me in former ~~time~~ sister Lucy
 house and Jane went out and taken
 care of him untill he died I
 told Jane Hill good many times
 while she was working and staying on
 her house ban. That I would not do
 as she did no how in the world
 that in any main and never him
 and work for him as she told me
 and she said she was going to
 do her duty and she did work and
 help him up untill he died from
 date of discharge up untill he died
 Dec 26, 1871 an about nineteen
 years ago I visited up him and
 kept to take care of him up untill
 he died he died of the heart disease
 the result from Rheumatism he was
 full of blood when he come out of the
 army and there at his bed I did
 not know where he died but he said he had pain
 about the heart and some cough
 and cold and ~~spitting~~ ^{spitting} of blood
 to the widow Jane Hill that
 not remarried or lived with
 any man or man and wife since
 his death and she has to work
 out for her living I have

my Pas address is at New Bern

witness
 E. W. Carpenter & et Smith ^{this} ~~Saruna~~ ^{mark} ~~Wetters~~

blain Jane Hill

also personally appeared before
 Daniel Mack age 44 residents
 of New Bern Et c. declare as

to be the same as his wife ~~Saruna~~ ^{Saruna} Wetters

blain of Jane Hill

also personally appeared before me
 Elbert Waters age 63 years resident

of New Bern Et c. known to
 be reputable and entitled to credit

who being duly sworn according to
 law declare as follows that at New Bern

acquainted with & married an about
 the fall of 1864 at New Bern

Et c. and he was at present of Co D
 14 regt N. S. & Et c. and when he

first became acquainted with Edward
 Hill he well and hearty man from

all appearance up until an about
 Dec 1864 at New Bern City he contracted

diarrhea and Piles and heavy cough
 and could on the lungs and heart

disease and shortness of breath
 at New Bern City by reason of

being out in the cold winds
 and snow and blue without

tents for several days

& spent to this weather days and
 night and he contracted the afore
 said disability and he continue
 to grow worse and worse each year
 up untill he died Dec 26 18. I
 visited him up untill he died and
 saw him pretty much daily and went
 to his house and carried him rice
 and soap pretty much daily and when
 he died Dec 26 18. I was pres-
 ent and layed him out and made
 the coffin and furnished the horse
 and I buried him and the imme-
 diate cause of death was heart disease
 and I see his widow Jane Hill and
 she are not married now times with
 any man as man and wife if she
 had I have every reason to believe
 I would have known it because
 I see her pretty much weekly and
 she has no one legal bonded for
 her support viz So address is
 New Bern Beacon Co N.C.
 witness I saw W. Waters
 J. Carpenter
 John M. Hill

also appeared Parker Smith age 68
 resident of New Bern Beacon Co N.C.
 who being duly sworn according to
 law state that I saw and acquainted
 with the decase Saldier Edmund Hill
 and widow for pension and know that
 the said Edmund Hill to be the eldest
 able person of that name who

enlisted as volunteer as a private
 in Co D 14 regt. U.S. & 8th arty
 and was discharged at Fort
 Chace etc on about the 1st day of Dec
 1864 by reason of the company and
 regt. master's cert. that the said
 Edmund Hill while in the line
 of duty at near Caroline City etc
 in Oct of etc did on about the
 first day of Dec 1864 become disabled
 in the following manner to wit that
 he was taken with inflammation
 diarrhea and piles and heavy cough
 and held on the lounge. He was
 taken from within Barracks at
 Fort Bern etc on Nov 1864 and
 carried to Caroline City and layed
 out in an open grave without tents and
 next morning we was all white
 with frost and we was two weeks
 without tents and it rained and
 snowed during the time and
 great many of the men died and
 this man was taken with the afore
 said disability, I know this by
 reason I was present and a member
 of Co D 14 regt. U.S. & 8th arty and I
 saw the Baldur and heard him
 complaining of Rheumatism
 diarrhea and piles and having
 a sick and frost he told me
 that some time in the spring Dec
 1864 or spring 1865 I do not remember
 he being sent to the hospital to
 he was excuse from duty and

treated by Sargent an about same
 time I was treated and Dr dead he
 had rheumatism and I saw the symptom
 of at it sink of diabolical pain in breast
 and I know the cough and I know
 he was sick with pain in Back and
 Breast left side in fall 1846 he could
 not rest his limbs he was lame and
 was excused from duty and had ser-
 vious cough and he was in this condi-
 tion and he was in this condition
 when he was discharged of home home
 with him and he continued to
 grow worse and worse until he
 died he died near neighbor of me
 of Enochide of Bangs December
 24 1848 about 19 years ago.

Encarpenter Parker & Smith
 J H Parwell

also personally appeared before me
 Henry Hill age 44 resident of
 Harlow and also Elson Smith
 age 52 resident of New Bern and
 also William Kelly age 49 years
 residents of New Bern all declare
 the proof of his disability as the
 one above

Claim of Dennis Chatman

State of North Carolina County of
 Curran on this 6 day of June
 1892 personally appeared before
 Dennis Chatman age 47 years
 who being duly sworn according
 to law declare as follows that
 he are the identical Dennis Chat-
 man who was Enrolled at us at
 Fort in the 9 day of June 1862
 in Co E 25 regt N.S.C. of Command
 ed by Gater and was honorable
 discharg at Charleston S.C. on the
 11 day of June 1864 that his personal
 description as follows age 18 year high
 5 ft 4 inches complexion Black hair
 Black eyes Black and whil in line
 of duty at Galys Island S.C. on
 about Sept 1863 he contracted Chn
 anid diarrhea and Piles and on the
 apr winter of 1863 and 1864 he was
 taken with Rheumatism in left arm
 and misery and Rheumatism in left
 legs and back pains in side and Chest
 and heart disease and Shortness of
 breath weakness of back contracted
 the said disease in the N.S.C. Army
 he was taken with sharp pains in
 side an Double quick goring up to the
 Battle of Alister Fla he fell out ranks
 had enter moderate feaver decrease
 of lungs heart disease fluttering of the
 heart he was treated in hospital
 as follows he was treated by Beason
 Doctor in serving at Galys Island
 and at Jackson well Florida

Hospital and he has not been employ-
 ed in the military and naval service
 after war. That stated above for
 not been employed in the U.S. service
 since June 1866 and has not been the
 military service of U.S. since 1 day of
 June 1866 and since leaving service
 I have resided in the County of Tenara
 etc. my occupation is a farmer when
 I enlisted I was a well and hearty and
 sound man enrolled Private at Co. E
 35 regt that he was now & unable to
 perform manual labor for reason
 of above said disability and to make
 this declaration to be placed on the pen-
 sion roll of invalid pension he
 hereby appoints with full power and
 substitution and revocation Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern etc. his true
 and lawful attorney to prosecute his
 claim that he has far applied for a
 pension and that his far address
 is Kingston etc.
 Enclosure Dennis Chatmon
 & Co Smith

and declaration for invalid pension
 of June 27 1890 also sent article
 of argument and attorney's Power
 sent August 8 1892

Special action in pension

Claim of E. Lemyer & Calman
Charles Calman age 40
years resident of ~~St. Pierre~~
and are total ~~and~~ in left
leg Rheumatism ~~in~~ and
heart disease left side and
Breasts and are suffering and
need of pension

Claim of Jane Hill
personally appeared before
Jane Hill age 52 years President
of ~~of~~ St. Pierre C.C. well known
to be reputable and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn
according to laws she gave as follows
I was born and raised 16 miles
west of ~~St. Pierre~~ Kingston in
in County of Louisiana at
an George Laine plantation where
the war broke out at ~~St. Pierre~~
and was taken by the Union
Army March 1862 I went to
~~St. Pierre~~ Dec 1862 I married
Peter Simmons Dec 1862 he died
fall 1863 in Small Pox ~~and~~
I became acquainted with Edmond
Hill Jan 1864 and he was at me
up until we come together as
man and wife and we was neces-
sary as man and wife this was
Spring of 1864 and he enlisted
in Co D 14 Regt U.S. & ~~of~~
he remain in camp at

then Berne A.B. up until the last
 of November 1864 and then he
 went to Caroline City with his
 company and he died in fall of
 1865. Peter Simmans died
 before he married Edmond Hill
 all sent August 9 1892

Claim of Benjamin Bryant
 State of North Carolina Court of
 Chancery are this 2 day of Aug 1892
 personally appeared before me John
 Robertson age 52 years resident of
 Charlotte N.C. who being duly sworn
 according to law stat that he are acq-
 uainted with Benjamin Bryant
 applicant for pension and know the said
 Benja Bryant to be the identical
 person of that name who enlisted
 as volunteer as private of Co of 8th
 Regt N.C. Inf and was promoted to
 1st Sgt then to Capt and was discharged at
 Washington D.C. on about the 25 day
 of April 1866 by reason of mistaking
 out of service that Benjamin Bryant
 that while in line of duty at War
 Bridge Point N.C. he was
 did on about fall of 1865 become
 disabled as follows in manner to wit
 he contracted dysentery and fever
 by drinking bad water and
 staying and he was treated by

by Sargent Doctor and after
 that he was taken with pains
 in larger joints and the piles
 come down on him and swelled
 and he had pains about the heart
 and diarrhea and Piles and he
 grew worse and worse and he was
 taken with in June in winter
 of 1865 and 1866 of which was lame and
 he and it run and it resulted in
 running ulcer and it proved in
 Co. 40 reg U S C I and I was
 with the 1st Maine where he
 contracted the above said disability
 of loss of use the symptoms of diarrhea
 and Piles were treated at
 the same ^{time} at Watrous Feb 1866
 he was taken again with pains in
 joints and pains about the heart
 which the Dr Hall Chronic Rheumatism
 Rheumatism and the above resulted
 in to running ulcer and contin-
 ues to grow worse and worse and
 he was excused from duty and
 treated for the above said disease and
 when he was discharged at Watrous
 June 25 1866 he was then
 more than 2 disabled to do any
 manual labor and since discharging
 I have seen him three or three
 times in five years up until
 Dec 1891 of which of near neighbors
 of him who see him once or
 twice a week and he are unfit

for any manual labor and grow
worse and worse all the time and
are suffering with the above said
disabilities my Po address is
Harlow, Ct John Babers on
E. Carpenter mark
E. C. Smith

Claim of Benjamin Bryan et al
921476 of Co H 40 regt U S Ly

personally appeared Ben
J. M. Hyman age 45 years et
resident of Harlow Ct well known
to be reputable and entitled to cred
it who being duly sworn accord
ing to law declares as follows et
became acquainted with Benjamin
Bryan the fall 1868 at Harlow he
now a near neighbor of me and we
have been living in the said neighbor
hood ever since the fall of 1868 up
to the present and when he first
became acquainted with him he now
complains of a running ulcer
of which he stated he contracted in the
U S Service it continues to run
and at times he is down with it
and he is suffering with diarrhea
and piles and at times piles would
burst and swell him up et visit
him twice a week pretty much
all the time and he is greatly
troubled with Rheumatism
and he complains of pain

about the heart and burning
ulcer and it grows worse and worse
all the times he is more than
two thirds disable to perform
manual labor. by reason of
Burning ulcer and Rheumatism
and diarrhea and Piles and pains
about the heart I have known him
for to stop work several times on
account of the afore said disease
and he are generally down confined to
bed about four times each year
and requires of constant nurse
and grows worse and worse
at all the times.

Claims of Pompey Haskell.

Stat of ~~Charles~~ Baralme &
of Barre in matter of
original and new disability
No 480742 of Pompey Haskell
late Print of Co at 34 West N. B. &
you this 6 day of Aug. 1882
personally appeared before me & said
Charles age 52 years resident of
Harlow. N.H. will swear to the
reputable and entitled to credit
who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows I have
lived at Harlow, N.H. I was Barre
and mine and live in 10 mile
of Pompey Haskell every year
1882 except the first year he
was in the army he left

his father near me and went
 in the Army in Summer 1864
 he enlisted in Co B 14 regt us
 S & C at March 12 1864 and he
 come to New Bern and enlisted
 in Co A 34 regt us S & C at
 a new recruit at New Bern etc
 the summer and fall 1864 until
 they went away the claimant
 was then a well and hearty man
 from all appearance and I never
 saw him any more until he
 met him at Fort Chacon Nov
 1865 and then he complained of
 his head he had bandy wound
 his head he taken cold and had
 Rheumatism and diarrhoea and
 Piles and his eyes are greatly
 affected we remain at the fort
 two weeks and was discharged the
 11 day of Dec 1865 I never saw
 him any more until he come
 home to his mother at Harlow
 Feb 1866 I live and near neighbors
 of him ever since 1866 to the
 present and see him 3 or 4
 times a week and he is nearly
 blind an infirm and ever
 can find to bed

E W Carpenter
 of Adams
 also personally appeared
 Marshall Hall and Charles
 Sanders declare the same

of back
 mark

Claim of Sampson Haskill Proof of disability

State of North Carolina Co
of Craven in matter of arraigned
Invalid pension claim No 180443
Sampson Haskill, but a servant of
Geo. F. 37 Regt 104th on the
6th of August 1862 Personally
appeared before me a Notary
Public for & within the County
& State of said Sampson Haskill
Age 54 years Resident of Beaufort
His Will known to be a person
of good credit who being
duly sworn Declared in the
Relation to the above said case as
follows. My D^d Address is in
Care of Frederick Douglass of
New York. New York May 12th 1867
I have been in the service of the
United States Army as a Soldier
My Occupation has been that of a
farmer when able to do anything
I further state that the disability for which
pension is claimed arises from
Exposure and cold which was contracted
October 1864 at Dutch Gap Va.
on Fatigue Duty Work in Mud
& Water first taken with Rheumatism
in the ankle & knee & Back side
Shoulder. That Fever in the head Diarrhea
& piles was treated in Hospital & he
had the Catarrh in the head from
which discharge up to the present
time I have. Rec^d the following
Medical treatment for said

Continued from one of my letters 1890

I was first treated by Dr. Isaac Hughes -
of New Brunswick, N.J. Feb. 1867 up to 1870

Doctor died then Doctor Henry J. Bates treated
me until he died in 1890 &

Since then I have bought medicine from
different Druggists at New Brunswick,
and also where I could get it

My Declaration Dated July 23, 1890 in the

Presence of James J. Smith & John H. Smith

to take up and obtained I therefore

entirely free of the disease of New Brunswick

At the completion of the same & during all of

the said time my physical condition has

been & ability to perform manual labor

has been as follows for the first ten years

after discharge I was able to do so to per-

form manual labor after that I was

unable to do so for about two years

in fact as before I was blind with the

Pharyngitis & Diarrhea & pain in

my head & eyes blind part of the time each

year since I have been attacked with

Blindness & Dizziness of the head & pain

in the head

With a view to my recovery I have

employed the skill

of the Charitable

and have been & subscribed to before

on the 6th day of Aug. 1892

Edward J. Smith N.P.

Set off this 11th day of Aug. 1892

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Eli Barrow Of 35 regt Pension
Declaration for increase of disability

State of North Carolina on this 4
day August A D 1892 personally
appeared before me Eli Barrow age 57
years residents of Hablock N.C. who
being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows that I am a pension
er of the U.S. by cert etc 215739
and duly enrolled at the Knorrill Pension
pensioner agency at the rate of 16
dollars per month by reason of disabilities
from disease of Heart disease Resulted of
led Sore Chronic Diarrhea and
Rheumatism dated linear Tifical Date
Feb 31 1882 in military Service of
the us while a Sargent and Corporal
of Co E 35 regt U.S. & I that his
physical condition is such that
he believes him self intitled to and
increas pension and he are disable
in the following manner to wit
disease of heart cricatures resulted Sore
Chronic Diarrhea and Piles and Rheu
matism and lung disease application
is also here by made for increase
pension an account of etew disabilities
to wit at Galley's Island in State
of North Carolina an about the
fall of 1863 by exposure and
Cold and was taken diarrhea and
Piles and lung disease and he was
exposed to the weather and he received
Sun stroke on march from Jackson
will he was on his way back from
Alister Fla Battle he faile in
Banks from Sun stroke and now

taken up and carried to hospital
and treated and he has been suffer-
ing ever since with his head weaker
that he hereby appoints with full power
and substitution and revocation
of Frederick Douglass of New Bern
his true and lawful attorney to prose-
cute his claim my P's advisors is
Ehablock, Craven & Co. to
son carpenter Eli ^{his} Barrow
E. C. Smith ^{mark}

also personally appeared before me
Edson Owens age 46 years resident
of near New Bern N.C. well known
to be reputable and entitled to credit
upon being duly sworn according to
law declared as follows: I became
acquainted with Eli Barrow at
New Bern N.C. June 1862 we both
were examined and enlisted at about
the same time he was then a
well and hearty man from all
appearances up until Sept 1862
at Gall's Island S.C. he was taken
with diarrhea and piles by drinking
bad water and straining and all
so he contracted the Rheumatism by
reason of cold and exposure he
was treated in hospital at Gall's
Island S.C. for diarrhea and piles
and Rheumatism and lung trouble
and on a march from the Battle of
Lanster Fla. he fell in ranks by
the effect of sunstroke of head

I was present and saw him
 and saw the men take him up
 and he was sent to regt hospital
 and treated for same at the
 general hospital at St Augustine
 Fla and then he was discharged and
 sent home I have seen him
 many more untill June 1868 when
 I came home I saw the claimant
 and he was sick complaining of
 Diarrhea Piles and Rheumatism and
 I saw a break of the head and I have
 seen him three or four times a
 year since discharged and he still
 complains of the above disease and
 for the last 3 years I have seen him
 pretty much ~~weekly~~ monthly and
 he is total unable to do any labor
 my P.O. address is New Bern N.C.
 I am Carpenter I am for ^{mark} Owens
 & Co Smith

of Co H 35

Broaf of disabilitie of elson owens.

State of et with Caroline Co of
Graham on this 4 day of Aug 1892
personally appeared before me Eli Barron
age 54 years residents of Hablack who
being duly sworn according to law
states that el am acquainted with elson
owens applican for pension and know
the said elson owens to be the elder
tical person of that name who enlisted
as volunteered as a private in Co G
of regt 1st S Y and who was discharged
at Charleston S.C. on or about 1st
day of June 1864 by reason of a
right shoulder, but that the said elson
owens while in the line of his duty
at near Shute Fla did on or about
20 day of Feb 1864. become disable
in the following manner el received
injury of back and left side and
hip by Lim falling on him but
off by el still the injury he was
knock down in action on rail road
at about. Beten Jackson mill and
Babine station Fla he received in-
jury to right right side which cause
rupture of right side while on a frate
from attack on the rail road Feb 1864
which resulted in Rheumatism and
Quarries at Jackson mill Fla that
the fact state are personally known
to the affiant by reason of being
present at times and was
examined by Sargent Doctor and
was excuse from duty el was
Sargent of the Co and after the

5th Nov 1858

James Owen Littlejohn Jr. Nov 18

He was excused from duty for injury
of left shoulder and hip and did
and injury of right side cause
rupture and weakness of back he
became total disable to do duty and
went to hospital where was discharged
April 1st 1865 I never saw the
claimant any more until June
1866 I was on my tour the
claimant was then complaining of
Rheumatism and weakness of back
and injury shoulder and right
and left hip and Diarrhea and
Pile he had Diarrhea at Jackson Mill
Okla summer 1864 I have known
the claimant 28 years my Po address
is Hablock. Granger Co. Mo
E. W. Carpenter E. L. Barrow
E. O. Smith and J. H. Hattick of Co H
56 Regt 2nd Arty 1st Div 29 Aug 1892
Special request

Special request

Claim of Salaman Bedick

State of North Carolina Geo of
Graham on this 10 day of Aug 1892
personally appeared before me Salamon
Reddick age 54 years residents of
New Bern Graham Geo etc, and
who being duly sworn declares as
follows that he is the Salamon
Reddick applicant for pension No 24835
and by reason given below request
is made for special consideration
of claim by the Hon Com of pension
that he is suffering for the passing
of life that he is now total

unable to do manual labor
 by reason of Rheumatism and
 injury of right side and left
 arm and he is partial Blind
 and grows worse and worse his
 wife has to work and take care
 of him and he is total unable
 to do any thing he ask that his
 claim be allowed he will upon
 the hands of Charity and not
 able to work and are trouble with
 heart disease and are likely to die
 at any moment and Rheumatism
 are increase and his right ankle
 pains him so he can not get about
 and has been down about 2 months
 Witness

E W Carpenter
 and also and Affidavit made by
 John R Wallace and hester of
 Blunt neighbor witness testifying to
 his disabilities all sent
 by reg all sent 11 1892

Claim of Dennis Chatman

personally appeared before me.
 Thomas. Green age 49 years resident
 of New Bern well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows I became acquai-
 anted with Dennis Chatman of
 private of my Co and regt June
 1862 in Camp he enlisted after I
 did he was of well and hearty man
 from all appearance we drilled to-
 gether he appeared all right up
 untill we got to Gallegos Island
 and then he was taken sick with
 diarrhea and Piles by drinking
 bad water and he continued to
 have attacks of diarrhea and Piles
 after that all through the summer
 I knew he was taken with pains
 in left shoulder and feet and
 legs in winter of 1862 at Gallegos
 Island I got the Dr Sled Rheumatism
 he got so he could not go about
 and on duty he went with us to
 Jacksonville Fla Feb 20 1864
 and on the way to the Battle of Alastra
 Fla the Claimant fell out of the
 Ranks taken with attack of diarrhea
 and Rheumatism and I saw him
 two days after that and he was
 complaining of head and side
 and feet his feet and legs had
 swollen and he was taken
 down sick with fever and he
 was under the doctors when

the regt. fought the battle at
 Shandy Hill and he was attacked
 with the severe head disabilities
 all through the line of service
 after the first attack and was
 placed on light duty and he
 was complaining of a few said
 disabilities when he was discharged
 June 1st 1866 at Charleston
 S. C. I have not seen much
 of the claimant since discharg-
 ing so address of Bern Eff
 witness of Hamman Grün
 Encarpenter
 of Edmar
 also and affidavit made by
 Bone Janus
 all sent August 11 1892

Claim of Francis Cooper
 State of North Carolina County of
 Granville in matter of original invalid
 claim No 418011 of Daniel Cooper
 late private of Co G 24 Regt N S C
 Bay on this 5 day of August 1892
 personally appeared before Francis
 Cooper also glorist well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows that my
 late husband Daniel Cooper of
 Co G 24 Regt N S C Bay was and
 applicant to Pension prior to his
 death the filed claim for invalid

Pension on about the summer of
 1879 by reason of the following
 disabilitis Rheumatism heart
 disease and lung disease and lost
 of sight of left eye he died before
 his claim was completed and
 el his widow do make this application
 according to Section 4718 of Rev Stat
 to complete the same according to law
 el hereby and exthary and appoint
 Frederick Douglass of New Bern N.C.
 my legal attorney to prosecute and
 prosecute said claim my so address
 is New Bern N.C.
 witness Francisco ^{the} Cooper
 & carpenter also ^{mark} Gilbert
 John M Hill

also personally appeared Anthony
 Cogdell age 80 years residents of
 New Bern N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows el enlisted
 a private of Co G 14 Regt N.S.C. Regt
 Dec 24 1862 and el was well acquainted
 with Daniel Cooper a private of my
 Co and Regt el knew him when
 he was at bay and he was well and
 hearty when he enlisted But he was
 taken with Rheumatism in feet and
 legs and back by exposure and
 cold in Spring 1864 after Bull Run
 U.S. fight. April 1864 he got
 bad of with Rheumatism

and affidavit made by Michael McCray declaring the same as
a bond and all sent Aug 13 1892

and heart disease he got so he could not
do duty and he was treated by Dr
and this put down up and he could
not walk or ride he was sick with
Rheumatism when he left me and went
to Texas it was down with Rheumatism
so it could not go it never saw him
any more untill 1866 at City Point
Va and he was then sick it met
him again home at Papsplico Co Va
and he continued to grow worse
and worse he was taken with severe
cough and cold on lungs in spring
of 1864 he continued with cough and
cold untill he dropped dead it was not
present but it had it wrought away
he died on about the last of October
1882 he left the claimant his widow
the only surviving heir his widow
remains single untill the spring
of 1888 then she remarried she
married Nathanill this Saldier
first wife was Anna Cooper and
she died in the spring of 1878 and
left one child surviving by name
it can not recall its name it died
the same year it mother died about
three or four months after its mother
died it am satisfied the former wife
of the Saldier died long before he
married Francis Cooper the
claimant and has no interest
my Pa address is New Bern N.C.
Carpenter

Anthony + Cogdell
marks

Claim of Masses Kennedy

Stat of the Carolina County of
 Graham in the matter of original juris-
 diction claim etc 324602 of Masses
 Kennedy a print of 60 cl 2d regt
 U S C Bay on this fourth day of
 August 1892 personally appeared before
 me Edwin Barber age 56 years resident
 of Chay's Hill James Co etc well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows et become
 acquainted with Masses Kennedy et
 print of 60 cl 2d regt U S C Bay
 at New Bern etc in about the
 time we enlisted in said regt he
 was et well and hearty man from
 all appearance up until we was
 ordered to Fort Mifflin Pa. and
 while at Fort Mifflin the Steam Ship
 the Steam Ship got aground
 Sand bar and et huge had to
 come and take her at the Sand
 bar and while in action the rags
 slipped and washed the claimant
 Masses Kennedy and two or three
 other men and two or three of
 the men died before they could
 get to the hospital and Masses
 Kennedy was injured very badly
 Blood run out of his nose and he
 was carried to hospital and Blood
 run out of his nose and he
 complain of Back, hip and head
 and was taken with diarrhea and
 Piles he would not eat for

and on about the fall of 1864 he
 was taken sick bad off at dep
 Batton na and he was sent to
 hospital and was not able to go
 to Texas with his regt he was
 left in hospital and I didnt
 see him any more untill he
 was dischargd and come home
 I still found him complaining
 with his wife Back and head and
 he act foolish and also complain
 of Diarrhea and Piles and he
 grows worse and worse all the
 time my so address is Elays
 Mill of Ans Co etc
 witness ^{his} Harris Barber
 Engraver
 G. H. Willis

Claim of Henry Hill
 State of North Carolina Co of
 Brown in matter of original
 decree now and old disabilities
 No 509953 of Henry Hill late
 Marshal of Co D 14 regt and Co E 1st
 and this 4 day of Aug 1892 Personally
 appeared before me John Bonis
 age 53 years resident of Murfreesboro
 Tenn well known to be reputable
 and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law
 declared as follows I become
 acquainted with Henry Hill
 Marshal of Co D 14 regt

U.S.C. City when el fair
 the company Sept 1864. Carpal
 Hill was well and hearty man
 from all appearance up untill
 as about the last of Oct 1864 he
 was taken with diarrhea and
 treated by the Sargent at New
 Bern N.C. up untill the last
 of Nov 1864 then we was orderd
 to Carlisle City about two miles
 and a half from New Bern City
 N.C. and there by exposure and
 cold he was taken down sick with
 severe cough and cold and Rheumatism
 weakness of back and pains in left
 side and hip and was treated by
 Dr. El Saw him at Dr. Tint and
 he was lame he had Rheumatism
 and diarrhea and weakness of back
 he receive and exposure to the head
 and both eyes became inflamed
 at Fort Chacon N.C.
 Nov 1st 1865 little over a month
 before we was discharge el was
 about fifty yards of the fence when
 it exploded an yard at the gate
 of the fort and saw the wounded
 men as they pass and el recognis
 Carpal Hill as one of the
 wounded men el went to see
 the Carpal Hill and others
 he was an his back and head
 wounded up el spak to him and
 he could not hear me he was
 deaf and blind and dumb

had blow all in his eyes and
 face and he wore green gables
 over his eyes and he was wearing
 them when discharge he first could
 hear at little his face was blatched
 up and he complain of pains in
 head and after discharge el lived
 a near neighbor of him about
 8 years after he was discharge and
 visit his house two or three time
 at months he would be down sick
 two or three times a month with
 Brumation diarrhea and Piles and
 weakness of the back and pains in
 head and eyes would be all inflame
 and running water and he grows
 more and more all the time the
 result of surgery he has lost sight
 of left eye and total deafness of left
 ear and since the first 8 years
 el have seen him monthly and he
 complains of severe cough and lungs
 and pains in back and left side
 and hip and he is not able to do
 any labor he is total blind in
 left eye and right eye are badly
 affected and deaf in left ear and
 he suffers with running of the
 head this is his condition my
 address is River Fall
 witness John ^{his} Bonner
 E W Carpenter mark
 H. Green

Continued over

Claim of Henry Hill

also personally appeared Lemuel Hill age 54 years residents of Kingston Lenawee Co. & well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows. I became acquainted with Corporal Henry Hill when we was small boys on William Hicks Land near Garden Duplin Co. &c. &c. we was raised together and he was a well and hearty man up until he enlisted had no rheumatism no diarrhoea no loss of vision or deafness I never heard him complain of any thing not until I met him at Caroline City &c. &c. about April 1865 when I found the Regt. he had diarrhoea and Piles and Rheumatism and weakness of the back and had cough. he took thin I just could encourage him I was not present when he returned I suppose I was at New Bern &c. &c. I met him in the Regt. three weeks before he was discharged he was deaf and blind and wearing bandage on his head that his head and eyes was bandaged up I was told he received injury from exposure we of Co. Cannon at Fort Mifflin &c. &c. we was discharged and come home to gether I remain at New Bern &c. &c. for three or four years after discharge

and saw him weekly and
 he continued to complain of
 head and eyes and diarrhoea and
 long and large troubles and
 weakness of back and lost sight
 of left eye total deaf of left ear
 and he lived monthly and he suff-
 ers with the above said disabilities
 and grows worse and worse all
 the time my so address is
 fields etc
 witness Lemuel ^{his} Hill
 Snow Carpenter Mark
 H. L. L. L.

Claim of William Gaylar
 State of North Carolina Co. of Craven
 in matter of original and final partition
 Claim No 603 & 79 of William Gaylar
 late owner of Co. of Craven
 on this 12 day of Aug 1892 personally
 appeared before me William Gaylar age
 82 years Resident 8 miles West of New
 Bern etc well known to be reliable
 and entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares as
 follows that he was born and raised
 in Edgecomb County etc in 5 miles
 of Barbours etc on my late owners plan-
 tation Bedding Duggs Bedding Duggs
 bought me and my mother Peggy
 Gaylar from our former owners
 Wm Gaylar Plantation was in Craven

of Edgcomb etc my late owners
 Redding Driggs bought me when I was
 a small child and I was raised on
 his plantation I late owners are
 dead they died before the late war his
 last address was Farbara etc & after
 his death of Redden Driggs I fell
 heir to his wife Peggy Driggs and
 after her death I fell heir to her son
 of Driggs and when the late war
 broke out I and several others ran
 away from our owners plantation
 to Driggs Plantation and come
 to New Bern etc and went to a
 Squad of Yankee Soldiers and
 among them they had several colored
 men and he had a white boat
 he kept for the officers and I enlisted
 in that regt ball with Pennsylvania
 regt and I was detail for under
 boat of Co H 16 regt I told them
 my name was William Gaylar they
 all ways call me Bill Gaylar and
 they ask me was I a slave and
 what was my owners name I told
 them my first owners was name
 Wm Gaylar and my late owners
 was name Redden Driggs and that my
 father was name Glier Banner and I
 do not know how the officers written
 my name But I am satisfied that
 I was in the 16 regt and was in Co
 H and by Capt and E + P. Banner
 I was taken with Rheumatism in
 feet legs and hips and shoulder

and Rheumatism resulting into heart
troubles and fluttering pains in
heart and el was discharg at et place
ball parties manrooe n.a. thy discharge
me by reason of disabilitis and thy
give me et discharge Certif and in
coming home el was attacked by
Robbers and in the Scrumag of
Robbers thy was about five or
Six men and thy taken my
Pistol and drowed it on me and
and fared at me but the Cap jab
and thy did nat kill me but
thy taken my discharging paper and
torn it up and taken my many
and thy taken a grape wine and
thworted it and put it around my
neck and tried to hang me and
the grape wine brake and el fell
so thy did nat hang me so el
ask the Hon Com missioners of Pension
to please look for my name el do not
know how my name was written el
was 58 years fine fat and 11 inches
complexion dark hair dark eyes dark
my Po address is et no Bern et B
witness

Ego carpenter
O O Salver

William ^{his} Faylar
mark

Sent at Aug 15 1892

Claim of Lizzie Whitney

on this 6 day of August 1892
 personally appeared before me
 Lizzie Whitney age 35 years
 Resident of Therman Graner
 Co. Et. & well known to be reliable
 and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declares
 as follows that she is the minor
 of massinger print of Co H 36
 Regt U.S.C.Y. that said Massinger
 died in winter or fall 1864 while
 a private of Co H 36 Regt U.S.C.Y.
 and left mother father that his
 father died before the war Captain
 Linger and his mother Sarah Linger
 died July 1876 near Coatum Ark
 and left surviving one child
 Perkins Linger late of Co H 36 Regt
 U.S.C.Y. that the Soldier had the
 following name Brothers and Sisters
 living when enlisted to wit
 Margaret died January died Rachel
 died Mahalia died and Harriet
 died and Perkins who was Soldier
 they are all dead as far as she knows
 Graner died before the war that
 there is Bounty and Errors due the
 Soldier according to law that his
 mother Harriet the Soldier's sister
 died November 1888 and left the
 claimant the only representative
 that she do hereby authorize and
 appoint Frederick Douglass of New
 Bern N.C. her legal attorney to
 prosecute this her claim

my Po address is etew Bernwell
 witness
 saw carpenter ^{his} Lippie Whitney

also personally appeared Cain Elbury
 aged 60 years Resident of Thurman et al
 declares that he was present and
 saw Lippie Whitney sign her
 name to the fore going declared
 and I have been acquainted with
 her for the last 20 years my
 Po address is Thurman et al
 witness Cain Elbury
 J. C. Powell Ellen ^{mark} Devins

Sent up etary 12 1892

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Claim of Peter Bishop

Declaration for invalid pension act June 24 1890

State of North Carolina County

of Graham on this 12 day of Aug 1892

personally appeared before Peter

Bishop aged 48 years resident of

etew Bernwell et al who being duly

sworn according to law declares

that he is the identical Peter Bishop

who was enrolled on the 6 day of Feb

1864 pursuant to D 38 Regt U S C

in the Service of U S in war of rebell

ion and served at least ninety days

and was honorable discharge at Richmond

Va. on the first day of March

1865 that he are total unable

to earn a subsistence by manual
 labor by reason of Chronic
 Rheumatism residing in heart
 disease and dyspepsia and Pills
 that he has not been instrumental
 any services since March 1867
 that said disabilities are no doubt
 to his conscious habits and are to
 the best of his knowledge and belief
 of a permanent character that he
 has that he has applied for pension
 under application of 19875 that
 he was of pensioner under bill of
 that claim also depending and
 has been examine twice that
 he has not been employed in
 military or naval services other
 wise than stated above that he
 makes the following declaration
 for the purpose of being placed
 on the pension roll of U.S. under
 the provisions of act of June 27
 1892 he hereby appoints Frederick
 Douglass of New York City his
 true and lawful attorney to
 prosecute his claim and he directs
 that the sum of ten dollars be
 paid to said attorney that his
 post address is New York City
 Encampment Peter B. Smith
 J. H. Powell

Charles Williams
 Joseph Fredbull

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Claim of fancy Cooper

State of North Carolina Co
of Granville in matter of original
jurisdiction claim etc 420832 of fancy
Cooper widow of James Cooper. Late
of Co E 14 Regt N S C A Army on
this 12 day of Aug 1892 personally
appeared before me Mary Lee age 42
residents of New Bern N C well
known to be reputable and entitle to
Credit who being duly sworn accord
ing to Law declares as follows
that I am well acquainted with fancy
Cooper the claimant also her husband
James Cooper. I did I become acquainted
with them in the late war here at
New Bern they live within and
hundred yards of me also I reme
mber that James Cooper the claimant
husband went in N S Army he was
a Soldier of the 14 Regt I remember
that they was one could have of James
Cooper by fancy Cooper in the time
of the war and that Child died while
the Soldier was down to Fort Magon
N C with the 14 Regt and the Soldier
was discharg and come home an about
December 1865 and Dec 1868 and
Child by the name of Ann Maria
Cooper was born of Soldier
James Cooper by fancy Cooper
the claimant this of Ch Cooper
was born an about Dec the 9
1868 I know this because he was
living a near neighbor of me
at the same time the

the child was borne I know
 it was borne in the ninth day of
 Christmas month 1868 which
 was Dec. 1868 I also remember that
 the president U.S. Grant was elected
 as president in fall of 1868 and this
 Ann marriage was borne that same
 year in Dec. 9 1868 I visited the
 claimant the times the child
 was borne and James Cooper was
 born of the Salter James Cooper
 an about the middle of Sept 1871
 I know this because I was living
 a near neighbor of mine and visited
 her when this child was borne about
 two years and little more than 8
 months after the birth of the girl
 I visit them at times and I forth
 obtain the Date of birth of the
 child James Cooper by reason of
 the father of the child to wife James
 Cooper died an about the 3 day of
 July 1872 the next year after the child
 James Cooper was borne and James
 Cooper suffers with Rheumatism
 and charrha and Piles and misery
 of head and pains in Breast and
 Lung troubles from the time
 he come home out the war
 until he died he was sent
 to the County Orphan house my
 address is Otero Berno
 Excuse me Mary Lee
 J. H. Edm
 and all do and affidavits

made by the following men de
claring the same as the above

Joseph Outler

Philip Wiggins

Esther Jackson

Joseph H. Clark. all of Etowah County

all sent August 16 1892

claim of fancy Cooper

also personally appeared before me

Susan Dunks age 50 years resident

of Etowah County well known to

be reputable and entitled who being duly

sworn according to law declares as follows

I become acquainted with fancy

Cooper and her husband James Co

oper in about January 1866 in camp

at Caroline City etc we both went

there to see our husbands my husband

Joseph Dunks was Captain of Co

of 14 regt U.S.C. etc etc she told me

that her husband was sick and we

both went together and found him

sick he was suffering with Diarrhea

and Rheumatism and cough he had

taken severe cold my husband

was sick at the time and we

visited the camp several times

to gether up until he was discharged

and he continued to complain

and each year he grew worse and

worse until he died. I visited him

and waited on him up until he

became helpless and requires of

Constant & wife and his
 wife, had two small children
 to take care of and he was sent
 to the County Poor house and there
 he stayed for ten or twelve ~~years~~
 months and died, he was helpless
 not able to help him self to any
 thing pretty much all the time after
 he was discharge his first child
 Ann Maria Cooper was born
 December 9 1868 three years after
 the Saldier was discharge by J. J. Cooper
 and James Cooper his
 son was born on about Sept 15
 1871 and the Saldier died the
 next Friday which was about
 July 2 1872 and his children
 are still living and his widow
 are in ab. very poor condition
 el visit James Cooper at time
 of the birth of a pair said children
 and el know these birth are correct
 My Part address is at New Boone & C
 Epworth Epworth Susan ^{his} Duncanson
 J. K. Parwell mark

also affidavit made by Henry
 Galloway to the proof of disabilities
 all sent August 16 1892

U S C & H cty

Claim of Willis James of Co of 14 regt

State of North Carolina Co of Gran
in civil matter of original Bounty and
Expenses and allowance of Willis James
decedate of print of Co of 14 Regt
U S C & H cty on this 10 day of Aug
1892 personally appeared before
me Mary Davis Sage 47 years resid
ent of New Bern etc well known
to be reputable and entitled to credit
who being duly sworn according to
law declares as follows I was born
and raise in the County of Lenawia
and belong to Mr Washington Jones
of said County and I became acquainted
with Willis James when I was a
small girl at Washington Jones
Plantation in Co of Pennaria and
an about the fall 1862 I and Willis
James and several others to come to
New Bern etc Willis James left his
wife to wit Eliza James at her owners
Plantation to wit Mrs Sallie Sutton
and while at New Bern etc he lived
with a woman by the name of
Dinah and that during a habitation
of Willis James at Dinah one child to
wit Philip James was born at the
Soldier Philip James an about the
month of March 1865 before
the late war was lost Philip
James lived with Dinah and
she lived and cohabitated as
man and wife and an about the
month of March 1865 she was married
by the name of Eliza Come to

etew Berne alidging that she
 was the wife of Willis Jones
 and he come up to etew head
 City when his regt was stationed
 an about a furlough to etew Bern
 and el saw the woman etew A
 and he reconize her as his wife and
 she sed he had her before the war
 and Dianah stayed here at etew Bern
 several years after which she moved
 from etew Bern and went down
 to River and el learn she is living
 yet at Adams Creek and etew
 Jones the Saldier former wife
 live with him as his wife at
 etew Bern up until July 1865
 at which time she died el was
 et near neighbor of her and
 saw the body before it was buried
 and very soon after the Saldier
 was ~~buried~~ Saldier was married
 to Margeline Jones as his wife
 up until she died and left to
 her four children & surviving wth
 and said children did anal and
 1880 prop^{er} that el gave el was not
 present el do not know just when
 he died and el learn that the
 Saldier died etew 1884 and left
 surviving the following children
 etew Jones etew Jones and
 and they are the only surviving
 children of the Saldier & etew
 Egocarpenter etew ^{the} + Danis
 J H Powell etew Bern

Claim of Willis Jones Continued

personally appeared before before
me Henry Lee. age 42 years resi-
dents of New Bern etc well known
to be reputable and entitled to credit
upon being duly sworn according to
oath declared as follows and being
acquainted with James Willis in
January 1862 at New Bern etc
and on about the spring of 1862 he
he lived with one Dinah as man and
wife and by said cohabitation and
child was borne child miller
the month of March 1865 - he was
living in speaking distance of
Dinah when this child miller
James enlisted in the 14 Regt US
C Art about the first of 1865 -
one woman name Mary Come to
New Bern and said she was the wife
of Willis Jones the Soldier and they
came off to New Bern and a frodo
from the Regt of which was at more
head to see his wife and this Mary
Jones was sure and recognizing as his
wife that he had her before the war
and this Dinah stayed here until
he left and went down to a place called
Caldwells Creek and on about July
1865 Mary Jones died he was present
when she died and went to the
burial and when Willis Jones
was discharged Dec 1865 - soon
after he came home and remar-
ried to one Caroline Jones
at New Bern etc and by

that morag and Co habitation
 are Child &us barn Obley
 James and an about the year
 an about August 1870 and Willis
 James lived with Caroline Jane &
 until he died February 1888
 twelve years ago and left the
 Child Oliver James & Lucy James
 and they are the only legal children
 of the Saldier Willis James
 Encarniter Mary ^{for} Lee
 of St Powell

and also under affidavit made
 by Daniel Weeks and
 all sent Aug 15 1892

Claim of Joseph Harper of Co H 14
 State of North Carolina as
 of Examiners matter of original
 minors claim No 555330 of Joseph
 Harper of Co H 14 regt U S C on
 this 15 day of Aug of 1892 personally
 appeared before Marshal Smith
 age 60 years Residents seven miles
 west of Chen Berne well known to
 be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows I was born
 and raise am Buck Hill plantation
 in name to about four teen miles
 west of Goldsboro N.C. I became
 acquainted with Joseph Harper when
 he was a baby I know his
 father Agnes Hill who belongs

Also A. C. Shell Smithy in office of Bony claim
 but off to the office of Bony claim

to the same man I did when
 I was of small boy I remember
 that he married a woman by
 name of elda she belong to David
 Harper who was Buck Hills overseer
 she lived on the same plantation
 and they was married by the conse-
 nt of their owners and lived and
 cohabitated together as man and
 wife and was so recognized by all the
 at know them and by that marra-
 ge and cohabitation ten children
 was born to wit Joseph Harper was
 born 1845 and Jackson Harper
 born 1846 Squire Harper born 1849
 Morris D. Harper now William was
 born July 15 1852 Sabamson Harper
 born Aug 10 1854 Cassa Harper born
 Sept 3 1856 Winny Harper born
 January 12 1858 Sarah Harper
 born May 8 1860 elda Harper born
 Sept 12 1862 Mary Harper died that
 this Sisters and brother are brother
 and Sisters to the Saldier that Saldier
 father died 12 day of Aug 1866 at
 Johnsons eldia Harper died Dec 24
 1884 in house a mile from Peter
 Borne etc and the Saldier taken care
 of him the mother and children
 up until he died the Saldier died
 about the 15 of Sept 1867 and
 left widow and and she died
 winter of 1869 left now that
 Saldier Sisters and brother
 are still living but Jackson

Ignizz many did and left
 no children That I have no
 interest in the claim my Po
 address is Peter Bern^{his}
 Egocarpenter Marshall + Smith
 J. D. Barfield. ^{mark}

als personally appeared before
 me York Hill age 72 years res
 idents of Tuscarora learning Po
 etc well known to be reputable
 and and entitle to credit who
 being duly sworn according to
 law declare as follows I was
 at I have under Dr Buck Hill
 before the war I was well acquainted
 with Joseph Harper the Soldier of
 and his mother and father bef
 ore the war his Father Ignizz
 Hill who belong to Dr Buck Hill
 before the war died Aug 12 1866
 and the Soldier mother mother
 Ida Harper died Dec 24 1888
 and left 3 children surviving
 to wit Louisa Salamon Cassa^{Wm}
 Sarah Ida that Soldier work and
 taken care of his sister and Brother
 while he live and mother I live
 at near neighbor of them and well
 acquainted with the family my
 Post address is Tuscarora
 Egocarpenter York^{his} Hill all
 J D Barfield ^{mark}
 Sent Aug 16 189

Claim of James C Harrison

State of North Carolina County
 of Granville in matter of Pension &
 Claim of James C Harrison Guardian
 of Sarah Carolina and Delle Haddock
 Ch. et al. 404967 minors of James
 Haddock dec'd of Co. H 1st Regt North
 Carolina Vols on this 12 day of Aug
 1892 personally appeared before Rachel
 & Brink being of Co. Pitt & well
 known to be reputable and entitle
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 that in my affidavit made in this
 claim on about Sept 22 190 I there
 state that Sarah Haddock one of
 the afore said children was born
 Dec 26 1866 that since making
 said attestation I have ascertained
 that I was in the war at the date of
 birth I am now satisfied from add
 itional information granted that
 the date of birth of said Sarah Haddock
 is accounted on the 27 day of Dec 1867
 that my post office address is
 Grifton North Carolina
 Witness Rachel & Brinkly

also personally appeared before
 me James C Harrison at Grifton
 & well known to be reputable and
 entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows that he are appointed
 Guardians of the said children

that in the original declaration
 filed by him in this claim he
 State that said Sarah Haddock
 was born on the 25 day of Dec 1868
 which information he obtain
 from parties whom he was supposed
 know her correct ~~name~~ age but
 has since learned that
 said date of birth of said Sarah
 is incorrect that he has no
 personally furnished as to the date
 of birth of any of the said chil-
 dren that he has reason to believe
 that the amended statement of
 Rachel & Brinkley is correct that
 the evidence furnished as to the dates
 of birth of said children are
 the best possible evidence he can
 obtain that these children are
 illiterate and do not know their
 ages and they are very poor and
 destitute and they and witnesses
 live so remote from him that
 it will be impossible for him
 to furnish better testimony as
 to the date of birth of said child-
 ren and that is the cause that
 the evidence furnished are not
 sufficient and satisfactory to
 the Bureau of Pension the Clai-
 mant desires that the claim be
 made special and placed in
 the hands of a special exami-
 ner otherwise it will be impossible
 for him to complete said

Claim as said Childers do not
 passes sufficient funds honu-
 ble to defray the many expens-
 es to this end that my Past add-
 is even Burne etc

for C. Warrigan
 clarkians

Dent August 16. 1892

Claim of Winnie Gill
 State of North Carolina County
 of ~~Cum~~ Wayne on this 8 day
 of Aug 1892 Personally appeared
 before me Winnie Gill age 75 years
 residents of Goldsboro etc well
 known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declared as follo-
 ws that she are the identical moth-
 er of William H. Gill the dec who en-
 listed under the name of William
 H. Gill et al in Co C 14 regt re-
 S C 47th at New Burne etc on
 or about the summer of 1864 and
 was honorable discharge at Fort Macon
 etc on about 11 day of Dec 1865 who
 bore at the time of his death the rank
 of and et al of Co C 14 regt re-
 S C 47th and at his death he left
 mother widow now minor Childers
 under 16 years of age he left his
 mother Winnie Gill the claimer
 and his father Jacob Gill dec

who died on about the 19 day of June 1880 and that there are bounties and arrears and other allowances Due Said Soldier and this declaration is made to recover the same according to act of Congress and. and that he has not aided or abetted in the Rebellion of the U.S. and the hereby authority and assent. With full power and Substitution and Renunciation. Frederick Douglass of New York etc. his true and lawful attorney to present and present and to receive a receipt for all money or draft issued in his favor and to do all necessary act to the Settlement of the same. My Past add is Goldsboro Wayne Co etc. Winnie Gill

also personally appeared W. B. Artis age 27 years Resident of Goldsboro Wayne Co etc. and Fannie Thomas age 42 years of Goldsboro who was present and saw Winnie Gill make her mark to the foregoing declaration
W. B. Artis
Fannie Thomas

also personally appeared Winnie Gill age about 75 years resident of Goldsboro Wayne Co etc. who being duly sworn according to

Caro declares as follows that she
 are the mother of William H. Gill
 who enlisted under the name of
 William H. Gill at New Bern N.C.
 in about Summer of 1864 in Co. G
 14. regt. S. C. of arty in the war of
 the Rebellion who died at New Bern
 N.C. on the day of fall of 1864 from
 the effect of heart disease and
 resulting from Rheumatism contri-
 buted diarrhoea and dysentery while in the
 U.S. Service and line of duty occur-
 ed at Caroline City and Morehead
 City in Summer of 1864 that said
 son left mother a widow married
 under 14 years of age and that she
 is without other present means
 of support than her own manual
 labor that she has not applied
 for a Pension the number of her
 application is not applied that she
 makes this falling declaration for
 the purpose of being placed upon the
 pension roll. of the U.S. under
 date of from 1890 she was by
 appraiser Frederick Douglass of
 New Bern N.C. her true and lawful
 attorney to prosecute her claim that
 her last address is Goldsboro Wayne
 Co. N.C. ^{her} ^{name} ^{is} ^{William H. Gill}
 Ferns asINGTON
 N. B. Artie
 Sent of August, 1892

Oct June 27 1890

Hulda Emmett ^{mother} of Williard Emmett

State of North Carolina County
of Crand on this 16 day of Aug 1892
personally appeared before me Hulda
Emmett age 43 years residents of New
Berne N.C. who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows
that she are the mother of Williard
Emmett who enlisted under the name
of Williard Emmett at New Berne
N.C. on the 12 day of June 1862
private of Co H 36 Regt N.S. & I
in the war of the Rebellion who
died at Point Back V.A. in fall
of 1864 from affect of dysentery and
Dysentery Died February 8 1865 at
Dah Bottom fall of 1864 that said
son left mother widowed and child under
10 years old that she are without the
present means of support thru her
own labors that she has not applica-
tion for pension the number of her
application is that she make
the following declaration for the
purpose of being placed on the pension
Roll of the U.S. under the Act of
June 24 1890 she hereby appoints
Gwendrick Douglas of New Berne N.C.
true and lawful attorney to pro-
secute her claim my address
is New Berne

Hulda ^{luc} Emmett
mark
& we as purtor
of Marshall

Sent of Aug 14 1892
Jenna West

old law
Claim of Huldah Everett

personally appeared before me
Huldah Everett age 42 years who
being duly sworn according to law
makes the following declaration
in order to obtain pension
provided by the act of Congress
granting pension to dependent relatives
that he is the mother of Willard
Everett who enlisted under the
name of Willard Everett at New
Borne C. G. on the 12 day of June
1862 in Co H 36 regt U. S. G. I.
in the war of 1861 and 1862 who
died on about Feb 3 1865 while
in the Hospital at Point Rock N. A.
as ledg on the 15 day of Sept at 2
1864 who bore at the time of his
death rank of Private in Co H 36 regt
U. S. G. I. that said son Willard
Everett left mother widow mother
under 14 years old the said dec
larant was married to the father of
said son at Richmond on or about
Oct 6 or the day of fall 1830 by con
sent owners that he was partly depend
ent upon said son for support that
the father of said son died at face
an mill. C. G. March 1846 and at the
date of said death his father and
sister who was under 16 year old
as follows Aaron Everett born
Aug 1st 1858 Agnes Everett
born March 24 1864 that prior
to enlistment of said son and
since his death no person has

ben legal bound to support his
 applicant that not her to fare ar
 applied for pension have that she
 has not aided or rebeld the rebellion
 and that she has not remarried and
 her by deppaint Shredrick of
 Oken Borne her true and lawful
 attorney to present her claim
 my past address is Oken Borne
 Excarpation Huldah Emmett
 of Cheshall

Elena Weste
 Cyres Smith

Sept 27 reg 1864
 articles of agreement sent

claim of Huldah Emmett
 personally appeared before me
 Huldah Emmett age 62 years resident
 of Oken Borne N.H. well known
 to be reputable and entitle to credit
 who being duly sworn according
 to law declares that she are the
 identical mother of William
 Emmett late Private of Co H 36 regt
 U.S.C. Y. on about 12 day of June
 1863 at Oken Borne N.H. and died
 in Hospital in fall 1864 Feb 3
 1865 aged at Point Beach and
 never married to the father of the
 said William Emmett by
 the consent of Albert Emmett
 one former owners an her

Claim of Fuldah Ewett

plantation in Richland owns
 to go to etc in fall of 1834 and
 by that marriage fifteen children
 was born to wit James Williard
 Gilbert Robert Mariah Elisabeth
 Benjamin Phoebe Joseph Oliver
 at son May & two died infancy
 and Angus Smith the younger now
 living the father to wit Joseph Ewett
 died an about the 1st of mar-
 ch 1871 at Jackson Hill etc. that
 there are County and errors are
 the said Saldier and that this
 declaration is made to recover the
 same according to the several acts
 of Congress that she declares that
 she has not aided or abetted
 in the Rebellion of the U.S. that
 she do hereby appoint Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern her true
 and lawful attorney to present
 this her claim to receive all
 letters draft and money sent in
 her care my Pq address is
 New Bern etc
 witnesses Fuldah Ewett
 Encouraged
 of Marshall

also personal appeared before me
 Eliza West Agt 35 of Angus Smith
 age 28 all residents of New Bern
 declared that they was present
 and saw Fuldah Ewett make
 her mark to the following declar-

Claim Huddah Enwett

ation and are well acquainted
with her and believe that she
are the identical person she
claims to be my Post address
is New Bern
witness
Em Carpenter
et of Marshall
Gen^l West
et Gness^{mark} Smith

Claim of Huddah Enwett

also personally appeared before me
Huddah Enwett age 42 years res
ident of New Bern et of well
known to be reliable and en
titled to credit who being duly
sworn according to law that she
are the identical mother of
James Enwett late et present of
Co E 34 reg N S C Y at New Bern
et of an about Aug 18 1864 and
et learn was appointed Corporal
January 1865 and he died in
the N S Service an about May
the 7 1865 and he left et widow
and one child to wit James
Enwett applied for bounty and erro
es of the Saldier James Enwett
and said bounty claim was reje
cted on the grounds that James
Enwett was not the legitimate
child of the Saldier James Enwett
Saldier decd that she was mar

isued to the father of the Saldier
 Joseph Sewett by the consent
 of the owners Alfat & Sewett
 on his plantation in Richland
 now low to the in fall of 1837
 and by that marriage fifteen
 children was born James Hilli
 ard eldest Robert Mariah Isabella
 Benjamin and Phoebe Joseph Alina
 Aaron May & two died infancy and
 Abner Smith the two youngest is
 now living the father to wit Joseph
 Sewett, died on about the 1st of
 march A.D. 1871 at Jacksonville
 that true is Bountie and avours due
 said Saldier and this declaration is
 made to recover the same according
 to law as send acts of Congress.

that she declares that she has not
 aided or abetted in the rebellion of
 the U.S. that she do hereby authorize
 and appoint Frederick Douglass of
 New Beine etc her true legal and
 lawful attorney to present and prose-
 cute this her claims and to receive
 all letters or certificates or vouchers
 or Drafts or money that may be
 due in her favor my Po address
 is New Beine.

witness this
 Elizabeth Sewett
 Et. J. Marshall mark

also personally appeared before me
 Eliza West age 35 years Abner Smith

ag 28 years who Residents is
 New Bern etc who declares
 that they were present and saw
 Huldah Emeritt make her mark
 to the fore going declarations
 and they are well acquainted with
 her and my past address is
 New Bern etc.

Witness
 Encarpenter, Tena^{horn} West^{mark}
 of Marshall & Jones Smith

all sent August 18 1892

Chairman of Charles Jones
 Stat of North Carolina County of
 Lenoir in matter of original partition
 claim etc 824302 of Charles Jones
 late of Co H 34 Regt U.S.C. I on this
 12 day of Aug 1892 personally appeared
 before me a Clerk of Superior Court
 for and within the County and Stat
 afore said Mr Andrew Jones age
 30 years residents of near Kingston
 etc. who being by me duly sworn
 according to Law declares as follows I
 have been well acquainted with
 Charles Jones for the last Ten
 years more or less and part of the
 time I lived with him I first
 become acquainted with him he
 was about two thirds disabled to
 perform manual labor by

reason of Rheumatism and Diarrhoea
 Piles and weakness of Back and he
 was lame and complain of pains
 in hip and he continued to grow
 worse and worse and worse each year
 up untill he has become total unable
 to do any manual labor at times
 down helpless confine and have to
 be waited on he is at the present in
 a suffering condition upon the hands
 of charity and he suffers with the
 Rheumatism in feet and legs and hip
 and knee faint also Rheumatism has
 resulted in heart disease pains in
 left side and Breast and shortness of
 Breast he continues to grow worse
 and worse not able to support him-
 self and he is very needy and suf-
 fers for medical treatment I am at
 near Neighbor of him and visit him
 every after and he are suffering with
 Rheumatism Diarrhoea and Piles my
 address is
 Kinston N.C. Andrew Jones

also personally appeared before me
 John Dorr age 32 years a resident
 near Kinston N.C. who being duly
 sworn according to law declares as
 follows I have been acquainted with
 the claimant Charles Jones for
 about 11 years more or less and
 during said time I have lived

of near neighbor of him and
 part of the time I have lived
 with him and he has not been
 able at his best to do one third of
 manual labor. by reason of being
 lame from the affect of Rheumatism
 and heart troubles. Rheumatism in
 feet and legs and knee faint and
 pains in hip and also he suffers
 with diarrhea and Piles and he has
 growed worse and worse untill he
 has become total unable to do any
 manual Labor by reason of Rheumatism
 and heart troubles pains in left side
 and chest and suffers with diarrhea
 and Piles and he are upon the hands
 of Charity and at times are down and
 require and nurse and are suffering
 for the necessities of life my Po address
 is Kingston etc.

E. S. Bixell
 Clerk Superior Court

Sent Aug 19. 1892.

Claim of Darcus Abram Edmondson

State of North Carolina County of Cro
 ven on this 17 day of Aug of 1892
 personally appeared before me Darcus
 Abram Edmondson age 40 years resident
 near New Bern etc well known to
 be reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows et makes the follo
 wing declaration in order to obtain
 a pension granted by Congress
 granted to dependent Sisters Brathers
 that she are the identical sister of
 Abraham Burrus Deed who enlisted
 at Point of 1st U.S.C. on
 about Feb 18 64 and died in hospital
 Bonak Island etc on about Aug
 18 65 who come to Point of Export
 of Co D 1st regt U.S.C. and that his
 widow Mary Johnson died March 1870
 at Fairfield Hyde Co etc. left no
 children by the said soldier surviving
 that the mother of the said soldier died
 on about March 25 1869 and left
 the following name brather and
 Sisters surviving who was under
 sixteen years old at death of the sold
 ier to wit Darcus Abram Burrus also
 Edmondson who was born on the 25 day
 of May 1852 and Rebecca Burrus was
 born on the 20th day of November 1853
 that the said soldier married under
 the name Judia Burrus to Salamon
 Burrus by consent of their owners
 at Fairfield Hyde Co etc. and there
 being no legal barrier to such marriage

January 28 1895 and application of the said Darcus made by Darcus
 Burrus one of the Brathers for County Court Feb 1 1895

that none of Said Sisters have
aided or abetted in the Rebellion of
the U.S. that a prior application has
not been filed and that they duly autho-
rize Frederick Douglass of New Bern
N.C. their legal and lawful attorney
to prosecute Said claim by Post
address is New Bern N.C.
witness

Encarpenter Darcus & Ann Edmondson
H. Boesser mark

also personally appeared before me
Darcus Sanders Resident of near
New Bern Mrs. Francis Gilchrist
Residents of near New Bern N.C.
well known to be reputable and entitled
to credit who being duly sworn
according to law declare as follows
that they were present and saw
Darcus & Ann Edmondson the
claimant make her mark to the
foregoing declaration. my Post
address is New Bern
witness

Darcus & Sanders
Encarpenter Francis Gilchrist
H. Boesser mark

also personally appeared
before me Darcus & Ann Edmondson
age 40 years residents fine under
state of New Bern N.C. well
known to be reputable and entitled
to credit who being duly sworn

according to law declares that she are
 the identical sister of Abraham
 Burris died who enlisted at point
 of Co D 1st U.S. B.Y. on about
 Feb 1864 and died at Bonap Island
 Feb. on about Aug 1865 who bore the
 rank Private of Co D 1st U.S. B.Y.
 That his widow Mary Johnson died
 March 1870 at Fair field Hyde Co
 Ark. left no children by the said
 Burris That mother of said
 died March. 1869 and left the follow
 ing name Brothers and Sisters to
 wife of said Saldier David Burris
 Isaac Burris Grace Burris
 Bessie Burris Darcus & Edmondson
 Katha Burris died their Residents
 on fair field Hyde Co Ark except
 the claimant and Katha who is
 dead That there is Bounty and burs
 and other allowances due the said
 Saldier and this declaration is
 made in to recover the same accor
 ding to the act of Congress as to
 Sisters and Brothers of dead Saldier
 That she hereby appoints Frederick
 Douglass of New York her true
 and legal and lawful attorney to
 present and prosecute her claim
 and do all necessary acts to complete
 the same and receive all letters and
 papers and certificates and monies
 and money that may be earned in
 her name My Po address is at New
 York City Darcus & Edmondson
 10th Ave

Also personally appeared before me Messrs Darius Sanders age 30 years residents of Eden Berne Et and Mr Francis Gilchrist age 45 years residents of Eden Berne well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declare as follows that they was present and saw Darius Edmondson the claimant make his oath to the foregoing declaration My Po address is Eden Berne Et. to Edw carpenter Darius Sanders is for Messrs Francis Gilchrist

Sent Aug 22 1892

Claim of William Lane

Stat of North Carolina County of Wayne in matter of original foreclosure claim of \$362.24 of William Lane of Co H 14 Regt N S C A Co 20th of Aug 1892 Personally appeared before me George Taylor age 48 years residents of Jasper County well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declare as follows. I become acquainted with William Lane of private of my Co and regt an about

made up to support for himself

Mr. Enlistet and he enlisted
 as a private in the 1st Maine Heavy Artillery
 at all of his own expense and risk
 that he was taken the morn at
 Saratoga City etc on a cart of age
 1865 at age 21 on a cart of age 1865
 and with wounds and Piles and soon
 sent to hospital after he came
 out the hospital he suffered of
 pains in breast and head and
 shortness of breath and had to
 cough and I have lived from
 1865 up to the present time
 12 miles of work exposed for
 years then I saw him then every
 week and he has continued to suffer
 each with the above said disease
 at times he are down for three or four
 weeks and he have been suffering
 for three years and he has become
 total disable to perform any manual
 labor I would say for every year
 since discharged from service he has
 been over two thirds disable to do any
 manual labor and for the last three
 years he has been total disable say no address
 is New Brunswick etc.

witness

Encarpenter

E. C. Smith

William

Jaylar

mark

more

Claim of Peggie Keys alias

State of North Carolina Co
 of Warren in matter of Cert etc
 245145 of minors of James M
 Moore late grant of B 14 regt
 U.S. & of etc. on this 10 day of Aug
 1882 Personally appeared before me
 Peggie Keys alias about age 61 years
 Resident of Blounts Creek Chatham
 County etc well known to be right
 mind and entitled to said etc being
 & duly sworn according to said declar
 as follows that she make this declar
 ation in order to obtain the Pension
 provided by the act of Congress is
 due Lydia E. Moore Decd the minor
 Children of James M Moore late grant
 of B 14 regt U.S. & of etc that
 which she was entitled from December
 21 1876 to July 30 1885 at time
 said Children became sixteen years
 of age the time was accepted and
 acknowledged by the Bureau of Pension
 by Certificate etc 282821 is seen in
 presence of Peggie Moore alias Keys
 and also minor to wit Margaret
 at Dec 21 1876 December 4 1882
 Lydia E. Moore from Dec 21 1876 to
 July 30 1885 that said ward Margaret
 received the amount that was due
 her by Certificate etc 245145 But
 the Pension was acknowledged by the
 Bureau of Pension due Lydia E. Moore
 and off the above said wards was with
 held by the Bureau of Pension on the
 alleged grounds that said ward did

That where as That the Peggie Keys
 the legal guardians and representatives
 of the said ward Lydia & Moore and
 taken care of the said ward up untill
 June 1890 the day she died and she are
 legal entitled to the amount that was
 due the said ward from the time
 given in said certificat etc 282921
 to December 31 1876 to July 30 1885
 as she had the care of the said ward
 at the time that she make this declarat-
 ion to Recover the same for time she
 taken care of said Ward as guardian
 of the said ward that she hereby
 authorize and appoints Frederick Douglass
 of New Berne etc. her legal and law-
 ful attorney to present and prosecute
 said claim to the final settlement
 of said claim and she ask that her
 letters be sent in care of Frederick
 Douglass of New Berne etc.
 witness my hand and seal this 11th day of
 January 1891
 Peggie Keys alias
 E. et. Smith to her mark made

also personally appeared Daniel Keys
 age 58 years residents of New Berne
 and also Dennis Chapman age 48
 years also residents of New Berne
 etc. well known to be respectable and enti-
 tled to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declare as follows
 that we was present and saw Peggie
 Moore alias Keys make
 her mark to the following declaration

and that they have been well acquainted
with her for thirty years and known
that she are the identical person she
claims to be and that she did take
care of Lydia I. Moore up untill
she died from 1870 that my Po
address is Blount Creek, Sanford
Okla.

Witness ^{his} Elsie ^{Chapman}
Emcarfenter Dennis ^{mark} Chapman
E. Smith Sent Aug 23, 1892

Sent Aug 23, 1892
Elmer of Simon Thompson
of State of North Carolina County
of Craven in on this 23 day of
Aug 1892 personally appeared before
me Simon Thompson age 40 years
resident of New Bern Craven Co Ct
who being duly sworn according
to law declares he are of possession of
the U.S. by Cert No 288524 and
duly employed at Great Hill Tenn
for an agency at the rate of Three
dollars per month by reason of
disabilities from Rheumatism and
Paralysis in to other of heart men.
and in the military service of the
U.S. while serving as a private of Co
E 35 Regt U.S. & that his present
physical condition is such that he
becomes him self entitled to receive
and receive pension

Simon Houghton Co & Co

he further declares that he was disabled
in the following manner to wit
Rheumatism heart disease and short
ness of breath and Diarrhea and Piles
and weakness of head and lower extremities
application is also made for increase of
operation and account of other disabilities
to wit at Gallipoli Island ~~the~~ S. C.
on about Sept 1842 he contracted Diarrhea
and Piles by drinking bad water
and being exposed to bad weather
and by exposure he was taken with
Rheumatism which resulted in to heart
disease and he was taken with severe
pains in head and ~~and~~ disuse and
weak eyes and that he became total
disabled to do duty and was discharged
on the 24 day of May 1845 at Charleston
S. C. that he has been total disabled to
perform manual labor continued
trouble with Diarrhea and Piles and
weakness head and eyes that he hereby
appoints Frederick Douglass of New
Bern his true and lawful attorney
to prosecute his claim and that
my Po address is New Bern N.C.
Simon Houghton
Carpenter Nathan Fisher H. C. Or Affidavit
C. E. Palmer in said claim sent to the Court
also personally appeared Edward Henry
and Bryant Hill resident of New
Bern who were present and saw the
claimant Simon Houghton make
his mark to the foregoing
declaration

Edward Henry
Bryant Hill
articles of agreement sent
Sept 23 of 1842

Carpenter
& E. Palmer

Claim of Hilda Ewertt

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven on matter of original dependent
 claims of Hilda Ewertt
 the dependent matter of Willard Ewertt
 late Priest of Co. H. 36 regt. U.S. Inf on
 this 14 day of Aug. at 1892 personally
 appears before me John Venters age
 60 years resident of two miles from
 New Bern known to the well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 deposes as follows I was born and raised
 on the Wm. Venters Plantation
 near Blain's Pond Richland in County
 of Craven S.C. I am well acquainted
 with Hilda Ewertt the mother of
 Willard Ewertt the Soldier she
 bore to raise me when I was at
 a small boy and live with her ten
 years before the war she had at
 that time by the name of Joseph
 Ewertt she had this man named
 Joseph at a small boy and he lived
 with her until he died and he
 died on about March 1841 that she
 had good many children at would say
 Joseph the father of the Soldier was
 greatly affected by Rheumatism as usual
 before the war and at times his son
 Willard assisted in the work
 and Willard Ewertt was right
 with rest of the children to help their
 father along to take care of his
 mother the claimant and the

rest of the Children and this boy
would work out to help his mother
and the rest of the Children and
by this the Claimant and the young
Children got along this boy
went and enlisted in the war
and I never saw him any more and
his mother has no property and all that
she gets are by the hands of Charity.
that Children as soon as they get
old enough to work out to take care
of her and that is and that are the
way she have got her living I am
no relation to the Claimant my
Past address is New Burne N.C.
witness

Encounter John ^{his} Vinters
J. Baesser mark

also personally appeared before me Mary
et al. of age 65 years resident of New
Burne N.C. well known to be
reliable and entitled to credit who being
duly sworn according to law declares
as follows I became acquainted with
Aldia Enwitt the year after the war
closed she came to my house to see my
husband John as she claims she
knew my husband long before the war
I saw her husband and he was sick
not able to do any thing. She had the
Chorea and she claims that she and
her children work out to take care of him
the space of her son she said that
she had four or five sons in the army

that she said: that when they was
 living she got Largewell they taken
 care of her and she has been in
 of deatute condition ever since el have
 been acquainted with her her husband
 Joseph Garrett died March 1891 and
 she are now depending and are upon the
 hands of charity and no income to
 the amounts of one cent in part
 address is ~~at~~ Bern ~~at~~ to
 witness
 E. W. Carpenter Mary ^{for} Vinters
 J. Beason ^{mark}
 Sent of August 24 1892

claim James Halland
 State of North Carolina County
 of Granun in matter of original
 pension claim. etc of James Halland
 lands man U S S Hetyel on this 18
 day August 1892 personally appeared
 before me Wright Hammonds age 52
 years residents of near New Bern.
 He well known to be reputable and
 entitle to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 el enlisted in the U S Army October
 1862 on the U S Gun Boat Hetyel
 and was honorable discharge on about
 the last of October 1863 that el been
 acquainted with the shipmate
 James Halland on about June
 1862 before he enlisted he was
 well and hearty man before

he enlisted he enlisted long before el
 did in the navy same time in the fall
 of 1862 he was taken with Small Pot and
 sent to the hospital the Small Pot affected
 his eye sight and deaf cold and Rhuma-
 tism and heart troubles and was sent
 to the hospital el nurse him when he was
 down with Rheumatism at hospital his
 feet and legs was all swollen and
 complain of his back and chest and
 shortness of breath el was discharged before
 he was and el have not seen him
 since el heard that he lined up to Lagrange
 etc

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 St Bresser

Wright ^{his} + Hammonds
 march

Dent August 24 1892

claim of Francis Cooper No 418011
 personally appeared before me Benjamin
 Baylands age 54 years residents of Storo Bern
 etc well known to be reliable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn accord-
 ing to law declares as follows el became
 acquainted with Daniel Cooper about
 1875 at Baybara Stone wall Con-
 lico Co etc. and the said Daniel
 Cooper was then complaining of the
 heart disease and Rheumatism and
 pains in left side and pains in
 Breast and he also complains of shortness
 of the Breast and el visit him often and
 saw him three times a week and

when he was taken down helpless in
 his last illness el was present when
 he was buried el saw his dead body after
 he was Buried also el hope to bury
 him he died on Saturday and was
 Buried on Sunday which was the 28
 day of october 1882 also I know that
 he was trying to do light work at
 the Thashing machine and he fell with
 complication of heart and died from
 the affect of the same on the 28 day of
 oct 1882 he would often have attacks
 of heart troubles and shortness of breath
 Prior to his death and he continued
 to grow worse and worse at times
 he would fall and have to be brought
 to the house el was present when he
 married the claimant he married her
 an about the first of Feb 1879 by Capt
 James Lane of St el heard the matrimony
 11121 + sed to them and el know that they live
 together as man and wife up until on
 about the 28 day of oct 1882 at which
 time Saldier died my Past address is
 Stew Berner & Co
 witness

Encarpenter
 Jt Baesser

Benjamin ^{his} Prayliss
 mark

Sent August 25 1892

Claim of Henrietta Lee

State of North Carolina County of
 Curran in matter of original pension
 Claim No 408080 of ~~of~~ Henrietta Lee alias
 Late widow of Washington Lee late of
 Co of 25 regt U.S. & on this 19 day of
 Aug 1892 personally appeared before me
 Ben Thomas & Battle age 56 years resi-
 dents of New Bern & he well know to
 be reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law de-
 clars as follows that he and the identical
 Thomas & Battle of minister of the
 Gospel of the A.M. & Zion Church that
 visited the Claimant Henrietta Lee and
 the Soldier Washington Lee in the Italy
 week an or about the 30 day of Nov
 1869 and Washington Lee and the Claim-
 ant Henrietta Lee live together as man and
 wife up until Washington Lee died he
 suffered with Rheumatism heart disease
 pain in left side and an about 1870 he
 died. He was not present when he died &
 am well acquainted with the Claimant
 Henrietta Lee alias late also he was ac-
 quainted with her former husband William
 Southard dead and who died an about the
 Spring of 1869 I remember the time
 he died he died an about the Spring
 of 1869 I live at near neighbor of him
 before he died and at the time he died
 and the widow married Washington
 Lee Nov the 30 1869 I married them
 after the death of Washington Lee
 the Soldier the Claimant I married
 his widow up until May 1880 at

which time she remarried again
to one Henry Lane. My last address
is Stone River etc.

Excarpenter Ben Thomas. G. Bath
C. E. Palmer

also personally appeared before me
Martha Turner age 37 years resident
of Stone River etc. well known to be
trustable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to
law declared as follows: el was present
when the claimant Henrietta Lee
alias Lane married Washington
Lee el was the claimant's father
and was present when they married.
They were married on about 30 days
of Nov 1869 by Ben J. G. Battle a
minister of the Gospel and Henrietta
Lee lived together as man and wife
up until Washington Lee died and
he died in 1870 and she married
the widow of said Washington Lee
up until May 1880 at which time
she remarried one Henry Lane
also el will further state that Washin-
ton Lee suffered with Rheumatism
and pains in left side resulted
in to heart disease el has known
him to fall at times helpless and
speechless especially when he would
have pains in breast and side
and weakness of back el has given
him medicines when he would be
down with Rheumatism and

heart's disease Washington Lee carried
 medicines with him all the time
 I will further state that he was
 suffering with Rheumatism and
 was afflicted of heart troubles when
 he moved the Clairmont & stood
 up with them and lived the period
 of the Battle read the matrimony
 to them also I remember that
 Washington Lee complain of heart
 troubles and shortness of breath
 and continues to complain of
 and grows more and more all
 the time up until he died my
 Past address is New Bern N.C.
 witness

Examiner Martha ^{his} Swiner
 J. C. Powell ^{mark}

Sent of Aug 25 1892

Claim of Denmark Jackson

State of North Carolina Court of Surors
 on this 25 day of Aug 1892 personally
 appeared before me Dimmock Jackson
 residents of near New Bern Granville
 C. C. age 41 years who being duly sw
 orn according to law ~~dictator~~ makes
 the following declaration in order to
 obtain a pension provided by the
 act of Congress for dependent broth
 ers and Sisters that the following
 name of brothers and sister of the
 Soldier to wit Lewis Dimmock

Jackson aret brothers and sisters
 of James Jackson who Enrolled
 under the name of James Jackson
 at New Bern N.C. on about the sum-
 mer of 1864 in Co A 14 regt U.S.C.
 He died in the war of 1861 he died of
 Hemorrhoids of Bowels resulted from
 the diarrhea of which he contracted
 in the U.S. at he came home sick
 at Emus place near New Bern on the
 5 day of April 1866 and who bore
 at the time of his death the rank of
 Ex Sargt in Co A 14 regt U.S.C.
 That he left neither widows nor
 minor child during him he
 never was married that the above
 name brothers and sisters that the
 above name are the only legitimate
 brothers and sisters including those
 of the half blood of said deceased
 Saldier to wit James Jackson during
 ing who were under sixteen years of
 age at the time of his death to whom
 are still living and the said brother
 and sisters both are here stated
 Lewis Jackson Child of Dempsey Jackson
 and Hetta Jackson born Dec 1854
 Dimmock Jackson Child of Dempsey
 Jackson and Hetta Jackson born
 March 3 1858 that the parents
 was married under the names
 of Dempsey Jackson to Hetta Jackson
 by the consent of their parents
 long before the late war
 there being no legal bar

to the marriage that man of the said
 children have aided or abetted the
 Rebellion that at prior application
 has been filed that he hereby appoints
 Frederick Douglass of New Bern
 his true and lawful attorney to
 prosecute the above claim that his
 last address is New Bern & Harry
 Cook Dimmock Jackson
 Encarpanter

Martin Farson

They identified him

to be Frederick Douglass

Benjamin

article of agreement
 Sent and Power of attorney signed
 the 24 6 1892

Claim of Richard James

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of executors pension
 claim ver. eto 755998 of Richard James
 late print of Co B 36 regt US 6 Y an
 this 24 day of Aug 1892 personally appear
 before me of Dimmock Jackson age 40
 years residents of eight miles of New
 Bern N.C. well known to be reputable
 and entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 follows I am well acquainted with
 Richard James and have been here
 about three or four years and have been

linen within a half mile of me
 he are at sufferer of Rheumatism
 and gun shot wound of right leg
 at times when the weather are cold
 he cant hardly get about and he
 suffers with Diarrhea and Piles I
 visited him and stated an him I give
 him medicines for said Diarrhea and
 Piles and he complained of loss of
 vision of both eyes and Richard
 Jones are down near $\frac{2}{3}$ of his time with
 afore said Disabilities Rheumatism
 and pains in side and breast and wound
 of leg which he received in the war
 Army and at times his leg swell up
 and he cant follow his occupation by
 reason of Rheumatism and wound
 of right leg and he are down more
 than $\frac{2}{3}$ of his time and he complain
 of weakness of the back this year he has
 not be able to do any thing by reason
 of pains in feet and stiffness of right
 leg and he is lame his right leg is
 impaired and swell up and he are
 lame and complains of pains in hand
 and gunshot wound of right hand
 and at times his hand are no use to
 him and he are total unable to do
 any manual Labor at times when
 he are down with pains in right
 hand and leg and feet I at times
 brobs him at my Post address
 is Clarke
 ex carpenter Dimmock Jackson
 Martin Lawson

all sent August the 26th 1892
 also the same affidavit made by Charles Lascar

Special action in Claim

State of North Carolina on this 25th day of Aug 1892 personally appeared before me David Humphrey age 52 years resident of near New Bern N.C. who being duly sworn declares as follows that I David Humphrey is an applicant for pension No 192396 and for the reason given below request is made for Special action of Claim by honorable Commissioners of Pension I ask that the hon Com of Pension to have my claim made Special and allowed at once by reason of Rheumatism and heart disease and sharp quick pains in breast and left side I have ben down ever not able to help myself for three months with the Rheumatism in my legs and has drowed my leg so I cant get about I has to have about an a stick and crutches and at times when I would have at tack of heart trouble and it seem as it will kill me and I suffers for medical treatment I am not able to employ any doctor by reason of the six dollars lowed me are not enough to pay nurse hair and employ of Doctor two my so address is New Bern N.C.

Witness

E. Carpenter

Charles Lawson

and also and affidavit made by Anthony Hawkins and also Clara Campbell States as above and all Sent Aug the 27 1892

Tommy Harris

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 Tommy Harris Dependent Mother
 of George L. Harris ~~Mar 20~~ 1835
 great-grandfather of ~~Richard~~
 for special Act on Aug 26 day of Aug 1892
 sent off the 29 day of Aug 1892
 Claim No. 34486
 George L. Harris as he stipulated to
 his own satisfaction
 Admiration to wit ~~James~~ ~~Harris~~ ~~Moore~~
 & ~~James~~ ~~L. Harris~~
 All sent off the 29 day of Aug 1892

of Charles Lascor Late of Co B 99 Reg Art. Vols

State of A. C. Mount of Lenoir in the matter of
Original Enlisted Pension claim No 1000363
of Charles Lascor Private of Co B 99 Reg Art. Vols
On the 24 day of August A.D. 1892 Personally appeared
before me a Notary Public for & within the
County & State ofore said Charles Lascor Age 51
years a Resident Newbern N.C. Well known
to be Reputable and entitle to credit who being
duly sworn declared in relation to aforesaid
Co B 99 follow my P.O. Address is Newbern N.C.
since my discharge from said service on the 15
day of July 1865 I have resided in County of Lenoir
State of North Carolina about eight or nine
miles of Newbern N.C. & that my occupation
has been that of a Farmer when able to do
any thing & that the disabilities to which pension is
claim arises from exposure and cold which
was contracted in winter of 1864 at Batchelor's
Creek Lenoir. He contracted diarrhoea & piles
& he was taken with intermittent fever in the head then
he was taken with Pain in feet & legs & Back &
Shortness of Breath that he was taken with severe
sick in camp & was treated by Dr. P. B. Rice of 132
Reg Art. Vols. Since my discharge I have
been treated by the following Doctors & was first
treated by old man Isaac Hughes he said
then I caught my disease from different
Doctors when I was able to buy medicines
& that I have not been able to work to get
money or to employ any Regular Doctor
I have not been able to work since July 15
1865 even one third of my time from first ten
years after discharge I was not able to work
one third of my time I was down with the
Rheumatism in Back & legs & ten years then

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Charles Tascac les B 99 of Vol

After I was not able to do any work but
by little I am over two thirds disabled I am
suffering with Rheumatism, Diarrhoea & piles
& pains in small part of the Back & legs
consequently

Witness Charles Tascac
Earl Carpenter Clerk
Martin Dawson

Charles Tascac age 58 years Resident of New
Newberne N.C. Well known to be reputable
and entitled to credit who being duly sworn
according to laws declares as follows I first
appeared as an under book of les B 99
N.Y. Vol And was transferred on or about
March 10. 1864 in les B 99 N.Y. Vol mounted in
for three years & was discharge July 15. 1866 at
Salisbury N.C. Under that name Charles Tascac
I have no vote any name Charles Tascac but
my name on Road is Charles Tascac
Under book of les B 99 N.Y. Vol I have my
own mother, pay at Salt Spring New York &
was mounted out of the company & come
to Newberne N.C. & live to Newberne N.C.
about twelve months then I move on
Washington Road about four miles west of
Newberne N.C. & stayed there four years then
I move on the Rail Road near Baldwins Creek
N.C. about eight miles from Newberne N.C.
& I have live there every since I lost my
discharge paper about fifteen years ago & I
have been suffering with pains in the
Back & part of the back & weakness of the back
& my feet & legs swell up at times not
able to walk & I have been suffering each

you are discharge Dianlaa & Peter and
 Rheumatism not able to feed my self &
 family cannot take care of my wife & ask
 that my skin be taken up and settle
 New Bern N.C. in my old address
 Witness Charles Escor

E. W. Carpenter
 Martin Dawson

Subscribed to before me
 this 24 day of August A.D. 1892

E. W. Carpenter Notary P.
 Also Dimmock J. Dickson age 44 years
 Richard Jones age 45 years both are
 Creators of Charles Escor aged an
 Affidavit for the claimant sent off with
 above claim

Also Paper of Attorney & Article of Agreement
 sent off the 24 day of August 1892

CD #432.138 of
Nathan Jackson Tote of Co A 14 Reg U.S. Vols

State of North Carolina
County of Wayne }
on the 29 day of August A.D. 1892 Personally
appeared before me a Notary Public for
and within the County & State of said
Nathan Jackson aged 53 years & a Resident of
Newberne N.C. who being duly sworn
according law declares that he is a pensioner
of the U.S. by CD #432.138 & duly entitled at
the Knoxville Tenn. Pension Agent at the rate
of Twelve dollars per month by reason of
Disabilities from Right Inguinal Hernia &
Injury of Back incurred in the military
Service of the U.S. while serving a term of
Co A 14 Reg U.S. Vols that his present physi-
cal condition is such that he believes him-
self entitled to receive an increased pension
he further declares that he is disabled in the
following manner to wit, Right Inguinal
Hernia and Back Rheumatism Diarrhoea and
piles & that trouble to it right of the left eye
N.B. Application is also hereby made for increase
on account of new disabilities to wit at
Caroline City North Carolina on or about
December 1864 he contracted the Rheumatism
which resulted in to great trouble & serious
disease & shortness of the Breath by exposure
& cold. Received injury to the eye by powder flash
from the gun & Diarrhoea & piles. I was first
treated with Diarrhoea & piles at Newberne N.C.
October 1864 & was treated by Dr. L. and
have been troubled with it ever since up to
the present. I am now over 70 years of age & disabled
& over 70 Blind in my left eye & suffer
Rheumatism that he hereby Affirms with.

full power & intention & Recession Frederick
Douglass of New York N.Y. his true & lawful
attorney to prosecute his claim his Po address
is P.O. Box # 580 of New York N.Y.

Witness, Nathan Jackson
E. L. Corpe to

E. A. Smith

Also Personally appeared Mary Lee &
Mary Davis of New York N.Y. Witnesses
to the claimants mark

Also Joseph Bailey of Co
S. H. Regt. U.S. Army
Affidavit & Oath taken at all sent
on with the application & Article of Agreement
and Power of Attorney sent under 1 day
of Sept. 1892 by W. H. Pender Col.

Widow's Declaration for Pension
Clara William bth 326545

State of Carolina, County of Craven. ss:

On this 2^d Day of Sept A.D. 1892 Personally
appeared before me a Notary Public a Court
of record within and for the County and State
above said Clara William age 34 years who
being duly sworn according to Law makes the
following Declaration in order to obtain the Pension
provided by acts of Congress granting Pensions to widows
that she is the widow of Silas Williams a Newbern
N.C. on the 21 Day of June A.D. 1863 in Company
A. 35 Regiment U.S. A. Co. I in the war of 1861 & 1865
who contracted Rheumatism which resulted in
heart trouble and contracted small pox which
resulted Lung Disease and lost sight contracted
diarrhea & Piles died Heart Disease on the 24 Day
of August A.D. 1892 who bore at the time of his
death the mark of a Private in Co. A. 35 Regt U.S. A. Co. I
that she married under the of Clara Boston to said
Silas Williams on the 16 Day of July A.D. 1864
by Joseph Richardson J.P. Newbern N.C.
The Soldier had no children the soldier had
been Pensions by married to Manda Williams
died died May 1880. Left no children that
she has not in any manner engaged in or aided or
assisted the rebellion in the United States & Prior application
has been filed City No. 326545 of Silas Williams of
Co. A. 35 Regt U.S. A. Co. I that she hereby appoint with full
power of Substitution and Association Andrew
Douglas of Newbern N.C. her Legal Attorney
to prosecute the above claims that her Resident grants
next of kin none.

^{Witness}
E. W. Moon

Clara Williams
Married

also Personal appeared before me Dennis Perkins &
Andrew Leath. Newbern N.C. Persons whom I certify to
be respectfully and entitled to credit and who being by me
only sworn according to Law say that they was

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State of North Carolina } County of Caswell S.S.

In the matter of widow claim of Silas Williams of Caswell
35 Regt. U.S.A. &c. on this 2^d day of September A.D. 1892 personally
appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid
County only authorized to administer oaths Andrew Cotton
age 27 years a resident of New Bern in the County
of Caswell and State of North Carolina whose post
office residence is N.Y. well known to me to be
reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn
declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows: I have
acquainted with Silas Williams died twelve years ago I
visited him in East Ellmas and saw him the evening that he
was dying he died of the heart disease in dying he complained
of sharp pains of the left side and breath and had
shortness of breath he died August 24/1892 and
was buried August 26/1892 I was present when he
was buried he left wife surviving by the name of Clara
Williams no children and his wife, have not remarried
or lived with any man since his death I was well
acquainted with his first wife by name Manda Williams
she died the 1st day of May 1880 and Silas Williams
remarried her married Clara Weston the claimant
and lived with her up until he died and recognized
each other as man and wife, I was not present when
they married, but I know when it was it was two
years after his first wife died, which was on about
July 10/1884 at Joseph Richardson six miles off
New Bern N.C. and they living together up until
death of Soldier, I further declare that I have
no interest in said case and am not concerned
as witness
Wm. H. Moon Andrew Cotton
 Lemus Perkins

Article agreed and
power of Atty. / under act of June 27
and Sept 12 1892 / 1890 also paid

State of North Carolina } County of Craven
No. 326545 of Silas Williams
In matter of original invalid claim for old Invalids

Print of Cert. of 35 Reg. U. S. 6. On this 2^d day
of September A.D. 1892 Personally appeared before
me Notary Public for and within the County and
State of said Mrs. Clara Williams age 34 yrs.
Resident near New Bern in County of Craven
well known to me to be reputable and
entitled to credit who being duly sworn
according according to Laws Declares as
That she is the widow of Silas Williams
late a Pensioner of the U. S. A. same Enrolled
at Agency at Knapville Tenn. Certificate for
Invalid for old New Disabilities to wit eyes
shot wound of left. Right Disease of Eyes
lost sight of Right Eye & Left greatly impaired
and Rheumatism and heart trouble and dropsy
and piles and for said claim now pending
in Bureau of Pension and was made special
by Testimony under his request. Now to both
witness by his Attorney Judnick Douglass of
New Bern, N.C. and that I do make this
declaration in order to complete the same
as his legal and lawful widow that she
is authorized and appointed
Judnick Douglass of New Bern, N.C.
to present and complete the said
claim as my lawful Attorney and do all
acts necessary to complete the same
That I do add as in case of
Judnick Douglass of New Bern, N.C.
and Carpenter. Clara ^{his} Williams
Andrew Cotton ^{her} ^{mark}

Witnesses

Wm. Webb

Ben. M. Perkins

State of Carolina) County of Craven

on the within original Pension Application No. 321545 of
 Silas William Late Private of Co. A. 35 Regt N. C. I
 On the 2^d day of September 1892 Personal appeared
 before me a Notary Public in and for the County & State
 of said North Carolina 63 years. Resident of near Newberry
 N.C. No Post Office Address is Newberry N.C.
 Well known to be reputable and entitled to
 credit who being duly sworn according
 to Law declared as follows: I and
 did personally be acquainted with Silas William
 & put him for at least sixteen years & has
 been for the same sixteen years been living
 & near neighbor to him when I first met
 him he was a Captain of the 35th Regt & he was lame
 & partial blind could not see well he was
 complaining of him that wound of the left
 thigh & he continued to suffer with Rheumatism
 & diarrhea & piles & blindness of eyes he complained
 & wake up & until he died he died Aug.
 24. 1892 I have no reason to believe
 that heart trouble was the immediate cause
 of his death by reason of seeing him in
 his last illness & he complained of heart trouble
 & said that pain in heart would kill
 him & was present when he was buried
 he was buried on the 26th day of August 1892
 I am well acquainted with his widow the change
 & remember he married her on the 14th day of
 Feb. 1884 she has not remarried since with
 any man or man & wife since the death of Silas
 William & was acquainted with his first wife
 Amanda Williams she died the first day of May
 1880 I married her the same day without money
 of support she & her own personal labor William & his
 work

Claim of Charles Kennedy

State of North Carolina Co of Examin
 on matter of Claim for Discharge
 Cert of Charles Kennedy Late of Co
 & 2 Regt U S C Army
 on this 3 day of Sept A D 1892
 personally appeared before me Mr
 John Brown age 53 years residents
 of New Bern N.C. & well known to
 be a reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows & become
 acquainted with the Claimant Charles
 Kennedy at New Bern N.C. on about
 December 1863 at the time & enlisted
 he enlisted in Co & 2 Regt U S C Army
 he was at well and hearty man
 from all appearance and he continued
 to be well up until on about the
 fall of 1864 at deep bottom N.C.
 he was taken down with Diarrhea
 and Piles and Rheumatism in feet &
 legs and side and was not able to
 go with the Regt and he was left
 sick not able to do any thing
 and could not do duty by reason
 of Rheumatism and pains in the
 head and he was left and I have
 not seen him no more not until
 discharge and come home when I
 come 1866 I found him down
 sick with Rheumatism and pains
 in head and side and was total
 disable to do any manual labor
 and Charles Kennedy is total unable
 to do any manual labor he suffered

with his head and pains in left
Side and back and on about the fall
of 1864 the Claimant acts very foolish
in the head and he act very foolish
in head at the present and he
are total unable to do any thing.

not Encarperator

George M Brown

John ^{his} Brown
Dent off Aug 5. 1892 ^{mark}

Claim of John Jordan
State of North Carolina County of
Curran in matter of original pension
Claim etc 555952 of John Jordan alias
Pue widow of William Jordan dead late
of Co & 14 regt in 86th Inf Arty an this
27 of Aug of 1892 Personally appeared
before me George Squires age 52 years
residents of near Stone wall Pamlico
Co et. al. well known to be reputable
and entitle and entitle to the Credit
who being duly sworn according to
law dictates as follows I become acquainted
with Wm. Jordan. et number of my Co
and regt in 1864 when I become acq-
ainted with him he was et well and
 hearty man. from all appearance and on
about the month of et November 1864
at Carolina City etc we was exposed
in cold rains and sleet and snow
without tents and Wm Jordan cont-
racted Rheumatism in feet and legs
and pains in Side and was treated

all sent the 21 day of sept 1892
and also and affidavit made by George W Brown

By Doctor we both went to the
Sick Hall together and Wm Jardan
was excuse from duty and an about
the summer of 1865 at Mare head
City Okla Wm Jardan was taken down
with Diarrhea and Piles and was treated
for same and I saw the symptoms
of the Diarrhea & piles at the Sink
I and William Jardan went to the
Sink together and Wm Jardan continued
to complain of Diarrhea and Piles and
weakness of small part of back and
an about the fall of 1865 at Mare head
City he was bad of with Rheumatism
in feet and legs and left side and
complains of pains in breast and feet
and legs swollen up and his leg and
knee joint swelled up and he was
treated by the Surgeon Dr and to
when he was discharg at Fort Macon Okla
Dec 11 1865 William Jardan was bad
off with Rheumatism and complain
of pains in breast and side and
weakness of back and he was about
2/3 disable and was very bad of with
diarrhea and piles and he told me
he didn't think he would live long
because the Rheumatism had resulted
into the heart disease I notice that
he suffered with Rheumatism these
facts are personally known to me
I was discharg from my Company and
regt 11 day of Dec 1865 at Ft Macon
Okla and I come to New Bern with
Wm Jardan and was at New Bern

a few days and I have not seen
him since and the last I heard of
him he was dead
witness

E. W. Carpenter George ^{his} & Agnirs
& A. Smith mark

Claim for spacial action of Peggie Ward
State of North Carolina County of C
Haven in matter of original matters
pension Claim etc 26 1891 of Peggie
Ward the dependent mother of Stafford.
Ward died late of Co. E. 1st regt N. S. Gren
ion Vals on this 5 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared before me Mr Peggie
Ward age 45 years residents of James
City etc well known to be reputable and
entitled to credit who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows I am
the dependent mother of Stafford Ward
died late of Co. E. 1st regt N. S. Gren
Vals my son Stafford worked and ser
viced his father up untill he died
enlisted in the unions in the 1st regt
N. S. Vals and while in said service he
died and my husband Richard Ward
died August 15 1891 and left me and I
have no property and no income what
ever and no one legal bound for my
support I am suffering for the necessar
ies of life and I am sick not able to
help my self please allow my claim
my claim has been depending in the
treasury of pension for about six or seven

years and I have furnished the evidence
 of some eight or nine witnesses my
 claim are yet pending and I ask that
 it be allowed before I die I am now
 sick with Rheumatism heart troubles
 and asthma I shorten of breath I am
 helpless and not able to do any thing
 and I ask that my claim be allowed
 I am afraid the hands of charity and
 I suffer from the needs of medical
 aid and I am not able to do any
 manual labor and part of my time
 I have to be nurse my Pa and
 is James City etc
 witness

James City etc
 J. Carpenter Peggy Ward
 J. Beasly

also Declaration for defendant matters
 pension

personally appeared Peggy Ward of age
 65 years residents of James City etc
 who being duly sworn according to law
 declare as follows she is the mother
 of Staffard Ward at Winfield etc.

in 1862 of Co E 1st regt Vt C union vols
 and died while in the service of
 Rebellion who died at in as I am
 an about 1862 or 1864 from the affect
 of heart troubles pains in left side and
 breast and cold and exposure increased
 in military service in 1863 or 1864 that
 said son left death as widow or child
 under 16 years of age that she was
 without present means of support

than her own manual labor that
 she has applied for a pension the
 number of her application is No 261591
 that she makes this declaration for the
 purpose of being placed on the pension
 rolls of the U.S. under the provisions
 of the act of June 27 1890 she hereby
 appoints Frederick Douglass of New Ber-
 ne her true and lawful attorney to present
 and prosecute said claim and her po-
 address is James City Graham Co
 etc.
 S. Carpenter. Peggy ^{Ward} _{mark}
 St. Paul, N.C.

and also and affidavits made by Mary
 Whitehead and Dinah Penson both of
 James City etc. and all sent Sept
 1892.
 Dinah Penson they identified the
 Caroline Summer claimant.
_{mark}

Mary Whitehead claimant
 State of North Carolina County of Graham
 on this 5 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared before me Mrs. Mary Ann White-
 head also Williams age 56 years residents
 of James City etc. well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit when being
 duly sworn according to law deposes as follows
 and make this solemn declaration in
 order to obtain record of service and
 discharge of her husband Lewis
 Williams late of New Berne etc.
 She declares that she are the identical

widow of Lewis Williams who enlisted
 at point of Co B 2 regt U S C Bay
 on about the 23 day of December 1862
 who died on about the last of April
 1864 in hospital at Philadelphia Pa
 from the effect of Gun shot wound
 received at Suffolk Va Raid April
 30 1864 he was taken from the battle
 and carried to the hospital at Hampton
 Va and sent from there to Philadelphia
 Pa. She declares that soon after he went
 at the hospital at Phila he sent her
 a letter that he was very bad off
 with his wound and he said in
 his letter if he lived he would write
 soon after that news came to her
 he was dead she wrote to him but
 never heard any thing of him
 after news came to her he was dead
 on the last of April or the first
 of May 1864 and when the soldiers
 to wit Joseph Ward Sargent John
 Roberts Pulling Wright Benjamin
 Pritchett of same company and regt.
 when they came home they told her
 that her husband died in the hospital
 and that he has not been heard of
 or seen since and there fore she
 asks that record be so amended so
 as to terminat the soldiers service
 that it was my greatfullness of heart
 who had charge of the hospital at
 the time as cause why the record
 fails to show the death of the soldier
 and that she do authorize and

Empower and appointed Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern. N.C. her true
 and lawful attorney to present and
 present this her claim and to receive
 all writ or discharge. Papers that may
 be issued in her favor and do all neces-
 sary acts to complete the same that her
 address is New Bern N.C.

Witness
 E. J. Carpenter Mary Ann ^{her} Williams
 & A. Smith alias Whitehead

Personally

personally appeared before me James
 Barnett age 54 years

Stephen Roberts age 54 years well
 known to be reputable and entitled

to credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows that they was
 present and saw Mary A. Williams
 alias Whitehead make her mark to
 the foregoing declaration that they
 have been acquainted with her twenty
 years more or less and know she was
 the identical person she claim to
 be and our past address is New Bern
 N.C. witness

E. J. Carpenter Stephen ^{his} Roberts
 & A. Smith James + Barnett
 mark

also personally appeared before me
 her letter from the pension
 department is this look over

Letter of the minors of Lewis Williams

Of 404152 of August the 24 1892
 in the above intitled claim for pension
 you are inform by the record of the
 war department that the Soldier was not
 discharged from the service neither does
 it appear on the records that he died
 in the service as is alledged no further
 actions can be taken by this bureau
 untill this record are amended so as
 to terminate the Soldiers service in
 some way all correspondence relation
 there to should be address to the officer
 in charge of the record and pension
 division of the war department
 very respectfully.

Commissioner

The following names were made on
 affidavit in the above claim to wit-
 Rollin Wright Co 2d Regt also Joseph Ward
 of Co. 82d Regt Benjamin Patch of Co B
 2d Regt made a statement in the
 above claim some on the pension
 claim also the claimant made an
 affidavit in the above claim as
 on the 2d was made in Book
 No 8 dated 1890 was in Pension
 claim & one of the claim was
 witnesses statement sent to the
 War Department this 7 day of Sept. 1892

Claim of John of Elbach

State of North Carolina County of
 Brunswick in the matter of pension claim
 in No 113262 of John of Elbach late of
 Pilot of Union of C. Was on this 6 day
 of Sept 1892 personally appeared before
 me John Lincoln age 53 years resid-
 ent of New Bern C. He well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit
 upon being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows I became acqu-
 anted with the claimant John of
 Elbach before the late war and I know
 he was at well and hearty man I visited
 him before the late war and he contin-
 ued to be at well and hearty man and
 when the late war broke out he went
 in the Union lines and about the spr-
 ing or Summer of 1862 I know this
 because in June 1862 I enlisted at point
 and the claimant enlisted at Pilot of
 Saw him while in said service I was
 at point of Co B 1st of C. Va. and
 while in said service he ~~contracted~~
 contracted the injury of head he got
 some heat by being in hot sun and
 he became deaf total deaf and he compl-
 ain of misery of stomach and since the
 late war he has been unable to do any
 manual labor and suffers with his head
 and cannot stand the sun at times
 he is as helpless as a child and needs
 assistance and he contracted said disease
 while in the Union army I am well
 acquainted with him and he are very
 old and he are of Union man has

allways Ben et union man and he
 can not support him self by man
 uel labor by reason of deafness and
 sun stroke of the head he is in et
 destitute condition

witness

John G. Lincoln

Snecarpenter

W. S. Ellis

also personally appeared Benjamin
 Henderson age 52 years a residents
 of New Bern et c. well known to be
 reliable and entitle to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows et become acquainted
 with the claimant John et al back at
 Fort Anderson et c. in 1862 he was then
 et pilot in the unions liner et was
 et watchman and acted as the officers
 of the 92 regt and when et first beco
 acquainted with the claimant he was
 et well and hearty man had no
 disease and no sun stroke and
 while in said service he contracted
 the deafness while in the U.S. et
 in union lines he got sun stroke
 while being et exposed in hot sun
 and he became deaf in both ears and
 complain of et misery of stomach
 and since the late war he has not
 ben able to do any thing et are
 total deaf and suffers with sun
 stroke and weakness of head he
 requires et nurse and grows worse
 and worse et see him two or three

at three times at month and he complains of the Sun Stroke of the head and complication of the heart trouble and he can not stand the Sun and he is total deaf and continues to complain he is a union man and has always been a union man every since I have known him he did some very hard & spasing work while in the union lines of N. & C. I am well acquainted with him and has been every since 1862 my Pa add is New Bern N.C.

Witness

Joe Carpenter
John H. Lincoln

Benjamin ^{his} Henderson
mark

Sent Sept 7 1892

declaration for Childrens suspension under
Sixteen years old of ~~Henrietta~~ ^{Nettie} Styron

State of North Carolina County of Brunswick
on this 7 day of Sept 1892 personally appeared
before me Nettie Styron age 30 years and
also Sarah E. Lincoln 33 years residents
of New Bern N.C. ages 30 and 33 years
respectively who being duly sworn accord-
ing to law declare & make this follow-
ing declaration in order to obtain the
suspension provided by the act of
Congress for children under 16
years of age that they are the legit-
imate children of Sam Amiel
Styron who enrolled under the

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of Emanuel Styron at Washington
 D.C. June 1842 et present in Co B
 1st regt of the Union Vols in the war
 of 1861 who died from the affect of lung
 disease and Pneumonia and Scurvy
 brought while in the U.S. et also Hemorrhoids
 of lungs and Rheumatism at Parapetico
 D.C. on about March 1842 and who bore
 at the time of his death the rank of et
 et present in Co B 1st regt ~~and~~ et et that
 he left a widow surviving to wit Anna
 Styron who died et month after the
 Soldier his first wife died before the
 war the claimants mother to wit
 Percilla died in the time of the war the
 above names are the only legitimate children
 of the Soldier Emanuel Styron who were
 sixteen years of age at his death of whom
 are still living and are the claimants that
 said children were the issue of Soldier
 as follows that the dates of their birth being
 as hereinafter stated Sarah Lincoln of
 Soldier by Percilla Styron born Jan 15
 1859 Hattie et Styron of Soldier by Percilla
 Styron born September 15 1862 that
 the mother was married under the name
 of Percilla et wife Emanuel Styron there
 being no legal barrier to such marriage
 that the said children have not aided
 or abetted the rebellion and that et
 prior application has been filed we do
 not know the number of claims that
 decendant here by affidavit Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern her attorney to
 present the above claims past address

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in New Bern

Encounter.

Hattie. et. Styron.

of Bassett

personally appeared before me Hattie et Styron age 30 years a resident of New Bern well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows that I am the identical minor of Emanuel Styron. Late of Co B 1st regt of the Union Wal who enlisted on about June 1862 at Washington of the Co B 1st regt of the Wal and was discharged at New Bern on about June 27 1865 and who died on about the month of March 1862 from the effect of lung disease Hemorrhoids of lungs he had Consumption and Scrofula and Rheumatism which he contracted by cold and exposure when in the U S Service as far as I said who at his death was the Rank of Sergeant of Co B 1st regt of the Union Wal my father Emanuel Styron the Soldier first wife to wit Sabra Styron died before the late war and he remarried to Precilla Clark on or about 1852 and they lived together as man and wife and by said marriage and cohabitation the following name children was born to wit Sabra Styron born of the Soldier by Precilla Styron on about 1854 who died at two years of age all in infancy and Sarah & Styron now Sarah & Lyncoln was born on about June 1859 and my self Hattie

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Styron was born of Saldier by
 Procilla. Styron an about Sept 15
 1862 and my mother Saldier's wife
 Procilla Styron died in the time of
 the war of 1864 at Beaufort etc
 and the Saldier again remarried an
 about the spring of 1865 to Anna
 Pallack who died about and now
 after the Saldier died the Saldier had
 no children by her and after the
 death of her father el was left upon the
 hands of charity no one to depend
 on for support el have ben eternalid
 all my life not able to support my
 self ben under the care and main-
 tinance of people who was not legal
 bound for my support and also made
 the use of medical doctors when
 the people would would employ me
 for me el am not able to employ
 me my self by reason of el have
 no property and no means and
 no property and el am total unable
 to do any manual labor and el suf-
 fers for the necessaries of life and
 medical aid and el have mad and
 application to the bureau of pension
 for minor pension provided by act
 of Congress el have prior date of my
 father's death also date of his wife my
 mother also date of his former wife and
 have prior date of my birth and upon
 parties that have ben rider out the
 Saldier was paid to comply for the
 points call for by the Bureau of

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person I have employed Frederick Douglass of New Bern my legal counsel attorney to prosecute this my claim also I ask that the evidence of John Lincoln I & P. P. P. P. P. be accepted in lieu of my Public Record I am at the present upon the merits of the world and the hands of charity and I ask all letters in relation to my claim be sent to Frederick Douglass of New Bern N.C.

Enclosure
John H. Lincoln
Hettie ^{her} + Styron
mark

also personally appeared before me. Mr John H. Lincoln age 52 years resident of New Bern N.C. well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows: I become acquainted with Emanuel Styron a private of Co B 1st Regt N.C. Inf. 1st Div. June 1862. He was well and hearty from all appearance when I first become acquainted with him I recollect Emanuel Styron brought his wife Washington N.C. where he was taken and two small children one of the children was not over a month old and the other children look to be about three years old at that time I do not think baby was named then I was taken sick and the Captain Charles at Lenoir got Emanuel Styron to let me stay at his house as there was no hospital at that time and Emanuel Styron had just moved his wife out of the Rebel

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lines this was an about the middle of
 Sept or 1st Oct 1862 and Hattie et
 was one foot in murther am not over
 months old when she was brought
 there et heard them speak of it and saw
 murther nurse her. and she told me all
 about where she lived and how she
~~come~~ staye night and day to her
 house too weeks and I knew Hattie et
 the claimant is the identical child et
 was with them all through the army
 and they stayed with my wife when
 the Regt was station at Beaufort et et
 at Fort Macon et et I recollect that Edward
 Styron was taken sick in tent at
 Beaufort et et he was taken with Pneumonia
 and deep cough and cold on the lungs
 and he continued to complain of that
 cough and cold and pains in side and
 breast his lungs was disease et carried
 the medicines to him from the Dispensary
 at Ft of D Davis et was hospital steward
 and visited Styron every day when he
 was sick when he was discharge and
 never was well any more and he died
 the year of 1862. et know Presilla Styron
 the Saldier wife the murther of Sarah E.
 and Hattie et Styron died in tent at
 Beaufort Fort et et an about the
 fall or winter of 1864 et saw her first
 before she died and have to bury
 her under order of Captain Lydon and
 and she left these two children and
 the Saldier remarried March 1865 just
 before the war close and she died

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one month after the Saldier died she
had no children by the Saldier the fore-
going name children are the only legal
Heirs to the Saldier now living my
Past address is New Bern N.C.
witness

E. W. Carpenter John H. Lincoln
& et Smith

also personally appeared Penelope Elms
age 44 years residents of New Bern N.C.
well known to be reputable and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows: el was born
on Spring Creek in Beaufort Co. N.C. near
the mouth of Pamlico River on about a
quarter of a mile from Emanuel Sty-
ron the Saldier's home el was well ac-
quainted with Precilla Styron the second
wife of Emanuel Styron el knew her before
she married Emanuel Styron ~~el knew~~
they married long before the war and
they lived together as man and wife and
by this marriage and habitation three
children was born wit Sabra Styron
died and Sarah & and Mattie A Styron
about two years after the marriage Sabra
Styron was born on about the Spring
of 1854 and Sarah & was born two years
before the late war el do not think she
was three years old when her father left and
went to the Yankies at Washington
el he left home the month after
Washington el was taken by the Union
Army and Mattie el was not born

he came back after his wife in
 Aug 1862 to carry her to Washington
 etc and she was not able to go by
 reason of she was on the land of
 giving birth of this child Mattia
 et and Mattia et was born on about
 the 15 day of Sept 1862 her father was
 then in the U.S Army and he come
 back after her as soon as she could
 travel I remember this well I know
 where she and her mother was taken
 away from home by the Soldiers
 she was not over a month old he
 was then in U.S. Service I am sat-
 isfied it was the fall after the
 Union Army first taken Washing-
 ton etc I have given and affidavit
 in this case before and it might have
 made mistake in date of Birth of this
 Mattia I am satisfied that this
 affidavit are correct since I have
 placed my mind on the time and
 place and what occurred at time I
 know Mrs Mattia et was born after
 her father enlisted in U.S. Army
 my Past address is Old Bern Co
 N.Y.

Encourter
 E. et Smith

Penelope ^{her} + ^{mark}

articles of agreement and Power
 of attorney Sent Sept the 9 1892

Claim of Harty Drowharn

I, Stat of North Carolina County of Gran in matter, on this 10 day of Sept 1892. personally appeared before me Harty Drowharn age 64 years et residents of Jasper Gran Co et he well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows that he are the identical Harty Drowharn who enrolled at Washington et he an about 1862 in Co B 1 regt U S & of under Captain Drunkins and el was honorable discharge at Bon oak et he and el lost my discharge cert in the following manner to wit in maning about very soon after the war el lost my discharge paper and this declaration is made to recover another discharge cert in lieu of my original one Frank Drowharn and Thomas Drowharn was members of my regiment el was in the regt with them but el have forgot what Co el was in by reason of while in said regt el was exposed in cold and contracted the Rheumatism also recd and emphy in the head in the following manner to wit in firing of Big guns el was fawed and injured my head and el was treated for same and el have had no many since el remember my real name was Styron and el ask that el discharge cert according to Congress be and el hereby authorize and appoint with full power and substitution and revocation Frederick Douglass of New Bern et he my legal and lawfull attorney to prosecute and to do all necessary act in the claim for discharge and ask that my letters be sent

be sent in care of Frederick Douglass
of New Bern N.C.

witness

Handy ^{his} Dranhorn
carpenter mark

also personally appeared Wm. Brinnage
29 and Peter Salin. resident of
New Bern well known to be
reputable and intell. to credit who being
duly sworn according to law declares as
follows that he am well and personally
acquainted with the claimant Marty
Dranhorn and have been living of
near neighbor of him for the past five
years and have very sickly and he
complains of misery of the head and
and denture he contracted he can not
remember any thing long at the time
and from long and personally acquaint
with him he are the identical person he
represent him self to be and that he
are a credible man and worth of belief
my past address is New Bern N.C.

witness

carpenter

& co Smith

Peter ^{his} Salin
Wm ^{his} Brinnage
mark

Sent Sept 10 1892

Special actions in pension claim of Maria Barber

State of North Carolina Co of Granville
on this 10 day of Sept. 1892 personally
appeared before me Maria Barber alias
front aged 45 years residents near Pallocks
mill farms Co. etc who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that
she are the widow is and applicant for
Pension etc 525136 and for the reason
given below request is made for special
consideration of the claim by Hon Com
missioner of Pension etc and total unable
to do any labor and el am troubled
with rheumatism and heart disease
and pain in side and breast and pains
in my knees and are very old and my
husband el remarried to are down and
are not able to help himself and el
suffers for the necessities of life and el
ask that my claim be allowed el am
suffering for the necessities and for
medical aid el am not able to employ
any Doctor and el am unable to do any
labor el ask that my claim be allowed
very soon other wise it will do me no
good please allow said claim.

E. W. Carpenter

Maria ^{hus} Barber

E. A. Smith

Maria ^{mark} Plaintiff

and also and neighbor witnesses
are Martha Hagman age 25 years resident
of New Bern County Williams age 38
years resident Pallock mill this two
affidavits all sent Sept 12 1892

Claim of Randall Staton

State of North Carolina County of Graham in matter of original Invalid Pension Claim No 108745 of Randall Staton of Cowick Co. N.C. 1st Regt of Cavalry and on this 10 day of Sept 1892 personally appeared before me Smith Dozier age 59 years residents of near New Bern. N.C. well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows that he well known and personally acquainted with the claimant Randall Staton of member of my church who was at Saldier in the N.S. to whom he became acquainted with him in the fall of 1862 at New Bern N.C. when he first met him he was a well and hearty man and when he was discharged June 1865 at New Bern N.C. he saw him in July 1865 very soon after he came out of the N.S. Service and he was sick and he complained of Rheumatism and pains in legs and knees and hips and weakness of the back and complained of leading disease and he called to see him in 1866 or 1867 he could not do any manual labor and his family would wait on him as a child and he continued to complain and at times he would be down in bed and had to pull himself up by a rope and he continued to suffer in 1874 1875 was ~~down~~ worn down with Rheumatism and pains in side and breast

and shortness of breath and weakness of head and back and eyes and he has continued to grow worse and worse and he is unable to attend church by reason of being wounded after he came from church meeting on account of his disease he can not see how to read to give out hisser and he is now $\frac{2}{3}$ disabled to do manual labor and he grows worse & he not able to do any thing any manual labor since he was discharged from the army and he is very thin and suffering with the Rheumatism and pains in breast and back and side and weakness of the eyes he of credible man of good social habits a member of my Church & lived at near neighbor to him from 1865 up to 1875 and raised him and waited on him my last address is etw. Berne.

witness

Saw Carpenter & Co Smith^{his} & Doyier
mark

also personally appeared before me
fore and within the County of Grant
State of Ark. Henry McArthur age
47 years resident of New Bern well
known to be reputable and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn accord-
ing to law, declares as follows I
am a deacon of the 2 Baptist Church
located in the City of New Bern
and I become acquainted with the

Randall Staton in the fall of 1862
 at Washington etc he was then a well
 and hearty man from all appearance &
 not for whom complaining of any
 thing until he was discharge in the
 summer of 1865 where he come home
 out the U.S. etc he was complaining
 Chronic Rheumatism feet and legs knees
 and hip and he complained of weakness
 of Back and head and his eyes was red
 and run water and he complained of
 kidney disease and pains in the head
 and Back and 1865 1866 he was down
 and could not do any labor and he
 continued to complain of the afore said
 disease and would have to be home
 at constant nurse & visit him and
 waited on him & lived at near neighbor
 of him from June 1865 to 1866 and
 he continued to complain and he could
 not see well & then was his condition
 from time he come out of the U.S.
 up to the present and at times he is down
 he can not get about and have to pull
 himself up by a rope and he grows worse
 & worse with Chronic Rheumatism and
 loses more of eye sight & weakness of
 the head & Back & disease of kidney & visit
 him at times when he would be down
 he is total unable to do manual
 labor & am no Relation & I have no interest
 in the disease
 Witness
 Under my hand
 & seal
 Hiram M. Chassey
 Clerk

Sent off with this 13 day of Sept. 1892

#7710012
John Cooper Co 414 Republic City

State of N. H. County of Coconino October 12 day of
September A.D. 1882 Personally appeared
John T. O'Brien for & within the County
of Coconino said John T. O'Brien is 47 years of
age a Resident of Maple Creek, Coconino Co. A. T.
where P. O. address is Maple Creek, N. H.
who being duly sworn according to Law declares
as follows that I John T. O'Brien No. 14 Post Office
Coconino Applicant for Invalid Pension No. 771001 &
for reasons given below request is made for
special consideration by the Honorable Commission
of Pension he is suffering with Rheumatism, and
resulted in the loss of use of his feet & legs
& back & sharp pain about the heart & lungs
as follows he is blind in left eye & that he
suffers with Rheumatism & Diarrhoea and piles at
times when he has. Although of great trouble it appears
that it will kill him he is a subject of Chastity
but able to work for support & labor & support
by one looking to him for support & he is not
able to support his self & his family for the support
of his & his medical aid & he asks that his claim
be allowed John T. O'Brien
W. T. O'Brien

Sent off this ¹³ day of Sept 1872

Claim of Richard Gatlin or Jacob Gatlin

State of North Carolina Court of Claims
 on this 12 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared before me Richard Gatlin
 age 63 years Jacob Gatlin age 51 years
 Residents nine miles west of New
 Bern in County of Currituck in State
 of North Carolina well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declare
 as follows I make this declaration
 in order to recover a Bounty and Expense
 of Pay and other allowance under the
 act of Congress they declare that they
 are the identical brothers of John
 Gatlin alias Becton who enlisted under
 the name of John Gallin or Becton
 at New Bern etc on about the 23
 day of May 1862 at first of Co. F
 35 Regt N.S. & I who died at Halliys
 Island S.C. on about the fall of 1863
 who bore the Rank of private of Co. L. 35
 Regt N.S. & I leaving no widow or child
 that mother of the Soldier was name.
 Dinah Gatlin she died at Kinston etc
 Feb 1869 that his father to wit prominent
 Tull died before the war and the Soldier
 left surviving three brothers to wit
 Richard Gatlin Elzacc Gatlin and
 Jacob Gatlin of the Soldiers brothers
 to wit Elzacc Gatlin died in the fall
 of 1864 at Raleigh etc and left neither
 wife or child that the claimant are
 the only legitimate surviving heirs
 now living personally Description of
 Soldier age 23 years height about 5 ft

and $\frac{1}{2}$ complexion dark to black eyes
and black hair occupation farmer
that this declaration is made to cover
all Bounties and arrears Due the Soldier
that they live by apprentice Frederick
Douglass of New Bern etc the legal
and lawfull attorney to prosecute her
said claim that their first address
is New Bern etc

carpenter Richard Gatlin
& et Smith Jacob Gatlin
mark

also personally appeared before me
Ethan Jackson age 58 years

Doct Shiver age 46 years

Residents of near New Bern will know
to be respectable and entitle to Credit when
being duly sworn according to law declar-
ing as follows that they were present
and saw Richard Gatlin and Jacob
Gatlin make their marks to the fore-
going declaration that they have
been personally acquainted with
the defendant twenty years or more
or less and know that they are the
identical person they claim to be and
are credible and worthy of belief our
first address is New Bern etc
witness

carpenter Ethan Jackson
& et Smith Doct Shiver
mark

Sent Sept the 13 1892

personally appeared before me on this
 this 14 day of Sept 1892 Raliss Wright
 age 58 years residents of New Bern
 etc. well known to be reliable and entitled
 and entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares as
 follows. I become acquainted with
 Lewis Williams at New Bern etc.
 an about Dec 1862 he enlisted in Co
 B 2 regt U.S.C. and an about an about
 the same time I did. I and Lewis
 Williams did fatigue duty and was
 in the battle of Suffolk Va together
 the steamer Lewis Williams was
 from Norfolk (Carolina) and he enlisted
 some time after I did and we both
 went to Fort Monroe Va on a boat
 to gether and I call him Lewis William
 1st he was from Norfolk (Carolina) he
 was the identical Lewis Williams who
 was shot in the battle of Suffolk
 Va also I was well and personally
 acquainted with Lewis Davis of Co B
 2 regt U.S.C. and he was of Virginia man from
 the State of Va. I know this by
 reason of I rate a letter for Lewis
 Davis to his wife at that time who
 was in Norfolk Va to wit Mary
 of Williams who was at that time
 in New Bern etc. Lewis Davis
 was not in the fight at Suffolk
 Va we left him behind in the
 hospital at Fort Monroe Va.
 and I don't know what become

of Lewis Davis I know he was a
 light complexioned man and he was
 an old man that is he is settle
 and Lewis Williams was shot in the
 Battle of Suffolk Va. on about the
 month of April 1864 I saw him
 as stated in my Prior affidavit.
 Date Sept 5 1892 and Lewis Williams
 was that was that was a spare build
 man and he was settle I don't direct
 ly know his age there were only one
 Lewis Williams in Co B 2 regt m & L
 that came from North Carolina
 it is there there was a man name
 Lewis Davis from Va. the I think
 enlisted at Suffolk Va. in Co B 2 regt
 he was a recruit Lewis Williams I
 is the man I represent or describe I
 am not concerned in the prosecuting
 of this claim my address is
 New Bern N.C.
 witness

E. C. Carpenter Ballin Wright
 & J. Smith

application for enlisted pension
act June 27 1890 of Southey J Etelson

State of North Carolina County of
Cranen on this 16 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared Southey J Etelson
age 43 years resident of New Bern Cranen
Co. N.C. who being duly sworn according
to Law declares that he was the identical
Southey J Etelson who was enlisted at Beaufort
art. N.C. on about the 1st day of April
1862 as filat in the U.S. Army at Beau-
fort Harbor in the war of the rebellion
and served at least ninety days and was
discharge at Beaufort N.C. on the day or
fall 1864 that he was total unable to
earn or support by reason of Rheumatism
and Dropsy and Swell of feet and
legs and Suffer with weakness of back
and at times cant hardly get along or
about the house his feet swell up so
bad that he was taken with the afore said
Disabilities at Beaufort Harbor in the
winter of 1862 by exposure and cold
greatly expose to weather the said
disabilities are not due to his vicious habits
and are to the best of his knowledge
and belief permanent that he has not
applied for a pension under application
etc he was a pensioner under left etc
that he makes this declaration for the
purpose of being place on the pension roll
of the U.S. under the provisions of
the act of June 27 1890 he hereby appoint
Jacobrick Douglass of New Bern his
true and lawful attorney to present
this claim my Post address is Newbern
N.C. Carpenter
Jarris Paby

E. M. Simkins saw sign her name sent Sept 17 1892
 bidding Simkins says they was present and saw the claimant

S J Etelson
claimant

Declaration for and original invalid pension
Charles Henry Green old law

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State of North Carolina Co of Granen on
this 15 day of Sept A D 1892 personally
appeared before me Charles Henry Green
age 53 years who being duly sworn accord
ing to law declares that he is the identical
Charles H Green who was enrolled as of
first on the 20 day of Sept 1864 in Co
G 40 Regt U.S.C. and validated in Co E
25 Regt U.S.C. Commanded by Gen. Miles
and was honorably discharged at fort Pike on
the 20 day Sept 1869 that his personal descrip
tion is as follows age 27 years ~~resident~~
high 6 feet complexion dark hair dark
eyes dark that while a member of the organ
ization aforesaid in the service and in
the line of duty at fort Pike in the State of
La. on about the June or July 1869 was taken
with Phurlogia in head and face and had
to have his teeth pulled out and contracted
the Brown Chert in the U.S. service and
Rheumatism in his head and back that he
was treated in hospital as follows he was
treated in the hospital at fort Pike La. that
he has not been employed in the military
or naval service other wise than stated
above that he has not been in the milin
tary or naval service since the 20 day of
Sept 1869 and since leaving the service
this applicant has resided in the Town
of Newbern N.C. and his occupation
has been that of Common Labor and when
he enlisted in the army he was of sound
able bodied man and now he is about
1/2 disabled to perform manual labor
by reason of the disabilities above

mentioned and he makes this declaration
in order to be place on the emerald pension
roll of the U.S. he hereby appoints with
full power and substitution and revocation
Gendrick Douglass of New Bern N.C.
his true and lawful attorney to present
this his claim not received not applied
for a pension that his residence is New
Bern N.C. his past address is
New Bern N.C.

carpenter
C. & White

his
Charles H. Green
mark

H. H. Davis who were present and
John H. H. saw the claimant make
his mark

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and also an application under the act
of June 27 1890 and articles of agreement
and Power of the attorney, all sent
Sept the 17 1892

Claim of Sarah Pruden^{nee} Harrill.
Widow's Pension or decree of pension

I Sat of North Carolina County of 6
travels on this 16 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared before me Sarah
Pruden alias Harrill age 48 years who
being duly sworn according to law
declares in order to obtain a pension
provided by the act of Congress granting
pensions to widows that she are the wid
ow of Ransom Pruden who enrolled
under the name of Ransom Pruden
at Plymouth C.C. on the 21 day of Jan
uary - 1864 in Co B 34 regt U.S.C. in
the war of 1861 who contracted the
Phthisis and heart trouble feet and
Legs swell up and sometimes of back feet
and legs and knees all swelled up
and he complain of pains in back died
on the fall 1867 who bore at the time of
his death the rank of 1st private in Co B
34 regt U.S.C. That she was married
under the name of Sarah Phillips
to said Ransom Pruden alias Harrill day
of August 1848 by Counsel Wooten at near
George C.C. there being no legal barriers
to such marriage that she neither her hus
band has not been previously married that
she was married prior to James Pape
who is dead that she has present remain
his widow that the following are the
names and birth of all his legitimate
children surviving who was under
18 years of age at father's death viz
that she has not abscond the support of
any one of her children but there are
still under her care or maintenance

had three children by the soldier
and they are now dead that she has
not ~~appeared~~ in any manner engaged
in or ^{aid} abetted in the rebellion of the U.S.
that of prior application has been filed
etc. 440328 of Sarah Harrell widow
of Ransom Prudden alias Harrell that
she hereby appoints with full power
of substitution and revocation ~~Frederick~~
Rick Douglass of New Bern etc
her attorney to present the above claim
my so address is James City etc

In witness whereof Sarah ^{her} Prudden
& et. Smith alias ^{mark} Harrell

also personally appeared before me
Mary et Whitehead of Providence Bryan
who was present and saw Sarah
Prudden sign her name and make
her mark

& et. Smith Mary et Whitehead
In witness whereof Providence ^{her} Bryan
mark

Sent of with articles of agreement
and at Fanny Power all sent
Sept the 19 1892

Mr Frederick Douglass
attorney Newbern etc.

Sir I referring to the case of Lewis
Williams as of Company B. 2 regt u
S & Cay I am directed by the
Secretary of war to inform you that
it appears from the record that
of Lewis Williams first and of
Lewis Williams second was member
of Co B and 2 regt u S & Cay far
that the purpose of proper identifi-
cation it is necessary to know whether
the application referred to Lewis Williams
first or second if the parties inter-
ested have no positive recollection of
such of designation the soldier's age
at date of enlistment place of birth
occupation and former owner must
be stated

very respectfully
Colonel u S Army
Chief record and pension office
war department

alister
and Mary Whitehead affidavit
and one of John Roberts and
Ballin Wright signed in Book 8
and all Sent Sept 19 1892

Clara. Williams widow of Silas

State of North Carolina County of Cranes
in pursuance of claim of Charra Williams
widow of Silas Williams alias W. Williams
died Dec 30 v. S. C. T. personally appeared
before the undersigned duly authorized
to administer oath within and for said
County & B. her age 60 who last address
is Pembroke N.C. who being duly
sworn states that on about Feb 16
1844 said Silas Williams was in my
company employment on my farm
near Dan Borne etc about which
time he requested me to procure his
marriage license for him which request
I complied with and he was born
times call Bill Williams and some
times Silas Williams I applied for
said license under the name of W.
Williams under which name they
was issued that I have been informed
that his name was Silas Williams
and that he enlisted under this name
and presumed the name Bill Williams
was a nick name that I am well
acquainted with the widow of Silas who
with the said husband who both been
in my employ for several years and at
the time of his death they were living
near my farm near where they have
resided from the date of their marriage
to the date of death of said Silas Williams
so that they lived and cohabitated
together as man and wife from
the date of their marriage to date of
death of said Silas and was so

Considered as man and wife
by all that knew him my Pds
address is New Bern N.C.

Witness
E. B. Got
Frederick Harrison

Marriage of Clara Becton to William
Williams.

State of North Carolina

County of Craven.

I James W. Biddle Register of
Deeds of Craven County N.C. do hereby
certify that William Williams and
Clara Becton both colored were
married February 16th 1884 by J.
Richardson J. P. as per record file in
my office given under my hand and
Seal Sept 9th 1892

James W. Biddle
Reg of Deeds and
Ex office Clerk Board
of County Craven

request for special action in pension
claim of Mary Vannile

State of North Carolina County
of Craven on this 19 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before
me Mary Vannile age 32 residents of
Oxon being old who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that
el Mary Vannile applicant for pension
to \$382 9.88 and for the reason given
below request is made for special
consideration of the claim by the
Honorable Commissioner of pension
that el am sick not able to help my
Self and have ben for the last six
months sick pain in breast and left
side el am not able to support my
Self and el has not remarried since
the death of my husband Julius Vannile
late of Co G 1st Regt N.S. I el have
not shared with any man as man
and wife and the Soldiers children
are an my care and maintenance
and they are small and suffering for
meats as they are not able to work
and el has no incomes and no property
and no one legal bound for her sup-
port and el am suffering for the
necessaries of life and for nurs-
ments of my children are naked
and crying for bread el have no
sheet to wear and no garments el
am upon the hands of Charity el ask
for a little more as soon as possible
el have 8 children of the Soldier two
are now sick and suffering witness
Ed Carpenter and J. C. Smith Mary Vannile

Sent Sept 21 1892
also affidavits made by Presilla Collins and City Garne all

State of North Carolina County
of Warren on this 19 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before
me James L. Lawrence age 49 years
resident of Newbern N.C. who being
duly sworn according to law deposes
as follows that he is a pensioner
of the U.S. by Cert No. 651391 and
duly enrolled at Knoxville Tenn
pension agency at the rate of Twelve
dollars per month by reason of
disabilities from Rheumatism and decay
of Mouth resulting in Stomach and
Diarrhea and Decay of Rectum in
accord with military Service of the U.S.
while serving as private of Co. of 5 regt
at Rhode Island Vol. 44th that his
present physical condition is such
that he claims him self entitled to
redress and increase pension he further
declares that he is disabled in the follow-
ing manner to wit Rheumatism heart
disease and diarrhea and filth decay of
the mouth and last of teeth application
is also made for increase of pension on
the account of new disabilities to wit at
Andersonville in State of Georgia about
out July and Aug 1864 he contracted
diarrhea and filth and Rheumatism and
heart disease and Stomach and decay
last of teeth and decay of the mouth
by exposure and cold while prisoner
in Andersonville Georgia the summer
of 1864 the Rheumatism grows worse and
filth it applied for Pils in my former

Witnessed by John W. Barber

And Carpenters and Smith

Declaration of hand pains about
heart and fluttering about heart and
pains in left side and clamping
deaf in right ear all come from ear
pressure and cold that he hereby
appears with full power and substitution
and renunciation Frederick Douglass of
New Bern my true and lawful
attorney to prosecute his claim
his past address is New Bern
Carroll Co. N.C.

E. W. Carpenter

James Lawrence

E. C. Smith

also personally appeared Michael Mc
Gray and W. Barber residents of New Bern
who says they were present and saw
the claimant James Lawrence sign
his name to the foregoing declaration

E. W. Carpenter

Michael Mc Gray

E. C. Smith

W. Barber

mark

all sent 22 day of Sept 1892 with
articles of agreement and Power of
attorney

under said laws

increase of pension act June 27 1890
of John Brown

State of Iowa Caroline County of
Lawrence In matter of original pension
in case on this 20 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared John Brown age
54 years residents of Cherokee County
Iowa who being duly sworn
in accordance to law declares as follows
he is a pensioner of a.s. entitled at
present will receive at the rate of 8 doll
ars per month Sept 26 1890 629 by
reason of disability from Rheumatism
and disease of digestive organs that
he was at present in Co of 2d Regt re
I.C. Co Val that he believes himself
entitled to and increase pension on the
grounds the pension allowed him
are too low and not commensurate
with the extent of his present disabili-
ties. He therefore requests that he
be forwarded with another medical exam-
ination with the view of determining his
rights to 12 dollars per month the full
rate allowed under the act of June 27
1890. The Rheumatism has increased and
grown and resulting in to heart disease
and kidney disease Disease of uric acid
Bladder troubles and has pains in back
and shoulder and arms and neck and he
suffers with pains in left side and
the aches are growing worse and
greatly troubles him and cause him
not able to eat any food that will
aid and sustain him that he is there-
fore call by Wreck and ask that his
claim be taken up and he hereby

affiants Frederick Douglass of
New Bern N.C. his true and lawful
attorney to prosecute his claim
my last address is Newbern N.C.
carpenter John ^{his} Brown
mark

also personally appeared Jno Harris alias
Wadsworth and Darsy Baker residents
of Newbern who says they was present
and saw the claimant John Brown
make his mark to the fore going
declaration

witness carpenter John Harris alias John
D. Brown to make his mark Darsy Baker
mark

claim of Edward Bell

State of North Carolina County of
Granville in matter of claim of Edward
Bell late of the U.S. Hospital at Newbern
N.C. 1863 and 1864 on this 19 day of
Sept of 1892 personally appeared before
me Edward Bell age 53 years residents
of Newbern N.C. well known to be rep-
table and entitled to credit who being
duly sworn according to law declared that
a filed declaration for the money and
expense of pay due him an about Aug
1891 in same time in 1891 and authentic
and affiants are Frederick Douglass of
New Bern as my attorney to prosecute
my claim was filed for money due him
for service rendered by him in the U.S.
Hospital at Newbern N.C. in 1862 and
1863 he waited on the sick and cleaned
out the spit houses and back house

and he did not get his money for said
 work as follows: Dressed the sick
 and kept to carry the dead and clean
 up the rooms and clean out & spit holes
 and he worked day and night and he
 was promised twenty five dollars at
 month and he did not receive any
 credit and that he applied for his
 money and he still claims for the
 same and ask that he be paid for
 said service that he was to perform while
 in said service and now suffering
 from disabilities of which he contracted
 while in the U.S. hospital his past
 address is Ebenezer Clark that his
 letters be sent to Frederick Douglass
 of Ebenezer Clark he is my attorney
 and I would get money for said service
 witness
 Edward + Bell
 J D Barfield

also personally appeared before me
 Sylvester Leary age 40 years resident
 of near Ebenezer Clark well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows that I am
 the identical Sylvester Leary who
 was in hospital at Ebenezer Clark
 I went from the spring 1862 up into
 all an about the winter of 1862 I was
 19 months under Dr. M. Bouge and
 Dr. Deane and serving said period

I become acquainted with the Claimant
 Edward Bell he also worked in the
 hospital at Otterburne etc he superintended
 and waited on the sick and cleaned
 out the water closets and such like
 and I know that he worked several
 months and also remember the
 paymaster did not pay him his
 money but they said we would get
 our money for said services rendered
 in hospital & as I will remember
 Edward Bell he worked in the same
 hospital I did and he did not
 receive his pay and I did not
 get mine
 Witness ^{his} Sylvester Paray
 Encarpenter ^{month}
 J. D. Barfield

Sent Sept 22 1892

Claim of Mary & Boon alias Fields

State of North Carolina County
 of St. James in matter of original
 partition claim etc to 384211 of Mary
 Boon alias Fields minor child of
 George Boon late of Co. G 14 regt U.S.
 S. & H. arty. on this 20 day of Sept
 1892 personally appeared before me
 Richard Weaver age 40 years resident
 of near Newburn in the County of
 James well known to be reputable and
 entitled to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows that
 he enlisted as a private of Co. G 14 regt U.S.
 S. & H. arty at Newburn etc on
 about March 1864 the same time that
 George Boon and he was at member
 of my company and regt and was
 discharged December 11 1865 at fort
 Macon and while he was in the service
 there he contracted the Rheumatism
 and Blindness of both eyes and he
 continued to grow worse and worse
 after he came out of the army
 up until he died he died from
 the effect of heart disease resulting
 from Rheumatism he died on the 12
 day of September 1888 and when
 he died he left a widow surviving
 to wit Mary Boon and she died
 June 18 1892 and left the only
 surviving legitimate child of
 George Boon and Mary Boon who were
 under 16 years of age at the time of
 his death of home are now the claim
 want Mary & Boon alias Fields

was born Oct 22 1842 el was
present when Mary Ellen married
George Boon and had the matrimony
read to them and by that marriage
and cohabitation Mary & Boon
was born and she are now living
and are in a suffering condition
and are upon the hands of Charity
my past address is New Bern
N.C.

Witness

Richard W. Weaver
mark

Emcarpenter

Seunders Fields

and also and affidavit made by
Margaret Weaver stating the same
as above all sent Sept 22 1892

Claim of Darsey Baker

State of North Carolina County of
Crawson. On matter of original add and
etw disabilities Certificate No 444206
of Darsey Baker late private of Co I 2d
Regt N.S. & Cay on this 21 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before me
Owen Bryant age 42 years residents
of New Bern N.C. well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to law
deposes as follows that el became
acquainted with Darsey Baker in about
the fall of 1892 at New Bern N.C.
We work together in water master's
department up until he enlisted
el private of Co I 2d Regt N.S. & Cay

he was a well and hearty man from
 all appearance when he enlisted I
 remember well that he got enfolded
 in left ~~side~~ leg and hip and Back
 and side at Suffolk Va. fight on about
 April 1864 and a retreat from the
 enemy in jumping of Canal his
 horse feet struck the up side bank and
 fell backwards in the Canal and fell
 on Percy Baker and broke his leg
 and left hip and enfolded his back
 and he was sent to the doctor and from
 there to the hospital he was away from
 the Company in the hospital several
 months and he come back to the Co
 at Stafford Va. on about May 1865
 and got worse and was sent back
 to the hospital again he never come
 back to the Company any more until
 a bout month before he was discharge
 at Brown's Santiago Texas he was there
 total disable to do duty I was present
 when he got enfolded I lost my horse
 at the same time I can remember
 the place well when the claimant
 returned to the Company and right to be
 discharge he was down unable to do any
 thing I saw the injuries before he was
 discharge his leg had swindled away about
 one half from all appearance and shorter
 than the other appeared to be drawn he
 was in that condition when he returned
 to the Company and right on about
 January 1866 at Brown's Santiago Texas
 sent he have been discharging up to

Sent Sept 23 1892
 and an affidavit made by John Shepard same as above

The forasent I have seen him
about once or twice a month he
lived here at Stew Bernes etc the
first six years after discharge and
I saw him weekly and he was in
a very poor condition he was unable
to work and very lame and complain
of his back and his leg and
and he appears to grow worse and
worse and now he is not able to do
any manual labor from his appearance
my last address Stew Bernes etc
witness

Govcarpenter
E A Smith

Owen Bryant

Claim of George Smith

State of North Carolina County of
Crawford in matter of original claim of
Stew and old disabilities pension claim
etc 479658 of George Smith Corp of
Co D 38 Regt U S & Val Inf
on this 20 day of Sept 1892 personally
appeared before me Charles C. Hooker
age 46 years residents of Stew Bernes
in the County of Crawford etc well known
to be reputable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to law declares
as follows I enlisted in Co A private
in Co D 38 Regt U S & Val and about
Feb 1864 and George Smith enlisted
a little before I did in same Co
and Regt at Newbern etc and he
seem to be a well hearty sound bodied
man from all appearance up until

Sept 29 1892
witness of agreement & etc

and Boon & Gurney and Blindness, deafness

an about Sept 1864 at deep bottom
va. he was shot in the arm and was
convinced to the hospital at Faints
Park and was excused from duty
and from going about around of
left arm resulted in to rheumatism
in and stiffness of back and pain
in left shoulder also at the same
time and place he was taken with
diarrhea and piles and he contra
cted the above said disabilities
while in line of duty and he contin
ues to grow worse and worse each
year and now he is sick and
is suffering with Rheumatism
Diarrhea and Piles and from that
wound of left arm and stiffness
of back he has no interest in
claim of his address is at
Berni etc.

Witness Charles W. Hoaker
& W. Carpenter son

and neighbor affidavit made by Thomas Edmon

Claim of Mary of Slight

State of North Carolina County of Granville
on this 14 day of Sept 1892 personally
appeared before me Mary of Slight age
64 years residents of Edenboro etc well
known to be reputable and entitled to credit
who being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows: In order to obtain the wid
ow Bounty act of Congress that she is
the widow of Alfred Slight Decd who
enrolled under the name of Alfred

Samuel Carter

State of Wisconsin County of
 Grant in matter of claim of
 original invalid pension of
 Samuel Carter late and Seaman
 at & stay on this 15 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me
 Will Taylor age 47 years resident
 of Will Hill in County of Grant
 and State of Wisconsin thus
 Past address is Effront Hope Wis
 well known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit and who being duly sworn
 declares in relation to above said case
 as follows: he was Surgeon of U.S.S.
 State Georgia from Dec 1864 to Sept
 1865 at the same time Samuel
 Carter was ordinary Seaman on
 the same vessel and about Jan aft
 Feb 1866 Samuel Carter was struck
 in the head with a big gun.
 as it recoiled from firing the
 accident occurred in the line of duty
 and the was an of remember the
 accident is at the time the Sargent
 told me it had been of white
 man the blow on the head would
 have killed him

The Surgeon Dr Eastwood is dead

Sent Sept 23 1892

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears in the records of the Court of the District of Columbia.

Witness my hand and seal this 1st day of March 1864.

J. C. Smith, Clerk of the Court.

Well known to be reputable and entitled
to Credit who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows
that it was present and saw Mary
et Slight make her mark to the foregoing
declaration that they have been well
acquainted with Mary et Slight for
many years and she are the identical
person she claims to be
and sent off 24 day of Sep 1892
witness

Encourpenter Susan Bon
E et Smith Samuel Parsons
mark

Claim of Mary Lorie
State of et with Carolina County of Pitt
on this 22 day of Sept et 1892 personally
appeared Mary Lorie age 37 years who
being duly sworn according to law declares
as follows in order to obtain the pension
provided by the act of Congress granting
pension to widows that she are the widow
of Jacob Lorie who enrolled under the
name of Jacob Lorie on the 21 day of April
et 1866 in Co D 40th regt U.S. G.I.
by Capt George F. Beards in the war of 1861
He contracted the Lung disease and heart
disease resulted from Rheumatism Cold and
Exposure and also his left arm in the
wrist was impaired and enfeebled and
he died from the affect of heart disease
and lung disease on the 12 day of April
1889 who bore at the time of his death the
rank of and Ex-private in Co D 40th

regt U. S. G. I. That she was married under
 the name of Mary Base to said Jacob
 Loe on the 9 day of April A D 1868 by
 Joseph Walton decd a preacher at Gruns
 mill Tenn there being no legal bar to
 such marriage that neither her nor her
 husband had been previously married that
 neither husband nor claimant had
 been married that she has to present date
 remained his widow that the following
 are the names and births of all his legitimate
 children Surviving who were under 16
 years of age at fathers death viz no children
 by the said Loe That she has not
 in any manner engaged in or aided or
 abetted the rebellion in the U S that prior
 application has been filed No 409005 of
 Mary Loe widow of Jacob Loe late of
 Co D 40th regt U. S. G. I. allowed under act of
 June 24 1890 by Capt et al 386 643 that she
 here by appoints Frederick Douglass of
 New York et al her true and lawful
 attorney to prosecute the above claim
 That her residence is at Grinnell
 Pitt et al

Ch B Parker
 et M Wheeler

Mary Loe
 her
 mark

also personally appeared before me
 Josephins Bailey residents Grinnell
 et al Prince Williams residents of
 Grinnell who being duly sworn accord
 ing to law declare that they were focused
 and saw Mary Loe make her mark
 to the fore going declaration.

M. B. Parker
 et M. Wheeler
 Joseph Bailey
 Prince Williams

Elie Williams
 Claim of Princy Williams widow of

State of North Carolina County
 of Curran matter of original pension
 claim of \$ 430 355 of Princy Williams
 widow of Elie Williams died of late of Co
 H 26 regt U.S. by an this 23 day of
 Sept 1892 personally appeared before
 me Princy Williams age 36 years resident
 of ~~Stanton~~ Hookerton Green Co etc
 well known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 that she are unable to furnish the
 testimony of commissioned officers
 are Sargants of her husbands Co and
 regt by reason of the do not know
 where about there past address is and
 she has furnish the affidavits of Com
 rads of his Company and regt and
 she ask that there affidavits be excepted
 in the there of she further states that
 she are unable to furnish the Dr
 who treated him. Elie Williams in
 his last illness by reason he had
 now and that he was down about $\frac{4}{5}$
 of his time sick with Rheumatism
 and a severe cough and hacking
 cough and pains in the left side
 and Diarrhea and piles and he
 was not able to employ any Dr
 and the Doctors would not visit
 him without money and she ask
 that the testimony of neighbors
 be excepted in the there of he
 was complaining when he
 married him he was complaining

of Rheumatism and pains in Breast
 and left Side and he had a bad
 hacking Cough and he continued
 to complain of Cough and pains
 in Side and died up untill
 he died he died on the 14 day of
 May 1874 I claim in my opin-
 ion that the Cough and Lung
 disease was the immediate Cause
 of his death he complained of
 Lung disease and heart disease
 I had one child by the Saldier
 Eli Williams who died in child
 birth and the Saldier suffered with
 said disease he was down in his
 last illness helpless for about 6
 months I have nurse him times of
 child he died and left me upon the
 hands of Charity my husband told
 me he had never been married prior
 to his marriage of me and I had
 never been married prior I married
 Eli Williams on or about the 25 day
 of October 1871 under the name of
 Prince Elise in Cranen Co Ill and
 I have not remarried or live with
 any man as man and wife since
 the death of my husband Eli
 Williams and I am I have been
 upon the hands of Charity I
 am total unable to work and have
 been for three or four years
 helpless upon the hands of Charity
 by reason of while my husband
 was down sick in his last

illness in the winter and spring
 of 1876 I was exposed in cold
 trying to take care of him and
 my self and I contracted Rheumatism
 and was down with Rheumatism
 in my feet and legs and side so
 untill I am down up and have
 to go on crutches and sticks I
 am as helpless as a child and
 has to have a constant nurse
 and has no property whatever to
 the amount of one dollar and no
 increase and no one legal bound to
 my support the county gives me
 one dollar per month for about
 2 1/2 years I become so disable I could
 walk and had no one to wait on
 me and I have not received any
 thing from the County since and
 I ask that the Commissioner of
 pension please allow my claim I
 am not able to employ any Physician
 and I ask that the testimony of neigh-
 bors be accepted I can not get
 about I have to be home about
 I am down with Rheumatism and
 can not help my self and I ask
 that my claim be allowed Frederick
 Douglass of New York etc
 is my true and lawful attorney
 and I ask that he be continued and
 recognize as my legal and lawful
 attorney and I ask that the
 Hon Commissioners of pension
 to please allow my claim

Continued

under the old general law and my
attorney Frederick Douglass. of New
Borne etc to allowed a fee accord
ing to section 4785 of the R.S of us
appeared July 8 1884 and July 4 1884
my Past address is Hookerton Green
Co etc in care of Mr Oliver Williams
of Hookerton Green Co etc I don't
think I stand time long I am suff
ering for the necessities of life

for J W Gilghman Princy ^{her} Williams
_{mark} for Blount.

also personally appeared before me
Emmer Williams age 25 years resid
ent of New Hookerton Green Co well
known to be reputable and entitle to
credit who being duly sworn accord
ing to law declares as follows I
have ben acquainted with Princy
William pretty much all my life I
was acquainted with her husband Eli
Williams I visit him in his last ill
ness and he complain of Rheumatism
in Side and Chest up until
he died on about the 14 day of May
1877 about 15 years ago I remember
it by reason after Eli Williams died
his widow Princy come and live in
the house with my aunt and has ben
living pretty much ever since and
she has not remarried since the
death of her husband and has

and affidavit of Oliver Williams
neighbor

not lived with any man as
man and wife if she had el
said any reason to believe I would
have known it by reason she
live with me and has no property
and no incomes and no one legal
bound for her support and is upon
of charity and she are afflicted
with Rheumatism she are all drawn
up and has to go on crutches and
she has ben on the County and the
County has fail to give her any
thing and she are upon the mercy
of the world and requires an every
day and Bright &

Edmond ^{her} Williams
mark

J. W. Felghman J.R.

J. W. Blount

also personally appeared before
Jacob Ham age 52 years resident of
near Hopkinton N.H. well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who being
duly sworn according to law declares as
follows I become acquainted with Eli
Williams in fall 1891 also the Claimant
the time he was married and I talk
with Eli Williams and he said he
never was married before and the
Claimant said the same and they
live and cohabit to gether as
man and wife and Eli was not
a well man he complains of it

hacking Cough, and had long
 trouble and Rheumatism
 he was bad off with Rheumatism
 after he married the Claimant
 he become so disable he could not do
 any thing and he had a dreadful
 Cough and pains in left side and
 he become total helpless and his wife
 nurse him and he and his wife was
 bath keep up by the hands of Charity
 I remember when he was baptise he
 was carried to the water and I have
 to carry him in the water he was total
 unable to walk by reason of Rheum
 atism and pains and dry hacking cough
 and he continues to complain up until
 he died on the 14 day of May 1877 I
 visit him and have him along in his
 last illness and I was present
 when he died and have to bury him
 I think he died from the affect of
 lung disease and severe Cough by
 reason he spit Blood and Cough of
 great deal. and he suffered and died
 in the military service of the U S
 and was discharged at his death he
 left the Claimant and she has not
 remarried or live with man as man
 wife she are as helpless as a child
 have no one legal bound to her surpa
 rt she are total unable to work and
 are upon the hands of Charity she
 are a member of my Church and her
 husband was a member of my Church
 and she has no property and I

Edcombe Whatever I am a min
ister of Gospel pastor of Ch St Mary
in Pitt Co etc

Jacob Horn

J W Felghman J B

and also and affidavit made by
George Hooper

and all sent Sept 27

1892

Claim of Asa Hoare and of pension
State of North Carolina County
of Edcombe on this 26 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before me
Asa Hoare alias Webster age 46 years
who being duly sworn according
to law declared that he made the follow
ing declaration in order to obtain
the pension provided by the act
of Congress granting pension
to widows that he is the
widow of Sandy Hoare who married
under the name of Sandy Hoare
at Washington etc on the 2 day
March 1865 in Co B 35 regt U S
A. in war of 1861 and was
taken sick and died with typhoid
feaver on the 24 day of May
1865 who bore at the time of
his death printed in Co B
37 Regt U S A that she was

married under the name of Elsa
 Hanna to said Sandy Elmore
 alias Walster May 1855 by consent
 of parents at old Sparta and their
 being no legal bars to such mar-
 riage that neither she nor he has been
 previously married.
 and she has not married prior
 that she was the present date his
 widow and one she had one child
 by the Soldier who died before he
 married that she has not any
 marital property in or aided or abetted
 the rebellion in the U.S. that her
 prior application has been filed
 that she hereby appoints with
 full power and substitution and
 ratification Frederick Douglass of
 Newbern etc her attorney to
 prosecute this her claim that
 her residence is Newbern etc
 W & Sugg
 J & Gung

Elsa & Walster
 and also personally mark appeared
 before me W & Sugg residing Barb-
 ers and all of Right President of Barb-
 ers etc who says that they were present
 and saw the claimant make her
 mark

all sent Sept the 28 and of declaration
 for widow's pension under the act of
 June 27 1840

Claim of Gatsy Jenkins Widow dec for pension one pension

State of North Carolina Co
Edgcomb on this 26 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before
me Gatsy Jenkins age 65 years
who being duly sworn according to
makes the following declaration in
order to obtain the pension provided
by the acts of Congress granting
pension to widows that she is the
widow of Simon Jenkins who enroll-
ed under the name of Simon
Jenkins of New Bern. etc. and that
he was about five or 1862 in Co H
30 regt N.S.C. in the war of 1861
he was wounded at deep bottom or
Chapans farm Va and died in the
Hospital at Chapans farm Feb 1865
Who bore at the time of his death
the rank of and exprimat. in Co H
30 regt N.S.C. that was married
under the name of Gatsy Jenkins
January 1865 by consent of their owners
at near Tarboro etc. there being no legal
bar to such marriage that she neither
her husband had been previously married
prior to her that she has remained his
widow that the following are the names
and birth of all his legitimate children
under 16 years at his death
Lucy J. born Jan 10 1854
Eda J. born Feb 18 1859
Della J. born Aug 14 1861 that she
has not abandoned the support of any
of her children but they are still
under her care and maintenance

they are still living except ed
 the died Aug 10 1881 and Della is
 afflicted and has been all her life
 el do not know the number of my
 claim el hereby appoint ^{her} ~~Frederick~~
 Douglass of New Berlin my true
 and lawful attorney to prosecute
 this my claim etc for address
 is care of Clifford Battle Barbara
 etc
 Harry Sprad ^{her} Gabrielle Juncius
 et al James

Harry Sprad
 et al James

and also and application under
 the act of June 24 1890 was sent
 Sept 28 1892 articles government
 sent

declaration for increase and variation
 Monroe Lee

State of North Carolina County of Edgcomb
 on this 26 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared appeared before me Monroe
 Lee age 56 years resident of near
 Barbara County of Edgcomb State of
 N.C. who being duly sworn declares
 that he are at pensioner of U.S. enrolled
 at the Hotwell Tenn pension agency
 at the rate of two dollars per month
 Cert No 510882 by reason of disabilities
 of gun shot wound of left middle finger

and injury to the right hip incurred
in the military or naval service of the
U.S. while serving as Chaplain of Co E
25 regt U.S.C. that he believes
himself entitled to and increase
pension on account of his rating being
too low not adequate to the extent of
his present disability he also believes
himself entitled to a rating as the
rate allowed him are too low and not
commensurate with his present disability
which has existed in a permanent degree
since discharge he suffers and are total
unable to do any manual labor and
are helpless that he suffers with the
gun shot wound of left hand and
middle finger which causes impair-
ment of left hand and when the
weather are cloudy it swell up so it
is of no use to me and injury of right
hip have increased and cause stiff-
ness of right hip and leg and weakness
of back and it has resulted in to
Rheumatism and he asks that he be
rated on the grounds that he filed
a claim for original pension
some time in 1878 or 1879 for disab-
ilities to wit gun shot wound of
left middle finger and injury of
right hip he was only allowed two
dollars per month from June the
21 1866 by Act of 510882 of which
was too low and not commensurate
with the extent of my disability and
ask that to be rated and by reason

as said Decree increasing el ask
 far elmorease that el hereby appoint with
 full power and substitution and renoc
 ation Fredrick Douglass of etenberne
 of el his true and lawful attorney to
 present his claim el ask that my letter
 be sent in care of W. H. Pender of
 etenberne et el
 S L Johnson
 Gaston L Wyman Honoral^{his} Lee
 mark

also personally appeared before me
 S L Johnson residents of Barbara et el
 and Gaston L Wyman of Barbara
 who says that they was present and saw
 Honoral Lee make his mark to the
 fore going declaration.

Declaration for envalid pension
 act of June 27 1890 Honoral Lee
 of etate of North Carolina County of Edgemont
 on this 26 day of Sept of 1892 personally
 appeared before Honoral Lee age 56 residents
 of near Barbara County of Edgemont Stat
 of et el who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows. that he and the
 identical Honoral Lee who was envalid
 on the 25 day of May 1863 in Co of
 25 regt U. S. C. S. in the service of the
 U S in the war of the rebellion and
 served at least ninety days and was
 Honorable discharg at Charleston S. C.
 on the 1 day of June 1866 that he
 are total unable to earn el support
 by manual labor by reason of

from shot wound of left hand
 and middle finger and injury of the
 right finger and Rheumatism and
 pains in the arm and loss of vision of
 both eyes and pains in the head he
 contracted while in the army and they
 increase. The said disabilities are not
 due to his vicious habits and are to
 the best of my knowledge and belief
 of permanent character that he has a
 applied for pension under application
 of 265065 that he is a pensioner under
 certificat of 510882 Evidence is on file
 in the Bureau of pensions that he has not
 been employed in the military and
 naval service other wise than stated
 above that he makes this following
 declaration for the purpose of being
 placed on the pension roll of the U.S.
 under the provisions of the act of June
 27 1890 he hereby appoints Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern his true
 and lawful attorney in law of Ellen
 Bonifant of Washington D.C. my past
 address in care of W H Pender of
 New Bern N.C.
 S. L. Johnson Hon. R. L. L.
 Gaston Wyman mark

also personally appeared before me
 S. L. Johnson of Barbours and
 Gaston L. Wyman of Barbours who
 declare that they was present and
 saw the claimant Charles L. L.
 make her mark. all sent Sept 192

Claim of Clara Gibbs

State of North Carolina County
in matter of dependent matters claim
No 548934 of Clara Gibbs the mother
of William Gibbs of Co H 35 regt
N S & Y on this 27 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared before me Pomp
Sathithite age 44 years resident of
Stamperne Granun Co etc all know
n to be reputable and entitle to cred
it who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows that
I enlisted in Co H 35 N S & Y
an about June 1862 at Stamperne
the same time William Gibbs
enlisted in my Co and regt and then
he was a well and hearty man from
all appearance up untill an about
the fall of 1862 at Hallys Island
I heard the Lieut Saldar complain
ing of diarrhea and at near Charles
ton S C I heard him complaining
of small. Pot and he continued
to complain and grow worse
up untill he died he died an about
January 1866 at the hospital.
etc relation my Pas address is
Stamperne etc

witness

E. J. Carpenter
& J. Smith

Pomp Sathithite

and also personally appeared
John Gibbs age 57 years resident
of Pamlico etc all known
to be reputable and entitle to

Clara Gibb

Credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as
 follows I became acquainted with
 Clara Gibb when I was a small
 boy and all so I was acquainted
 with her son William Gibb.
 and I know he was the identical
 child of Clara Gibb and Bartie Gibb.
 I was not present when Clara Gibb
 married Bartie Gibb but I became
 acquainted with them very soon after
 they were married and I know
 they live together as man and
 wife and was so recognized as man
 and wife by all that knew them
 and by that marriage and cohabitation
 thirteen children was borne to wit
 Berlinda Susan and Linda Babert
 Nancy and William Jessa and
 Smith Chumport Cardela Bartie
 Arena Edward Henry William Gibb
 the Soldier left his home and went
 to harness and went to work in
 of m r s and there he enlisted
 on about June 1862 in Co H 35
 regt m s & I know William Gibb
 & I was never married and when
 he died he left neither widow nor
 minor child but left a mother
 surviving to wit Clara Gibb
 and she are still living and
 the father of the Soldier died
 yet 25 1875 at Pamlico ch
 and left a willow surviving
 to wit Clara Gibb and she

Clara Gibb

Has not remarried or lived with
any man as man and wife since
the death of her said husband
to wit Bartie Gibbs el had every
reason to believe to believe el
would have known it because
el see him pretty monthly and
she are in a suffering condition
my last address is Baybar

Pamplico
witness
E. A. Carpenter
& C. Smith

John ^{his} Gibb
mark

and the same affidavit made
by Annie Broock of same City

also personally appeared before me Mr
John Woods age 44 years residents of
of Stone wall Pamplico well known
to be reputable and entitle to credit
who being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows el was born and raised
in Lenora County an Dimsey Woods
is plantation and el moved to Pamp-
lico County an about the winter of
1874 and then and there el become
acquainted with the Claimant Geo-
rges Gibb and also her husband
Bartie Gibbs and he was sick then
and in 1875 he died and left a widow
surnaming to Clara Gibb and she are
still living and has not remarried
or live with any man as man and

wife if she had of have any
 reason to believe I would have
 known it because I see her pretty
 much daily and I have been living
 at near neighbor of her about two
 years and see her pretty much daily
 and she are pretty much lost the use
 of the right arm and she are almost
 helpless and cant work for her sup-
 port and she has a invalid son who
 have been invalid from his birth
 and she are now in a suffering
 condition suffering for medical
 aid and for the necessities of life and
 for warmth to wear and for bread
 to eat and has no property and no
 income and no one friend for
 her support and she are upon the
 hands of charity and a poor
 Beggare my P.O. address is
 Stone wall Pamphico N.C.
 witness

E. Carpenter
 & Co. Smith

June Wood

Sent Sept 29 1892

Claim of William H. Jackson.

Stat of North Carolina County of Orange
 in matter of original claim Serft No 225192
 of William Jackson late Private of Co A 1st
 U.S. B.Y. on this 27 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me William
 H. Jackson age 49 years resident of near
 River Dale N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declares as
 follows I am a pensioner of the U.S. by
 Serft No 225192 by reason of gun shot
 wound of the index finger of right hand
 at the rate of Eight. per month I filed
 declaration for aid and other disabilities
 to wit Rheumatism and Diarrhea and
 Piles and Ulcers and gun shot wound
 on about the spring of 1888 and I have
 and I have furnished two comrades of my
 own company and regt and who was in the
 hospital with me and doctors and neigh-
 bors I also got my attorney Frederick
 Douglass of Ebenezer N.C. to file Decla-
 ration for me under the act of June 27 1890
 and on about July 1890 and that claims
 are still depending and I am sick and
 suffering and ask that said claims be
 taken up and settled I am sick and all
 my family are sick and I am in a suffering
 condition and I would say that Frederick
 Douglass of Ebenezer N.C. and he has not
 neglected my claims and I ask that he
 be continued legal counsel as my attorney
 in my claims I do here by Countermand
 and renounce all former attorneys that may
 have appeared in the premises and ask

that Commissioners of Pension to
 recognize my original attorney Frederick
 Douglass of Newberne etc my legal
 attorney to present this claim for
 annuall pension and please inform me or
 my attorney at once what evidence are needed
 please send all my letters in care of Fre
 derick Douglass of Newberne etc

Witness
 Encarpenter ^{his} Wm H Jackson
 & Co Smith mark

Dated Sept the 20th 30. 1892

Claim of Jasper Williams
 State of North Carolina County of
 Granville in matter of original claim
 etc 33328 of Jasper Williams lat 1st class
 Bay in U.S Army on this 24 day of
 Sept 24 1892 personally appeared before
 me Jasper Williams age 71 years
 resident of Blounts Creek Beaufort etc
 well known to be reputable and entitled to cre
 dit who being duly sworn according to
 Law declares as follows I was born and
 raised at Lake Landing Hyde Co etc
 on Spencer Monroes plantation where
 Washington etc was taken by the
 Union Army I left my home and
 went to Washington and there I enlisted
 U.S Army as first class Bay under
 Captain Brown on a Board of the
 Schooner recruit and well and hearty
 man had no sickness untill the

Winter 1864 near Deep Bottom and there
 I received gun shot wound in left arm I
 was taken with Rheumatism in legs thighs
 and knees and Back and feet and I also
 was taken Diarrhea while on ship and I
 was sent to the hospital at Annapolis Md
 I was honorably discharged at Sargent hospital
 Certificat at Annapolis Md and I do
 declare that I have not been in naval or
 Military or Naval Service of the U S
 since an about December 1864 up to the
 present since my discharge from U S
 Army I have lived at Blounts Creek
 Beaufort Co Md and my Post office
 address have been Blounts Creek Md
 from my discharge up to the present my
 Physican disabilities have been as follows
 I have been greatly troubled each and
 every year with following disabilities Chron-
 ic Diarrhea and Piles and Rheumatism and
 gun shot wound of left arm and
 weakness of eyes and for the first 10
 years after I was discharged I was $\frac{2}{3}$
 disable to perform manual labor by
 reason of the afore said disabilities
 and since that time my disabilities
 have increased and grows worse and worse
 and for the last two years I have been
 totally unable to perform manual labor
 and now I am in a suffering condition
 and am upon the hands of charity
 and I ask that my claim under the
 act of June 27 1890 be allowed and
 I further ask that the Commissioners
 of pension to furnish me the Paste

address and where about of my Captain
and ship mates that was on U.S.

I Recalls my Captain Crommer and
Linn Estbrook ship mate Sily Wiggins
George Moore Ward Hamilton

these are some of the men that was
on my ship please direct in care
of Hendrick Douglass of Newberne
etc.

Witness

Enoc Carpenter

W.H. Cox

Jasper ^{his} Williams
mark

also personally appeared before me
W.H. Cox age 25 years residents

Blounts Creek beaufort Co etc well
known to be reputable and entitle to
Credit who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows el become
acquainted with Jasper Williams for
about twenty years we have lived
within a mile of each other for the
last fifteen years and see her two
and three times a month when el
first become acquainted with him he
was complaining of Rheumatism
and he told me he was wounded in
left arm and he showed me the
place on the left arm where he
was wounded and he had diarrhea
and Piles and Complaint of his
eye sight and he has continued
to complain each year from
my first acquaintance with the

with the the afore said disabilities
 and had to stop work at once on
 the account of the afore said
 disabilities and now he are total
 disable or about so he has tried to
 work for me where he was able to
 do any thing and el have hope him
 to get a lodge el am Whit el own
 a farm on Blounts Creek Blount
 County etc and he are now suffer
 ing for the necessities of this life
 my Past address is Blount Creek
 Blount
 witness
 W. H. Cox
 S. W. Carpenter

all sent Sept 30 1892

declaration for widows Pension
 act of June 27 1890 of Maria Smith
 State of North Carolina County Edge
 Combe on this 26 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me Maria
 Smith age 41 years residents of near
 Barbara Edgecombe County State of
 North Carolina who being duly sworn
 according to law declares that she are
 the widow of Alonzo Smith who enlisted
 under the name of Alonzo Smith
 at Kennerly etc on 23 day of December
 1863 in Co H 2d Regt N. S. C. Coy and
 served at least ninety days in the
 military. Rebellion who was honorable

discharge at Brozo Santiago Texas
 and did from the affects of injury
 of right Arm that she was married
 under the name of Maria James to said
 Orlando Smith on the day of October
 1867 by Ewen Higgin of P at Barbara
 etc and there no legal bar to such
 marriage that neither had not been married
 before or prior that she has not remarried
 since the death of Oliver Smith that she
 are without either means of support than
 her manual labor and name and both
 of children under 14 year are none and
 I do apply for pension and the number
 of my former application is do not know
 number of the claim and I make
 this declaration in to be place on
 the pension roll of us under the
 provisions of the act of June 27 1890
 and she hereby appoints Frederick
 Douglass of Newbern etc her true and
 lawful attorney to prosecute her claim and
 direct the sum of 10 dollars to be paid said
 attorney her past address is in care of W H
 Hender of Newbern of Newbern Granville
 Co etc. Harry Spruel John G. Jones
 John G. Jones
 Maria ^{her} Smith
 mark

also personally appeared before me Harry
 Spruel residents Barbara and John G. Jones
 of Barbara who says that they were present
 and saw Maria Smith make her mark
 to the foregoing declaration all sent of
 Sept 30th 1892

Claim of Emma Woodward.

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of original claim etc
 342355 of Annie E Woodward the widow
 of William Woodward Sargent of Book 35
 regt n d c y on the 24 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me Annie E
 Woodward age 45 years resident of James
 City et c well known to be respectable and
 entitle to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows I
 was born and raised in Elizabeth City
 et c I belong to the widow Pally
 Whiters of Elizabeth City et c I became
 acquainted with William Woodward ^{my late husband} when I
 was a small girl he belong to Joseph
 Woodward who lived about twelve miles
 from Elizabeth City et c the way I became
 acquainted with William Woodward was at
 nurse for James Ball He and his family
 would visit Woodward family and I would
 go with them and nurse the children
 when I was about fifteen year old William
 Woodward and I come together and was
 married by the consent of their owners
 and my Aunt Elizabeth Griffin who Rais
 me and this was on about the 24 day of
 Dec 1861 at Elizabeth City et c was
 taken by the union army on about
 Feb 1862 and on about the last of
 March 1862 I and my husband come
 to Strawberry et c and live and inhab-
 itated together as man and wife and
 just before my husband enlisted
 we remarried each other under the n s
 Marshall Law at Strawberry et c

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we was then married by elbace Brown
 a baptis minister by reason that my
 husband said he was going to join
 the army and if he got killed he would
 get what was allowed him and he
 enlisted a Sargent of Co F 35 regt
 U S & Y an about first of may 1862
 at Newbern N.C. and remained with
 his company at place call James City
 N.C. up to the 30 of July 1862 and el
 wash for his Capt to write elrmstrong
 up untill they went away to Halls
 S & el had a son child by the Saldier
 who was born after the Saldier went
 away the afore said child was born
 January 15 1864 el recieved a letter
 from the Saldier William Woodards
 Brought by Hardy Georgecard of Co
 F 35 regt U.S. & Y the contents of the
 Letter said about the child and it did
 if it was a boy to come it Charles
 and el name the child Charlie Woodard
 my husband sent me at the same time
 a gold watch and Pocket knife and
 the next letter el got was from Capt
 elrmstrong and Saldier my husband
 was killed in the Battle at Olustee Fla
 an about Feb 1864 and el was Lathan
 of Co F 35 regt U.S. & Y and el
 has not remarried and living as
 his widow that el have ben invalid
 for twenty years and not able to help
 my self el have Phthisis and el ask that
 my claim be allowed and all letters
 in relation to my claim be

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Sent to Frederick Douglass of New
 Bern N.C.
 witness Annie ^{her} + Woodward
 & carpenter _{mark}
 of Schuylky

also personally appeared Phillip Wiggins
 age 50 years Joseph Gibson age 51
 residents of ~~Charlotte~~ ^{Farmville} N.C. who declares
 that they was present and saw the
 claimant Annie & Woodward make
 her mark to the fore going declaration
 and they have ben acquainted with her
 9 years more or less
 witness

& carpenter ^{them} Phillip + Wiggins
 of Schuylky Joseph + Gibson
_{marks}

also personally appeared before me Mr
 Joseph Gibson age 51 years residents
 of Farmville N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitle to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows that he was present
 and saw Annie & Woodward and William
 Woodward married under the Marshall
 law at Place now Farmville N.C. they
 was married by Eldier Isaac Brown
 a minister of the Free Will Baptist of Farmville
 N.C. when he first become acquainted
 with William Woodward and Annie &
 Woodward an about April 1862 they was then
 living as man and wife and was so
 recognizing as man and wife by all that

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Them come out law that all Ballard
 men and waman that was living as
 man and wife by the consent of there
 owners should come together and
 marry under u S Star shall Card
 and there for William Woodard and
 Annie E Woodard the Claimant
 come together and was married by
 the yere said minister Elzacc
 Brown in my presence and there
 was ex greate many present at the
 same time and she conceived and
 brought forth a child by the sabbath
 after that marraige and the child are
 still living and the Claimant has
 not remarrid or line with any man
 as man and wife if she had I would
 have known it she has ben eleven
 annor twenty years and el lived in
 speaking distance of her avar 28 years
 and see her too at three times of week
 my Past address is James City
 Va

witness

E J Scheelky

Joseph ^{his} Gibson
 March

also personally appeared Elixey Dimpsy
 age 54 years residents of near James
 City one mile west in Granun Co
 et al well known to be reputable and
 entitle to Credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows el become acquainted
 with Annie E Woodard when she
 was small girl at Elizetht City

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At the time she then belong to Mr Pally Whit-
 =ers of Elizabeth City. At the time she grewed
 up and married William Woodard
 by consent of their owners. El was
 not present when their owners gave
 them the consent but el was told
 by William Woodard and his wife
 about it a month after they was
 married and they live together as
 man and wife and was so consider
 as man and wife by all that know
 them. El was present when they married
 under Marshall Law at New Bern
 N.C. just before William Woodard Enl
 isted of Co E 35 Regt U.S.C. I when
 the Regiment was made up and muste-
 =red in June 1862. El was el was enrolled
 as hospital nurse under Doctor David
 Monr and William Woodard Sargent
 of Co E 35 Regt U.S.C. I the Claimant's
 husband was kill at the Battle of Al-
 =stet N.C. The Claimant had one
 child by the Soldier. El left the Regt
 at Summers Hill N.C. Oct 1866 and
 come home and seen Claimant Elva
 and three times week living in spea-
 king distance for the first 12 years and
 el know she has not remarried or
 lived with any man as man and wife
 my past address is James City N.C.
 Witness

E. W. Carpenter
 C. J. Schultze.

Elizabeth^{her} + Dempsey
 mark

all sent Sept 30 1892

widow of Wm Jordan Co C 14 Regt U.S. 67

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of original pension
 claim No 555952 of Annie Jordan
 alias the widow of William Jordan Decl
 late of Co C 14 Regt U.S. & Co 67 on
 this 29 Day of Sept 1892 personally appear
 before me Annie Jordan alias the
 age 46 years a resident of near Vanceboro
 Craven Co N.C. well known to be reputable
 and entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares as follows
 I am unable to furnish testimony of
 Commissioners officers or assistant Sargent
 of my husband Wm Jordan Company and
 Regt to the origin of his disease by reason
 of I do not know where about their past
 address but I ask that the testimony
 of Comrades of the Comrade Co and Regt
 be excepted in line three of to wit Sgt
 Geo M Brown Pot Geo Squires batt of
 Co C 14 Regt U.S. & Co 67 also I am
 unable to furnish testimony of medical
 Doctor who treated my husband in
 his last illness by reason of W & was
 not able to employ any my husband sent
 for doctor Smith of Vanceboro N.C. but
 but fail to come by reason we could not
 pay him the money cash down my husb
 and suffered with Rheumatism and pains
 in left side and back and head up
 untill he died March 12 1868 I am
 unable to furnish copy of the Public
 Record or Church record so to my
 marriage of the Soldier by reason
 there was no public record kept

Age 555952. of Annie Gordon widow Wm Gordon Dec 6/4th.

at that time and I ask that the testimony of eye witness be excepted in line three off I married him on the 14 day of Feb 1866 and it was never married before he married me it was born in Green Co. N.Y. on Mr Thomas Albrighton Plantation and raised in Lennox Co. N.Y. an Mr Thomas Albrighton plantation and I come to Vancouver B.C. in the fall of 1865 I become acquainted with Wm Gordon in Green Co. N.Y. before the late war Hoakerton N.Y. was my Po address when first met the Soldier I knew him from childhood and he enlisted in Co. G 14 regt N.Y. at New Berne. Some time in 1864 and he was discharge Dec 1865 and in Feb 1866 we married at near Vancouver B.C. Mr George Beel I married and I had no children by the Soldier Wm Gordon was raised in Green County N.Y. near Hoakerton N.Y. he belong to Mr Berya Kennedy his mother name him Wm Gordon and he belong to Mr Benjamin Kennedy his mother was a farmer and Wm Gordon worked on the farm his hair was dark dark hair and dark eyes I don't know his age he was between 20 and 30 years old when he enlisted in the N.Y. he enlisted at New Berne and come home out of the Army complaining of Rheumatism and pains in back side and head and he died complaining of pains in left side and shortness of breath and died on 12 day of March 1868 and I live his widow up until on about 1871

Annie Jordan #555952

and I ask that my claim be allowed
my Past address is Paris barro off
adituss

Encarpenter
St Beerser

Annie^{her} Jordan
mark

Also Personally appeared. Squire Jenkins age 49 years
a Resident of New Hampshire & he well known to be a faithful
and entitled to credit & he being duly sworn according
to Laws of New Hampshire he became acquainted with
Wm Jordan & the claimant Annie Jordan on or about 1867
at New Hampshire & he then was living as man & wife &
that they had not been very long married. I lived a near
neighbor to him & William the Squire went by two names.
to visit Wm Jordan & Wm Kennedy, & I ask him his
right name, & he told me that his Right Name was Wm J.
Kennedy, & he said his Squire Name was Wm Jordan
& he & the claimant lived together so near & some
people called him Wm Jordan & some call him
Wm Kennedy, when I first met him in the
Spring of 1867 I talk with him & I told him about
my marriage, & I told that I was going to get
married soon he ask me had I ever been
married I told him yes & I ask him
how many times had he been married he
told me that he had been married but one time
the claimant was his first wife he said that he
married her in Feb. 1866 about three months after
he came out of the U.S. Army & I ask him what
was her name before he married her & he told
me that her name was Annie Edwards he
said she had not been married before & I
ask him how he knew & he said he knew her
from a child after I married I visit the claimant
from Spring of 1867 up until he died & I work

Annie Jordan No 556,752

with him when he was able to work by reason of the
 Rheumatism & pain in the left side he suffered with
 said disease. I knew people would offer to hire him
 to work & he would Refuse to work by Reason of the
 said Rheumatism & pain in side & head & he
 continued to complain growed worse & worse
 each year up until he died March 12. 1868 &
 Ref to Hurd him also went after a Doctor for
 him in his last illness he was very Bad off
 with pains in left side & shortness of the Breath the
 Doctor to wit Webster Smith Refuse to come because
 the poor soldier had no money but send him
 Caden & Ann Gordon. died March 12. 1868 & Ref
 to Bury him he had no children by the soldier
 & after the death of Ann Gordon the claimant
 live his widow up until on or spring of 1871
 at which time she Remarried to one Jarvis
 Edwards but & to one Luke Pugh the claimant
 So. Address is Vincennes Mo. I am living in the
 same neighbor hood & see the claimant often
 I am no Relation to the claimant & I have no interest
 in the claim my So. Address is Vincennes Mo.
 Witness Square Jenkins

E. W. Carpenter
 E. A. Smith

Sworn & subscribed to before me at
 E. W. Carpenter A. P.

Mary Ann Gattlin

State of North Carolina County of
 Granville in matter of original claim
 etc of Mary Ann Gattlin the widow of
 Riley Gattlin late joint of Co of 1st
 Artillery U.S. Val on this 28 day of Sept
 A.D. 1892 personally appeared before
 me Jerry Lane of said age 40 years resident
 of Henderson N.C. well known to be
 respectable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law declared
 as follows that I am the sister of
 Riley Gattlin I raise him untill he
 was large enough to work for him self
 his mother died when he was quite small
 say three brother Riley Gattlin my
 Brother late joint of Co of 1st Artillery
 U.S. Val I know he was living in
 my house 1850 51 52 53 54 and 1855
 and I say again up untill he enlisted
 and I know he was not married to
 any one I cook and washed for him
 at that time he would work out at
 times but he would not stay over
 amount of two but he made my house
 his home and I know that he never
 married any one not untill he married
 Mary Ann Weatherington who now
 is the Claimant and she is the only
 woman that my Brother had for wife
 if my Brother had married any one
 else I certainly would have known
 it and I do know that my Brother
 never did marry any other woman or
 lived with any other woman in marriage
 relation or relation to my brother Riley.

gattin marrying Mary Dine in 1854
 or any firm is a Goalse nat Groue He
 never did marry her or own her as his
 wife nat stayed with. her as his wife
 it is true that he visit her just before
 the war as any man would do but the
 never married her she was of that Char-
 =acter that known man would marry
 her that know her that she lived
 within 8 miles of where I lived
 and her department was very bad in
 the neighbor hood and I knew my
 brother never did own her as his
 wife and I never herd her own him
 as her husband nat untill he died
 after his Death and she asound out
 there was something coming to him
 she applyed for it of which she had.
 no legal Right too what I saw and as in
 Relation to the standing up with my
 Brother in presents of Jane Watson
 and others and having the marriage
 Cerimonies Red and they made man
 and wife there is a fault from the
 beginning and mad and man
 factured for the purpose of depending
 many are Weatherington now gattin
 out he Legal Rights I know my Brother
 never was married to no Gred
 and I never herd of it before nat untill
 my Brother died then she claim him
 as her husband she never stayed with
 him and the living she did may have
 a great deal to do in her Dropping on
 the Street in Mrs Berne &c

Nitross
 Sauerbraten
 H. Bolmer

ferry ferry ^{two} ferry elbach
 Mark

No 444 206

We the undersigned Regular Practicing Physicians

have examined one Dorsey Baker Late of Co. 7. 2nd U. S. Regt. & find said Baker totally unable from performing any labor from the following causes Chronicitis of left Hip joint Resulting from and impacted fracture received during his Military services in the late war the left leg is short and wasted away to about half the size of right leg & thigh and on account of the undisturbed of any work cause great pain which mostly renders him at times

Jenster Duffey M.D.
graduated from U. S. Surgeon
Baltimore

March 1889

Robert S. Purnose M.D.
graduated by Belton Hospital M.D. Oct. 1889
March 1889

Dated Newbern N.C. Oct 3 1892

North Carolina Bureau of Census & Subscribed
to before me this 3rd day of Oct 1892 and I
Certify that the foregoing was written by
Dr. Purnose in my Presence and same
signed in my Presence & that the affiants are
the identical persons they claim to be and
Practicing Physicians in good Professional
Standing in Newbern N.C. and are credible
& worthy of belief. J. W. Carpenter
Notary Public

Attachment Dorsey Baker
in matter of original Claim old & New
Resolutes No. 444 206 of Dorsey Baker
Late Privet of Co. 7. 2nd Regt. U. S. Army on
this 1st day of October A.D. 1892 personally
appeared before me a Notary Public
for and with in the County and State

Dorsey Baker Continued

Upon said Dorsey Baker age 49
 years Resident of Anchorage Alaska
 well known to be reputable and entitled
 to audit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows my P.O. address
 is Newbern N.C. Since my discharge
 from said service on the 12 day of July 1866
 I have resided in the County of Colman
 and State of N.D. I have lived about six
 years in partnership with Mr. J. H. 1866 to 1872
 then I went about fourteen miles from Newbern
 N.C. on Washington Road and that my occupation
 has been that of a farmer at least my children
 farm for me I further state that the disability for
 which a Pension is claimed arose from Injuries
 and lacerations and cold which was received &
 contracted in N. C. during that I was thrown
 by horse jumping Canal at Suffolk Va
 April 1864 which I injured my left Hip
 and Back thigh and Crotch and left leg which
 has resulted in Rheumatism & Chronic Pain trouble &
 weakness in the cross of the Back. From my said
 discharge to the present time I have received the following
 medical treatment for the said disease or injuries & was
 first treated by Doctor Isaac Hughes Surgeon of Newbern N.C.
 from March 1866 After I got to Newbern N.C.
 until he died on or about the year of 1880 then Henry
 G. Bates treated me up until he died June 1890 & Badly
 injured from a rough external or external time. When
 I was able to work to get the money I have continued to buy
 medicine & during all the said time my physical condition
 and ability to perform manual labor has been so
 feeble. At the 14 years after I was discharged and stayed
 in Newbern City N.C. I was total unable to work & came out
 the Hospital & got my discharge & was taken care of by my

Dorsey Baker Co Fd Recd U.S. & Co. Cat # 44206

Further representall I make in the County & was
to total unable to do any thing after I became in
the County. I got so I could not get about and do
a little light work & follow my children up I have not
been able to do one third of ordinary work by
manual labor at any time since I have been
discharged July 1866 & for the last ten years I have
not been able to do any thing to obtain living
by manual labor my children work & take care of
them & was allowed a pension by Cat # 44206
issued in my favor on the 23rd of August 1889
the pension to be a sum of the 13th day of July 1866
at the rate of \$2.00 per month & eight dollars
per month from January 16/89 this pension
being for the left hip & leg the rate was two dollars
and not commensurate with the extent of the disability
which has existed in a permanent severe manner
and total unable to do manual labor & was
considered rated not rated according to the class of dis-
abilities and under by law that my left leg and
thigh & hip & mind & body about half to the natural
size & quality of mind so much so that at times I can
not get about A.B. and according to Act of Congress
chap. 236 approved June 16 1880 that great portion of
my time I require the aid of another person & I
ask that my claim be reconsidered and allow the
rate that is justly due me by law that my children
is in the Frederick Douglass of New York N.Y. and
ask that the Affidavit of Dr. L. B. Saff & R. D. Primrose
be accepted in line statement of my condition.

Dorsey Baker

Sworn & subscribed to before me the 1st day of October 1892

Carl Carpenter A.P.

Sent off this 4th day of Oct. 1892

Also Harry Broadbent of Co Fd Recd made an Affidavit sent
of same time.

Claim of Mary Ann Gattin

State of North Carolina County
 of Currier in matter of original
 claim etc of Mary Ann Gattin
 the legal widow of Riley Gattin late
 private of Co G 1st Regt U S Caval
 on this 24 day of Sept of 1892
 personally appeared before me Mr George
 Broad Street age 62 years Resident of
 Cherokee Co well known to be reputable
 and entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to laws declares as
 follows I became acquainted with
 Riley Gattin in about the Spring of
 1851 here at Cherokee Co from
 1851 to the time he enlisted in U S
 Army I would visit Riley Gattin
 who worked at John Gastons and he
 was a single man had no wife and
 had never been married we was
 close friends and if he had married
 in the year of 1854 or from 1851 to date
 of enlistment I am satisfied I would
 have known it but he was never
 married until he married Mary
 Ann Gattin who is his legal and
 lawful widow and he married her
 in about March 1870 this I am satis-
 fied of I never heard him claim no
 other as his wife and he never lived
 with no other woman as his wife
 I was well acquainted with Mary Decree
 in her life time and I never heard
 that Riley Gattin married her
 in my life time until after his
 death then Mary Decree

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claim that she did fast to get
 his forgiveness she has lived here in
 this country every since our first
 acquaintance with her an about year
 1848 & never did know that Mary
 Decree ever married any man &
 know that she had one illegitimate
 child not in wed lock by any one
 the boy is still living Billy Gattin
 married Mary Ann Weatherinton
 the claimant and about March
 1860 and she has two lawful
 children by Billy Gattin the said
 Mr and they are still living the said
 Mary Decree to Billy
 Gattin is false not true and
 I have every reason to believe that
 allegation in relation to the marriage
 of Mary Decree to Billy Gattin
 are not true many factored &
 was Captain of Schooner before
 the war & come home Reglar and
 saw Billy Gattin and he was of
 friend of mine and I was a Pil
 lot in time the war & have no
 interest in claim my last address
 is at Bern & Co

Witness
 Carpenter George Brant true
 Johnson

Mary Ann Gatlins

personally appeared before me
 Bachelor Wiggins age 50 years
 residents of Stewbore C.E. well
 known to be reputable and entitle to
 the credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declare as follows I was born
 and raised on John Gaston's Plantation
 in the County of Craven and State
 of N.C. I became acquainted with Billy
 Gatlins when he was a young girl. He
 came to work on the John Gaston
 Plantation and he worked there every
 second week for fifteen years or
 more up until he went in to the
 Army. He was then a single man
 had no wife and he saw him every
 week up until he enlisted and had
 no wife and he never heard any one say
 he was married or live with any one as
 man and wife not until he married
 Mary Ann Weatherington March the 18th 1870
 at Stewbore C.E. I never know Mary
 Dearee not until about the year of 1872
 she was then living at Batchlar Creek
 C.E. and she was then known as Mary
 Dearee and she continued to go by the
 name of Mary Ann Dearee until Billy
 Gatlins died when she heard that Mary
 Ann Gatlins alias Weatherington was
 trying to get a pension. Then Mary
 Ann Dearee change her name to Mary
 Ann Gatlins alidg that she was
 the widow of Billy Gatlins I was
 living in the same house at the
 time she was living in one end

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of the same house, and el was living
in the other end she told me she was
going to put in for a pension she
told me she had a child she could
swear easily claim that she was his
widow el told her if it was me if el did
not think enough of him to Bather after
after him before he died el would not after
he was dead and she sed she would
and that is the cause of her name appears
el know she never lived with Riley Gattin
or did any thing for him while he lived
and el would say it is wrong to say
Mary Ann Gattin alias Weatherington
out of her pension el have no trust
in said claim
witness

Excorporator
& of Smith

^{her} Rachel Wiggins
mark

also personally appeared before me Another
at Elcock age 51 years resident of near New
Bern. Examen to etc. well known
to be reputable and intitle to Credit
who being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows el am the stepson
of the decess Saldier Riley Gattin and
el have ben knowing him all my
life and el lived in my mother
house very fame Elcock my mother
up untill Riley Enlisted in Co G 1st
etc regt of Caval and she worked
and washed for him and he never
was married untill he married
Mary Ann Weatherington

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It was present when Mary & Gatlin and Riley Gatlin was married and held the matrimony
 led to them they was married by the Justice of Peace his name Henry
 Richard Berry they was married on about March 12 1870 at New Bern
 etc and I knew that they lived together as man and wife and was so
 recognize by all that know them and I know that she was never
 married prior to this marriage of her and Riley Gatlin and by that
 marriage and cohabitation three children
 was born to wit William & Nancy and James and James B Gatlin are
 dead and these are the legitimate children of Riley Gatlin and Mary &
 Gatlin and her husband Riley Gatlin died some time in January
 1889 he left a widow and two children surviving and his widow to wit Mary
 & m Gatlin are still living and have not remarried since the death
 of her husband Riley Gatlin and she has not lived with any man as
 man and wife since the death of her said husband Riley Gatlin if she
 had I have every reason to believe I would have known it because
 I see her pretty much daily and she are in a suffering condition my
 last address is New Bern etc
 Enclosure Arthur & Elphick
 H Baerion mark

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also personal appeared before me
 Mr Lelia Harrington age 68 years
 residents of Eden Grove N.C.
 who declares that he know that
 Mary Ann Weathering married
 Billy Gatlin and they live together
 as man and wife and was so
 known as man and wife by all
 that know them. I never heard
 that Billy Gatlin married Mary
 Ann Decree and he have lived in
 Eden Grove N.C. over 16 years and
 I never did hear Billy Gatlin
 say he married Mary Ann Decree
 and if he had married Mary
 Ann Decree I believe I would
 have known some thing about
 it. I am no relation to claimed
 my last address is Eden Grove
 N.C.

Witness
 E. C. Carpenter
 & J. Smith

Lelia Harrington

Sent of Oct the 5 1892

Claim of Mary Ann Whitehead

State of North Carolina Co
of Granville in matter of Claim
of Lewis William late of Co B 2d
Regt U S C Bay

on this 4 day of Oct 1892

personally appeared before me
L E Masley age 59 years resident
of New Bern etc well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to law
declared as follows. I became acq-
ainted with Conrad Lewis Williams
at New Bern etc an or about the
fall of 1862 before he enlisted in
the Regiment he was from all
appearances a well and hearty man
he enlisted as private in Co B 2d Regt
U S C Bay I remember him well I
persuaded him to enlist in the Regt
and we went a way from New Bern
etc. together and I was informed and
I was sent to the hospital at Bank Hill
near Suffolk Va on or about the spring
of 1864 I was in the Regt hospital and
and I did not see Lewis Williams any
more not untill an about April 1864 he
was brought to the Regiment hospital and
I saw that I think in the leg and
he was in great agony I saw him after
he was brought to the hospital and
talk with him and he was injured
and did not look like he would live
very long and very soon after he
was sent to the Regimental hospital
I was moved and sent to the

General hospital and very soon after
 he was sent to the regimental hospital
 and Lewis Williams was very bad off
 and el thought he was dying when he
 come to the General hospital el got
 better and was sent to the regt
 and el left Lewis Williams in the
 General hospital and el remember
 well very soon after el got to the
 Regt the news come that Lewis Williams
 of Co B 2 regt us & Bay was dead of
 course el did not see him die but
 it was always understood that Lewis
 Williams was dead and died in the
 General Hospital el think that Lewis
 Williams was about five feet and 10
 inches high and that he was about
 twenty or twenty five years of age though
 he might have enlisted at the age
 of 18 years or 21 years of age like good
 may did el do not remember but one
 Lewis Williams of whom enlisted at
 Stevenboro etc it always was reported
 to the regt that Lewis Williams died
 while in the hospital and el have not
 known any other but that he died
 while in hospital my past address
 is at Stevenboro etc
 & ocassional
 & at Smith L. H. Masley

also personally appeared before me
 John Brown age 54 years residents
 of Stevenboro etc well known to
 be reputable and entitle to credit

who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows el become
 acquainted with Lewis Williams of Co
 B 2 regt m S & Cay at Steuborne
 etc an about Dec 1862 he was a
 well and hearty man from all appear
 ance and was a private of Co. B 2 regt
 m S & Cay and we both went to
 future Monroe Va together and in
 March 1864 el was sent to the
 hospital at Chesapeake Va and el
 did not see Conrad Lewis Williams
 any more not untill some time
 in April 1864 Lewis Williams was
 brought to the hospital he was
 wounded he was wounded in the
 battle of Suffolk Va and an about
 the spring of 1864 el was in the
 hospital the time he was brought
 there and Lewis Williams died
 while in the hospital el am satis
 fied he died in the hospital el
 was in the hospital when he was
 brought to the hospital and el
 have not seen him since the
 report was that he died in the
 hospital el was sick in the hospit
 at the time el will further say
 that Lewis Williams enlisted at
 Steuborne etc an about Dec 1862
 he was about five feet 10 inches
 and about 30 years more or less
 and his occupation was a farmer
 & carpenter
 Fredrick Dawson

John B. Brown
 mark

Bandal Staton

State of North Carolina
 County of Granen in matter
 of original claim No 108945
 of Bandal Staton late print of
 Co H 1st regt of C. S. U S Val on
 this 1st day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me Randall Staton
 age well known to be reputable and
 entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows I enlisted as under
 Cook of Captom David Y Laks of
 Co H 1st regt of C. S. U S Val on
 the 14 day of December 1862 at Washing-
 ton C. S. and was honorable discharge
 the 24 day of June 1865. at Stenborne
 C. S. with the Company and regt my
 Personall ~~Discharge~~ description 30
 years old 5 feet and 10¹/₂ inches high
 Dark complexion Brown eyes Black
 hair and by occupation when enroll-
 ed was a farmer my name is spell
 on my discharge. paper was Randall
 Staton I can not read or right
 and my attorney says this is the
 way it was spell I have my disch-
 arge paper in my possession I have
 not been employed in the Millin-
 tary or naval service since the
 24 day of June 1865 that I have
 live in Granen Co C. S. I ask
 that my claim be taken up and
 settled my Past address is
 Stenborne C. S.
 E W Carpenter
 & et Smith

Randall Staton
 his mark

Sent Sept Oct 7 1892

Claim of Siddy Paster

State of North Carolina
 County of Craven on this 5 day
 of Oct 1892 personally appeared
 before me Siddy Paster age 40
 years residents of Stenborne E.C.
 well known to be reputable and
 entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows I make this declaration
 according to law to obtain a discharge
 Certificate of the Service of her late
 Brother according to the act of
 Congress. She declares that she are
 the identical Sister of Charles
 Loringhouse alias Charles Willis
 who Enrolled at point of 60 & 2 regt
 U.S.C. Bay at Stenborne E.C.
 on about Dec 1862 or Jan 1864
 was killed in the summer or fall
 of 1864 while in the service of U.S.
 this Soldier was about 18 or 20 year
 old never was married he was
 about 5 or 8 inches high dark
 complexion and dark hair dark
 eyes a farmer by occupation that
 the never was married had no
 children he was born in Pitt
 County E.C. the Soldiers mother
 was name Chelsie Loringhouse
 died an Masters Plantation Wm.
 Loringhouse 10 miles from Washing
 ton E.C. the father of the Soldier
 to wit Charles Willis who died
 in the summer of 1858 at Washing
 ton E.C. the following are the

Brothers and sister to the Soldier
 to wit Simon & Sidney Maria
 Godley and Jefferson Douglass house
 They are all living that she is
 Required to make an application
 to war department to get her releas-
 ed of the service of the Soldier and
 there fore she makes this application
 to obtain the same that she do
 this day authorize and empower
 Frederick Douglass of New Bern
 cple his true and legal attorney
 to Present and prosecute this her
 Claim and to receive all letters
 Certificates or draft that may be
 sent in her favor and do all act
 that may be necessary to complete
 the same with full power and sub-
 stitution and Revocation that her
 Past address is New Bern N.C.
 witness

E. W. Carpenter ^{his} Sidney Douglass house
 Miles Simmons alias ^{March} Parter

also personally appeared before me Judge
 Langling house age 45 years
 Martha Boyd age 48 years residents
 of New Bern cple will known to
 be reputable and entitle to credit
 declares that they was present and
 saw Sidney Parter make her mark
 to the foregoing declaration
 witness Judge ^{his} Langling house
 E. W. Carpenter ^{March} Martha Boyd
 Miles Simmons ^{March}

Mary Ann Gathin age 47 years
 residents of Newbern N.C. well
 known to be reputable and entitle to
 Credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows in Recd. of
 division of the Bearwar of pension are
 the illeg. grounds that Mary of Decree
 was my husband's lawful wife through
 the report of the Special Examiners
 of the Bearwar of pension regardless
 to the evidence of Saldiers witnesses
 Bath White and Black Bath rectum
 and those that have no interest.
 all Sent

original claim for service of late U.S. &
 Claim of Base. Gaston
 State of North Carolina County of Craven
 on this 6 day of Oct. 1892 personally
 appeared before me Mrs. Rose Gaston
 age 50 years residents of Newbern N.C.
 well known to be reputable and entitle
 to Credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 that she are the identical Rose Gaston
 who enrolled in the U.S. Quarter master
 department at Chamber made on the U.
 S. S. Ship Guell at New Bern N.C.
 Enrolled March 1862 and was discharge
 on about fall 1863 Commanded by
 Capt Vail that she was employed
 a for fifteen dollars month that
 she received Ten Dollars Two thirds
 of one month pay for one month

That was payed by Captain. Vail
 which was all paid to her that she declares
 That the U.S. government owe her for
 services as Chamber maid on the U.S.
 S. Ship. and that she carried S. Soldier
 from place to place & ammunition
 That she makes this declaration in order
 to Recover the same according to law That
 she has not aided or betted against the
 Bellion of U.S. That she do hereby auth-
 =arize and appoint Frederick Douglass of
 Newberne etc her true and legal attor-
 =ny to present and present this her
 Claim giving him full power and
 Substitution and Renovation and to
 receive all letters papers certificates
 draft that may be sent in her favor
 and do all necessary acts to complete the
 same my Pao address is at Newberne
 etc.
 witnesses ^{her} Basal Gaston
 E. W. Carpenter _{mark}
 C. B. Co.

also personally appeared before me Methia
 Kennedy age 42 years Mr Maria Gurler
 age 40 years Residents of Newberne etc.
 Well known to be reputable and entitle
 to credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follow that they was
 present and saw Basal Gaston make
 her mark to the foregoing declaration
 that they have been acquainted with
 her for about 25 years and know that
 she did work on the U.S. S. Ship

and have allways herd her
 say she did not get her pay far
 said work that she visit us at
 times she come shore of the Boat
 that for our long acquaintance with
 her and her appearance that they have
 every reason to believe that she were
 the identical person she claim to be
 my past address is Stenburne of
 witness

Emancipator ^{his} Hettie Kennedy
 C. C. Co Maria ^{her} ^{mark}

also personally appeared before me Mary
 of Green age 50 years residents of
 Stenburne etc well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declare
 as follows that she were well acquainted
 with Pease Gaston the Claimant all my
 life and know she did work on the
 U.S.S. Ship Grille that she would her
 on the boat from time to time
 and know that she did work on that
 boat my anty work on the same boat
 to wit Dinah Anderson and. I would
 hear them talk from time to time
 a boat and the Claimant allways
 claim that she had not recieved
 any pay I know my anty quit on the
 account of she never recieved her pay
 and the Claimant said she never
 recieved her money and she were
 now invalid and requires of nurse

my Past address is etew burne

etew

witness

Emcarpenter

C. B. Cox

Mary of Green.

also personally appeared before me
 Anna Bryant age 54 years resident
 of Tenboone & Co well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declar-
 ed as follows: I am well acquainted
 with Prase Gaston the claimant and
 have been all my life and I know
 she commenced working on the U.S.
 S. Ship Grisel on about March 1862
 and worked of year and of half. I
 would see her from time to time
 on the boat I work for the settle
 and Captain Vail would come and
 eat with them when he come up and
 Prase Gaston would come up with him
 and she has claim that she never
 got pay for her services that she
 rendered on said boat my address
 is etew burne & Co

witness

Emcarpenter

C. B. Cox

Anna Bryant

mark

Declaration for elms and rating Claim of Joseph Jackson.

State of North Carolina County of
Craven. personally appeared before me
Joseph Jackson age 62 years resident
of Stenberg Ck. who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that
he are ex pensioner of the U S Enrolled
at the Stenberg Tenn. pension agency
at the rate of 8 dollars per month
left to 805744 by reason of disability
from shell wound of right thumb
and Rheumatism last first faint of
the thumb of right hand left nub
it incurred in the Military Service
at the U S while serving serving as
a private of Co D 2d regt U S C
that he believes himself entitle to
and increase pension an account of
his rating being too low and not ade-
quate with the present extent of his
disabilities he also believes him self
entitle to ex rating as the rate allow
him was too low and not commensurate
with the present extent of his disability
which have existed in a permanent
degree since discharge that for the last
of the right thumb under the act of
March 3 1873 and April the 3 1884
and act of 1885 Nov 15th 1884 Aug
27 1888 rate 16 or 18 dollars for last
of thumb and it was only allowed
two dollars per month from
July 13 1866 from Dec 24 1890
also Rheumatism the thumb infl-
amed the hand hand at times
and pains go in the shoulder

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and Rheumatism cause hald right
 Leg and Side inflamed and knee and
 foot stiff when el went before the
 medical Surgeon by order of the
 Bearman el told him that my Left foot
 and ankle and knee and waist stiff and
 el made to drage my foot that her by
 affiaints with full power and Substit
 action and revocation of redbrick Dong
 lass of eten borne. et el has borne
 and lawful attorney to present his
 claim his first address is eten
 Borne et el.

et el Borne Rhine Joseph^{his} Jackson
 & Carpenter
 articles of agreements sent on all
 sent oct the 8 1892

also personally appeared Joseph
 Jackson age 62 years residents of
 et el Borne et el who being
 duly sworn according to law declare
 that he is et el pensioner of the U S
 by Cert of 805744 and duly enrolled
 at Knoxville Tenn pension Agency at
 the rate of 8 dollars per month by
 reason of disabilities from shell wound
 of the right thumb and Rheumatism
 incurred in the voluntary service of the
 U S while serving as et el private of
 Co D 2 regt U S C Bay that his pres
 ent physical condition is such that he
 believes himself entitle to receive and
 inCREASE pension he further declares

that he was disabled in the following manner to wit: Shell wound of right thumb & m. injured Phymatosis of right leg ankle foot and hip injured lost of sight and part deaf diarrhea and Piles application is also made for increase of pensions on account of other disability to wit at Chapins farm in State of Va on or about the fall of 1864. He contracted Diarrhea and piles and Phymatosis resulted in heart troubles pains in left side and resulted Lung disease by exposure and cold at front of fort Harrison winter 1864 that he was taken with Boon Scoury at Brozo Santiago Texas in fall of 1865 Cause lost of vision and greatly affected his hearing that his teeth was greatly affected gums eat bare the result from Boon Scoury that he suffers unable to work and he thereby appoints Frederick Douglass of Oberline his true and lawful attorney to prosecute this his claim my past address is Oberline Ct. Grovespunter Joseph Jackson

C. J. Schelkey

also personally appear Wright Stanley and Alonzo Plumb both of Oberline who declare that they was present and saw Joseph Jackson make his mark to the fore giving declarative Wright Stanley
 Grovespunter Alonzo Plumb
 C. J. Schelkey

Howe's abridgement

also personally appeared Wright Stanley
declares that he acquainted with Joseph
Jackson and while in the line of duty
near Chapin's farm in State of Va
in fall 1864 became disabled in the
following manner viz. that he was taken
with diarrhea and piles by drinking
bad water and lung disease and
was taken with Rheumatism by
exposure and cold that it settled
and snowed and stand front with
out any fire and he was taken with
boon screwy cause blind and
part deaf at Broys Santa Fe Texas
and he lost his Right Thumb in
Battle of deep Bottom Va

Wright ^{his} Stanley ^{made by}
_{work}

Enoch Carpenter
of Longs Point

articles of agreement sent
Oct 8 1892

Claim of Hulda Swarrt

A Stat of Ct with Caroline County of
 Virginia in matter of original defendant
 Matthew Claim No 55738 of Hulda Swarrt
 the defendant matter of Hilliard Swarrt
 the defendant late print of No 36
 regt v. S. C. J on this 6 day of Oct at 2
 1892 personally appeared before me
 Edmunds Hick age 62 years residents
 of Newbern N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitle to Credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows of war born in
 Sampson County near Turkey Swamp
 an old Thomas Hick's plantation
 and was raised in Dupling County
 and he become acquainted with Hulda
 Swarrt the claimant an about the fall
 of 1842 in Carver County an Dr
 Chounce Plantation and she was not
 married and did not have no one
 legal bound for her support and she
 worked out for Dr Chounce for her
 support and he pay her pretty much daily
 weekly and she are very aged and
 unable to perform manual labor
 and she are in a suffering condition
 suffering for the necessities of life and
 for raiments to wear and for medical
 aid and he pay her pretty much weekly and
 she are very old and unable to do labor
 and she has no one to depend upon
 because she has not married nor
 lived with any man as man
 and wife if she did I have every
 reason to believe I would have

known it because I see her weekly
and she was in a suffering condition
and she can't do any work whatever
and she has no property and no
income whatever and she was upon
the hands of Charity and the
messies of the road well far her
I repeat my Past address is
Stenborne etc
witness

E. Carpenter Edmond + Hicks
H. Besser Mary

Sent Oct 10 1892

Claim of Jane Hendrixson
State of North Carolina County of
Granville in matter of Claim of Jane
Hendrixson widow of Wm. Hendrixson.
I did on this 7 day of Oct at 2 1892
personally appeared before me E. B.
Wright Stanley age 54 years President
of Stenborne etc. well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to law
declared as follows I was well acquainted
with the Claimant's husband to wit
Wm. Hendrixson who was engaged in
the Bakery Business at Stenborne
etc. some time in 1862 Wm. Hendrixson
had a Baker Shop and a man had
a Bar Room on the upper floor front
over Wm. Hendrixson Shop I know
this by reason of I work with him
and Bake for other Wm. Hendrixson
and he had no stock whatever and

in the Lignars business some
 time in 1862 el was reported the
 men was selling liquors without
 license and the Proast Marshall
 of etw borne etc. arrested the men
 about selling liquors without
 license and they taken Wm Hendi-
 son with the men. that was selling
 Whiskey without license. of which Mr
 Wm. Henderson had nothing to do with
 the liquors he was in Bakery license
 for him self and the Baker Shop had
 nothing to do with the liquors, because
 the liquors business had nothing to
 do with the Baker business el was under
 the employment of Mr Wm Henderson
 & bake for him and had nothing to do
 with the liquor business. Wm Henderson
 was anced with these men that sold
 liquors and they carried William Hendi-
 son away from his wife. the Claimant
 and his Bakery. Thing and the yankers
 destroyed his baking utensils and shop
 and he was keep from his Wife and el
 did not see him any more when el come
 home out of the war in 1866 he was
 dead and his wife was here in town of
 etw borne etc and she has not
 received any of her husbands property
 the yankers destroyed it and she was
 without any property and has no el-
 mome and no one to depend upon
 except the hands of charity & now
 in town my address is etw borne etc
 & carpenter Wright Stanley
 C. C. Co of mark

sent of

Claim of Mary of Whitehead.

personally appeared before me Mrs Mary of Whitehead alias Williams age 55 year resident of James City etc well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declared as follows I am the identical widow of Lewis Williams a private of Co B 2 regt. U S C Cay who enlisted at Newbern etc December 1862 and he was wounded at Suffolk Va fight on about April 1864 and was sent to the hospital and there died and all who knew Lewis Williams said he died there I have furnished testimony many of our comrades who was in his same Co and who was raised on the same plantation before the war and enlisted here at Newbern etc and was with him in the fight to wit John Roberts it appears to me that he ought to know. I have furnished testimony of his duty Sergeant to wit Joseph Ward and private William Wright I have also furnished testimony of comrades who was in hospital when he was brought there and each testifying that it was the identical Lewis Williams my husband who enlisted at Newbern etc and was wounded at Suffolk Va and died in hospital that I received a letter from the war department in Aug 1892 certifying that it appears on record that there was two Lewis Williams

that I was required to identify the
 said Lewis Williams which I claim
 I went got comrades out same to
 who know me and him testified that
 Lewis Williams who was wounded
 at Suffolk Va April 1864 who
 belong to Mills Roberts before the
 war was plantation was 10 miles East
 of Eatonton Ga I have thoroughly
 identified the man and prove that
 he died in U S Army and there
 fore I ask that adjutant General
 to allow me certificate of discharge.
 that I am a poor man not able
 to get around and get witness from
 time to time to furnish a correct
 record when it is all ready in the
 possession of the war department I
 with ask and consideration of my
 claim that my past address is
 Ettenberne Ct. Ga

witness
 Excuse me
 W H Lane
 Mary A + W. Hitchhead
 alias Williams

and also and affidavit made by
 Joseph Ward. all sent Oct 11 1892

Jane Hendison

also personally appeared before me Alice Jordan age 43 years. a resident of Stevenson etc. well known. to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declared as follows I was well acquainted with Wm Hendison and remember he was engaged in Bakery Business at Stevenson etc. he baked for him self the Bake Down in a Basement and a Bar Room was over him but he had nothing to do with the bare or use to pay board from him and it was reported that the man who was selling liquors was selling without license and that the present Marshall of the City of Stevenson etc. that is the Yankers sent his men and broke up this man Wm Hendison Baker Shop and destroyed his things of which Wm Hendison had nothing to do with the Liquors and they taken him up with the men that was charge on the liquors business this was done by the Yankers in 1862 or 1863 and this Wm Hendison was sent away and about account of that and lost all his Bakery utensils and when he come home to his wife the claimant he was sick and full of cold he soon died from the affect of cold and left the claimant without any property, no income my address is
 Wm. Berry etc.
 Esq. Carpenter
 Alice Jordan

Claim of Jane Henderson

Caroline Jackson declaring the same as above all sent
at Oct 11 1892

also personally appeared before me
Edward Henry age 56 years resident
of Kennerly Ark well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who be-
ing duly sworn according to law
declared as follows I became acquaint-
ed with Wm Henderson at Kennerly
Ark in the time of the late war he
was engaged in Baker business & lived
in the N. Kitchen where his Bakery Shop
was and I well remember that he
had his Bakery in the basement of
the Buildings and the upper floor was
a bar room kept by some other man
Wm Henderson had nothing to do with
the bar room and it was reported that
these men was selling whiskey without
license and the Post Office Marshal of
Kennerly Ark had them arrested
and they arrested Wm Henderson
with these men But Wm Henderson
had nothing to do with the liquors
and the Yankee broke up his Bakery
and he lost all he had and he
was carried off and kept for 8 or
nine months from his wife and
when he come home and he was sick
with and very soon he died he was
sick with Cold and Rheumatism and
died and left his widow the Claim-
ant my address is Kennerly Ark
witness

Edward Henry Edmund Henry
W H Pender mark

and also and affidavit made by

Claim of Hannah Washington

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State of North Carolina County of
Curran in matter of original Pension
Claim No 549879 of Hannah Washing-
ton widow of George Washington ~~son of~~
died late. et print of Co H 14 regt N
S C of City

on this 5 day of Oct A D 1892
personally appeared before me Landin
Bryant age 42 years Resident of
Crisp Co. well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to law
deposes as follows I become acq-
ainted with the Claimant Hannah Wash-
ington when I was a child at Beaufort
N C her maiden name was Hannah
Chatwick of which she grew up and
married an Mr Bell at Beaufort N C
of which Mr Bell died very soon
after the late war and on about the
2 day of Aug 1867 she married Mr
George Washington at Beaufort N C
they were married by Rev John
Washington I was at the residence
and I live near neighbor to them
by said marriage two children
was born of the Claimant to
George Washington to wit Eliza
Washington born of the Soldier
by Hannah Washington June
1873 and Julius Washington was
born of the Soldier by the Claimant
Sept 13 1875 I obtain Date of the
Birth of the above named Child
to wit I was being with the

the Claimant and her husband
 George Washington at the time and
 I watered an pot and hand her water
 and other things as required as such
 assistance and I will further state
 that George Washington complain
 of Rheumatism and pains in the
 left side and shortness of the
 breath and at times he are down
 in bed helpless and I can not do
 any thing and he complain of
 heart disease and were down at
 times and it appears that he
 would die and he continues to
 complain from time to time
 and I stayed over and over up
 untill he died on the 15 day of
 May 1880 I was not present
 when he died but the news come
 to our house and the Claimant
 has not remarried I and the
 death of George Washington and
 she are still going under the
 name of ~~George Washington~~ Hannah
 Washington and she has no
 property and no income and
 no one legal bound for her
 support and she are total unable
 to do any manual labor my
 past address is Evergreen
 Ct. &
 E. Carpenter Linda ^{her} Bryant
 Jarvis Paly mort

also personally appeared

before me. Martha Gayle age
 37 years residents of Stenberg
 Ok well known to be reputable
 and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows. He was born and
 raised in Beaufort Bartrick Co Ok
 and on about 1881 he ~~remained~~ ^{moved} in the
 City of Stenberg Ok and he
 became acquainted with the Claimant
 Harsham Washington where
 he was a small child at Beaufort
 Ok. He was raised at near neighbor
 of her also. He remembers on about
 Aug 2d 1866 the Claimant married
 George Washington Ben John
 Washington married them at Beaufort
 Ok and by said marriage and
 habitation two children were born
 of the Claimant by the Soldier to
 wit Elmer Washington born June
 1st 1878 and Julius Washington
 born Sept 13 1875 - he being next
 door neighbor to the Claimant
 when the said children were born
 and he visited the said George Washington
 complain of Rheumatism and pains
 in feet and legs and weakness of back
 and pain in left side and hurt
 lungs and shortness of breath
 which he said he contracted in U.S.
 Army and he died May 1880
~~thought~~ he was not present when
 and the Claimant has not married
 and has no property and no

income my past address is
is Stenborne N.C.

witness

200 Carpenter Martha Habel
Jarkins Paley

Claim of Ruben Helum

State of North Carolina County of Craven
on this 10 day of Oct 1892 personally
appeared before me Ruben Helum age
26 years residents of Pallock mill farm
Co. C. well known to be reputable and
entitled to credit. who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that he
are the identical child of John Helum
decd who enrolled a private of Co. C. 2
regt. U. S. C. Bay on about January
1st 1864 and died while in the U. S.
Service while serving as private of
Co. C. 2 regt. U. S. C. Bay and left surviving
a widow by the name of Mary Ann
Brow and her children Burt and ages
as follows Ruben Helum Born March
29 1858 Easter Helum Born April 15
1855 Mary A. Shepard Born Oct 1st 1857
and the mother of the Soldier Children
married John Helum long before the war
and she Remarried after the war on
about the fall 1868 there is Bounty
and arrears and other allowance due
the Soldier and this application is
made to recover the same according
to act of Congress that he hereby
appoints and authorizes Frederick Douglass

of Ebenezer et al his legal and
 lawful attorney to present this his
 claim with full power and substitution
 and Revocation that he has not any way
 aided or betted in the Rebellion of the U
 S. His past address is Ebenezer et al
 witness

Snodgrass
 E. et. Smith

Benjamin
 mark

Claim of Isaac Carter
 State of North Carolina County
 of Brunswick on this 12 day of Oct
 1892 personally appeared before me
 Essey Person age 55 years resident
 of Ebenezer et al who being duly
 sworn according to Law declared
 as follows that I am acquainted with
 Isaac Carter et al for several
 years and as knew the said
 Isaac Carter to be the identical
 person of that name who enlisted
 at Sargant of Co B 14 regt U S Art
 and who was discharge the 11 day
 of Dec 1865 by reason of order of
 the war department that the said
 Isaac Carter while in the line of
 duty near Sharthead City et al in the
 State of North Carolina did on about
 the Spring or Summer of 1865 become
 disabled in the following manner to
 wit diarrhea and Piles and complaint
 of the kidney disease and weakness of
 Back and was bad off with diarrhea

and Piles and Kidney disease in summer
 of 1865 and also he complain of
 Rheumatism in feet and leg and pains
 in left side and breast and he complain
 of Dimness of Visions. Rheumatism
 Resulted in shortness of breath and side
 and he was treated by regiment Doctor that
 the fact state are personally known to the
 affiant by reason of el was ex private of Co
 B 14 regt U.S.C. & Art. and saw the
 Symptoms of Diarrhea and Piles and in
 the fall of 1865 el succ Carter was
 transfer in Co G 14 regt U.S.C. & Art
 and we all was discharge at Fort Macon
 etc on the 11 day of Dec 1865 and we
 come to New Bern etc and some
 time after discharge el succ Carter
 was Bad off with Rheumatism and
 Diarrhea and piles and Kidney disease
 and dimness of Visions and he complain
 of the Heart troubles and pains about
 the breast and left side and weakness
 of back he is about two third disable
 to do any manual labor and he
 continues to grow worse and worse
 all the while my Past address is
 New Bern etc
 Encarpenter ^{his} Essex Piersone
 H. Balser ^{mark}

also personally appeared before me
 Harvealus W. Jones age 64 years resident
 of New Bern etc who being duly
 sworn according to law states that
 el am acquainted with el succ Carter

applicant for invalid pension and
 knows the said Elmer Carter to be the
 identical person of that name who enlisted
 as volunteer as a Surg in Co B. 14
 Regt U S Artillery Vol and who Discharged
 at Macon Ga on the 11 day of Dec 1865
 by reason of order from the war department
 that Elmer Carter while in line of duty
 at a near Etowah Ga did on about
 Aug 1864 become disable in the follow-
 ing manner to wit contracted the Diarrhea
 and piles of which cause weakness of the
 back and kidney disease at Carroll
 City Ga on about December 1864 was
 was exposed in cold rain and snow with
 contusions and Carter contracted Rheumatism
 in pains in feet and legs and also he
 complain of disease of liver and swelling
 in stomach and in summer of 1865
 at Marehead City Ga he was down Bad
 off with Diarrhea and piles and kidney
 disease and the facts stated are known
 by knowers to the affiant by reason of
 it was at point in Co B 14 Regt U S Artillery
 with the claimant and was with him
 of great portion of his time and saw
 the symptoms of Diarrhea and Piles
 and knew he was excused from duty
 and treated for same and he complain
 in of liver disease and dimness of
 vision also Complaint of Defecia and
 disease of eyes and legs and various
 pains and since discharge the
 claimant has grown worse and
 worse each year with the

Rheumatism when being considerably
 stiffness of joints and swiftness of
 muscles of right leg and hip which
 cause it halt an organ in his joints
 Gait rendering walking more or less
 difficult his heart action is not good
 at pulsations are above the average
 with frequent intermissions. he has
 Hydrocele of right testicle it being
 some deal larger than left Muscular
 development very fair and he has at
 present and probable incipient atrophy
 he complains to suffer occasionally
 from Diarrhea and Piles he has
 sustained a loss of first joint
 of right thumb his vision is
 impaired and in my opinion he are
 total unfit for manual labour
 of any kind ~~at home practice~~
~~medicine for some years my last~~
~~address is Ebenezer of~~
 E. W. Carpenter

State of North Carolina

Parity of Criminal
 in matter of original and
 of all and other distributives
 No. 490 & 58 of William B
 Barber late private of Co F
 3rd regt U S C I on the 14
 day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me a Just
 and within the County and
 State above said Otho James
 Fitzgerald age 54 years residing
 at Enfield N.C. well known
 by to all respectable and until
 to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law
 declared as follows & avers
 of private in Co F 3rd regt
 U S C I at Enfield N.C.
 on about the 19 day of Sept 1864
 and was Honorable Aschaph
 at Raleigh N.C. on about
 the 11 day of July 1865
 and he became acquainted with
 W. Barber at Enfield N.C. on about
 Sept 1864 he was a private of my
 Company F 3rd regt U S C I & was
 with him all through U S Service
 and he was a well and hearty man
 from all appearance when he first
 met him at Enfield N.C. up
 until on about December 1864 at
 near front of Ft Harrison in St of
 Va where was exposed in cold and
 comrad Wm Barber taken at deep
 cold and cough and pains in the

in the head of which resulted and
 he become partial Blind and deaf he
 complain of weakness of the Eyes sight
 Eyes was red inflain and run water
 and he was partial deaf could not hear
 good & would have to speak loud to him
 he deaf in both ears also he had Rheumatism
 and he was complaining on the raid from
 Chapman farm Va to Galdsboro Ct. C.
 he continued to complain of misery
 of the head and weakness of head and
 was excused from duty and he would
 have his head bound up and his
 Eye Glasses on & know the above facts
 by reason & was at present of his Co C
 24 regt N. S. C. I. and & was with him
 and William Barber was made boat of
 the Company and Regt by reason he
 could not hear good and he was
 sick at Washington Ct. C. in fall of
 1865 and since he was discharged Feb
 11 1867 we both have him here in
 St Albans Ct. C. where & see him week
 ly and he is growing worse and worse
 each month and he is now total in-
 able to do any manual labor by reason
 of his head bound up and he has to
 wear Eye Glasses and his eyes are
 inflain and runs water and he
 are now helpless and have not been
 able to do any manual labor in quite
 a number of years and he is very thin
 not able to do any thing suffer with
 Rheumatism Deafness and blindness Bath eyes
 & at Smiths ^{him} James & Flowers
 mark

Sent Oct 19 1892

request of special actions in pension
claim of Adam James alias Johns.

State of North Carolina County of Craven
on this 17 day of Oct 1892 personally
appeared before me Adam James alias
Adam Johns age 45 years residents of
Tenbome Ct. who being duly sworn
declared as follows that he Adam James alias
Johns applicant for pension No 966830
and for reason given below request is
made for special consideration of the
claim the honorable Commissioners of
pension he have ben down helpless for
about three months with heart trouble
resulting from Rheumatism and
Diarrhea he am suffering not able to
help my self he requires the aid of
another person and when he has
attack of heart disease it appears that
it will kill me he suffers with
shortness of Breath and pains Breath
and left side he can not feed my
self he have not ben able to earn or
funney in about three months
and he ask that the honorable Commis-
sioner of pension please to allow my
claim he am subject to die at any
moment he have no property and
he am suffering for the necessities
of life and for medical aid.

E W Carpenter
E C Smith

his
Adam James alias
Johns

m. matter of pension claim
of Adam James alias Johns
date of Co Ct 165 of y val

adam jans alias jahns

on this 14 day of Oct personally
appeared before me Southy Blango
age 51 years residents of Ebenbome
It well known to be reputable
and entitle to Credit who being duly
sworn according to law declares as
follows that it shure been well and
personally acquainted with the Claimant
about 6 years and it have ben
living at near neighbor of him
about three or four years and
the Claimant are in a distrit Con-
dition he has ben down about three
months nat able to help himself
and he are upon the hands of Charity
nat able to support him self by
manual labor he complains of Rheu-
matism which resulted in heart
Disease he suffers with shortness
of breath and pain in left side
his legs and feet are swollen up and
he cant do any thing and he have
ben complaining of Rheumatism
every since it have ben acquainted
with him and he is now become
total unable to do any thing and
he suffers for the necessaries of life
and for medical aid and he has
a family and they are looking to
him for support and he are now
thin subject to die at any moment
my past address is Ebenbome It
J. W. Carpenter Southy ^{his} Blango
E. C. Smith ^{mark}
Coat Over

Adam fans alias fahns

also personally appeared Alfred Conkey
 age 68 years resident of Stenbome
 &c well known to be reputable and
 entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows I am well and person of
 acquainted with the Claimant
 Adam fans alias fahns and has been
 about three years and have been
 living at dore neighbor to him
 about two years and I see him
 daily and during said time the
 Claimant has been complaining
 of Rheumatism and pains in left
 Side and Breath and weakness of
 the Back and I would further state
 that the Claimant have been
 down helpless about two or three
 months with heart Disease pain
 in left Side and Shortness of
 Breath and he requires the aid of
 another person and he are in of
 suffering condition not able to
 help himself and suffers for
 the necessities of life and for
 medical aid I visit him each
 week and he grows worse and
 worse all the time and he are for
 the hands of Charity and the mercy
 of the world my address is Stenbome
 &c

Encarjunter Alfred Conkey
 & J. Smith

and also and affidavit made by
 James H. Gaffin do above all sent
 Oct the 19 1892

Claim of Mary Counts alias Simmons

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of original pension
 Claim etc of Mary Counts alias
 Simmons widow of Caesar Counts
 died late of Co cl 35 regt U.S.C. & on
 this day of Oct 14 1892
 personally appeared before me Christopher
 or Green age 54 years residents of
 otherwise etc well known to be apt
 =able and entitle to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declare
 as follows I was born and raise
 in the County of Jones and State
 of North Carolina about 8 miles
 from Granton, etc and I become
 acquainted with the Claimant Mary
 Counts alias Simmons long before
 the late war before she was grown
 her maiden name was Mary Green
 and on about the month of Feb 1859
 she married Caesar Counts at or near
 Granton, etc by the consent of Mr
 Lafayette Dillihunt. I was well acquaint
 ed with Caesar Counts he and the
 Claimant both belong to Mr Lafayette
 Dillihunt and was married by his
 consent and they live together as man
 and wife and was so consider as man
 and wife by their owners and all
 that knew them. and by said marriage
 and cohabitation one child was
 born and the child die before
 the war die when it was small
 and on about the month of May or
 June 1863 Caesar Counts went in

went in the union Army as a
Soldier and I have not seen
him since last I heard he die
while in the war. and he claimst
Mary Counts remained his widow
untill an about the month
of May 1871 at which time she
remarried to one Mr. Matthew Simm
ons of Tenberne etc my past
address is Tenberne etc.

W. W. Watson Christarport ^{his} Green
Clerk of Superior Court ^{North}

also personally appeared me Joseph
Bryant age 60 years residents of
Tenberne etc well known to be reputable
and entitle to Credit who being duly
sworn according to law declares as
a witness I was born and raise in
Brunton Jan. County etc and I becom
acquainted with Mary Counts long before
the late war at near Brunton etc I
was well acquainted with her before she
was married to Caesar Counts her
maiden name was Mary Green we
was both raise and born in Jan. County
near Brunton etc and Mary Green married
Caesar Counts anar about the month of
Feb 1859 at near Brunton etc on Mr
Lafayette Dillihunt plantation Mr
Dillihunt married legal together
no man and wife I was well
acquainted with Caesar Counts

before he married the Plaintiff
 and knew them both well and the
 said man married first and by
 said marriage and habitation
 are child was borne and said
 child did live before the war
 after which a small child and
 and about year 1842 Caesar Counts
 went in the U.S. Army and el
 there not seen him since el had
 he died while in U.S. Army and
 the Plaintiff remained his
 widow up until about May
 1847 at which time she remained
 are Matthew Simmons of New
 born etc el am well acquainted
 with the Plaintiff el knew her
 husband Caesar Counts we was
 all raised in James County near
 Stanton etc my Ras address is
 Eberberne etc

W W Watson Joseph Bryant
 Clerk of Sup Court

Claim of John O. Elphick

State of North Carolina County
 of Sursum in matter of pension
 claim etc 113242 of John O. Elphick
 late of file of union etc Val
 on this 18 day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me a Just and within
 the County and State aforesaid
 Charles Peters age 78 years resident
 3 miles North of Stanbome well
 known to be reputable and entitled to
 credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows I became
 acquainted with John O. Elphick about
 40 years and was well and personally
 acquainted with him long before he
 went in the union etc Val and
 there he was a well and hearty man
 from all appearance and since he
 have come back home out of the
 union etc Val he appears deaf and
 can not hear good and we has to
 speak loud to him and he also
 complains of Rheumatism and has
 gnawing pains in Stomach and
 he seems to grow worse and worse
 all the time and he can't stand
 the hot Sun and he are unfit
 for manual labor by reason of
 Rheumatism and deafness of both
 ears and pains in Stomach and
 at times he are down in bed
 for three weeks with Sunstroke
 of head and as helpless as a
 child and his wife has to
 nurse him and then again

he were up so he can brush about
 the house and this are his condition
 el see him every after and he were
 growing worse all the time and
 now he are total disable to do man-
 nel labor and are very aged has
 no el income and are upon the
 hands of charity my address is
 Stenborn etc
 Encarpenter el ^{his} Petterfor
 In Bader mark

also personally appeared Jacob Wiggan
 age 43 years resident 5 miles west
 of Stenborn etc well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows el have
 been acquainted with the claimant
 John B. Elphick about 40 or 45 ye-
 ars long before he went in the
 union Val etc and that he
 was el well and hearty man
 from all appearance and when
 he come home out of the union
 etc Val and the first time el
 met him after he come home he
 was complaining of dizziness
 of the head and he appeared to
 be deaf and el notice el had
 to speak loud to him and he
 told me he contracted the afore-
 said disabilities while he was in
 the union etc Val and he have
 been complaining every since

and he also complains of pains
 in stomach and I see him
 pretty much moribundly and he
 seems to grow worse and worse
 and now he are about $\frac{2}{3}$ disabled
 to perform manual labor
 by reason of deafness of both
 ears and pains in stomach
 and Rheumatism and at times
 he are down as helpless as a
 child and his wife has to
 nurse him and now he are in
 a suffering condition and has
 no income and are upon the
 hands of Charity my last
 address is Stenbom, etc
 Ex Carpenter Jacob ^{his} Wiggins
 of Baaser ^{mark}

and also and affidavit made
 by Benjamin Emerson as above
 and all sent of on the 19 day
 of Oct 1892

in breach of pension of children 273
under six years of age of Mary Kelum

State of North Carolina on this
10 day of Oct 1892 personally appeared
before me Ruben Kelum and Easter
Kelum Mary Kelum alias Shepard
and Ruben Kelum of Hallowville
James Co etc ~~residents~~ of wards Mill
Onslow etc ages 39 36 34 years
who being duly sworn according to law
deposes that they make the following
declaration in order to obtain the pen-
sion provided by act of Congress
for children under six years of
age that they are the legitimate chil-
dren of John Kelum who enrolled
under the name of John Kelum at
Stenberg etc on the 1 day of January
1864 in the war of 1861 who died in
hospital I do not know hospital at
Fort Mifflin on the summer of 1864
and who bore at the time of his death
the rank of private in Co E 2 regt
of 1st Bay that he left as widow
surviving Mary Kelum alias
Ambrose she remarried on about
15 May 1868 that the above names
are the only surviving legitimate
children of John Kelum who were
under 16 years of age at the time of
his death of whom are still living
that the said children were used as
soldier as follows the dates of their
births being as hereinafter stated
Ruben Kelum of Soldier born March 29
1853 Easter Kelum born Oct 15 1855
Mary Kelum born Oct 1st 1857
D.W.C.

that the matter was moved
under the name of Mary
Henderson to John Kelum there
being no legal bar to such marriage
that the said children have not
aided or abetted the Rebellion
prior application has not been
filed as known that we were
by appointment with full power and
substitution Frederick Douglass
of Stenborne there attorney to
present the above claim there
past address is ward will
witness.

Emcarpenter
& Co Smith

Robert ^{his} Kelum
Easter + Kelum
Mary + Kelum
alias Shepard

also personally appeared John
Shepard and Emily Shepard
who declare that they were present
and saw the claimants make
their marks to the above foregoing
declaration.

articles of agreement
sent

A declaration for widows pension
Mary Kelum alias Ambros

State of North Carolina Co
of Hatteras on this 10 day
of Oct 1892 personally appeared
Mary Kelum alias Ambros
age 66 years who being duly

I swear according to law make the
 following declaration in order to obtain
 the pension provided by the act of
 Congress granting pension to widows
 that she are the widow of John Kelum
 who enrolled under the name of John
 Kelum at Stenborne et al on the 1st
 day of January 1864 in Co E 2^d regt
 U S C Bay in the war of 1861 who
 died in Hospital at Fort Monroe
 Va Summer 1864 who bore at the
 time of his death the rank of a
 private in Co E 2^d regt U S C Bay
 and that she was married under
 the name of Mary Henderson to said
 John Kelum on the 15 day of June 1850
 by Mrs Mary Henderson at her conse-
 nt near Jacksonville et al there being
 no legal barriers to such marriage that
 neither she nor her husband had been
 previously married had not been
 married prior that she has remained
 in Spring May 1868 that the follow-
 ing are the names and dates of birth
 of all his legitimate children yet
 surviving who were under 16 years
 of age at the time of their fathers
 death to wit Ruben Kelum of the
 Soldier born March 29 1853
 Gaster Kelum born Oct 15 1855
 Mary Kelum born Oct 1st 1857
 that she has not abandoned the support
 of any one of her children but that
 but there are still under her care
 of maintenance that taken

care of the children until they
 was grown that she has not
 in any manner engaged in or aided
 or abided the rebellion of the U
 S that no prior application
 has been filed that she hereby
 appoints with full power and
 substitution Frederick Douglass
 of Ebenezer etc her true
 and lawful attorney to present
 this her claim her last address
 is wards Mill and low county
 etc

Encarpenter Mary Kelum
 & Co Smith alias ^{Smith} Embury
 also personally appeared John
 Shepard and Emily Shepard
 who declares that they was
 present and saw Mary Kelum
 alias Embury make her mark
 to the fore going declaration
 and attested as aforesaid
 Sent all Sent Oct the 20 1892

Declaration for increase of an
Invalid pension of Isaac Miller

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State of North Carolina County
of Curran on this 19 day of Oct
1892 personally appeared before me
Isaac Miller, age forty eight years
residents Harlow Graham Co N.C.
who being duly sworn according to
law declares that he is a pensioner of
the U.S. by Cert number 437388
and duly enrolled at the General Pen-
sion Agency at the rate of 14 dollars
per month by reason of disabilities from
chronic diarrhea Rheumatism and result-
ing in heart troubles diarrhea reser-
ving disease Pectum incurred in the
military service of the U.S. while serving
as a Corporal Co E 34 Regt U.S.C. I
that his present physical condition
is such that he believes him self
entitled to receive and increase pension
he further declares that he is disabled
in the following manner to wit Rheumat-
ism heart disease Diarrhea and Piles
and Lung Disease dimness of head and
soreness and kidney disease and weakness
of back application is also hereby made
for increase of pension on account
of new disability to wit at Kennerly
N.C. on or about Oct 1864 contracted
Diarrhea and Piles. intermittent fever
severe weakness of back and lung disease
and pains in small part of back
and left side and that he was
greatly exposed to the weather at
Chapens farm Va December 1869
and he was sick there and had

and had Rheumatism in legs
and Shoulders and Back that
he now suffers with the fever and
pains in back and left side
that he here by appoints with full
power and Substitution and revo-
cation Frederick Douglass of New
Berne his true and lawfull
attorney to prosecute his claim
my past address is Newbern etc
J. J. Scheelky
Isaac Miller

also personally appeared before
me Willis Elliott age 74 years resid-
ent of James City etc who being
duly sworn according to Law State
that he become acquainted with Isaac
Miller to be the identical person of
that name who enrolled as volunteer
as a Cavalry in Co E 37 regt US C
and who was discharged at Raleigh
etc on about 12 day of Feb 1864
by reason of time of service expired
that the said Isaac Miller while
in the line of his duty at a near
Newbern etc did on about the
month of Oct 1864 become disable
in the following manner to wit
he was taken with Dysphoid fever
and Diarrhea and Piles and was
treated by the Surgeon doctor
at New Berne etc and was
excuse from duty and he was
taken with deep cold on lungs

and on the 7 day of Nov 1892 William Barber
made the same affidavit for Isaac Miller that Willis Elliott made for him

at Chaphuns farm Va and he
 also had kidney disease at the same
 time and place and also complain
 of heart troubles the facts stated
 are personally known to the affiant
 by reason of el was a print and cook
 of the same Co and regt to wit Co
 H 34 regt U S F Y and when the
 claimant would be down sick el
 would carry food to him at the tent
 and he was sick all through service
 and el have had to lead him to
 his tent he had a misery in the
 back and complain of Intermittent
 fever and diarrhea and Piles and
 Rheumatism and since he has been
 discharged he has grown worse and
 worse all the time and now he
 are about $\frac{2}{3}$ disable to perform
 manual labor and now for the last
 two years he is total disable to do
 any labor el know by reason el see
 him monthly and hear in a
 suffering condition and upon
 the hands of Charity
 also personally
 Encarpenter
 of Schellky

Willis ^{Living} Elliott
 stark

also personally appeared James G. Loores
 and Thomas Kelly both made of
 affidavit stating as above all
 Sent Oct 21 1892 and articles
 of agreement Sent

Claim for James Flowers

Stat of North Carolina County
 of Granville in matter of original
 Invalid Pension No 697 141 of
 James Flowers of Co H 37 regt N
 S. C. I an this 19 day of Oct 1892
 personally appeared before me James
 Flowers age 54 years resident of
 Stanborne N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 as follows I testified an about
 Sept 19 1864 at Stanborne N.C.
 a friend of Co H 37 regt N S C I
 on about Oct 1864 at Butlers Stan-
 borne N.C. I was taken diarrhea
 and Typhoid fever I was on a
 drill when I was first taken it
 was very warm and I drank a great
 deal of ^{bad} water and after drilling I
 was taken with a headache in
 the head and diarrhea which have
 resulted in to lung disease and
 disease of kidneys and disease of
 heart and I can not lay on left
 side and at times down with
 my back and at times I can't get
 up unless I am helped up by the
 assistance of another disease
 of right Leg stiffness and enlarg-
 =ment of left Hip continue pains
 and numbness of disabilites of
 enlargement of left leg cause
 stiffness of joints of which I
 call Chronic Rheumatism I
 was treated at Butlers Barrick

near Newburne Ct. Oct 1864 before
 my Company was ordered to Chapens
 Farm Va. I do not know the Sargent
 name that treated me and I was
 Sick in Comp Dec 1864 at Chapens
 Farm Va. I had an Lungs and
 Diarrhea and pains in back that
 we had to lay in snow and was
 treated by the Sargent in Comp.
 I was Sick at North East Station
 with the same disabilitities and on
 about Feb 1865 that I was treated
 in Comp at Galdsboro Ct. May
 1865 and when I was taken with
 Intermittent fever at Ketton Hill
 near Washington Ct. taken pains
 in head and back and was excused
 from duty and in the year of 1866
 I was treated by the Sargent at Ft.
 Monroe after and on and July 12
 1867 I was discharged and come
 home at Newburne Ct. and
 have lived here every since I
 have continually attacks here or here
 times each year some times of
 months at the times and agains
 six weeks at times each year
 the attacks seems to be more severe
 or with Diarrhea Piles Rheumatism
 and kidney disease and lung disease
 and at times I would have to
 crawl like a child this have
 been my condition unable to
 work for my support I never
 had any Perception of any kind

I suffer with weakness of a cross
 the small part of my back and
 left hip the pain commence
 in left hip and pass across
 the small part of my back
 and I am unable to pay any on
 to Wright out my statements
 and I can not write my self
 and my former attorney Jewell
 and Eticholson will not employ
 any one to do so I do hereby
 Anthorize and appoint Friedrich
 Douglass of New Bern all my
 legal and lawful attorney in
 my original claim with full
 Power and substitution and
 Renovation in lue of Jewell and
 Eticholson of Washington, D.C.
 to complete the original claim
 No 1697141 under old law and said
 fee of agreement be paid or allow
 said Friedrich Douglass of New Bern
 etc in lue of Jewell and Eticholson
 and under the new act of Congress
 Jun 27 1890 and I do hereby recognize
 as attorney of said Jewell and
 Eticholson as my claim are rejected
 and I ask that testimony of
 Linster Duffey and Horace Duffey
 date an about April 1890 and
 Supplement there to date Oct
 18 1892 be accepted and my
 Comrades to wit Willis Elliott
 Carl Isaac Miller Wm Barber
 Thomas Kelly there are all

Continued

an field My Past address is
 Newburne St. C
 Ewcarfunter James ^{his} + Flowers
 of Schellky mark

also personally appeared before me
 Willis Elliott age 17 years residents
 of James City St. C who being duly
 sworn according to law stat that el on
 acquainted with James Flowers and applc
 can far envalid pension and know
 the said James Flowers to be the
 identical of that man who enlisted
 as Volunteer as a private in Co H 34
 regt N S C Y who was discharge at
 Raleigh St. C the 12 day of Feb 1864
 by reason of time of service was
 inspired that said James Flowers
 while in the line of his duty at
 near Newburne St. C did on or
 about 1st day of Oct 1864 become
 disable in the following manner to
 wit that he was taken diarrhea
 and Piles Typhoid fever down
 sick in camp el was Cook and had
 to carry his food to him and he
 complained of small part of his
 back and left hip and at Chap
 -ins farm & a he was taken deep
 cold and cough and hoarseness and
 cold on the lungs call lung disease
 and Rheumatism in left hip by
 exposure and cold el know this
 by reason of el was a private and
 Cook of the company and had

to carry the Saldier something
to eat when he was down sick
with Diarrhea and Piles and the
intermetrat fever and the Dr
would tell me what to give him
for to eat while he was sick at
Stenborne etc and at Chapmans
farm Va. and lung disease and
Rhumatism the Claimant was
under treatment of Doctor in
fall of 1865 at Melton etc and
Goldsbarro etc and since he has
ben discharg he has continued to
suffer with Left Hip and have
drag left foot and complains
of his back & visits flows and
know that he hade to Corall he
was so bad off address is
James City etc

E. W. Carpenter
G. F. Schuelky

his
Willis E. Elliott
mark

and also and affidavit made by
Isaac Miller as a bow

and also personally appeared
Thomas Kelly age 62 years
resident of Stenborne etc
well known to be reputable and
entitled to credit who being
duly sworn according to law
declares as follows & enlisted
of Co F 37 regt U S G
at Stenborne etc on about
Sept 5 1864 and he was

well and personally acquainted
 with James H. Lowers before he enlisted
 a friend of my Co and regt
 and he was always a well and
 hearty and sound bodied man
 from all appearance up until on
 about the fall of 1861 at near
 Tanbarn etc at Butlers Barracks
 et notice he was sick and complain
 of Diarrhea and piles and also
 he complained of intermittent fever
 at the same time and place
 and he left there for Chafans farm
 Va and there we stayed for about
 two months drilling and on
 the march from Chafans farm
 to Harrisons Landing we was
 hit in a snow storm and
 having no tents we was expose
 to the weather and the excitement
 James H. Lowers taken of deep cold
 and complain of of headaches
 and cold on the lungs and
 also complained of Rheumatism
 after that and continued to com-
 -plain all through service and
 at times he was excused from
 duty and treated by the Surgeon
 Doctor and since he have been
 discharged he have lived a near
 neighbor of mine and see him
 weekly and he continues to
 complain of the afore said
 disabilities to wit Rheumatism
 Diarrhea and Piles and intermittent
 fever

fever and a huseness of bald
 on the lungs and stiffness of
 joints and at times he are down
 in bed helpless as a child for
 three or four weeks and then again
 he stand creep about the house
 and now he are about total disable
 to perform manual labor by
 reason of the afore said disability
 he has a family to care for and
 they are all looking to him for
 bread to eat and raiment to
 wear. My last address is
 New Bern N.C.
 E. W. Carpenter Thomas ^{high} Kelly
 Jarvis Baley Mark
 and articles of agreement sent
 all went with 2 Dr Oct 21 1892

James H. Lowers Dr Cerfs
 State of North Carolina County
 of Curran & claim for medical
 services of James H. Lowers
 printed at 60 St 37 N.Y. City personally
 appeared before me Dr Francis
 Duffy Citison of New Bern N.C.
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declared as follows that he is
 practicing physician and has been
 practitioner of medicine for 15
 years and that he has been acquainted
 with this Soldier for about 2 years
 and that he was personally season
 him to which this is the

Duflimunt el Francisco Duffey
state that my attention has been call
to the case of James Flowers and
applican for pension when el exam
moned on a former occasion his disab
ilitis are not real than more exactly
ascribed in his application for
invalid is not ruptured el has no
mania curit has disabilities in that
region waving. Hydrocul as referred to
in my former Examination my former
relating of one my disabilities is
now practicable increasing and i think
is progressing on account of increa
se in the longule and Bronchitis
disease referred to in former examina
tion

Francisco Duffey
Lawyer Dr Left

also personally appeared Linster Duffey who have ben practicing
medicine fare years and have
ben acquainted with James Flowers
for 7 years and that el have sold
him medicines whil in the druge
business and sinc entering the prac
tice of medicine el have ben his
attending Physicians el have kept
el have kept no no spial record of
his count but el have seen him
from time to time for the past
seven years he applied to my offic
for treatment for a full and clear
description of his troubles

I refer to a Certifical given him
 I think in April 1890 Some of
 his diseases of which I write
 there are greatly aggravated namely
 Bronchitis, Puerpation, Rheumatic
 troubles and he is at times
 of very great Suffering and is not
 able to do labor in my opinion
 he is unfit for manual labor
 to the extent of two thirds

Emberne Dr Linster Duff
 O & C all sent Oct the 21 1892

Claim of the Brothers of Alexander
 Tucker

State of North Carolina County of
 Granum in matter of Alexander Tucker
 Claim for bounty and arrears late private
 of Co G 2d Regt N S C Regt in this
 20 day of Sept Oct 1892 Personally ap-
 peared before me Stephen Scofield
 age 57 years resident of Tuscarora
 Granum Co N C well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows I was born and
 raise an Salomon Scot plantation
 in Linnaria County N C on about
 two miles where Alexander Tucker
 the Soldier was Born and raise

Alexander Tucker mother was name
 Barbara Ann Tucker she died an
 about the year of 1841 on Lamb & L
 sedges plantation an about eight miles
 north of Kingston N.C. she left sur-
 viving the following name children
 to wit. Jacob Tucker now near Ken-
 bore N.C. and Samuel Tucker now
 dead died in Summer 1845 left no
 wife or children Daniel Tucker
 now of Tuscarora N.C. Elara Tucker
 Decd died in year of 1859 left no
 children surviving Alexander Tucker
 the soldier died in U.S. Army he
 never was married Left no children
 Phillip Tucker now of maple by press
 Graner County N.C. Pimie Tucker
 Died at Washington N.C. fifteen years
 ago Joseph Tucker half blood now
 Washington Beaufort County N.C.
 Eliza Tucker died in Summer of
 1864 and left no widow or child
 and primus Tucker died when small
 child Mary Tucker Sarah A Tucker
 William H Tucker was carried away
 to west Genoa long before the war
 when they was small children
 they was carried off by son of
 old Asaphia Tucker then farmer
 owners and have not been heard
 from since. the father of the soldier
 was name Phillip Vasse he died
 long before the war on the South
 Side of new river about 8 miles
 from Kingston N.C. and the

named brother and sisters
 are the only legal heirs of the
 Saldin now living and el
 do not know whether Mary
 of Tucker and Sarah of Tucker
 and William Tucker are living
 or not and el have not seen
 or heard from them but once
 Since el herd Sarah and
 William died on there way
 to Tenn before the war this
 is all el know about the case
 el have no interest in said
 claim and are no relation to
 the claimant my Past add
 is Yucca Craven Co Ok
 witness
 E. W. Carpenter Stephen Scott
 Sent Oct the 22 1892

Claim of Ellen Crooms
 Stat of North Carolina County
 of Craven in matter of original partition
 claim etc 365914 of Ellen Crooms
 Defendant Brother of Henry Grady died
 late of Co H 35 regt U S G an this
 22 day of Oct 1892 personally appeared
 before me Simon Laflon age 52 years
 resident of Edwin Grove N.C. well known
 to be reputable and entitle to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows el was born and
 raise in Jones County an elder

Danuills plantation near Trenton
 N.J. and on about May or June
 of D. 1862 I and my Brother Henry
 Grady left our owners plantation
 and came to Oxenberne N.J. and we
 both enlisted private of Co H 35
 Regt U.S.C. I my brother Henry Grady
 was born and raised in Kingston
 N.J. and when he enlisted he
 came from Kingston N.J.
 and met me at Oxenberne N.J.
 and we both enlisted on about
 May or June 1862. in Co H 35 Regt
 U.S.C. I and I served in the same
 company with Henry Grady up
 untill he died he was struck by a
 limb at the battle of Shiloh Tenn
 on or about month of Feb 1864
 limb struck him on his right shoul-
 der and side the limb was cut off by
 a shell coming from the enemy and
 Henry Grady was sent to the Rear
 treated and he never did get any
 better he continued to grow worse
 and worse all the while and could not
 do duty and at Sumners mill N.J.
 on about the spring of 1866 Henry
 Grady died from the effects of said
 injury and his mother died on
 about 1862 the year before we enlisted
 Henry Grady never was married when
 he died he left no children no
 widow he left his father & up-
 grows who died 3 day of July 1886
 and he left a deposed and brother

Allen Grooms who was born on
 or about the 14 day of December 1840
 his mother died when he was a
 suckling baby and Henry Grady the
 Souldier would see Mary to look out
 for the Claimant up untill the Souldier
 died the Souldier was not fully grown
 and he sent his money home to
 his father for his little Brother the
 Claimant the Souldiers Father was
 a very old man when he died
 he was a hundred and eight years
 old and it would further state the
 father never did make any application
 for pension or bounty and we all
 belong to different men before
 the war it belong to the Grooms
 and my Father belong to the
 Grooms and Henry Grooms fell
 him to Paradise by marriage
 therefore he all ways went in the
 name of Grady and he enlisted
 under the name of Henry Grady
 Claimants Allen Grooms
 Past add is Ebenezer St. C.
 Ew Carpenter Simon Laffon
 J. S. Bolmer

Sant Oct 25 1892

Stat of North Carolina County of
Cranen. In matter of original jurisdic-
tion claim etc 354.854 of Mary
A Boswell widow of Jesse J Boswell late
of Co H 1st regt et al. vs.
on this 21 day oct 1892 personally
appeared before me at D L Taylor, age
28 years Resident of near Harlock
Cranen Co etc well known to be respec-
table and entitle to credit who being
duly sworn according to law declares
as follows I have been acquainted
with the claimant Mary A Boswell
about Ten years more or less also I was
well acquainted with her husband Jesse
J Boswell died in his life time and I
know the claimant has not remarried
Since the death of Jesse J Boswell by
reason of the claimant has been living
at near neighbor to me and now she
is living with my mother Mary L Taylor
at near Harlock etc. and she has
no income and no property whatever
and no one legal bound for her support
she is upon the hands of charity
and she is sick and helpless as an
infant and requires the assistance of another
person she complains of rheumatism and
she has to be nursed day and night
she has no property and no income
she stays with my mother and we
have to employ some one to come in
to assist in nursing her and she con-
tinues to grow worse and worse all the
time she suffers for necessary of life

and for medical aid she can not
support her self and she are at subject
of charity and every poor woman of a
good moral character she has been confined
about two weeks and have not been able
to do a days work in 6 or 8 months
she is suffering my first address is
Hamelock etc

Witness

D. L. Gaylar

E. Carpenter

Larnie Peley

Sent Oct 26 1892

State of North Carolina County of
Granin in the matter of original pension
No 282988 of Mary Vanniel widow of
Julius Vanniel died late of Co H 1st
regt U S C I on this 21 day of Oct at
1892 personally appeared before me
Mary Vanniel age 30 years of residence
of Tenbome Granin Co etc well
known to be reputable and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn accord-
ing to law declares as follows that
her husband Julius Vanniel was
not served in the Military or naval
service of the U S since the 29 day of
Sept 1865 when he come home out
of the U S Army he was sick with
Rheumatism and gave that wound
of left arm and said Rheumatism
resulted in to heart disease and my
husband grew worse and worse
up untill he died on the 28 day

of Sept 1888 from the affect of heart
 disease the result from Rheumatism
 and left me with 8 small children
 and no property and no income
 except what I work for and no one
 legal bound for my support and I
 have not remarried or lived with
 any man as man and wife since the
 death of my husband Julius Vanniel
 and my children are very sickly and
 my self are not able to perform man
 ual labor and there is no cotton to
 pick out this fall and there for I had
 nothing for the larger of my children
 to do to get their raiment to wear
 this winter and I ask that my
 claim be allowed Fredrick Douglas
 of Ebenezer etc. is my true and
 lawful attorney and if my claim
 can not be allowed under the old law
 I ask that it be allowed under the
 new law of which I filed on or about
 Oct 1890 I think Declaration is dated
 Oct 2 1890 I am total unable to do
 any manual labor I ask that my
 claim be made special I have
 furnish all the witness requires I
 have prone date and immediate
 cause of my husbands death also date
 of birth of all my children by the
 Saldier I have not had any children
 since the death of my husband my
 Post address is Ebenezer etc
 Shoemaker
 W D Gasking Mary ^{her} Vanniel
 Mark

Request for special action in pension claim
 of Jasper William late Cooman of ~~the~~
~~of 1st~~ ^{U.S. Army}

State of North Carolina County of Granville
 on this 25 day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me Jasper Williams age
 41 years resident of Blunts Creek in the
 County of Granville State of North Carolina
 who being duly sworn according to law declares
 as follows that I Jasper Williams is and
 applicant for pension No 33328 and for the
 reason given below request is made for special
 consideration of the claim by the honorable
 Commissioners of pension I am now
 helpless not able to do any manual
 labor by reason of gun shot wound of
 left arm and Rheumatism of which has
 resulted in to heart disease and Diarrhea
 and Piles of which cause weakness of back
 and Kidney disease I am total unable to
 work and are suffering for raiments to
 wear and for the necessities of life and for
 medical aid. and I ask that my claim
 be allowed I am subject to Chagrin and
 are likely to die at any moment I
 ask that my claim be made special
 and allowed I have no property and
 no income and I have to be paid
 to and from
 Groceries
 J. J. Jones

Jasper ^{his} Williams
 mark

also personally appeared Eli Sandison
 age 53 years Resident of Newbern
 Granville Co. N.C. well known to be
 reputable and intitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follow I was born

and raise in Hyd County etc and
 el becom acquainted f as for Williams
 long before the late war we was raise
 up children in Hyd Co etc we
 was raise on fanning plantations
 and the claimant always a well
 and hearty young man up untill he
 went in the u s army he enlisted
 some time in 1862 and el did not
 see him any more not untill he was
 discharge and come home he was sig
 with Rheumatism and Diarrhe and Piles
 and weakness of eye sight his eyes was
 read and inflain and run water he
 lived at near neighbor to me some
 years after Discharge and he has contin
 ued to grow worse and worse each
 year Rheumatism has resulted in
 to heart troubles and he is partial
 Blind can not see good and he are
 part deaf not able to do manual labor
 and you had to speak loud to him
 and he complain of a burn shate
 wound of left arm and he is
 now upon the hands of charity
 and suffering for the necessaries of
 life and he requires the aid of another
 person and he are without any means
 of support whatever and not able to do
 any labor and he are subject to
 die at any moment he are a
 poor man and are very needy upon
 the hands of charity and he has
 to be halled from place to place
 and he are weak and unable to do

any labor suffering with Rheumatism
and heart troubles and gun shot wound
of left arm and Diarrhea and Piles
Subject to die at any moment he
requires of nurse all the time and he
have ben down about three months
and he needs assistance because he are
very old and weakly My Past
address is Elmore etc

Emcarpenter
J J Janor

his
Eli + Sanderson
North

and also and affidavit made by
Francis Cooper as above all
Sint Oct 26 1892

declaration for pension or pardon
of Child under 16 years of age

I state of the State of California County of
San Francisco on this 25 day of Oct 1892
personally appeared before me John
Boon residents of Elmore etc
age 37 years who being duly according to
law declared in order to obtain the pension
provided by the act of Congress for child
ren under sixteen years of age that
that he are the legitimate Child of
Peter & Boon who Enrolled under the
name P & Boon at Elmore etc on
the 30 day of August A D 1864 Put in
to & 27 the regt W S & J in regt of
1861 who died at Point of Rocks Hospital
in state of Virginia learn from the
affect of the Chronic Diarrhea and Piles

at Point of rock Va. on the day of 1865
 and who bore at the time of his
 death the rank of Esquire in Co. C
 37 regt and left no widow surviving
 his wife Kittie Boon died on about the
 month of Sept. 1862 that the above
 named are the only surviving legitimate
 children of the Soldier P. C. Boon
 who was under 16 years at the time
 of his death of whom said children
 are the claimants Evidence is on file in
 Bureau of pensions the names of the
 birth of the said children
 John Boon of Soldier by Kittie Boon
 born Oct 25 1855 and Elizabeth
 Boon born Nov 10 1857 and
 Oliver Boon born Feb 14 1859
 the mother was married under the
 name of Kittie Mitchell to P. C.
 Boon 1853 there being no legal
 barrow to such marriage that the
 said children has not aided
 in the Rebellion and a proper
 application has been filed Oct
 12 1866 and hereby affirmed with
 full power and revocation Fred
 rick Douglass of number my
 true and lawful attorney to
 present the above claim
 Esquire John Boon
 John M Hill

and
 and trasea mater, no memorial
 was present and saw John Boon 1892
 sign his name all sent Oct 29
 and articles of agreement

Certificat of discharge of Lomson
MacLeod Dit Aug the 5 1892

on this 17 day of Aug 1892
Mrs Hulda Everts promises to
give the sum of 10 dollars to Mr
John E. Munters when her claim
is settled

Witness

C. C. Co

Declaration of increase of pension
under the act of June 27 1890. of
Eablit Williams age

State of North Carolina County of
Granville on this 29 day of Oct 1892
personally appeared before me Eablit-
Williams age 51 years residents of near
Stewbome etc who being duly sworn
according to law declares he is ex pensioner
of the U S enrolled at Knottville Tenn
pension agency at the rates of 8 dollars
per month Cert etc 791442 by reason
of Rheumatism and Enfring of back and
addomans and focal and muscle.
Contracted while in the U S Army
That he was ex print of in Co C
14 regt U S C of arty that he believes
himself entitle to and increase
pension and the grounds that
the rates allowed him are too

low and not commensurate with the extent
of his present disabilities. he there fore
requests that he be favored with another
medical examination with the view of
determining his rights to 12 dollars
per month the full rat allowed
under the act of June 27 1890

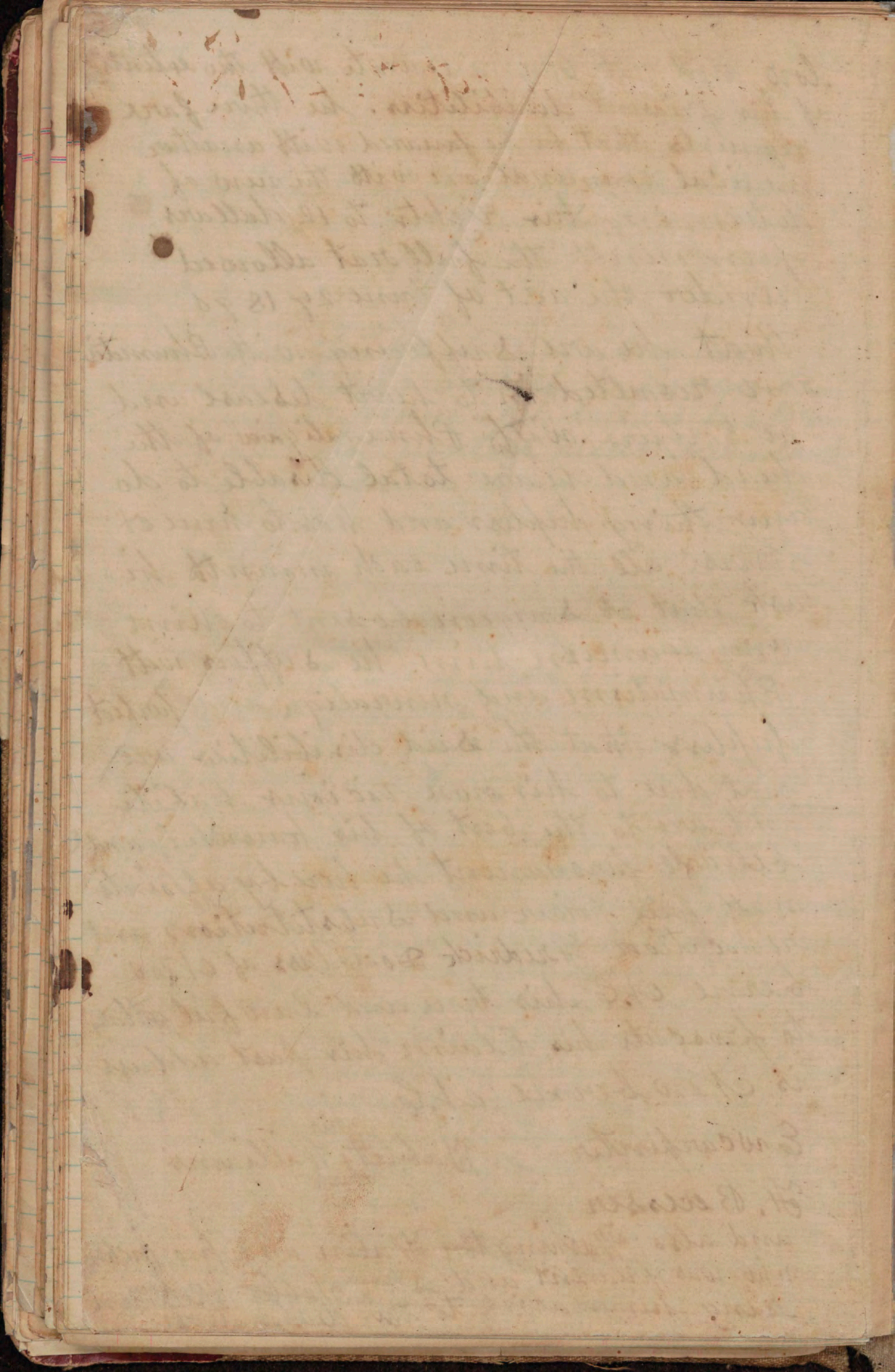
that he are suffering with Rheumatism
-m resulted in to heart disease and
he suffers with Neuralgia of the
head and he are total disable to do
any thing useful and has to have a
nurse all the time each month he
ask that a Surgeon be sent to him
and examine him he suffers with
Rheumatism and neuralgia and perfect
helpless that the said disabilities are
not due to his own vicious habits
and are to the best of his knowledge and
belief permanent he here by appoints
with full power and substitution and
revocation Frederick Douglass of New
berne N.C. his true and lawful attorney
to prosecute his claim his past address
is New berne N.C.

E. W. Carpenter

Tablet ^{his} Williams
mark

H. B. Cresser

and also Washington Hallin and John Factor
who was present and saw Tablet Williams
sign his name to this declaration



furnished up Oct the 29 1892

