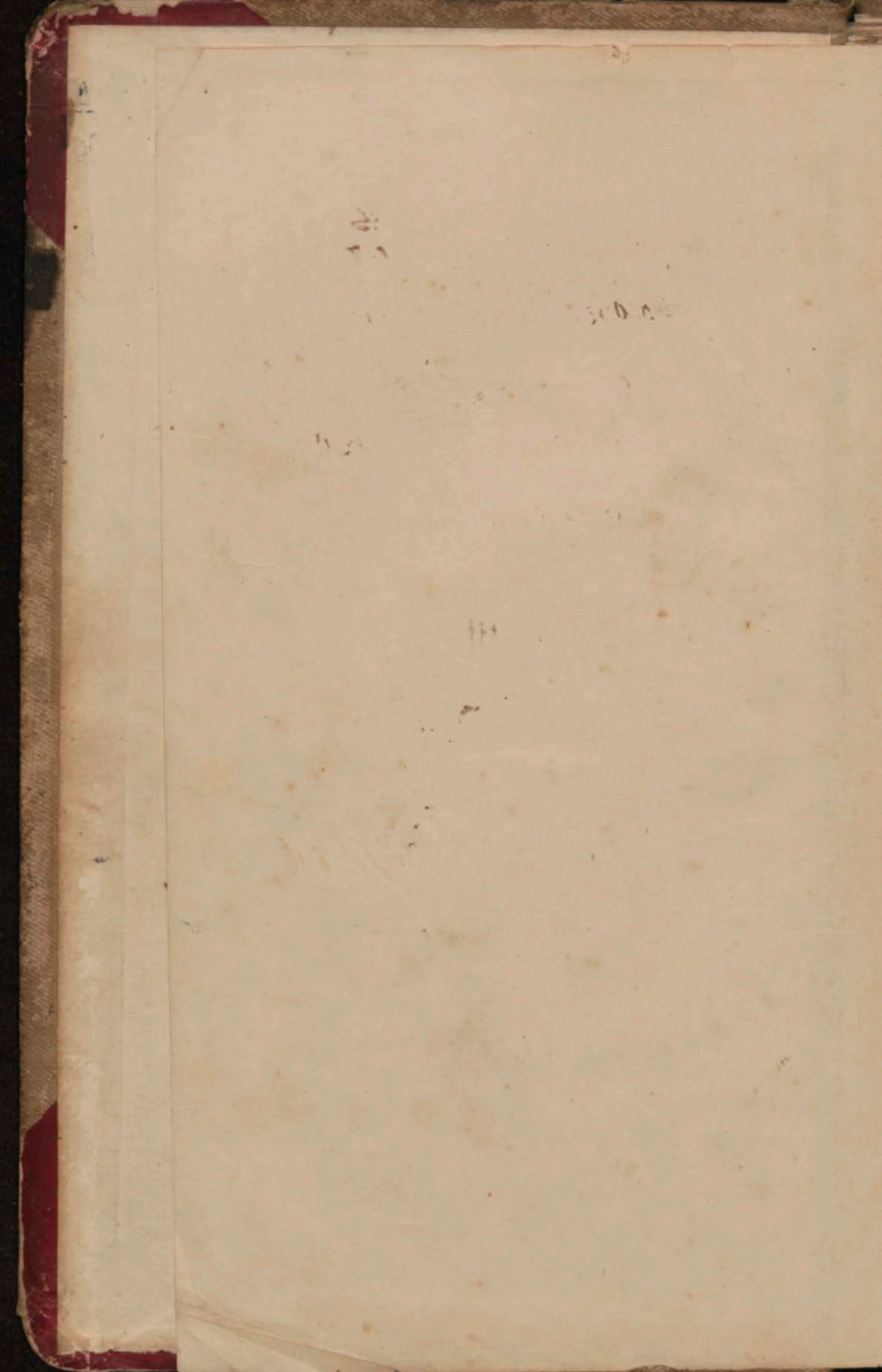


The image shows the front cover of an old book. The cover is made of a light brown, textured material, possibly leather or cloth. It features a decorative border in a Greek key (meander) pattern. In the center, there is a large, ornate design consisting of a semi-circular arch at the top and bottom, with intricate scrollwork and floral motifs. A wide, ribbon-like banner stretches across the middle of the arch, containing the text "SELEDGER" in a stylized, outlined font. The banner has small dots along its edges, suggesting stitching or rivets. There are some signs of wear and tear, particularly at the corners where the red inner cover is visible.

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of Co. H. 40 regt us & of Army
Proof of disability of John Baberton

State of North Carolina I, J. M. ...
personally appeared before
me, Benjamin Bryant, age 52 years
resident of Harbor in Co. of ...
et. al. who being duly sworn according
to law declare as follows that he is
acquainted with John Baberton applicant
for ... 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 Army and who was
discharged at Chattanooga Tenn on about
25 day of April 1862 by reason of ... was
mustered out of the ... and
that the said John Baberton while
in his line of his duty at near Bridge
port ... did on about
March 1846 become disabled in fall
ing manure to with ... taken
down with the ... and become
scurvy which affected his teeth and
he lost his teeth by reason of Barne
Scurvy and his ... to the
hospital at Big Bridge port ... and
was also taken with the ...
Rheumatism in the winter of 1865
at ... also first before he was discharged
he complain with pains in head
of which resulted in weakness of
head and dimness of eyes sight
partial Blind in right eye but
the fact I stated and personally
know to the applicant by reason
I was ... of some

Go and rest and was present
 when 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 Corn Scumey and Rheumatism
 by cold and exposure to fiarling
 and piles by drinking bad water
 and straining of him. Robertson was
 treated while in hospital at Bridge
fort Chla and also by the Sargent
Dr and when we was discharge April
 25 1864 at Chatham a Tenn the at
Chatham a Tenn the claimant the
Soldier was sick there with afore said
 disease and since discharge I have
 seen him about twice in five
 years up until 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 not
 able to do any manual labor
 my Post address is Harlow

Wm. S. Smith
 2481 East Smith

Benjamin + Bryan
 Mark

Claim ~~no~~ 1094112

original pension claim of Jh Baberton

State of North Carolina County of
 Curran in matter of original invalid
 pension claim no 1094112 of John Baber-
 ton late of front of Co of 40 Regt
 N. S. Co. on this 2 day of Aug. 1892
 personally appeared before me afar and
 and within the County and State afore
 said Ben. H. H. Hysman age 45 years
 resident of Harlow Curran Co. 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 the claimant
 John Baberton on upon 1867 at River
 Dale Curran Co. N. C. he was then
 living at River Dale 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 eyes sight 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. also he complain
 of Rheumatism pains in side and back
 and legs and legs faints and he
 continued to grow worse and worse
 I 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

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Statement of the Plaintiff

he do is very light and he has
to stay 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 worse and worse
each year I am no pretation to
the Claimant and has not no
interest in her claim in Po
to Harlow etc.

Witness
E. W. Flynn
E. J. Smith

Subscribed and sworn to before me
this 4th day of August 1892

Blind in right eye and has had
that eye shut out and he had lost
his teeth of which he told me he
lost in the year of 1880 also he
complains of his throat and he
continues to grow worse and worse
each year I am no pretation to
the Claimant and has not no
interest in her claim in Po
to Harlow etc.

Claim of William Laine

State of North Carolina County
of Craven in matter of original
increase Swift eto 736 224 of William
Laine Late of point of Co H 14 regt re
S & H et on this 4 day of Aug 1892
personally appears before me John H
Williams age 24 years President of
Jasper Craven Co etc well known
to be reputable and entitle to credit
who being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows et was raised and
in the County of Craven near Jasper
eto and et have ben well acquainted
with Wm Laine about 12 years ever
since et was et small boy and et
have ben living a near neighbor
of him all my life and have not
ben Wm Laine do any manner
labor since et have ben acquainted
with him by reason of rheumatism
diarrhea and piles and kidney disea
se and he has ben complaining
of liver and weakness of small
part of back and he was slight deaf
and et have known the claimant
to be down here or five times a
year and two or three weeks at time
and for the last four years he has
ben 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 sink and he
was passing blood and the piles
come down on him at he was

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helpless and has to have
 a constant nurse he suffers
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 are at the present time total
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 and he are suffering with Rheumat
 ism diarrhea and piles ~~fever~~
 and weakness of back and slight
 deafness and when speaking
 to him you will have to speak
 loud and he grows worse and
 worse each month 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 now helpless for
 two or three weeks confined
 to his house and now he
 seem to grow worse and
 worse all the time
 Encarper John Williams
 of Green

Sent Aug 4 1892

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

I stat of Charles C. Brewster Co of Co. Va
in on this 2d day of July 1892
personally appeared before me
Daniel Bryant age 51 years resident
of New Bern Co. Va who
being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows that he was the older
titled Daniel Bryant who was enrall-
ed on the 22 day of May 1862 in
Co D 35 regt A S V in the war
of the rebellion and served at least
ninety days and was honorable disch-
arge at Charleston S. C. on the 1st
day of June 1864 that he was total-
ly unable to perform any man-
ual labor by reason of a sprain
of right leg and Rheumatism and
last affection diarrhea 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 risk or hap-
its and are to the best of his knowledge
and belief permanent that he had
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 provision of the act of June
27 1890 he here by affirms

Fredrick Douglass of etw Berne
 etc. his true and lawfull attorney
 to present his claim and he directs
 that the sume of ten dollars to
 be paid to his said attorney and
 his so add is etw Berne Craan
 Co etc.

Henry James Daniel ^{his} Bryant
 Nathan Whitney mark

Sent August 5 1892

Claim of elson arwens

State of et. Co. vs of Craan

in matter of original elson arwens
 of old and new disabilities by
 etc 350582 of elson arwens late

privat of Co H 35 regt U.S. C. F.

on this 4 day of Aug 1892 personal

appeared before me elson arwens

age 56 years resident three miles

west of etw Berne etc who being

duly sworn according to law etc

swore 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

Booster

Rheumatism and diarrhoea and

piles I am pensioned for injury

of left shoulder and right side

rate twelve dollars per month

by certificat etc 352582 But I

have not been rated for

at 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 walking and
 walking and Rheumatism the base
 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 my expenses
 do therefore authorize and affirm
 Frederick Douglas of New York
 my old legal and lawful attorney
 to present and prosecute in behalf
 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 was existed in my case

degree from date of discharge to
the present care me total
disable to perform manual labor
that my so add is eten Berne
etlo

witnesses Elsom ^{his} Owens
Ew carpenter marks
E of Smith

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Doctor Certificate is copied by H H
Parker in Book No 18 on Page 200

Claim of Elsom Owens

at a personally appeared Henderson
Green age 50 years resident near
eten Berne etlo well known to
be reputable and entitled to credit also
being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows et become acquainted
with Elsom Owens unca about the
Spring of 4881 at etuborn etlo
and et live on the same plantat
ion he was et live in one hundred
yards of him and when et first
met him and when et first met
him he was complaining of and
et injury in left ~~shoulder~~ and et
injury of this right side of
which he alidg to me he received
in the us etry and had been
suffering with it every way in
the small part part of the back
and continues to complain of
right side and left shoulder he
are in et suffering condition
and can not support him
Self he was unable to work

an account of said Emfury of left
 shoulder and rupture of right side
 and he now Complaining of rheumat
 ism on feet and legs and knees
 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 time and
 that to four or five times each year
 and he continues to grow worse and
 worse and the Rheumatism cause
 his 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 diarrhoea and
 Piles I saw the symptoms of diarrhoea
 and piles at the time also I have
 seen the rupture of right side
 and he has a very large knot on
 his right hernia and it swells
 and he is greatly troubled with
 it and it prevents him from work
 ing and it grows worse and worse
 and worse till the time Mr Poole
 is at the house of Anderson & Green
 & Carpenter
 at Smith's Point Aug 5 1892

al's personally appears & says Willis declares the same as on page 34 in Elson's own case & says residents of New Bern North Aug 6 1892

Claim of James Cooper
 State of North Carolina County of Granville in matter of original Jurisdiction
 Claim etc No 420822 of James Cooper
 widow of James Cooper present of Co of 14 Regt U.S. & Artillery on this 6 day of Aug 1892 personally appeared before me William Barber age 69 years resident of New Bern N.C. well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declared as follows I became acquainted with James Cooper in about the winter of 1862 at New Bern and he was a well and hearty 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 same in Co of 14 Regt U.S. & Artillery and I was a member of the 34 Regt U.S. & 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.

in or about the fall of 1865 when
 my Co. went to fort Macon etc. and
 returned to 14 regt us & H army and
 I saw James Cooper and he was
 then complaining of misery in
 Side and Breast and also diarrhea
 and Piles this was in about Nov
 1865 and I did not see him any
 more not until on about Feb 1867
 I came home to New Berne etc. and
 when I came home I went to him
 and he was complaining of Blun-
 atism diarrhea and piles and he
 complained of pains in left side
 and severe 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 Breast
 and he suffered with diarrhea and
 Piles and he continued to grow
 worse and worse I visited him
 in his last sickness also I remember
 that Dr. H. G. Bates decd of New Berne
 etc. treated him for the above
 disease and on about July 3 1872
 he died at New Berne etc.
 he was living near neighbor I
 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 he left
 the claimant his widow and two
 minor children & am well acquaint
 with his wife she was with him
 part of the time in his Comp.
 at mare head City and she and
 his wife come her and was
 considered as man and wife
 my Po add etw Berner & Co
 & Carpenter William Barber
 J. H. Powell

Physician affidavit for
 Deaser Taylor
 State of North Carolina
 County of Granville No 458778
 of Deaser Taylor print Co et 35
 Regt N. S. C. I personally appeared
 before me Linster Duffey. et
 Citron of etw Berner & Co
 et Co. well known to be reputable
 and entitle to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law de
 clars as follows that he is a practicing
 physician and that he has been acquai
 nted with the said Saldier for about
 12 or 14 years & did not know him
 prior to enlistment in N. C. army
 he has been et provider of medicines
 at my drug store and that of
 my medicines for ailments
 which he sed he contracted

in the line of diet in the army
 far preferable for the twelve year
 passage entering the practice of
 medicine & have been his attending
 physician for a period four years
 he is subject to attack of dyspepsia
 and occasionally annoyed with Rhuma-
 tism with heart complications
 at this meeting pulse rate & interm-
 itted in character he seem to suffer
 very much with lamago being at
 times unable to do any work at
 this affecting his stomach is some
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 in my opinion to the extent of
 $\frac{2}{3}$ or $\frac{3}{4}$ on account of the above
 mentioned disabilities.

of Lovator Duffy
 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 widow of \$ 14 Sept
 1892 personally appeared before me
 Darius Weeks age 60 years resident
 of New Bern & standard & etc will
 known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit also being duly sworn
 according to law declares 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 New Bern 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 after Edmond
 Hill went with her and visit her
 and after a while they went together
 as man and wife and her father
 enlisted in the U.S. & and Jane
 come and stayed with me until
 her husband come back out of
 the Army and when he come
 back he was sick had the Rheu-
 matism heart disease and shortness
 of breath he stayed in my house
 & eight months and he
 was sick pretty much all

The ~~same~~ and would do any thing I
 think he and Jane went and got
 married Licenses before he married in
 his brother house I know me and
 my husband went about the time
 and got over and Edmund Hill and
 his wife were about it ~~at~~ ^{at} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~same~~ ^{same} ~~place~~ ^{place}
 me in James ~~and~~ sister Lucy
 house and Jane went out and taken
 care of ~~him~~ until he died I
 told Jane Hill good many times
 while she was ~~working~~ and ~~making~~ on
 her house ban. That I would not do
 as she did no how in the world
 that is for 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
 keep him up until he died from
 date of discharge up until he died
 Dec 26, 1871 an about nineteen
 years ago I visited up him and
 have to take care of him up until
 he died he died of the heart disease
 the result from Rheumatism he was
 full of blood when he come out of the
 Army I was there at his bed side
 where he died last he said he had pain
 about the heart and ~~was~~ ~~very~~ ~~ill~~
 and cold and ~~was~~ ~~very~~ ~~ill~~
 to the widow Jane Hill has
 not remarried or lived with
 any man as man and wife since
 his death and she has to work
 out for her living I have

my Cas address is etw Bern

witness
 & carpenter P. ^{his} Sarina + Weeks
 & et Smith mark

blain Jane Hill

also personally appeared before
 Daniel Wick age 64 residents
 of etw Bern et c declares as

the same of his wife Sarina Weeks

blain of Jane Hill

also personally appeared before me
 edwac Waters age 63 years resident

of etw Bern et c well known to
 be reputable and entitle to credit

who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows that at etw Bern

acquainted with & deposited an about
 the fall of 1864 at etw Bern

et c and he was at present of Co D
 14 regt of 1st St regt and when I

first become acquainted with Edmond
 Hill he well and hearty man from

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

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

disease and shortness of breath
 at Saralins City by reason of

being out in the cold rains
 and snow and shut without

tents for several days

Et I came 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-
 diat cause of death was heart decay
 and I see his widow Jane Hill and
 she are not married nor lives with
 any man as man and wife if she
 hade 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 my Po address is
 New Burne Bureau Co et c.
 witness: Elmer W. Waters
 J. Carpenter
 John M. Hill

Also appeared Parker Smith age 68
 resident of New Burne Bureau Co et c.
 who being duly sworn according to
 Law state that I was acquainted
 with the deceased David 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 regts U S G Army
 and was discharged at Fort
 Chassey etc on about the 17 day of Dec
 1864 by reason of the company and
 regt mustered out. That the said
 Edmund Hill while in the line
 of duty at near Caroline City etc
 in State of etc did on about the
 first day of Dec 1864 become disabled
 in the following manner to wit that
 he was taken with rheumatism
 diarrhea and piles and heavy cough
 and held on the lounge. He was
 taken from warm Barracks at
 New Bern etc on Nov 1864 and
 carried to Caroline City and layed
 out in an open grave without tents and
 next morning he was all white
 with frost and he 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 disabilities et knew this by
 reason et was present and a member
 of Co D 14 regt U S G Army and et
 saw the said and heard him
 complaining of Rheumatism
 diarrhea and piles and having
 in side and that he told me
 that some time in the spring Dec
 1864 or spring 1865 et do not remember
 he being sent to the hospital to
 he was excuse from duty and

treated by Surgeon an about same
 time I was treated and Dr dead he
 had rheumatism and I had the symptom
 of at it sink of davelua paine in brest
 and I know the cough and I know
 he was sick with paine in Back and
 Brest left sid in fall 1846 he could
 not use his limbs he was lame and
 was excusd from duty and had ser-
 vices cough and he was in this cond-
 ition and he was in this condition
 when he was dischargd of home home
 with him and he continued to
 grow worse and worse untill he
 died he did near neighbor of me
 at Enochside of Langs December
 24 1848 about 19 years ago.

Encarjuntor Parker Smith
 J. H. Parwell mark

also personally appeared before me
 Henry Hill age 44 resident of
 Harlow and also Eilson Smith
 age 52 resident of New Bern and
 also William Kelly age 49 years
 residents of New Bern all declare
 the proof of his disabilities as the
 are 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 declares as follows that
 he are the identical Dennis Chat-
 man who was Enrolled at us at
 forint on the 9 day of June 1862
 in Co E 25 regt U.S.C. of Command
 ed by Gates and was honorable
 dischorg at Charleston S.C. on the
 11 day of June 1864 that his personal
 description as follows age 18 year high
 5 feet 4 inches complexion Black hair
 Black eyes Black and while in line
 of duty at Galveys Island S.C. on
 about Sept 1863 he contracted Chro-
 nic 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
 leg and lower pains in side and breast
 and short breath and shortness of
 breath weakness of back contracted
 the said disease in the U.S. Army
 he was taken with sharp pains in
 side on Double quick march up to the
 Battle of Alator Fla he fell out marches
 had enter moderate feaver disease
 of lungs heart disease fluttering of the
 heart he was treated in hospital
 as follows he was treated by Pearson
 Doctor in Serring at Galveys Island
 and at Jackson well Florida

Hospital and he has not been employ
 ed in the military and naval service
 otherwise that stated above has
 not been employed in the U.S. service
 since June 1866 and has not been the
 military service of the U.S. since 1 day of
 June 1866 and since leaving service
 I have resided in the County of Tenne
 see my occupation is a farmer when
 I enlisted I was a well and hearty and
 sound man enrolled Private of Co. E
 35 regt that he are now $\frac{1}{2}$ disable to
 perform manual labor by reason
 of above said disability and make
 this declaration to be placed on the pen
 sion roll of invalid pension he
 hereby appoints with full power and
 substitution and renunciation Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern etc. his true
 and law full attorney to prosecute his
 claim that he has for applied for a
 pension and that his present address
 is Kingston etc.
 In witness whereof
 I at Smith

Dennis Chatman

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

Special action in pension

Claim of E. Lemyer & Calman
 Charles Calman age 40
 years resident of ~~Stro~~ ~~Berne~~
 and are total ~~dead~~ in left
 eye Rheumatism ~~in~~ ~~face~~ and
 heart disease left side and
 Breast and are suffering and
 need of pension

Claim of Jane Hill
 personally appeared before
 Jane Hill age 52 years President
 of ~~of~~ ~~Stro~~ ~~Berne~~ N.C. well know
 n to be reputable and entitled to
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to Law do declare as follows
 I was born and raised 16 miles
 west of ~~Stro~~ ~~Berne~~ Kingston in
 in County of Lenoir a ~~the~~
 an George Lains plantation where
 the War Brak out at ~~Stro~~ ~~Berne~~
 old and was taken by the Union
 Army March 1862 I drove to
~~Stro~~ ~~Berne~~ Dec 1862 I married
 Peter Simmons Dec 1862 he died
 fall 1863 in Small Pot Bents
 I become acquainted with Edmond
 Hill Jan 1864 and he vis it me
 up untill we come together as
 man and wife and we was reco
 niz as man and wif this was
 sprung of 1864 and he enlisted
 in 68 D 14 Regt U.S. & G. Army
 he remain in camp at

Stead Bvine 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 did
 before he married Edmond Hill
 all sent August 9 1892

Claim of Benjamin Bryan
 State of North Carolina. Court of
 Cassen are this 2 day of August 1892
 personally appeared before me John
 Baberton age 52 years resident of
 Charlotte N.C. who being duly sworn
 according to Law stat that he are acq-
 uainted with Benjamin Bryan
 applicant for pension and know the said
 Benja Bryan to be the identical
 person of that name who enlisted
 as volunteer as private of Co of 2d
 Regt N.C. Inf and was promoted ser-
 geant then to Major and was discharge at
 Watonog Tenn on about the 25 day
 of April 1866 by reason of mistaking
 out of service that Benjamin Bryan
 that while in line of duty at near
 Bridg Point, N.C. in state of N.C.
 did on about fall of 1865 become
 disabled in falling from a tree with
 his hands clasped and fell
 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 to 1866 of which was lame and
 he and it run and it resulted in
 running ulcer and a part in
 Co. G. 40 Regt. U. S. G. and a way
 with ~~the~~ the climate where he
 contracted the above said disability
 of bar of saw the symptoms of diarrhea
 and Piles he bath was treated at
 the same ^{time} at Chattanooga Feb 1866
 he was taken again with pains in
 joints and pains about the heart
 which the Dr call 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 discharge at Chattanooga
 Tenn April 25 1866 he was then
 more than 2 disabled to do any
 manual labor and since discharge
 I have seen him here or three
 times in five years. I recently
 Dec 1891 I made of near neighbors
 of him when I see him once or
 twice a week and he are unfit

for any manner labour and grow
 worse and worse all the time and
 are suffering with the above said
 disabilities my Po address is
 Harlow etc John Babers old
 E. Carpenter ^{his} mark
 E. of Smith

claim of Benjamin Bryan etc
 921476 of Co H 40 regt U S G

personally appeared Ben
 H. M. Hyman age 45 years et
 resident of Harlow etc well known
 to be reputable and entitle to cred
 it who being duly sworn accord
 ing to law declares as follows et
 become acquainted with Benjamin
 Bryan the fall 1868 at Harlow he
 now a near neighbor of me and we
 have ben living in the said neighbor
 hood ever since the fall of 1868 up
 to the present and when at first
 become acquainted with him he now
 complaining of a running ulcer
 of which he said he contracted in the
 U S Service it continues to run
 and at times he are down with it
 and he are suffering with diarrhea
 and Piles and at times Piles would
 burn and swell him up et visit
 him twice a week pretty much
 all the time and he are 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 disabled to perform
manual labor. by reason of
Burning ulcer and Rheumatism
and diarrhea and Piles and pains
about the heart of 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 Caralines Esq
of Cranston in matter of
original and true disability
of Esq 480742 of Pompey Haskell
late Print of Co of 34 Regt U.S. &
of an this 6 day of Aug. 1890
personally appeared before me Esq
Gaster age 52 years resident of
Harlow. N.H. well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit
who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows I have
lived at Harlow, N.H. I was born
and raised and live in a mile
of Pompey Haskell every since
1862 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 & H Co. ty March 12 1864 and he
 come to New Bern and enlisted
 in Co C 34 regt us S & H Co. ty as
 a new recruit at New Bern etc
 the summer and fall 1864 until
 they went away the Clairmont
 was there a well and hearty man
 from all appearances and I never
 saw him any more until I
 met him at Fort Macon Nov
 1865 and then he complained of
 his head he had bumpy wound
 his head he taken bald and had
 Rheumatism and diarrhoea and
 Piles and his eyes were 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 1867 I live and near neighbors
 of him ever since 1867 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 Edinboro
 also personally appeared
 Samuel Hall and Israel
 Sanders declare the same

of said Carter
 mark

Claim of Pampy Haskell
 Proof of disability

State of North Carolina Co
 of Cassin in matter of original
 invalid pension claim No 18043
 Pampy Haskell, but a friend of
 Co. of 37 Regt 100th Inf on the
 6th of August 1892 Personally
 appeared before me a Notary
 Public for & within the County
 & state of said Pampy Haskell
 age 54 years the widow of Charles
 Haskell known to be a person
 of good credit & who being
 duly sworn Deposes in the
 relation to the above said case as
 follows, My D. Address is in
 care of Frederick Douglas of
 Asheville, N. C. My D. Address
 from said source July 12 1867
 & since he said in brief of how
 well he had to serve as well as
 my occupation was then 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. Hot fever in the head diarrhoea
 & piles was treated in hospital & he
 had the laceration in the head from
 the discharge up to the present
 time I have seen the following
 medical treatment for said

Continued by one of nature

Divorced first treatment by Dr. Wm. Hughes -
of New York N.Y. in 1867 up to 1870
Doctor died then Doctor Keary of Pa. treated
me until he died in 1874
Since then I have bought medicine from
different Druggists at New York N.Y.
and also where ever I could get it

My Declaration Dated July 27 1890 in the
Bureau of Pension of which I ask to be
taken up and allowed I therefore
declare that I have served of New York
N.Y. in the same & during all of
the said time my physical condition has
been & still is for some in a good labor
has been as follows for the first ten years
after discharge I was able to perform
various manual labor until I was
taken down for a second time two years
in said as before and held with the
hemorrhage & diarrhea & pain in
my head & eyes blind part of the time each
year since I have been attacked with
blindness & Dizziness of the head & pains
in the head

That I am a poor man & have no skill
or occupation
I do claim

Witness my hand & subscribed to before
me this 6 day of Aug. 1892
Cecil Carpenter N.P.
Sent off this 11 day of Aug. 1892

Witness my hand & subscribed to before
me this 6 day of Aug. 1892
Cecil Carpenter N.P.
Sent off this 11 day of Aug. 1892

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
deposes as follows that I am a pension
er of the U.S. by Cert No. 215739
and duly enrolled at the Knoxville Genl
pensioner agency at the rate of 16
dollars per month by reason of disabilities
from disease of Heart disease Resulted of
led large Chronic Diarrhea and
Rheumatism closed liver tificale Date
Feb 31 1882 in military Service of
the U.S. while a Sergeant and Corporal
of Co E 35 regt U.S. & I that his
physicall condition is such that
he believe him self intitle to and
increase pension and he are disable
in the following manner to wit
disease of heart circutuous resulted large
Chronic Diarrhea and Piles and Rheu
matism and lung disease application
is also here by made for increase
pension an account of other disabilities
to wit at Gallies Island in State
of North Carolina an about the
fall of 1862 by exposure and
Cold and was taken diarrhea and
Piles and lung disease and he was
exposed to the weather and he received
Sunstroke on march from Jackson
ville he was on his way back from
Alister Fla Battle he faile in
Banks from Sunstroke 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 affirms with full power
and substitution and re-activation
of Frederick Douglass of New Bern
his true and lawful attorney to prose-
cute his claim my Co adjutors is
Ehablock Crumley & Co
Saw Carpenter Eli ^{his} Barrow
& Co. Smith ^{mark}

also personally appeared before me
Edson Owens age 66 years resident
of near New Bern & Co well known
to be reputable and entitled to credit
upon being duly sworn according to
law declared as follows I become
acquainted with Eli Barrow at
New Bern & Co June 1862 we both
were examined and enlisted at about
the same time he was then a
well and hearty man from all
appearance up until Sept 1862
at Hally 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 Hallys
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 Augustin
 Fla and then he was discharged
 and sent home I have seen him
 many more untill June 1868 when
 I come home I saw the claimant
 and he was sick complaining of
 Diarrhea Piles and Rheumatism and
 I saw stroke of the head and I have
 seen him three or four times a
 year since discharging and he still
 complains of the above disease and
 for the last 3 years I have seen him
 pretty much ~~monthly~~ monthly and
 he are total unable to do any labor
 My Po address is New Bern N.C.
 I am Carpenter I am ^{for} Owens
 & Co Smith

Woods & Co Smith

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of Co H 35

Proof of disability of Elson Owens

State of et with Caroline Co of
Granun on this 4 day of Aug 1892
personally appeared before me Elie Barron
age 54 years resident 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 iden-
tical person of that name who enlisted
or volunteered as a private in Co G
of regt 1st S. C. and who was discharged
at Charleston S. C. on or about 1st
day of June 1866 by reason of a
right wrist, but that the said Elson
Owens while in the line of his duty
at near Scurtu 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 a shell the injury he was
knock down in action on rail road
at about. Before Jackson mill and
Balmir station Fla he received inj-
ury to right right side which caus
rupture of right side while on a grate
frame at track on the rail road Feb 1864
which resulted in Rheumatism and
Diarrhea 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 they

July 10 1865

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he was excused from duty for injury
of left shoulder and hip and side
and elbow of right side cause
rupture and weakness of back he
became total disable to do duty and
went to hospital and was discharged
April 1st 1865 I never saw the
claimant any more until June
1866 I was on my character 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
Tla summer 1864 I have known
the claimant 28 years my P's address
is Hablock, Crawford Co. Mo

E. W. Carpenter E. C. Barrow

E. O. Smith and J. H. Smith of both
of them and of both of them 27 July 1892

Special request
Claim of Salaman Redick
State of North Carolina Co of
Granum on this 10 day of Aug 1892
personally appeared before me Salaman
Redick age 54 years resident of
New Burn Granum Co etc and
who being duly sworn declares as
follows that he is the Salaman
Redick 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 manull labor
 by reason of Rheumatism and
 sprain of right Sid and left
 arm and he are partial Blind
 and grows worse and worse his
 wife has to work and take care
 of him and he is fatal unable
 to do any thing he ask that his
 claim be allowed he are 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 was ben down about 2 months
 Witness

& W Carpenter
 and als and Affidavit mad by
 John R Wallace and hester of
 Blunt my bar witness testifying to
 his disabilities all Sent
 at my all Sent 11 1892

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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 & become acqui-
 anted with Dennis Chatman of
 private of my Co and regt June
 1862 in Camp he enlisted after
 did he was of well and hearty man
 from all appearance we drill to
 gether he appeared all right up
 untill we got to Gallops 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 service
 he knew he was taken with pains
 in left shoulder and feet and
 legs in winter of 1862 at Gallops
 Island & he the Dr said Rheumatism
 he got so he could not go about
 and on duty he went with us to
 Jackson Mill Fla Feb 20 1864
 and on the way to the Battle of Alastra
 Fla the Quartermaster fell out of the
 Ranks taken with attack of diarrhea
 and Rheumatism and he saw him
 two days after that and he was
 lame flaming of head and sick
 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
 Shany 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 Shannan Green
 Encarpenter
 of Edman
 also and affidavit made by
 Rose James
 all sent August 11 1892

Claim of Francis Cooper
 State of North Carolina County of
 Brunswick in matter of original invalid
 claim No 418011 of Daniel Cooper
 late private of Co G 2d Regt U.S.C.
 Caly on this 5 day of August 1892
 personally appeared before Francis
 Cooper also witness 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 2d Regt U.S.C. Caly was and
 applicant to Pension Office 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 Res of a P
 to complete the same according to law
 el do hereby and publicly 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 ^{with} 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 U.S.C. 1st
 Dec. 24 1862 and el was well acquainted
 with Daniel Cooper a private of my
 Co and Regt el knew him when
 he was 16 years old 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 Michal McCray declaring the same as
a bone and all sent Aug 12 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 I was down with Rheumatism
so I could not go I never saw him
any more until 1866 at City Point
Va and he was then sick I met
him again home at Papillion Co Mo
and he continued to grow worse
and worse he was taken with serious
cough and cold in lungs in Spring
of 1864 he continued with cough and
cold until he became dead I was not
present but I heard it was away
he died on about the last of October
1882 he left the claimant his widow
the only surviving heir his widow
remains single up until the Spring
of 1888 then she remarried she
married Nathaniel this Saldier
first wife was Anna Cooper and
she died in the Spring of 1878 and
left one child surviving by name
I can not recall its name It died
the same year its mother died about
three or four months after its mother
died I am satisfied the former wife
of the Saldier died long before he
married Francis Cooper the
claimant and has no interest
my Po address is New Bern Mo
Carpenter

Wm
Bathumy + Fogdell
marks

Claim of Charles Kennedy

Stat of the North Carolina County of
 Anson in the matter of original juris-
 diction claim etc 324602 of Charles
 Kennedy a private of Co E 2d regt
 U S C Bay on this fourth day of
 August 1892 personally appeared before
 me Lewis Barber age 56 years resident
 of Chayville famous to all well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows I became
 acquainted with Charles Kennedy at
 private of Co E 2d regt U S C Bay
 at New Bern etc on about the
 time we enlisted in said regt he
 was a well and hearty man from
 all appearance up until we was
 ordered to Fortus Monroe Va. and
 while at Fortus the Steam Ship
 the Steam Ship got aground
 sand bar and the engine had to
 come and take her off the sand
 bar and while in action the raze
 slipped and washed the claimant
 Charles Kennedy and two or three
 other men and two or three of
 the men died before they could
 get to the hospital and Charles
 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 ache and head
 and was taken with diarrhea and
 Dysentery he would not be able to

and on about the fall of 1864 he
 was taken sick bad off at deep
 Patton na and he was sent to
 hospital and was not able to go
 to Texas with the 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 Mays
 Mill of Ans Co etc
 witness ^{his} Harris Barber
 Enocarpenter _{mark}
 G. H. Willis

Claim of Henry Hill
 State of North Carolina Co of
 Brown in matter of original
 doycruse now and old disabilities
 of 509953 of Henry Hill late
 Corporal of Co D 14 regt and Co H 27th
 was this 4 day of Aug 1892 Personally
 appeared before me John Bonis
 age 53 years resident of Murfreesboro
 He well known to be reputable
 and entitle to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows I become
 acquainted with the Henry Hill
 Corporal of Co D 14 regt

U.S.C. & Army when I joined
 the Company Sept. 1864. Carpal
 Hill was so well and hearty man
 from all appearance up until
 as about the last of Oct 1864 he
 was taken with diarrhea and
 treated by the Surgeon at Ston
 Bern etc up until the last
 of Nov 1864 then we was ordered
 to Caroline City about two miles
 and a half from Marchand City
 etc. and there by exposure and
 cold he was taken down sick with
 Serpils 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. tents and
 he was lame he had Rheumatism
 and diarrhea and weakness of back
 he receive and dysuria to the head
 and both eyes became inflamed
 of bronchitis at Fort Jackson etc
 Ston 1st 1865 little over a month
 before we was discharge I 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 I recognize
 Carpal Hill as one of the
 wounded men I went to see
 the Carpal Hill and others
 he was on his back and head
 boarded up I spat 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 discharg he first could
 hear a little his face was blatched
 up and he complain of pains in
 head and after discharg el lived
 a near neighbor of him about
 8 years after he was discharge and
 visit his house two or three times
 at months he would be down sick
 two or three times a month with
 Rheumatism 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 amproy he has lost sight
 of left eye and total deafness of left
~~ear~~ ear and since the first 8 year
 I have seen him monthly and he
 complains of severe cough and cramps
 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 racking of the
 head this is his condition my
 address is River Fall
 witness John + Boner
 E W Carpenter mark
 H. Green

Continued over

Claim of Henry Hill

also personally appeared Lemuel Hill age 54 years resident of Kingston Lenawee Co also well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declared as follows. I become acquainted with Corporal Henry Hill when we was small boys on William Hicks Land near Garden Duplin Co etc. we was raised up together and he was a well and hearty man up until he enlisted had no rheumatism no diarrhoea no last affection or deafness I never heard him complain of any thing not until I met him at Caroline City etc. in 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 this I just could convince him I was not present when he returned I assure I was at New Bern etc. 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 of Cannon at Fort Macon etc. we was discharged and come home together I remain at New Bern etc. for three or four years after discharge

and saw him weekly and
 he continued to complain of
 head and eyes and diarrhoea and
 cough and large troubles and
 weakness of back and lost sight
 of left eye total deaf of left ear
 and he him monthly and he suff-
 ers with the afore said disability
 and grows worse and worse all
 the time my so address is
 fields etc
 witness Lemuel + ^{his} Hill
 Grocarpenter ^{mark}
 H. J. Leman

Claim of William Gaylar
 State of North Carolina Co. of Craven
 in matter of original Judicial process
 Claim No 603 & 49 of William Gaylar
 late grant of Co Ct 11 regt U S C
 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 entitle 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 Barbara etc on my late owners plan-
 tation Bedding Suggs Bedding Suggs
 bought me and my mother Peggy
 Gaylar from our former owners
 Wm Gaylar Plantation war in Car

of Edgcomb etc my late owners
 Redding Duggs 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 Barbara et c after
 his death of Redden Duggs I fell
 heir to his wife Peggy Duggs and
 after her death I fell heir to her son
 of Duggs and when the late war
 broke out I and several others ran
 away from our owners plantation
 to Duggs 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 11th Pennsylvania
 regt and I was detail for under
 coat of Co K 11 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 Duggs 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 11 regt and was in Co
 K and by Capt and E. P. Warner
 I was taken with Rheumatism in
 feet legs and hips and shoulder

and Rheumatism resulting into heart
 troubles and fluttering fibres in
 heart and I was discharged at St. Place
 Hall Fort St. Maurice N.A. they discharged
 me by reason of disabilities and they
 gave me a discharge certif and in
 coming home I was attacked by
 Rabbers and in the Scrimmage of
 Rabbers they was about five or
 six men and they taken my
 Pistol and drowed it over me and
 and fired at me but the cap jab
 and they did not kill me but
 they taken my discharging papers and
 torn it up and taken my money
 and they taken a grape wire and
 twisted it and put it around my
 neck and tried to hang me and
 the grape wire brake and I fell
 so they did not hang me so I
 ask the Hon Com missioner of Pensions
 to please look for my name I do not
 know how my name was written I
 was 58 years five feet and 11 inches
 complexion dark hair dark eyes dark
 my Po address is St. Bern. Ch. B.

witness
 E. W. Carpenter
 Co. Salmer

William ^{his} Faylar
 mark

Sent of Aug 15 1892

Claim of Fanny Whitney

on this 6 day of August 1892
 personally appeared before me
 Fanny Whitney age 35 years
 Resident of Frankman Graner
 Co. & 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 masses Finger private of Co H 36
 Regt U.S.C. that said Masses Finger
 died in winter or fall 1864 while
 private of Co H 36 Regt U.S.C.
 and left mother father that his
 father died before the war Captain
 Finger and his mother Sarah Finger
 died July 1876 near Coatum Mo
 and left surviving one child
 Perkins Finger late of Co H 36 Regt
 U.S.C. that the Soldier had the
 following name Brothers and Sisters
 living when enlisted to wit
 Margaret Dick Jemmy Dick Rachel
 Dick Mahalia Dick and Harriet
 Dick and Perkins who was Soldier
 they are all dead as far as she knows
 Hannah died before the war that
 there is Bounty and Errors Due the
 Soldier according to law that his
 mother Harriet the Soldier 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 Lippie Whitney ^{his}

also personally appeared Cain Elmore ^{mark}
age 60 years Resident of Thurman etc.
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 etc.
witness Cain Elmore ^{his}
J. P. Powell Ellen ^{mark} ~~Devon's~~

Sent up Aug 12 1892

Claim of Peter Bishop
Declaration for invalid pension ^{24 1890} act June
Stat of et with Carolina County
of Georgia on this 12 day of Aug 1892
personally appeared before Peter
Bishop age 48 years resident of
etew Bernwell etc. 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 private Co 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
U.S. on the first day of March
1864 that he are total unable,

to see a Dwarf part by manual
 labor by reason of Chronic
 Epurmatism resulted in heart
 disease and diarrhea and Pills
 that he has not ben in milit
 ary services since March 1867
 that said disabilities are no done
 to his vicious 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 act of
 that claim is now depending and
 has been examined twice that
 he has not ben 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 provision 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. Bishop
 J. H. Powell

Israel Williams
 Joseph Gredbull

Claim of Nancy Cooper

State of North Carolina Co
of Curran in matter of original
jurisdiction claim etc 420832 of Nancy
Cooper widow of James Cooper. late
of Co et 14 Regt in S & G Army on
this 12 day of Aug 1892 personally
appeared before me Mary Lee age 42
resident of New Bond etc. Well
known to be suitable and entitled to
Credit who being duly sworn accord
ing to Law declares as follows
that she is well acquainted with James
Cooper the claimant also her husband
James Cooper. died & became acquainted
with them in the late war here at
New Bond they live within and
hundred yards of me also I reme
mber that James Cooper the claimant
husband went in U S Army he was
a Soldier of the 14 Regt & remember
that they was one could name of James
Cooper by Nancy Cooper in the time
of the war and that child died while
the Soldier was down to fort Magon
et S with the 14 Regt and the Soldier
was discharging 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 Nancy Cooper
the claimant this of Ch Cooper
was born an about Dec the 9
1868 & know this because he was
living a near neighbor of me
at the same time the

The child was borne & know
 it was borne in the ninth day of
 Christmas month 1868 which
 was Dec. 1868 & also remember that
 the president us Grant was elected
 as president in fall of 1868 and the
 An mariah was borne that same
 year in Dec 9 1868 & 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 1847
 I know this because I was living
 a near neighbor of mine and visited
 her when this child was born about
 two years and little more than 6
 months after the birth of the girl
 I visit them at times and I with
 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 2 day of
 July 1872 the next year after the child
 James Cooper was borne and James
 Cooper suffers with Rheumatism
 and dizziness and Piles and misery
 of head and pains in Chest and
 Lung troubles from the time
 he came home out the war
 until he died he was sent
 to the County Orphan house my
 address is Peter Berno
 Excavator Mary Lee
 & Edm ^{her} _{mark}
 and all do and affidavits

made by the following men de
clarin^g the same as the above
Joseph Dutton

Philip Wiggins

Stathair Jackson

Joseph H. Clark. all of eten Bond

all sent August 16 1892

claim of fancy Cooper
also personally appeared before me
Susan Dunks age 50 years resident
of eten Bond et al well known to
be reputable and entitle. 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 1868 in camp
at Caroline City et al we both went
there to see our husbands my husband
Joseph Dunks was Capt of Co
of 14 regt U.S.C. et al 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 sever cold my husband
was sick at the time and we
visited the camp sever times
to gether up untill he was discharg
and he continued to complain
and each year he grow worse and
worse untill he died. I visited him
and wated on him up untill he
become supless and requires et

Carshant & 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 Jondy
 Cooper and James Cooper his
 son was born on about Sept 15
 1871 and the Saldier died the
 next Friday which was a week
 day July 3 1872 and his children
 are still living and his widow
 are in a very poor condition
 I visit James Cooper at times
 at the birth of a few said children
 and I know these births are correct
 My Post address is care Boone &
 Epworth Epworth Susan ^{his} Danson
 J. K. Powell mark

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

U S C & C

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 & C on this 10 day of Aug
1892 personally appeared before
me Henry Davis Judge 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 el was born
and raise in the County of Lenawia
and belong to Mr Washington Jones
of said County and el become acquainted
with Willis James when el was a
small girl at Washington Jones
Plantation in Co of Lenoire and
an about the fall 1862 el 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 living a child to
wit Philip James was born at the
Sallie Suttons place an about the
month of March 1865 before
the late war was close Philip
James lived with Dinah and
they lived and cohabited as
man and wife and an about the
month of March 1865 were removed
by the name of Eliza come to

etew Borne alidging that she
 was the wife of Wallis Jones
 and he come up to etew head
 City when his regt was stationed
 an about a furlongh to etew Borne
 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
 several years after which she moved
 from etew Borne and went down
 to River and el Learn she is living
 yet at etew Adams Creek and etew
 Jones the Saldier former wife
 live with him as his wife at
 etew Borne 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 may soon after the Saldier
 was ~~buried~~ Saldier was married
 to Caroline Jones as his wife
 up until she died and left to
 her some children & inheriting wth
 and said children did not ~~at~~
 1880 prop^{ly} that el Garret was not
 present el do not know just where
 he died and el learn that the
 Saldier died etew 1884 and left
 inheriting the following slide
 etew Jones etew Jones and
 and they are the only dependy
 children of the Saldier Po^{ster}
 Egocarpenter etew ^{the} ~~Danis~~
 J. H. Powell etew Borne

Claim of Willis James Continued

personally appeared before before
 me Mary Lee. age 42 years resi-
 dents of etew Bernie et. well known
 to be reputable and entitle to credit
 also being duly sworn according to
 oaths declared as follows el being
 acquainted with James. Willis in
 January 1862 at etew Bernie et. C
 and on about the spring of 1862 he
 he live with one Dianah as man and
 wife and by said cohabitation and
 child was borne Willis James in
 the month of March 1865 el was
 living in speaking distance of
 Dianah when this child miller
 James enlisted in the 14 Regt US
 C Army on about the first of 1865
 one woman name Aley come to
 etew Bernie and sed she was the wife
 of Willis James the Saldier and they
 come up to etew Bernie and a frod long
 from the Regt of which was at mad
 head to see his wife and this Aley
 James was sure and recpny as his
 wife that he had her before the war
 and this Dianah stayed here until
 he left and went down to a place call
 ed down creek and on about July
 1865 Aley James died el was present
 when she died and went to the
 bevel and when Willis James
 was discharge Dec 1865. soon
 after he come home and remar-
 ked to me Sarah Jane James
 at etew Bernie et. C and by

that now are and co-habitants
 are Child & as far as Alice
 James and an about the year
 an about August 1840 and Willis
 James lived with Caroline James
 until he died February 1888
 twelve years ago and left the
 Child & Alice James & Alice James
 and they are the only legal children
 of the said Willis James
 Encarjunter Mary Lee
 J. H. Powell

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

Claim of Joseph Harper of Co H 14
 State of North Carolina
 of certain claim matter of original
 number claim No 555330 of Joseph
 Harper of Co H 14 regt U S A on
 this 15 day of Aug of 1892 personally
 appeared before Charles H Smith
 age 60 years Resident seven miles
 west of Eden Beane well known to
 be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows I was born
 and raise on Buck Hill plantation
 in name Co about four teen miles
 west of Goldsboro etc I become
 acquainted with Joseph Harper when
 he was a baby I know his
 father Aguir Hill who belongs

Also Mary shall shortly be tried offident in Bay of claim
but off of the old Charles off in Sept 1892

to the same man I did when
I was of small boy I remember
that he married of 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 necessary 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 Quincy Harper born 1849
Laurissa Harper now William was
born July 15 1852 Sabannon 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 decd that
this Sisters and brother are brother
and Sisters to the Saldier that Saldier
father died 12 day of May 1866 at
Johnsons eldia Harper died Dec 24
1884 in Camp a mile from Fort
Barn etc and the Saldier taken care
of him the mother and children
up untill he died the Saldier died
in about the 15 of Sept 1864 and
left widow and and she died
winter of 1869 left now that
Saldier Sisters and brother
are still living but Jackson

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Squires many did and left
no children That I have no
interest in the claim my P's
address is New Bern^{his}
Egocarpenter Marshall + Smith
J. D. Barfield. ^{mark}

als personally appeared before
me York Hill age 42 years res
idents of Tuscarora her name is
Ch. well known to be reputable
and and entitle to credit who
being duly sworn according to
law declare as follows I was
at home under Dr Buck Hill
before the war I was well acquainted
with Joseph Harper the Soldier of
and his mother and father before
the war his father Squires
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 six children surviving
to wit Louisa Salamon Cassa
Sarah Ida that Soldier work and
taken care of his sisters and Brothers
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 + Hill all
J. D. Barfield ^{his}
Sent Aug 16 189 ^{mark}

Claim of James C Harrison

State of North Carolina County
 of Curran in matter of Pension
 Claim of James C Harrison Guardian
 of Sarah Carolina and Della Haddock
 et al vs 404967 minors of James
 Haddock dec of Co H 1st ~~regt~~ ^{regt} North
 Carolina. Also on this 12 day of Aug
 1892 personally appeared before Rachel
 & Brink being of Co Pitt et al 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 23 190 et there
 state that Sarah Haddock one of
 the afore said children was born
 Dec 26 1866 that since making
 said attendance I have ascertained
 that I was in the war at the date of
 birth I am now satisfied from add
 itionally information quoted that
 the date of birth of said Sarah Haddo
 ck occurred on the 24 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 et in Bern
 et al well known to be reputable and
 entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows that we are appointed
 Guardians of the said children

that in the original declaration
filed by him in this claim he
states that said Sarah Haddock
was born on the 25 day of Dec 1868
which information he obtained
from parties whom he was supposed
to 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 children
that he has reason to believe
that the amended statement of
Rachel & Brinkley is correct that
the evidence furnished are 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 their mother
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 Claimant
desires that the claim be
made special and placed in
the hands of a special examiner
otherwise it will be impossible
for him to complete said

claim as said child can do not
 possess sufficient funds hono-
 rable to defray the many expens-
 es to this end that my Past add-
 is even Bern etc
 Jas C Warrigan
 clarkians

Dent August 16 1892

claim of Winnie Gill
 State of North Carolina County
 of ~~Wayne~~ Wayne on this 8 day
 of Aug 1892 personally appeared
 before me Winnie Gill age 7 5 years
 residents of Goldsboro etc well
 known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law she testifies as follo-
 ws that she are the identical mat-
 er of William H. Gill the dec who en-
 listed under the name of William
 H. Gill et print in Co C 14 regt re-
 S C Army at New Bern 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 print of Co C 14 regt re-
 S C Army and at his death he left
 mother widow was minor children
 under 16 years of age he left his
 mother Winnie Gill the survivor
 and his father Jacob Gill dec

who died an about the 19 day of
 June 1880 and that there are
 bounties and arrears and other
 allowances Due Said Saldier and
 this declaration is made to recover
 the same according to act of Cong-
 ress and that he has not
 aided or abetted in the Rebellion
 of the U.S. and the hereby authority
 and affidavit With full power and
 Substitution and Renunciation. Herdick
 Douglass of New York etc his
 true and lawfull attorney to
 present and present and to
 receive a receipt for all money or
 draft issued in her favor and
 to do all necessary act to the
 Settlement of the same.
 my last address Goldsboro
 Wayne Co etc. Winnie Gill
 wife

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

also personally appeared Winnie
 Gill, age about 45 years resident
 of Goldsboro Wayne Co etc who
 being duly sworn according to

Baro 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.
 an about Summer of 1864 in Co G
 14 regt U.S. & 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 Pleurmatism & con-
 tracted death and Piler while in the
 U.S. Service and line of duty occu-
 red at Caroline City and Warehead
 City in Summer of 1864 that said
 Son left mother a widow ^{was} ~~was~~
 under 14 years of age and that she
 is without either 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 on the
 pension roll. of the U.S. under
 date of June 24 1890 she was by
 appaants Frederick Douglass of
 New Bern N.C. her trust and lawful
 attorney to prosecute her claim that
 her Post address is Goldsboro way
 Co N.C. ^{Wm H Gill}

Jennas Huntington
 N. B. Artie
 Sent of August 1892

Oct June 27 1890

Hulda Emert^{mother} of Williard Emertt

State of North Carolina County
 of Craven on this 16 day of Aug 1892
 personally appeared before me Hulda
 Emertt age 73 years residents of New
 Bern N.C. who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 that she are the mother of Williard
 Emertt who enlisted under the name
 of Williard Emertt at New Bern
 N.C. on the 12 day of June 1862
 private of Co E 36 Regt N.S. & I
 in the war of the Rebellion who
 died at Point Back N.C. in fall
 of 1864 from affect of dysentery and
 disease. Died February 8 1865 at
 Deep Bottom fall of 1864 that said
 son left mother widowed with child under
 10 years old that she are without the
 present means of support thru her
 own labors that she has not applied
 for a 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 27 1890 she hereby appoints
 Frederick Douglas of New Bern N.C.
 true and lawful attorney to pro-
 secute her claim my P.O. address
 is New Bern

I we are
 J. Marshall

Hulda^{lvs} Emertt
 mark

Sent of Aug 17 1892
 Vera West

old law
Claim of Huldah Swett

personally appeared before me
Huldah Swett age 42 years who
being duly sworn according to law
makes the following declaration
in order to obtain the pension
provided by the act of Congress
granting pension to dependent relatives
is that he is the mother of Williard
Swett who enlisted under the
name of Williard Swett at New
Borne N.C. on the 12 day of June
1862 in Co H 26 regt U.S. G. Y.
in the war of 1861 and 1862 who
died on about Feb 3 1865 while
in the Hospital at Saint Rock Va
as Ledg on the 15 day of Sept at
1864 who bore at the time of his
death rank of Private in Co H 26 regt
U.S. G. Y. that said Son Williard
Swett left mother widow near the
age under 14 years old the said dec
laration was married to the father of
said Son at Richmond on or about
the day of fall 1824 by cons
ent owners that he was partly depend
ent upon said Son for support that
the father of said Son died at fact
an will. N.C. March 1844 and at the
date of said death his father and
sister who were under 16 year old
as follows Aaron Swett born
Aug 1st 1858 Agnes Swett
born March 24 1864 that prior
to enlistment of said Soldier and
since his death no person has

ben legal bound to swear his
 applicant that not here to fare as
 applied for pension here that she
 has not aided or receded the rebellion
 and that she has not remarried and
 her by appoint Frederick of
 New Bern her true and lawful
 attorney to prosecute her claim
 my past address is New Bern
 N. C. ^{the} Huldah ^{the} Everett
 of Marshall Hart

Elena Weste
 Cyrus Smith

Sept. 17th 1864
 articles of agreement sent

claim of Huldah Everett
 personally appeared before me
 Huldah Everett age 62 years residing
 at 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
 eldest child of William Hilliard
 Everett late Private of Co H 36 regt
 U. S. G. I. on about 12 day of June
 1863 at New Bern N. C. and died
 in Hospital in fall 1864 Feb 3
 1865 aged at Point Beach and
 never married widow as child by
 her was married to the father of the
 Soldier Joseph Everett by
 the consent of Albert Everett
 one former owners an his

Claim of Huldah Ewett

plantation in Richland owns
 her Co. etc in fall of 1834 and
 by that marriage fifteen children
 was born to wit James William
 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 about the 1st of mar-
 ch 1871 at Jackson Mill etc. that
 there are County and errors are
 the said Salter 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 name my P.O. address is
 New Bern etc

witness

Eweverpater

of Marshall

Huldah Ewett

also personal appeared before me
 June 21st 1871 at New Bern
 age 28 all residents of New Bern
 declare that they was present
 and saw Huldah Ewett make
 her mark to the following declar-

Claim Huddah & Enwitt

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
Emcarpenter
of Marshall

Gen^l West
Egness^{mark} Smith

Claim of Huddah Enwitt

also personally appeared before me
Huddah Enwitt age 42 years res
ident of New Bern of good
reputation to be respectable and con
fident to credit who being duly
sworn according to law that she
are the identical mother of
James Enwitt late of print of
No 37 Reg and Co. at New Bern
etc an about Aug 18 1864 and
I learn was appointed Corporal
January 1865 and he died in
the U.S. Service an about May
the 7 1865 and he left a widow
and one child to wit James
Enwitt applied for bounty and ser
vice of the Soldier James Enwitt
and said bounty claim was reje
cted on the grounds that James
Enwitt was not the legitimate
child of the Soldier James Enwitt
Soldier dead that she was mar

isued to the father of the Saldier
 Joseph Swett by the consent
 of the owners Albat Swett
 on his plantation in Richland
 on slow 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
 Agness Smith the two youngest is
 now living the father to wit Joseph
 Swett died on about the 1st of
 march A.D. 1871 at Jackson Mill etc
 that true is Bounty and arrears due
 said Saldier and this declaration is
 made to recover the same according
 to law are send acts of Congress.

that she declares that she has not
 aided or abetted in the rebellion of
 the U.S. that she do here by authority
 and appoint Frederick Douglass of
 New Beone 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 Draft or money that may be due
 said in her favor my Po address
 is New Beone.

witness

Encasantor

St. J. Marshall

Sheldah^{his} Swett
mark

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

ag 28 years who Residents is
 New Bern et c 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 et c.

Witness

Geo Carpenter, Jena ^{hon} + ^{West}
 et of Marshall et gmes ^{mark} Smith

all sent August 18 1892

Chairman of Charles Jones
 Stat of North Carolina County of
 Lenoir in matter of original partition
 claim et c 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
 aforesaid Mr Andrew Jones agl
 30 years residents of near Kingston
 et c. who being by me duly sworn
 according to Law declares as follows
 I have seen well acquainted with
 Charles Jones for the last Ten
 years or more or less and part of the
 time I lived with him I first
 become acquainted with him he
 was about two thirds disable to
 perform manull labors by

measles 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 wated 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
 very often and he are suffering with
 Rheumatism Diarrhoea and Piles my
 Pa address is
 Kinston etc. Andrew Jones

also personally appeared before me
 Jahrah Down age 32 years a resident
 near Kinston etc 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. B. Biggell
 Clerk Superior Court

Sent Aug 19. 1892.

Claim of Parkis Ann Edmondson

State of North Carolina County of Cross
 on this 17 day of Aug of 1892
 personally appeared before me Darcus
 Ann Edmondson age 40 years resident
 near Otero Beane etc well known to
 be reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows et makes this follo
 wing declaration in order to obtain
 a provision granted by Congress
 granted to dependent Sisters Brathers
 that she are the identical sister of
 Abraham Burrus Deed who enlisted
 at Prince of Geo D 1st U S C Z on
 about Feb 18 64 and died in hospital
 Bonak Island etc on about Aug
 18 65 who come to Bank of Exponent
 of Geo D 1st regt U S C Z 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 Ann 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 were 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 same made by Darcus
 Es. 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 former application has
not been filed and that they duly author-
ize Joseph Douglass of New Bern
N.C. their legal and lawful attorney
to prosecute said claim by Post
address is New Bern N.C.

witness ^{her}
Carpenter Darius Ann Edmondson
H. Baesser ^{mark}

also personally appeared before me
Darius 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
Darius Burns also Edmondson the
claimant make her mark to the
fore going declaration. my Post
address is New Bern
witness ^{her}
Carpenter Francis Gilchrist
H. Baesser ^{mark}

also personally personally appeared
before me Darius Ann Edmondson
age 40 years residents five miles
west 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 of Abraham
 Bowries died who enlisted at private
 of Co D 1st U S R Y an about
 Feb 1864 and died at Bonap Island
 Feb an about Aug 1865 who bore the
 Rank Private of Co D 1st U S R Y
 That his widow Mary Johnson died
 March 1870 at fair field Hyde Co
 She left no children by the said
 surviving that mother of said
 died March 1869 and left the follow
 ing name Brothers and Sisters to
 wife of said Saldier David Bowries
 & Sarah Bowries Grace Bowries
 Beza Bowries Darcus & Edmondson
 Katha Bowries died their Residence
 an fair field Hyde Co Va except
 the claimant and Katha who is
 dead that there is Bounty and Ours
 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 Bern her true
 and legal and lawfull attorney to
 present and present her claim
 and do all necessary acts to complete
 the same and receive all letters and
 papers and certificate and monies
 and money that may be issued in
 her favor my Po address is at New
 Bern 200 Carpenter Darcus & Edmondson
 March

Also personally appeared before me Mess Darius Sanders age 20 years residents of Eden Grove N.C. and Mr Francis Gilchrist age 45 years residents of Eden Grove 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 Grove N.C. to Edw carpenter Darius ^{or} Sanders
 J. Moore Francis Gilchrist
 notk

Sent Aug 22. 1892

Claim of William Lane

Stat of North Carolina County of Person
 in matter of original executor claim
 of \$36224 of William Lane of Co of
 14 Regt in S C Army on this 20 day
 of Aug 1892 Personal appeared before
 before me George Taylor age 48
 years residents of Jasper Person County
 well known to be reputable and
 entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declare
 follows. I become acquainted
 with William Lane of Person
 Co my Co and regt an about

made eye & iuped for mind

We Enlisted and he enlisted
 as well was hearty man from all
 all of years in my life and right
 that he was taken the medal at
 Gvaraton City etc was about of age
 18 1/2 at age of an age of age 18 1/2
 and with wounds and Piles and was
 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
 Dec 1865 up to the present in two
 years miles of him excused fire
 years then I saw him they know
 well and he has been wont to suffer
 each with the afore said disease
 at times he will down for three or four
 weeks and he has 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 to do
 it or even move etc.

witness
 Carpenter
 E. C. Smith

William Taylor
 March

more

Claim of Peggie Keys alias

State of North Carolina Co
 of Warren in matter of Cert etc
 295145 of minors of James M
 Moore late parent of S B 14 regt
 US A of etc on this 10 day of Aug
 1885 personally appeared before me
 Peggie Keys alias whose age 61 years
 resident of Blounts Creek Sanford
 County etc well known to be right
 and entitled to said pension being
 duly sworn according to law declare
 as follows that she make this declar-
 ation in order to obtain the Pension
 provided by the act of Congress is
 Mrs Lydia E Moore decd the minor
 children of James M Moore late parent
 of S B 14 regt US A of etc that
 which she was entitled from December
 21 1876 to July 30th 1885 at time
 said children become sixteen years
 of age the same was accepted and
 acknowledged by the Bureau of Pension
 by Certificate etc 282820 in favor
 of Peggie Moore alias Keys
 and also minor to wife Margaret
 of 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 295148 But
 the Pension was acknowledged by the
 Bureau of Pension due by Lydia E Moore
 are aff 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 Peggy Keys
 the legal Guardians and representative
 of the said war Lydia & Moore and
 taken care of the said war up until
 June 1890 the day she died and she
 legal title to the amount that was
 due to 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 made 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 Doug
 of New Bern 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 Bern etc.
 witness
 & corporation Peggy Keys alias
 E. et. do. ith mark made

also personally appeared Sarah Keys
 age 53 years resident of New Bern
 and also Dennis Chapman age 48
 years also residents of New Bern
 etc. well known to be respectable and enti
 tle to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declare as follows
 that we was present and saw Peggy
~~Keys~~ 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 Moore up untill
she died June 1890 that my Po
address is Blount Creek transport
etc.

witness ^{his} Elsie Keys
Emcarpenter Dennis Chapman
E. Smith Sent Aug 23 1892

Sent Aug 23 1892
I Simon Houghton
of State of North Carolina County
of Graham in on this 23 day of
Aug 1892 personally appeared before
me Simon Houghton age 62 years
resident of New Bern Graham Co etc
who being duly sworn according
to law declares he are of full age of
the U.S. by Cert No 288524 and
duly employed at Great Mill Gen
Commission Agency at the rate of Twelve
dollars per month by reason of
debilities from Rheumatism and
resulting in to Debility of heart now
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
believes him self entitled to receive
and encure pensions

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 loss of vision
 application is also made for increase of
 pension and account of other disabilities
 to wit at Gallays Island S. C.
 on about Sept 1863 he contracted diarr
 hea 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 ~~his~~ disness and
 wet eyes and that he became total
 disabled to do duty and was discharged
 on the 24 day of May 1865 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 Cranes
 Co etc
 Simon Houghton
 Carpenter Nathan Fisher Clerk of Affidavit
 C. E. Palmer in said claim. Sent to the 30th of 1872

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
 mark
 Bryant Hill
 Sent to the 30th of 1872
 articles of agreement sent

Carpenter
 C. E. Palmer

Claim of Hulda Ewertt

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of original defendant
 claims etc of Hulda Ewertt
 the defendant matter of Hilliard Ewertt
 late Private of Co H 26 regt U.S. Army on
 this 17 day of Aug. 1892 personally
 appears before me John Venters age
 60 years resident of two miles west
 of 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 an old Wm. Bentons Plantation
 near Plain Hill Richland in County
 of sundry etc I am well acquainted
 with Hulda Ewertt the mother of
 Hilliard Ewertt the Soldier she
 says to raise me when I was a
 small boy and live with her ten
 years before the war she had a
 husband by the name of Joseph
 Ewertt she had this man when
 she was a small boy and he lived
 with her until he died and he
 died as about March 1841 that she
 had good many children I would say
 Joseph the father of the Soldier was
 greatly affected by Rheumatism as usual
 before the war and at time his son
 Hilliard enlisted in the U.S. Army
 and Hilliard Ewertt went 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
 of 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
 able 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

E. W. Carpenter John ^{his} Venters
 J. Baeser marks

also personally appeared before me Mary
 et al. color age 45 years residents of New
 Burne 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
 Gladia Ewertt the year after the war
 close she came to my house to see my
 husband John as she claims she
 had my husband long before the war
 I saw her husband and he was sick
 not able to do any thing. She had the
 Rheumatism 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

he enlisted he enlisted long before I
 did in the navy same time in the fall
 of 1862 he was taken with Small Pox and
 sent to the hospital the Small Pox affected
 his eye sight and deaf cold and Rhuma
 tism and heart troubles and was sent
 to the hospital I 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 I was discharge before
 he was and I have not seen him
 since I heard that he lined up to Lagrange
 etc

Emcarpenter
 St Brewer

Wright & ^{his} ~~Hammonds~~
 march

Dent August 24 1892

Claim of Francis Cooper No 418011
 personally appear before me Benjamin
 Caylands age 54 years resident of Stov Bern
 etc well known to be reliable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn accord
 ing to law declares as follows I become
 acquainted with Daniel Cooper an abo
 ut 1877 at Barbara Stone wall Confe
 lico Co etc. and the Saldier 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 I 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 Ft el herd the matrimony
 took 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
 New Bern N.C
 witness

Encarpenter
 J. Baesser

Benjamin ^{his} Prayline
 mark

Sent August 25 1892

Claim of Henrietta Lee

State of North Carolina County of
 Warren in matter of original pension
 Claim of \$408.80 of ~~of~~ Henrietta Lee alias
 Late widow of Washington Lee late of
 Co of 25 regt U.S. Army on this 19 day of
 Aug 1892 personally appeared before me
 Ben Thomas & Battle age 24 years reside
 nts of New Bern of & well known to
 be respectable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law de
 clars as follows that he are 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 early
 week as or about the 30 day of Nov
 1869 and Washington Lee and the claim
 ant Henrietta Lee live together as man and
 wife up untill Washington Lee died he
 suffered with Rheumatism heart disease
 pain in left side and as about 1870 he
 died. I was not present when he died of
 am well acquainted with the claimant
 Henrietta Lee alias her also I was acqu
 anted with her former husband William
 Southard dead and who died as about the
 Spring of 1869 I remember the time
 he died he died as 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 20 1869 I married him
 after the death of Washington Lee
 the soldier the claimant I married
 his widow up untill May 1880 at

which time she remarried again
to one Henry Lane. My Past address
is Stone Borne etc.

Carpenter Ben Thomas. C. Bath
C. E. Palmer

also personally appeared before me
Chartha Turner age 37 years resident
of Stone Borne etc. well known to be
trustable and entitle to credit who
being duly sworn according to
law declares as follows el was present
when the claimant Henrietta Lee
alions Lane married Washington
Lee el was the claimants water
and was present when they married
they was married on about 30 days
of Nov 1869 by Ben J C Battle a
minister of the Gospel and Henrietta
Lee live together as man and wife
up untill Washington Lee died and
he died in 1870 and she married
the widow of said Washington Lee
up untill 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 have know
him to fall at times helpless and
speechless especially when he would
have pains in breast and side
and weakness of back el have give
him medicines when he would be
down with Rheumatism and

hearts disease Washington Lee carried
 medicines with him all the time
 I will further state that he was
 suffering with Rheumatism and
 got confined of heart troubles when
 he married the Clairmont & stood
 up with them and led the Band
 of a 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 worse and worse all
 the time up until he died my
 Past address is New Bern N.C.
 witness

I swear before Martha ^{his} ~~my~~ ^{mother} ~~mother~~
 J. C. Powell

Sent of Aug 25 1892

Claim of Denmark Jackson

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

Jackson Brett Brothers and Sisters
 of James Jackson who enrolled
 under the name of James Jackson
 at Star Borne Co. and about the sum-
 mer of 1864 in Co. A 14 Regt U.S. &
 G. Art. in the war of 1861 he died of
 Hemorrhoids of Bowels resulted from
 the diarrhea of which he contracted
 in the U.S. & he came home sick
 at Emory's place near Star Borne on the
 5 day of April 1866 and who bore
 at the time of his death the rank of
 Sgt. in Co. A 14 Regt U.S. & G. Art.
 that he left neither widows nor
 minor child. Swearing 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
 father to wit James Jackson durin-
 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 Brett 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 2 1858 that the parents
 was married under the name
 of Dempsey Jackson to Hetta Jackson
 by the consent of their owners
 long before the late war
 there being no legal bar

to the marriage that none 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
 first address is New Bern & Harry
 Cook Dimmock Jackson
 Carpenter
 Martin Farson

which they identified him

to be Frederick Douglass

Benjamin

James on his own articles of agreement
 Sept and Power of attorney made
 the 12th of 1892

Claim of Richard James

State of North Carolina County of
 Curran in matter of executors
 claim Corp eto 755998 of Richard James
 late print of Co B 36 regt us 6 y on
 this 24 day of Aug 1892 personally appear
 before me of Dimmock Jackson age 40
 years residents of eight miles of New
 Bern city well known to be reputable
 and intell 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

all sent August the 24th 92
also the same affidavit made by Charles Fascar

lives within a half mile of me
he is at present suffering of Rheumatism
and groin & that 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 sent an him I give
him medicines for said Diarrhea and
Piles and he complained of loss of
vision of both eyes and Richard
James are down near $\frac{2}{3}$ of his time with
above said Disabilities Rheumatism
and pains in side and breast and wood
of leg which he received in the re
striving 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
then $\frac{2}{3}$ 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
impaird and swell up and he are
lame and complains of pains in hand
and groin that 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 and at times
sends him at my part address
to Clarke
at & carpenter Dimmock Jackson
Martin Lawson

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 in to of near New Bern etc who being duly sworn declares as follows that David Humphrey is an applicant for pension etc 1792 296 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 ~~am~~ not able to help myself for three months with the Rheumatism in my legs and has bowed my leg so I cant get about I has to trape about on a stick and Crocker and at times when I would have at tack of hearts 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 Po address is New Bern etc

witnes

Excusepenter

Martin Lawson

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

of Charles Lascor Late of Co B 79 Regt Arty Vols

State of N.C. Affidavit of Lascor in the matter of
 Original Invalid Pension application No 100363
 of Charles Lascor Private of Co B 79 Regt Arty Vols
 on the 2nd day of August A.D. 1892 Personally appeared
 before me a Notary Public for & within the
 County & State of N.C. said Charles Lascor aged 51
 years a Resident Newbern N.C. Well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn declared in relation to above said
 facts as follows 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 Curran
 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
 claimed arises from an exposure and cold which
 was contracted in winter of 1864 at Batchlors
 Creek Curran N.C. he contracted diarrhoea & piles
 & he was taken with intermitted fever in the head then
 he was taken with Pain in feet & legs & back &
 shortness of breath that he was taken with severe
 sickness in camp & was treated by Dr. P.B. Rice of 132
 Regt Arty Vols. Since my discharge I have
 been treated by the following Doctors, first
 treated by old man Isaac Hughes for six
 then & caught rheumatism from different
 Druggists when I was able to buy medicine
 & that I have not been able to work to get
 money or to employ any Regular Doctor
 I have I was 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
 more kind of any time I was down with the
 Rheumatism in back & legs & ten years there

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Charles Pascoe Esq 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
& pain in small part of the Back & leg
consequently

Witness Charles Pascoe
Esq
Martin Dawson

Charles Pascoe age 58 years Resident of New
Newberne N.C. Well known to be reputable
and entitled to credit who being delinquent
according to was ordered as follows I first
Enquired as an under book of Vol 99
N.Y. Vol and was informed on or about
March 10. 1864 in Vol 99 N.Y. Vol mounted in
for three years & was discharge July 15. 1865 at
Salisbury. Under that name Charles Pascoe
I can not note any name Charles Pascoe but
my name on record is Charles Pascoe
Under book of Vol 99 N.Y. Vol I have my
copy made at New York & I have my
Vol mounted that of the company & come
to Newberne N.C. & live to Newberne N.C.
about twelve months then I came on
Washington Road about five miles west of
Newberne N.C. I stayed there four years then
I came on the Rail Road over Baldwins Road
N.C. about eight miles from Newberne N.C.
& I have live there ever since & lost my
copy of paper. I am present fifteen years & I
have been suffering with Rheumatism the
Back & part of the back & weakness of the back
& my feet & legs swell up at times not
able walk & I have been suffering with

you see discharge Dianlara + Peter and
 Rheumatism not able to feed my self &
 family can not take care of my self & ask
 that my claim be taken up and settle
 New born child in my address
 Witness Charles Escor
 Ewlaupenta
 Martin Laurion

Sworn & subscribed to before me
 the 24 day of August 1892

Also Discharge of Peter & Notary P.
 Richard Joyce, age 45 years both was
 reception of of Charles Escor and on
 Applicant for the claimant sent off with
 above claim
 Also Page of Attorney & Article of Agreement
 sent off the 29 day of August 1892

Lot # 432.138 of
Nathan Jackson route of Co. A 14 Reg. U.S. Col.

State of North Carolina
County of Wayne

on the 29 day of August A.D. 1892 Personal
appeared before me a Notary public for
and within the County & State of North Carolina
Nathan Jackson aged 53 years a Resident of
New Bern N.C. who being duly sworn
according to law declares that he is a pensioner
of the U.S. by Lot # 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 service
of the U.S. while serving a Hospital in
Co. A 14 Reg. U.S. Col. that his present physi-
cal condition is such that he believes him-
self entitled to receive an increase 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 by it sight of the left eye
Application is also hereby made for increase
on account of new disabilities to wit at
Caroline City North Carolina on or about
December 1864 that he contracted the Rheumatism
which resulted in to that trouble & other
disease & shortness of the Breath by exposure
& cold and injury to the eye by powder blast
from the Gun & Diarrhoea & piles & was first
treated with Diarrhoea & piles at New Bern N.C.
October 1864 & was treated by Dalton and
has been trouble with it every since up to
the present I am now over Two Thirds disabled
& over 7/8 blind in my left eye & suffer
Rheumatism that he hereby Applicant with

full power & intention & Revocation Frederick
Douglas of Newlone N.C. his true & lawful
Attorney to prosecute his claim his P.O. address
12 1/2 St. # 580 of Newlone N.C.

Witness, Nathan ^{his} son
Ew. Corpe
E. A. Smith

Also Personally appeared Mary Lee &
Mary D. Lee of Newlone N.C. Witnesses
to the following mark

Also Joseph Bailey of Co
Affidavit & other statements all sent
in with the application & Article of Agreement
of Power of Attorney sent under 1 day
of Sept. 1892 by W. H. Ponder C.M.

Widow's Declaration for Pension
 Clara William 6th 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 true name
 A.C. on the 21 Day of June A.D. 1863 in Company
 Co. 35 Regiment U.S.A. Co. in the year of 1861 & 1865
 who contracted Rheumatism which resulted in
 heart trouble and contracted small pox which
 resulted Lung Disease and lost sight. Contracted
 Dysentery & Piles died Heart Disease on the 24 Day
 of August A.D. 1892. who bore at the time of his
 death the rank of Captain in Co. A. 35 Regt. U.S.A. I
 that the marriage under the of Clara Boston to said
 Silas Williams on the 16 Day of July A.D. 1854.
 by Joseph Richardson J.P. Clerk of said Co. A.C.
 The Soldier had no children, the soldier had
 been previously married to Manda William
 died May 1850. Left no children that
 she has not in any manner engaged in or aided or
 assisted the rebellion in the United States & Pension application
 has been filed Ch. No. 326545 of Silas Williams of
 Co. A. 35 Regt. U.S.A. I that she hereby appoint with full
 power of substitution and revocation Judson
 Douglas of New Bern N.C. her legal attorney
 to prosecute the above claim that her husband grants
 receipt of the same in

Widow's
 Notary Public

Wm R. Moon

Clara Williams
 Mary

also personally appeared before me Dennis Perkins &
 Andrew Leath, our Quorum. Persons whom I certify to
 be respectable and entitled to credit and who, being by me
 duly sworn according to Law say that this was

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State of North Carolina, County of Caswell SS:

In the matter of widow claim of Silas Williams of Casw.
35 Regt. U.S.A. &c. on this 2^d day of September A.D. 1892 I personally
appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid
County only authorized to administer oaths Andrew Cotton
an 27 years old resident of New Bern in the County
of Caswell and State of North Carolina whose name
no official record of my 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 Elloras and saw him the evening that he
was dying he died of the heart disease in which he complained
of sharp pains of the left side and I understand had
shortness of breath he died August 24/1872 and
was buried August 26/1872 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 Maria 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
therein.
Andrew Cotton
John H. Moore
Lennis Perkins

Article agreement and
power of Atty. | under act of June 27
sub-sept 12 1892 | 1890 also paid

State of North Carolina } County of Graham
 No. 326545 of Silas Williams

In matter of original Invalid Claim for old Invalids

Know all men by these presents that on this 2^d day
 of September A.D. 1892 Personally appeared before
 me Notary Public for and within the County and
 State aforesaid Mrs. Clara Williams age 34 yrs
 Resident near New Bern in County of Currituck
 well known to me to be reputable and
 entitled to a valid who being duly sworn
 according according to Law Declares as
 That she is the widow of Silas Williams
 Late a Pensioner of the U. S. in Name Enrolled
 at Agency at Knoxville Tenn, Certificate for
 Invalid for old New Disabilities to wit eyes
 shot wound of right eye & left eye
 lost sight of right eye & left eye
 and Rheumatism and heart trouble and drops
 and piles and for said claim now pending
 in Bureau of Pension and loss made special
 by testimony under his request made to both
 filed by his Attorney Judiah Douglas 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
 do hereby authorize and appoint
 Judiah Douglas 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 hereby in view of
 Judiah Douglas of New Bern N.C.
 an Attorney Clara + Williams
 Andrew Cotton Clerk

Witnesses

Wm. Hobbs

Den. M. Perkins

State of Carolina, County of Craven

in the matter original petition etc. No. 326545 of
 Siles William late Anual of Co. A 35 Regt N C I
 On the 2^d day of September 1892. I personally appeared
 before me a Notary Public in and for the County & State
 of said North Carolina, the undersigned of name above
 No. 107 Post office address is Newberry S.C.
 Well known to be reputable and entitled to
 credit who being duly sworn according
 to Law declared as follows: I say that I
 did personally be acquainted with Siles William
 & put him up for at least fifteen years & has
 been for the same fifteen years been living
 & near neighbor to him when I first met
 him he was a Captain of Dragoons &
 files & members of the 3rd Co. 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 complain
 wear & wake up & still he died he died Aug.
 24. 1892 I had some very Reason to believe
 that heart trouble was the immediate cause
 of his death by Reason of a visit him in
 his last illness & he complain 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
 you will be acquainted with his widow the child
 & remainder he married her on the 14th day of
 Sept 1894 she has not remarried or living with
 any man as widow & wife since the death of Siles
 Williams & was acquainted with his first wife
 Amanda Williams she died the first day of May
 1880 I married her the same day without notice
 of support than her own personal labor William & child
 1892

Claim of Moses Kennedy

State of North Carolina Co of Curran
 In matter of claim for Discharge
 Corp of Moses Kennedy Late of Co
 of 2 regt N S & Cay
 on this 3 day of Sept of 1892
 personally appeared before me Mr
 John Brown age 53 years residents
 of New Bern N.C. & well known to
 be of reputable and entitle to credit
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows & become
 acquainted with the claimant Moses
 Kennedy at New Bern N.C. on about
 December 1863 at the time I enlisted
 he enlisted in Co of 2 regt N S & Cay
 he was a well and hearty man
 from all appearance and he continued
 to be well up untill 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 untill
 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 Moses 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.

with Enclosure

George M Brown

John ^{his} Brown
mark

Desit aff of Aug 5. 1892

Claim of Estm Jordan
State of North Carolina County of
Crawford in matter of original pension
Claim etc 555952 of Estm Jordan alias
Pice widow of William Jordan dead late
of Co & 14 Regt in 86th Inf Arty an thro
24 of Aug of 1892 Personally appeared
before me George Squires age 52 years
resident of near Stone wall Pamphico
Co N.C. well known to be reputable
and entitled ~~and entitled~~ to the credit
who being duly sworn according to
law declares as follows I become acquainted
with Wm. Jordan. of number of my Co
and Regt in 1864 when I become acquai
nted with him he was of well and
 hearty man. from all appearance and on
about the month of October 1864
at Carolina City etc we was exposed
in cold rains and sleet and snow
without tents and Wm Jordan cont
acted Rheumatism in feet and legs
and pains in side and was treated

all sent the 21 day of sept 1864 1892
and also and affidavit made by George W Brown

by Doctor we both went to the
Sick Hall together and Wm Jardan
was et. scarce farm 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 of 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 he
when he was discharging at Fort Macon Ok
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
 $\frac{2}{3}$ 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 discharging from my Company and
left 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
& A. Smith

George ^{W.} Diggins
mark

Claim for spacial action of Peggie Ward
State of Ct with Carolina County of C
Carroll in matter of original matters
pension claim etc 26 15 91 of Peggie
Ward the dependent mother of Stafford.
Ward died late of Co & 1st regt in S. Arkan
sas on this 5 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared before me Mr Peggie
Ward age 45 years resident 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 & 1st regt of S. Arkan
sas my son Stafford worked and ser
viced his father up untill he ~~died~~
enlisted in the union in the 1st regt
of S. Arkan 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 and not able to
help my self please allow my claim
my claim has been depending in the
Court 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 Shortness of breath I am
 helpless and not able to do any thing
 and I ask that my claim be allowed
 I am afraid the funds of charity and
 I suffer for the needs of medical
 aid and I am not able to do any
 medical labor and part of my time
 I have to be nurse my Pa address
 is James City E.C.

witness

J. Carpenter
 J. Beaslee

Peggy ^{her} Ward
 Mark

also Declaration for dependent matters
 pension

personally appeared Peggy Ward of age
 65 years resident of James City E.C.
 who being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows she is the mother
 who is mother of Stafford Ward at Winfield E.C.
 in 1862 of Co E 1st regt of the Union
 and died while in the U.S. in war of
 Rebellion who died at in U.S. Army
 on about 1862 or 1864 from the effect
 of heart troubles pains in left side and
 breast and cold and exposure incurred
 in military service in 1863 or 1864 that
 said son left death or widow or child
 under 16 years of age that she will
 without present means of support

than her own manual labor that she has applied for a pension the number of her application is etc 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 Bern her true and lawful attorney to present and present said claim and her address is James City Granum Co etc.

Encarpenter. Peggy ^{Ward} _{mark}
St. Paul, N.C.

and also and affidavits made by Mary Whitehead and Dinah Pender both of James City etc and all sent Sept 7 1892.

Dinah Pender they identified the Caroline Summer claimant.

Mary Whitehead claimant State of North Carolina County of Granum on this 5 day of Sept etc 1892 personally appeared before me Mrs. Mary Ann Whitehead 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 declares as follows and make this following declaration in order to obtain record of service and discharge of her husband Lewis Williams late of New Bern etc She declares that she are the identical

widow of Lewis Williams who enlisted
 as private of Co B 2 regt U S C Coy
 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 fight
 soon after that news come to her
 he was dead she writes to him but
 never heard any thing of him
 after news come 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 come 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 great grief of part
 who had charge of the hospital at
 the time is cause why the reward
 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 necer
 sary acts to complete the same that her
 address is New Bern N.C.

Witness

Sworn before 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 of Williams
 alias Whitehead make her mark to

the fore going 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

Sworn before 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

No 404152 of August the 24 1892
 in the above intitle claim for pension
 you are inform by the record of the
 war department that the soldier was not
 discharg from the service neither does
 it appear on the records that he did
 in the service as is alledged no further
 actions can be taken by this beaurar
 untill this record are amended so as
 to terminat the soldiers service in
 same way all correspondence relation
 thire to should be address to the officer
 in charge of the record and pension
 division of the war department
 very respectifull.

Commissioner

The following name were made an
 affidavit in the above claim to wit
 Rollin Wright Co 24 Reg also Joseph W. D.
 of Co. 62d Reg. Benjamin Patch of Co. 18
 2d Reg made a statement in the
 above claim. Some in the pension
 claim also to claimant made an
 affidavit in the above claim as
 was he did one made in Book
 No 82 dated 1890 in the Pension
 claim & one & the same name
 witnesses statement sent to the
 War Department this 7 days of Sept. 1892

Claim of John A. Elcock

State of North Carolina County of
 Warren in the matter of pension claim
 in No 1113262 of John A. Elcock late of
 Pilot of Union A. C. has on this 6 day
 of Sept 1892 personally appeared before
 me John Lincoln age 53 years resid-
 ent 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 became acqu-
 anted with the claimant John A.
 Elcock before the late war and I know
 he was at well and hearty man I visited
 him before the late war and he contin-
 ed 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 private
 and the claimant enlisted at Pilot I
 saw him while in said service I was
 at private of Co B 1st A. C. Va. and
 while in said service he ~~contracted~~
 contracted the injury of head he got
 over heat by being in late sun and
 he become 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 are 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 been a union man and he
 can not support him self by man-
 ual labor by reason of deafness and
 sun stroke of the head he is in a
 destitute condition

witness John G. Lincoln
 S. Carpenter
 W. S. Ellis

also personally appeared Benjamin
 Spinderson age 52 years a resident
 of New Bern N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit now
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows I became acquainted
 with the claimant John G. Lincoln at
 Fort Anderson N.C. in 1862 he was then
 a private in the unions lines I was
 a waterman and acted as the officers
 of the 92 regt and when I first beco-
 me acquainted with the claimant he was
 a well and hearty man had no
 deafness and no sun stroke and
 while in said service he contracted
 the deafness while in the U.S. of
 in union lines he got sun stroke
 while being exposed in hot sun
 and he became deaf in both ears and
 complained of misery of stomach
 and since the late war he has not
 been able to do any thing he is
 total deaf and suffers with sun
 stroke and weakness of head he
 requires of nurse and grows worse
 and worse I 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 are total deaf and continues to complain he are of union man and has always been and union man every since I have known him he did some very hard & passing work while in the union lines of us & I am well acquainted with him and has been every since 1863 my Pa add is New Bern etc

witness

Carver

John H. Lincoln

Benjamin ^{his} Henderson

mark

Sent Sept 7 1892

declaration for childrens suspension under sixteen years old of ~~Martha~~ ^{Hetty} Styron State of North Carolina County of Brunswick on this 7 day of Sept 1892 personally appeared before me Hetty Styron age 30 years and Mrs Sarah S. Lincoln 33 years residents of New Bern etc ages 30 and 33 years respectively who being duly sworn according to law declares & I make this following declaration in order to obtain the suspension providing by the act of Congress for children under 16 years of age that they are the legitimate children of Sam annual Styron who enrolled under the

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of Emanuel Styron at Washington
 Co June 1842 at 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
 Cough while in the v s et also Hemorrhoids
 of lungs and Rheumatism at Parrphico
 Co Va about March 1842 and who bore
 at the time of his death the rank of et
 at present in Co B 1st regt ~~of~~ et that
 he left a widow remaining to wit Anna
 Styron who died 20 months after the
 Saldier his first wif died before the
 war the Claimants mother to wit
 Percilla died in the time of the war the
 above names are the only legitimat children
 of the Saldier 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 children of Saldier
 as follows that the dates of their birth being
 as hereinafter stated Sarah Lincoln of
 Saldier by Percilla Styron born Jan 15
 1859 Hette of Styron of Saldier by Percilla
 Styron born September 15 1862 that
 the mother was married under the name
 of Percilla the wif. 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
 decurrent here by applicants Frederick
 Douglass of New Bern for attorney to
 present the above claims first address

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in New Bern
 Encourager, Hattie & Styron.
 H. Bussler

personally appeared before me Hattie & 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 Scruis brought and Rheumatism which he contracted by cold and exposure when in the U S Service as fore said who at his death left the Rank of Sergeant of Co B 1st regt of the Union Wal my father Emanuel Styron the Soldier's first wife to wit Sabra Styron died before the late war and he remarried to Precilla Clark on or about 1852 and they live 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
 1842 and my mother Saldiers 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 with
 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
 an for support el have ben eternalid
 all my life not able to support my
 self ben under the care and main-
 tainance of people who was not legal
 bound for my support and also made
 the use of medical doctors where
 the people would would imploy an
 for me el am not able to employ
 an my self by reason of el have
 no property and no estates and
 no property and el am total unable
 to do any manual labor and el suf-
 fers for the necessities of life and
 medical aid and el have mad and
 application to the beavro of pension
 for minors pension proved by act
 of Congress el have prior date of my
 fathers death also date of his wife my
 mother also date of his former wife and
 have prior date of my birth and above
 parties that have ben riden out the
 Saldier was paid to Comply for the
 points call for by the beavro of

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lines this was an about the middle of
 Sept or 1st Oct 1862 and Hattie et
 was the first in matters am not over
 months old when she was brought
 there et had them speak of it and saw
 mother nurse her, and she told me all
 about where she lived and how she
~~consist~~ stay night and day to her
 house too weeks and I know Hattie et
 the child 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 A.C.
 or Fort Macon et I recollect that Edmund
 Styron was taken sick in tent at
 Beaufort A.C. he was taken with pneumonia
 and deep cough and cold on the lungs
 and he sometimes to complain of that
 cough and cold and pains in side and
 chest his lungs was disease et carried
 the medicines to him from the Dispensary
 or Dr J D Davis et was hospital steward
 and visited Styron every day when he
 was sick when he was discharged and
 never was well any more and he died
 the year of 1862. I know Presilla Styron
 the Saldier wife the mother of Sarah, E.
 and Hattie et Styron died in tent at
 Beaufort Fort Co A.C. an about the
 fall or winter of 1864 et saw her just
 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 foregoing name children are the only legal heirs to the Saldier now living my past address is New Bern N.C.

witness
 J. W. Carpenter John H. Lincoln
 & et Smith

also personally appeared Penelope Ches- age 47 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 an about a quarter of a mile from Emmanuel Styron the Saldiers home el was well acquainted with Precilla Styron the second wife of Emmanuel Styron el knew her before she married Emmanuel Styron ~~and~~ 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 Mattia of Styron. about two years after the marriage Sabra Styron was born an 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 N.C. he left home the month after Washington N.C. was taken by the Union Army and Mattia & 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 lands of
 Gentry birth of this child Mattia
 et and Mattia et was born abt 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 give and affidavit
 in this case before and I 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 accord at time I
 know Mrs Mattia et was born after
 her father enlisted in U.S Army
 my Past address is then Bernie N.Y
 witness

Encarpenter
 E. et Smith

Penelopy ^{her} + ^{clerk}
 mark

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

Claim of Harty Drowharn

I, the State of North Carolina County of
 Swain in ~~matter~~, on this 10 day of
 Sept 1892. personally appeared before
 me Harty Drowharn age 64 years of
 residence of Jasper Craun Co etc well
 known to be reputable and entitled to credit
 who being duly sworn according to Law do
 hereby as follows that he are the identical
 Harty Drowharn who enrolled at Washing
 ton etc on about 1842 in Co B 1 regt us
 of y under Captain Danks and el was
 honorable discharge at Concord etc and el
 lost my discharge left in the following man
 ner to wit in manner about very soon after
 the war el lost my discharge paper and this
 declaration is made to recover another dis
 charge left in lieu of my original one
 Francis 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 white in said regt
 el was exposed in cold and contracted the
 Rheumatism also had 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 Cal march was Styron and el ask
 that el discharge left according to Congress
 be and el hereby authorize and appoint with
 full power and substitution and revoation
 Friedrich Douglass of New Bern etc my
 legal and lawfull attorney to present 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 York N.Y.
 witness Handy ^{his} Dranhorn
 Ewcarpenter _{mark}

also personally appeared Wm. Brinnage
 39 and Peter Salm. resident of
 New York N.Y. well known to be
 reputable and intell. to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declares as
 follows that I 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 I suppose he contracted he can not
 remember any thing long at the time
 and from long and personally acquainted
 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 York N.Y.
 witness
 Ewcarpenter Peter ^{his} Salm
 & Co Smith W ^{his} _{mark} 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
pseudonym age 46 years residents near Pallocks
mill James 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 et am total unable
to do any labor and et am troubled
with rheumatism and heart disease
and pain in side and breast and joints
in my hands and are very old and my
husband et unmarried to are downward
are not able to help himself and et
suffers for the necessities of life and et
ask that my claim be allowed et am
suffering for the necessities and for
medical aid et am not able to employ
any Doctor and et am unable to do any
labor et ask that my claim be allowed
very soon other wise it will do me no
good please allow said claim.

Subscribed Maria ^{her} Barber

E A Smith Maria ^{mark} Plaintiff

and also and neighbor witness
are Martha Hagman age 25 years resident
of New Bern Henry 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
 Granum in matter of original Invalid
 pension claim No 108745 of Randall
 Staton of Cowh Co N C 1st Sgt of Union
 Army on this 10 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared before me I Smith Dozier age
 59 years residents of near New Bern.
 He well known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows that he well
 known as a baptis Church of New
 Bern etc. that he well and personally
 acquainted with the claimant Randall
 Staton a member of my Church who
 was of Saldier in the N S. to el become
 acquainted with him in the fall of
 1862 at New Bern etc when el first met
 him he was a well and hearty man
 and when he was discharged June 1865
 at New Bern etc el saw him in July
 1865 very soon after he come out of the
 N S Service and he was sick and he
 complain of Rheumatism and pains in
 legs and knees and hips and weakness
 of the back and complained of headry
 disease and el call to see him in
 1868 or 1869 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 con-
 tinues to suffer in 1874 1875 was
~~down~~ down with Rheumatism
 and pains in Side and breast

and weakness of Breast and we
 know of head and back and eyes
 and he has continued to grow worse
 and worse and he are unable to
 attend his by reason he has been
 wounded after & cause him from church
 meeting on account of his disease he
 can not see how to read to give out
 notices and he is now ² disable to do
 manual labor and he ³ grows worse &
 he not able to do any thing any
 manual labor since he was discharge
 from the ⁴ of 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 & near neighbor
 to him from 1865 up to 1875 and raised
 him and waited on him
 my pad address is New Bern.

witness

Swearmaster
 E. B. Smith

Smith + ^{his} Dozier
 mark

also personally appeared before me
 face and within the County of Gran
 Stat of the Henry etc. This man 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 &
 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 him complaining of any
 thing until he was discharge in the
 Summer of 1865 where he come home
 out the U.S. & he was complaining
 Chronic Rheumatism feet and legs knees
 and hip and he complain 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.
 A constant nurse & visit him and
 wated on him & lived at near neighbor
 of him from June 1865 to 1870 and
 he continued to complain and he could
 not see well & that 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
 Discharge of eye sight & weakness of
 the head & Back & disease of kidney & visit
 times at times when he would be down
 he is total unable to do manual
 labor I am no Relation & I have no part
 in it else in
 Witness
 my hand &
 the
 Hiram M. Clancy
 Smith

Sent off with this 13 day of Sept. 1892

#771001
John T. Taper Co & 14 West 10th St
City

State of N.C. County of Lenoir October 12 day of
September A.D. 1892 Personally appeared
John T. Taper Public for Northern District
+ State for said John Taper age 47 years of
a Resident of Maple Lenoir Co N.C.
to whose Po. Address is Maple Lenoir N.C.
who being duly sworn according to Law declares
as follows that John Taper Co & 14 West 10th St
City Applicant for Invalid Pension #771001
for his own services below request is made for
Special Consideration by the Honorable Commission
of Pensioners suffering with Rheumatism and
resulting in the loss of use of his feet and
+ back & also great pain about the heart & lungs
of his lungs & is partly blind in left eye & that he
suffers with Rheumatism & Spasms and piles at
times when he has. Although of great age it appears
that it will kill him he is a subject of Charity
not able to work or support + support of family
+ the only keeping up with his support + he is not
able to support his self support for the support
of his + for medical aid + he is not able to claim
the pension John Taper for

John Taper
Sent off this day of Sept 1892

Claim of Richard Gatlin or Jacob Gatlin

State of North Carolina County of Granville
 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 Granville 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 N.C. on about the 23
 day of May 1862 at private of Co. I
 35 Regt U.S. & I who died at Gallin's
 Island N.C. on about the fall of 1863
 who bore the Rank of private of Co. I, 35
 Regt U.S. & I leaving no widow or child
 that mother of the Soldier was name
 Dinah Gatlin she died at Kinston N.C.
 Feb 1864 that his father to wit Providence
 Full died before the war and the Soldier
 left surviving three brothers to wit
 Richard Gatlin Isaac Gatlin and
 Jacob Gatlin of the Soldiers Brothers
 to wit Isaac Gatlin died in the fall
 of 1864 at Raleigh N.C. and left neither
 wife or child that the Claimant are
 the only legitimate Surviving heirs
 now living personally Procreation 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 were by apprentice Friedrich
 Douglass of New Bern etc the legal
 and lawfull attorney to prosecute here
 said claim that their first address
 is New Bern etc

carpenter Richard ^{his} Gattlin
 & of Smith Jacob + Gattlin

also personally appeared before me
 Nathan Jackson age 58 years
 Dock Shiner age 46 years

Residents of near New Bern will know
 to be respectable and entitle to Credit who
 being duly sworn according to law declar-
 es as follows that they were present
 and saw Richard Gattlin and Jacob
 Gattlin make three marks to the fore
 passing declaration that they have
 been personally acquainted with
 the claimant 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 Nathan ^{his} Jackson
 & of Smith Dock + Shiner

Sent Sept the 12 1842

personally appeared before me on this
 this 14 day of Sept 1892 Ralin Wright
 age 58 years residents of New Bern
 etc well known to be reputable 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. I saw an about an about
 the same time I did. I and Lewis
 Williams did fatigue duty and was
 in the battle of Suffolk Pa together
 the steamer Lewis Williams was
 from North Carolina and he enlisted
 some time after I did and we both
 went to Fort Monroe Va on a boat
 to getur and I call him Lewis William
 1st he was from North 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. Cary who was a recruit
 and he was of Virginia man from
 the state of Va I know this by
 reason of I recd a letter for Lewis
 Davis to his wife at that time who
 was in North Carolina to visit 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 shot was a spare build
 man and he was settle I dont direct
 ly know his age there were only one
 Lewis Williams in Co B 2 regt Va Inf
 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 Po address is
 John Bernice St
 witness

Encaspenator Ballin Wright
 & of Smith

application for enlisted pension
act June 27 1890 of Southey J. Stelson

State of North Carolina County of
Crawford on this 14 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared Southey J. Stelson
age 43 years resident of New Bern
N.C. who being duly sworn according
to law declares that he was the identical
Southey J. Stelson who was enlisted at Beau-
fort 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 Beauport 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 suffers with weakness of back
and at times can't hardly get along or
about the house his feet swell up so
bad that he was taken with the afore said
Disabilities at Beauport Harbor in the
winter of 1863 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 Sept 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
Yerobrick Douglass of New Bern his
true and lawful attorney to present
this claim my Post address is Stenberg
Carpenter
Farris Pabey

S. J. Stelson
Claimant

E. M. Simkins was sign her name Sent Sept 17 1892
 Bidding Simkins Says they was present and saw the claimant

Declaration for and original invalid pension
 Charles Henry Green old law

Stat of North Carolina Co of Granston
 this 15 day of Sept of D 1892 personally
 appeared before me Charles Henry Green
 age 52 years who being duly sworn accord-
 ing to Law declares that he is the identical
 Charles H Green who was enrolled as of-
 ficer on the 20 day of Sept 1864 in Co
 G 40 Regt U.S. C. I and validated in Co G
 25 Regt U.S. C. I Commanded by Gen. Miles
 and was honorably discharged at Fort Pike on
 the 20 day of 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 Stat 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 Bronchitis 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 during
 his enlistment in the Army he was a sound
 able bodied man and now he is about
 disabled to perform manual labor
 by reason of the diabetes aforesaid

mentioned and he makes this declaration
 in order to be place on the amended pension
 roll of the U.S. he hereby appoints with
 full power and substitution and revocation
 Frederick 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.

Evocarpenter Charles H. Spencer
 & White Mark

Wm. Davis who was present and
 John Moore saw the claimant make
 his mark

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 Prudens ^{nee} Harrill,
Widow's Pension or claim of pension

State of North Carolina County of Craven on this 16 day of Sept 1892 personally appeared ~~before me~~ Sarah Prudens alias Harrill age 48 years who being duly sworn according to law deposes in order to obtain a pension provided by the act of Congress granting pensions to widows that she is the widow of Parson Prudens who enrolled under the name of Parson Prudens at Plymouth N.C. on the 21 day of January 1864 in Co B 34 regt U.S.C. in the war of 1861 who contracted the Rheumatism and heart troubles feet and legs swell up and sometimes of bad feet and legs and knees all swelled up and he complains of pains in back died on the fall 1877 who bore at the time of his death the rank of Lt private in Co B 24 regt U.S.C. That she was married under the name of Sarah Phillips to said Parson Prudens alias Harrill day of August 1848 by Counsel Wooten at near George et al there being no legal barriers to such marriage that she neither her husband has not been previously married that she was married prior to James Pape who is dead that she has present remainder his widow that the following are the names and births of all his legitimate children born in life 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 Saldier
and they are now dead that she has
not ~~appeared~~ in any manner engaged
in or abetted in the rebellion of the U.S.
that of prior application has been filed
No. 440328 of Sarah Harrell widow
of Hanson Prudden alias Harrell that
she hereby appoints with full power
of substitution and revocation ~~James~~
rick Douglass of New York etc
her attorney to present the above claim
my Po address is James City etc

Swearmaster Sarah ^{her} Prudden
& et. Smith alias ^{mark} Harrell

also personally appeared before me
Mary et Whitehead ^{her} Providence Bryan
who was present and saw Sarah
Prudden sign ~~her~~ name or make
her mark

& et. Smith Mary et ^{her} Whitehead
Swearmaster Providence ^{mark} Bryan

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

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Mr Frederick Douglass
attorney Stevenson & Co.

Sir I referring to the case of Lewis
Williams as of Company B. 2 regt
S. C. Cay and am directed by the
Secretary of war to inform you that
it appears from the records that
of Lewis Williams first and of
Lewis Williams second was member
of Co B and 2 regt U. S. C. 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-
red 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

and every Whitehead affidavit
and one of John Roberts and
Ballin Wright found in Book 8
and all Sent Sept 19 1892

Williams

Clara Williams widow of Silas

State of North Carolina County of Granville
 in pursuance of claim of Clara Williams
 widow of Silas Williams alias W Williams
 dec'd do at 35 U. S. G. J. personally appear
 before the undersigned duly authorize
 to administer oath within and for said
 County & B Got age 60 yrs past address
 is at Kennerly Co who being duly
 sworn states that on about Feb 16
 1844 said Silas Williams was in my
company employment on my farm
 near at W Bone etc about which
 time he requested me to procure his
 marriage license for him which requir-
 ed I complied with in he was born
 James Ball 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 at rich more that I am well
 acquainted with the widow of Silas who
 with he said husband who hath 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
 me 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 know him my Pds
 address is New Bern N.C.

witness

Edward Carpenter

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 do hereby
 certify that William Williams and
 Clara Becton both colored were
 married February 14th 1884 by J.
 Richardson J. D. 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 Curran on this 19 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before
me Mary Vannile age 32 resident of
Stonewall who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that
el Mary Vannile applicant for pension
to \$82 988 and for the reason given
below request is mad for special
consideration of the claim by the
Honorable Commissioner of pension
that el am sick nat able to help my
Self and have ben for the last six
months sick pain in breast and left
side el am nat able to support my
Self and el has nat remarrid since
the death of my husband Julius Vannile
late of Co G 1st Regt N.C. I el have
nat 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 an they are nat able to work
and el has no incomes and no property
and no one legal bound for her
part and el am suffering for the
subsistence of life and for nurs-
ments of my children we naked
and crying for bread el have no
shoes to wear and no garments el
an upon the hands of charity el ask
for a settlement as soon as possible
el have 8 children of the Soldier two
are now sick and suffering witness
Sid Carpenter and G. W. Smith Mary Vannile

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

State of North Carolina County
 of Warren on this 19 day of Sept
 1892 personally appeared before
 me James L. Prosser age 49 years
 resident of Newburn N.C. who being
 duly sworn according to law declared
 as follows that he is a pensioner
 of the U.S. by Cert No 651391 and
 duly entitled at Knoxville Tenn
 pension agency at the rate of Twelve
 dollars per month by reason of
 disabilities from Rheumatism and disease
 of Mouth resulting in Stomach and
 Diarrhea and Disease of Rectum in
 Camp in military Service of the U.S.
 while serving as private of Co of 5 regt
 at Rhode Island Vol of 47th that his
 present physical condition is such
 that he claims him self entitled to
 receive and increase pension he further
 declares that he is disabled in the follow-
 ing manner to wit Rheumatism heart
 disease and diarrhea and filia disease 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 an abo-
 out July and Aug 1864 he contracted
 diarrhea and filia and Rheumatism and
 heart disease and Stomach and last
 of teeth and Scurvy of the mouth
 by exposure and cold while prisoner
 in Andersonville Georgia the Summer
 of 1864 the Rheumatism grows worse and
 filia et applied for Pils in my former

... ..

Carpenter and Smith

Declaration I have pains about
heart and fluttering about heart and
pains in left side and clamping
deaf in right ear all come from
passure and cold that he hereby
appoints with full power and substitution
and renacation Frederick Douglass of
New Bern my true and lawful
Attorney to prosecute his claim
his past address is New Bern
Caranun Co. N.C.

E. C. Carpenter James Lawrence
E. C. Smith

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

E. C. Carpenter Michael McRay
E. C. Smith W. Barber

all went 22 day of Sept 1892 with
particular of agreement and power of
attorney
under old law

increase of pension act June 24 1890
of John Brown

State of North Carolina County of
Crawford in matter of original pension
in case on this 20 day of Sept 1892
personally appeared John Brown age
54 years residents of Henderson Craven
County etc who being duly sworn
in according to law declare as follows
he is a pensioner of his enrolled at
Knot Mill Tenn at the rate of 8 doll
ars per month Sept etc 790 629 by
reason of disability from Rheumatism
and disease of digestive organs that
he was at first in Co of 2d Regt re
S C Bay Cal that he believes himself
intitled 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 ~~the~~ he therefore request that he
be favored with another medical exam-
ination with the view of determining his
rights to 12 dollars per month the full
rate allow under the act of June 24
1890 the Rheumatism has increased and
grown and resulting in to heart disease
and kidney disease Disease of urinal
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 support him that he is there-
fore call by Wreck and ask that his
claim be taken up and he hereby

appoints Frederick Douglass of
 New Bern etc his true and lawful
 attorney to prosecute his claim
 my Post address is Newbern etc
 E. Wearpenter John^{his} Brown
 S. M. & S. Brown mark

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

witness E. Wearpenter John Harris alias John
 D. E. Bank to make Darsy Baker
 Wadsworth mark

Claim of Edward Bell

State of North Carolina County of
 Granon in matter of claim of Edward
 Bell late of the U. S. Hospital at Newbern
 etc 1863 and 1864 on this 19 day of
 Sept of 1892 personally appeared before
 me Edward Bell age 53 years resident
 of New Bern etc well known to be rep-
 table and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declared that
 a filed a declaration for the money and
 expense of pay due him in about Aug
 1891 in same time in 1891 and authorized
 and appoints one 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 etc in 1862 and
 1863 he worked on the sick and cleaned
 out the spit-toms and back house

and he did not get his money for said
 work as follows Dress the sick
 and help to bury the dead and clean
 up the rooms and clean out spit toms
 and he work day and night and he
 was promised twenty five dollars at
 month and he did not receive any
 cent 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 said hospital his Past
 address is Stenborne et ask that his
 letters be sent to Frederick Douglass
 of Stenborne et he is my attorney
 and I would get money for said service
 witness
 Edward Bell
 his
 mark
 J D Barfield

also personally appeared before me
 Sylvester Leary age 40 years resident
 of near Stenborne et 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 Stenborne et
 et Cook from the Spring 1862 up until
 all an about the winter of 1863 et Cook
 19 months under Dr M Bouge and
 Dr Deavers and serving said period

Claim of Mary & Boon alias Fields

State of North Carolina County
of Sturgen in matter of original
partition claim to 387211 of Mary
Boon alias Fields minor child of
George Boon late of Co. G 14 regt U.S.
S. & H. Army. on this 20 day of Sept
1892 personally appeared before me
Richard Weaver age 60 years resident
of near New Bern in the County of
Jones well known to be reputable and
entitled to credit who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that
he enlisted corporal of Co. G 14 regt U.S.
S. & H. Army at New Bern etc. in
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 ~~the~~ 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 was
under 16 years of age at the time of
his death at home are now the claim
want Mary & Boon alias Fields

was born Oct 22 1843 el was
 present when Mary Ellen married
 George Boon and heard 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 at New Berne

et.c

witness

& weaver

Severus Fields

Richard ^{son} Weaver
 mark

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
 Curran. In matter of original and
 et.c disabilities Certificate No 444206
 of Darsey Baker late private of Co F 2d
 Regt U.S.C. say on this 21 day of Sept
 1892 personally appeared before me
 Owen Bryant age 42 years resident
 of St. Berns et.c well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows that el became
 acquainted with Darsey Baker an about
 the fall of 1892 at St. Berns et.c.
 We work together in quartermasters
 department up until he enlisted
 et.c private of Co F 2 Regt U.S.C. say

he was a well used hearty man from
 all appearance when he enlisted I
 remember well that he got enfold
 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 horse his
 horse feet struck the up side back and
 fell backwards in the horse and fell
 on Dorsey Baker and broke his leg
 and left hip and enfold 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 1864
 and got worse and was sent back
 to the hospital again he never come
 back to the company any more untill
 a bout month before he was discharge
 at Brooks Santiago Texas he was there
 total disable to do duty I was present
 when he got enfold I lost my horse
 at the same time I can remember
 the stone well when the claimant
 return 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 return
 to the company and right on about
 January 1865 at Brooks Santiago Texas
 sent he have been discharge up to

Sent Sept 23 1892

and one affidavit made by John Shepard same as above

The witness el have seen him
 about once or twice a month he
 lived here at New Bern N.C. the
 first six years ~~after~~ discharge and
 el 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 and leg and
 and he appears to grow worse and
 worse and now he not able to do
 any manual labor from his appear-
 ing past address New Bern N.C.
 witness
 G. A. Smith Owen Bryant

Claim of George Smith
 State of North Carolina County of
 Curran in matter of original and of
 New and old disabilities pension claim
 No 47958 of George Smith Corp of
 Co D 38 Regt N S C Val Inf
 on this 20 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared before me Charles St. Crocker
 age 46 years residents of New Bern.
 In the County of Curran N.C. well known
 to be reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law declares
 as follows el enlisted in Co A 1st Regt
 in Co D 38 Regt N S C Val and about
 Feb 1864 and George Smith enlisted
 a little before el did in same Co
 and Regt at New Bern N.C. and he
 seem to be a well hearty sound bodied
 man from all appearance up until

Sept 29 1892
 articles of agreement Smith

and Boon S Gurney and Blindness, deafness

an about Sept 1864 at deep bottom
 Va he was shot in the arm and was
 carried to the hospital at Saints
 Path and was excused from duty
 and from from that wound 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
 dysentery and piles and he contin-
 ed the above said disabilities
 while in line of duty and he contin-
 ued to grow worse and worse each
 year and now he is sick and
 are suffering with Rheumatism
 Diarrhea and Piles and from that
 wound of left arm and stiffness
 of back he has no interest in
 claim of Pas address is New
 Bern 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 19 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared before me Mary of Slight's age
 64 years residents of St Albans etc well
 known to be reputable and entitle 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 are
 the widow of Alfred Slight's Decd who
 Enrolled under the name of Alfred

as above
 also and affidavit made by Peter Bishop same

Samuel Carter

State of Wisconsin County of
 Grant in matter of claim of
 original invalid pension of
 Samuel Carter late and Seaman
 and stay on this 15 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me
 Will Taylor age 47 years resident
 of Millville in County of Grant
 and State of Wisconsin thus
 Past address is Horvot 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 I 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 or
 Feb 1865 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 I was an eye witness the
 accident is at the time the Surgeon
 told me if it had been a white
 man the blow on the head would
 have killed him

The Surgeon Dr Eastwood is dead

Sent Sept 23 1892

I slight and ar blade at stenberg
 etc an ar about the month of Decem
 ber 1842. Point of Co D 2 regt. U S C
 Gary who was wounded and died at
 Suffolk Va. fight April 1844. Who
 bore the rank of private Date of death
 and left and widow the claimant
 that she was married to the soldier
 under the name of Mary Ann Bryant
 an about the month of Sept 1842 by
 Ben Elsace Felton at July Black's
 house and in Spring at Stenberg
 etc. That she and the soldier never
 had been previously married personally
 Description of the soldier fight Dark
 black hair hair black eyes and about
 five feet and five or six inches Ross
 Bertie Co etc that there are bounty and
 arrears of pay and attire allowance due
 and she makes this application to recover
 the same according to law. that she here
 by authentic and affidavit Frederick Douglass
 of New Bern etc her true and lawful
 attorney to present her claim to the final
 Settlement of the same that she further
 declares that she has not aided or
 abetted in the Rebellion of the U S
 that her Residence is Stenberg etc.
 witness
 E. C. Smith
 Mary Ann ^{her} slight
_{mark}

and also personally appeared before
 me Susan Bow age 45 years Samuel
 Parsons age 47 years residents of Stenberg

well known to be reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly sworn
 according to law declares as follows
 that I was present and saw Mary
 et Dlight mak her marks to the foregoing
 declaration that they have been well
 acquainted with Mary et. Dlight for
 many years and she are the identical
 person she claim to be
 and sent off 24 day of Sep 1892
 witness

Encourpunter Susan Bon
 E et Smith Samuel Parsons
 mark

Claim of Mary Loue
 State of North Carolina County of Pitt
 am this 22 day of Sept. A D 1892 personally
 appeared Mary Loue 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 Loue who enrolled under the
 name of Jacob Loue on the 21 day of April
 A D 1864 in Co D 40th regt U.S. I.
 by Capt George J Scawls in the year of 1861
 He contracted the Lung disease and heart
 disease resulted from Rheumatism Cold and
 Ex. Spasme and also his left arm in the
 wrist was injured and enphred and
 she did 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 Case to said Jacob
 Lorie on the 9 day of April A D 1868 by
 Joseph Walton decd a preacher at Greens
 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 Lorie 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 Lorie widow of Jacob Lorie late of
 No 40 Regt U. S. G. I allowed under act of
 June 24 1890 by Capt eto 236643 that she
 here by affiants Frederick Douglass of
 Chen County eto her true and lawful
 attorney to prosecute the above claim
 that her residence is eto Greenville
 Pitt eto

M B Parker
 et M Wheeler

Mary ^{her} Lorie
 Mark

also personally appeared before me
 Josephins Bailey residents Greenville
 eto Prince Williams residents of
 Greenville who being duly sworn accord
 ing to law declare that they were present
 and saw Mary Lorie make her mark
 to the fore going declaration.

M. B. Parker
 et M. Wheeler
 Joseph Bailey
 eto 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 dec'd of late of Co
 H 35 regt U.S. by an this 23 day of
 Sept 1892 personally appeared before
 me Princy Williams age 36 years resident
 of Stanberry 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 their affidavits be excepted
 in her 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 summer 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 her there of she
 was complaining when she
 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 diarrhoea up untill
 he died he died on the 14 day of
 May 1870 I believe 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
 friend 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 of lawful age
 am 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 1844 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
 until I am down up and have
 to go an Leprosus 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
 24 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 Commissioners 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 have not get
 about I have to be haul 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 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 Ford
Boone 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

Jr J W Gilghman, Princy ^{her} Williams
_{mark}

J W Blount.

also personally appeared before me
Emmer Williams age 25 years resid
ent of near 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
spine in side and breast infirmity
he died on about the 14 day of May
1877 about 16 years ago I remember
it by reason after Eli Williams died
his widow Princy come and live in
the house with my wife and has ben
living pretty much ever since and
she has not remarried since the
death of her husband and has

and affiant of Oliver Williams
neighbor

not lived with any man as
man and wife if she had a
second way reason to believe it 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 a
d 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 new
day and Bright &

Edmund ^{Jun} Williams
mark

J. W. Felghman J.R.

J. W. Blount

also personally appeared before
Jacob Harris age 52 years resident of
near Hopkinton etc. well known to be
reputable and entitle to credit who being
duly sworn according to law declares as
follows I become acquainted with Eli
Williams in fall 1841 also the Claimant
the time he was married and I tal
with Eli Williams and he did he
never was married before and the
Claimant sed the same and they
live and cohabit to gether as
man and wife and Eli was not
a well man he complains of it

Mackinac cough, and had long
 trouble and Rheumatism
 he was bad off with Rheumatism
 after he married the claimant
 he became so disabled he could not do
 any thing and he had a dreadful
 cough and pains in left side and
 he became total helpless and his wife
 nurse him and he and his wife was
 bathed keep up by the hands of Charity
 of summer 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 burrow him
 I think he died from the affect of
 lung disease and I saw him 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

Edmond Wharton & am a min
ister of gospel pastor of Ch St Mary
in Pitt Co etc

Jacob Harn

J W Felghman J B

and also and affidavit mad 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 declaring
to say declare & make the follow
ing declaration in order to obtain
the pension provided by the act
of Congress granting pension
to widows that she is the
widow of Sandy Hoare who served
under the name of Sandy Hoare
at Washington etc on the 2 day
March 1865 in Co B 35 regt us
etc 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 us etc that she was

married under the name of Elsa
 Hanna to said Sandy Effaure
 alias Walster May 1855 by consent
 of owners at old Sparta and their
 being no legal bars to such mar-
 riage that whether she ever be husband
 and have 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 Saldier who died before he
 married that she has not any
 manner engage in or aided or abett-
 ed the rebellion in the re & that her
 prior application has been filed
 that she hereby appoints with
 full power and substitution and
 ratification Frederick Douglass of
 Kenberne etc her attorney to
 prosecute this her claim that
 her residence is Kenberne etc

W & Sugg
 J & Stings

her
 Elsa & Walster

and also personally ^{mark} appeared
 before me W & Sugg residing Barb-
 ers and on 21st of August President of Barb-
 ers etc who says that they was 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 in 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 creating
 pension to widows that is she are the
 widow of Simon Jenkins who enroll-
 ed under under the name of Simon
 Jenkins of New Bern. etc on the
 or about June of 1862 in Co H
 30 regt U.S.C. & I in the war of 1861
 he was wounded at deep bottom at
 Chapans farm Va and died in the
 Hospital at Chapans farm Feb 1864
 who was at the time of his death
 the rank of 1st Lieut. in Co H
 30 regt U.S.C. & I 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 his 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 June 10 1854
 Fred J. born Feb 18 1859
 Della J. born Aug 17 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
 she died Aug 10 1881 and Della is
 afflicted and has been all her life
 I do not know the number of my
 claim I hereby appoint Fredrick
Douglas of New Berlin my true
 and lawful attorney to prosecute
 this my claim My full address
 is care of Alfred Battle Barbara
 etc
 Harry Spruel ^{her} Gabriel Juncius
 et al James ^{son}

Harry Spruel
 et al James

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

declaration for increase and reiteration
 Monroe Lee

State of North Carolina County of Edgecombe
 on this 24 day of Sept 1892 personally
 appeared appeared before me Monroe
 Lee age 56 years resident of near
 Barbours County of Edgecombe State of
 N.C. who being duly sworn declares
 that he are a pensioner of U.S. enrolled
 at the ~~of~~ not will Genl Pension Agency
 at the rate of two dollars per month
 Sept 20 1883 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
 him self entitled to and an increase
 pension on account of his rating being
 too low not adequate to the extent of
 his present disability he also believes
 him self entitled to a rating as the
 rate allowed him are too low and not
 commensurate with his present disability
 which has existed in or 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
 readjusted 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
 20 1866 by Cert No 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
 for increase that el hereby appoint with
 full power and substitution and revo-
 cation Frederick Douglass of Etowah
 Co. his true and lawful attorney to
 present his claim el ask that my letter
 be sent in care of W. H. Pender of
 Etowah Co. ~~etc~~

J L Johnson

Gaston L Wyman

Honoral^{his} Lee
 mark

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

Declaration for annulid pension

act of June 24 1890 Honoral Lee
 of State of North Carolina County of Edgecomb
 on this 26 day of Sept A D 1892 personally
 appeared before Honoral Lee age 56 resident
 of near Garbana County of Edgecomb Stat
 of N.C. who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows. that he and the
 identical Honoral Lee who was enrolled
 on the 25 day of May 1862 in Co of
 25 Regt U. S. G. I. in the Service of the
 U S in the war of the rebellion and
 served at least ninety days and was
 Honorable discharge at Charleston S. C.
 on the 1 day of June 1864 that he
 are total unable to earn or support
 by manual labor by reason of

given that wound of left hand
 and middle finger and injury of the
 right finger and Rheumatism and
 pain in the neck Loss of vision of
 both eyes and pain in the head he
 contracted while in war 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 265-05 that he is pensioner under
 certificate of 510883 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 Allan
 Bonthard of Washington D.C. my past
 address in care of W H Pender of
 New Bern etc
 S. L. Johnson Honorary ^{lieut} + Col
 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. 29
 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
 U S C Y on this 25 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me Pompey
 Sathithite age 44 years residents of
 Stenborne Granum Co etc all known
 to be reputable and entitle to be
 it who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows that
 I enlisted in Co H 35 U S C Y
 an about June 1862 at Stenborne
 the same time William Gibbs
 enlisted in my Co and regt and that
 he was a well and hearty man from
 all appearance up until an about
 the fall of 1862 at Gallys Island
 I heard the doctor Saldor 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 until he died he died an about
 January 1866 at the hospital.
 etc relation my Pas address is
 Stenborne etc

witness

E. J. Carpenter
 & J. Smith

Pompey Sathithite

and also personally appeared
 John Gibbs age 57 years residents
 of Pamphico 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 was 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 Mamfart Cardela Bartie
 Arrena Edward Henry William Gibb
 the Soldier left his home and went
 to hatterse and went to work in
 of m r s and there he enlisted
 an 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
 Sept 25 1875 at Pamplico N C
 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 Gibb & had every
reason to believe to believe &
would have known it because
el see him pretty frequently and
she was in a suffering condition
my last address is Baybar
Pamlico
witness ^{his} James Gibb
& aversunter _{marks}
& et Smith

and the same affidavit made
by Annie Brock of James City

also personally appeared before me Mr
James Woods age 44 years residents of
of Stone wall Pamlico well known
to be reputable and entitled 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 Pam-
lico County an about the winter of
1844 and then and there el become
acquainted with the Claimant El-
rs Gibb and also her husband
Bartie Gibb and he was sick then
and in 1845 he died and left a wife
surviving 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 last the rest
 of the right are. and she are almost
 helpless and can't 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 necessities to wear and for bread
 to eat and has no property and no
 income and no one found 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

Jane Wood

Sent Sept 29 1892

Claim of William H. Jackson.

State of North Carolina County of Orange
 in matter of original claim Serft No 225192
 of William Jackson late Private of Co E 1st
 U.S. I am this 27 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me William
 H. Jackson age 49 years residents of near
 River Dale N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitle to credit also 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 other ailments and gun shot wound
 on about the spring of 1884 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 Kennerly etc to file Decla-
 ration for me under the act of June 24 1870
 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 Kennerly etc and he has not
 neglected my claims and I ask that he
 be continued legal recognize as my attorney
 in my claim I do here by Counter mand
 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 Stenborne etc my legal
 attorney to present this claim for
 annulid pension and please inform me as
 my attorney at once what evidence are needed
 please send all my letters in care of Fre
 derick Douglass of Stenborne etc
 witness

Encarpenter
 & Co Smith

his
 Wm H Jackson
 mark

Dated Sept the 20th 1892

Claim of Jasper Williams
 State of Iowa Cavalry County of
 Boone in matter of original claim
 etc 23328 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 Beaupart etc
 well known to be reputable and entitled to cre
 dit who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows. It was born and
 raised at Lake Landing Hyde Co etc
 an Spencer Honrus 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 Crommer a Board of the
 Schooner recruit and well and hearty
 man had no sickness not until the

Winter 1864 near Deep Bottom and there
 I received again that 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 service
 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
 Blounts 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 $\frac{2}{3}$
 disabled 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 24 1890 be allowed and
 I further ask that the Commissioners
 of pensions to furnish me the Paste

address and where about of my Captain
and ship's mates that was on me.

I Recite my Captain Crommer and
Lieut Estrook ship's 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
Enocarpenter
W. H. Coe

Jasper ^{his} Williams
mark

also personally appeared before me
W. H. Coe age 25 years residents
Blounts Creek beaufort Co etc well
known to be reputable and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows I become
acquainted with Jasper Williams far
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 I
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 after 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 I have hope him
 to get a lodge I am Whit I own
 a farm on Blounts Creek Beaufort
 County N.C. and he are now suffer
 ing for the messarys of this life
 my Past address is Blount Creek
 Beaufort
 witness W. H. Cot
 E. 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 A. Longo Smith who enlisted
 under the name of A. Longo Smith
 at Kernburne N.C. on 23 day of December
 1863 in Co H 2d Regt N.S.C. Cav and
 served at least ninety days in the
~~military~~ military. Rebellion who was honorable

discharge at Brozo Santiago Texas
 and did from the aspects 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 E. W. Higgin of D at Barbara
 Okla and there no legal bars to such
 marriage that neither had not been married
 before or since that she has not remarried
 since the death of Oliver Smith that she
 are without either means of support than
 her manual labor and names 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 Okla 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.
 Bender of Etowah Okla of Etowah Okla
 to etc. Harry Spruel John J. Jones
 John J. Jones
 Maria ^{her} Smith
 mark

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

Claim of Annie Woodrard.

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven in matter of original claim etc
 303255 of Annie Woodrard the widow
 of William Woodrard Sargent of Book 25
 regt - n & c on the 24 day of Sept 1892
 personally appeared before me Charles E
 Woodard age 45 years resident of James
 City 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 raised in Elizabeth City
 N.C. I belong to the widow Pully
 Whiters of Elizabeth City N.C. I became
 acquainted with William Woodard ^{my late husband} when I
 was a small girl he belong to Joseph
 Woodard who lived about twelve miles
 from Elizabeth City N.C. the way I became
 acquainted with William Woodard was at
 nurse for James Ball He and his family
 would visit Woodard family and I wou
 ld go with them and nurse the children
 when I was about fifteen year old William
 Woodard 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 N.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 Crosspers N.C. and live and inhab
 itated together as man and wife and
 just before my husband enlisted
 we remarried each other under the n &
 Marshall law at Crosspers N.C.

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We was thus married by Elzacc 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 G 35 Regt
 U.S.C. on 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 I
 wash for his Capt to write Armstrong
 up untill they went away to Halls
 S.C. I had some child by the Saldier
 who was born after the Saldier went
 away the afore said child was born
 Januay 15 1864 I recived a letter
 from the Saldier William Woodard
 Brought by Hardy Gearycard of Co
 G 35 Regt U.S.C. the contents of the
 Letter part about the child and it did
 if it was a boy to come it Charles
 and I name the child Charles Woodard
 my husband sent me at the same time
 a gold watch and Pocket knife and
 the next letter I got was from Capt
 Armstrong and Saldier my husband
 was killed in the Battle at Antietam
 on about Oct 1862 and Mass. Lathan
 of Co H 35 Regt U.S.C. and I
 has not remarrid and living as
 a widow that I have ben invalid
 for twenty years and not able to help
 my self I have Phthisic and I ask that
 my claim be allowed and all letters
 in relation to my claim be

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Sent to Frederick Douglass of Ohio
 Borne etc
 witness Annie ^{her} + Woodard
 Swearmaster _{mark}
 of Schelby

also personally appeared Phillip Wiggins
 age 50 years Joseph Gibson age 51
 residents of ~~of Schelby~~ ^{Jamies City} who declares
 that they was present and saw the
 Claimant Annie & Woodard make
 her mark to the fore going declaration
 and they have ben acquainted with her
 9 years more or less

witness
 Swearmaster ^{them} Phillip + Wiggins
 of Schelby Joseph + Gibson
_{marks}

also personally appeared before me Mr
 Joseph Gibson age 51 years residents
 of Jamies City etc well known to be
 reputable and entitle to credit who
 being duly sworn according to laws
 declares as follows that he was present
 and saw Annie & Woodard and William
 Woodard married under the Marshall
 Law at Place now Jamies City etc they
 was married by Eldier Isaac Brown
 a minister of the free will Baptise of Jamies
 City etc when he first become acquainted
 with William Woodard and Annie &
 Woodard an about April 1842 they was then
 living as man and wife and was so
 known as man and wife by all that

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Them come out law that all Callard
 men and waman that was living as
 man and wife by the consent of there
 owners should come together and
 marry under us Star. Shall Card
 and there for William Woodard and
 Annice & Woodard the Claimant
 come together and was married by
 the yere said minister Elzacc
 Brown in my presence and there
 was et greate many present at the
 same time and she conceived and
 brought forth a child by the sabbid
 after that marring and the child are
 still living and the Claimant has
 not remoried ar line with any man
 as man and wife if she had I would
 have known it she has ben eln~~er~~alid
 arbor foyent years and el lined in
 speaking distance of her arbor 28 years
 and she has too ar three times of weeks
 my Past address is James City

Witness

C. J. Schellky

Joseph^{his} Gibson
 March

also personally appeared Elixey Dimpsy
 age 54 years residents of near James
 City one mile west in Craven Co
 et. p. well known to be reputable and
 entitle to Credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows et become acquainted
 with Annice & Woodard when she
 was small yerd at Elizetth City

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At she then belong to Mr Pally Whit
 =ves of Elizabeth City. At she grewed
 up and married William Woodwards
 by consent of their owners el was
 not present when their owners give
 them the consent but el was told
 by William Woodward and his wife
 about it a month after their 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. first before William Woodard and
 isted of Co E 35 Regt U.S.C. when
 the Regiment was made up and muster
 =ed in June 1862 el was el was enrolled
 as hospital nurse under Doctor David
 Monro and William Woodard Sargent
 of Co E 35 Regt U.S.C. by the Claimant's
 husband was kill at the Battle of Ala
 =sta Fla the Claimant had one
 child by the Soldier el left the Regt
 at Sumners Hill S.C. Oct 1865 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. Carpenter
 C. J. Schulkey.

Elizabeth^{her} Dempsey
 mark

all sent Sept 30 1892

widow of Wm Jordan Co 14th Regt U.S.A. 67

State of North Carolina County of
 Curran in matter of original pension
 claim No 555952 of Annie Jordan
 alias One widow of William Jordan Decl
 late of Co G 14 regt U.S. & H Army on
 this 29 Day of Sept 1892 personally appears
 before me Annie Jordan alias One
 age 46 years a resident of near Vanceboro
 Curran 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 argain of his disease by reason
 of I do not know where about thire Past
 address but I ask that the testimony
 of Comrades of the Comrade Co. and Regt
 be excepted in line thire of to wit Sgt
 Geo W Brown Pat Geo Squire both of
 Co G 14 regt U.S. & H Army 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 many 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
 thire wer no public record Keep

Ms. 655952. of Annie Jordan widow Wm Jordan Dec 6/14th.

at that time and I ask that the testimony of eye witness be accepted in law
 that I married him on the 14 day
 of Feb 1866 and I was never married before
 he married me I was born in Green
 Co. N.C. on Mr Thomas Albrighton Plantation
 and raised in Linriar Co. N.C. on Mr
 Thomas Albrighton plantation and I come
 to Vanceboro N.C. in the fall of 1865 I
 become acquainted with Wm Jordan in
 Green Co. N.C. before the late war Hoak
 erton N.C. was my Po address when first
 met the Soldier I knew him from a
 child up and he enlisted in Co G 14 regt
 U.S. Army at New Bern. Some time
 in 1864 and he was discharge Dec 1865 and
 in Feb 1866 we married at near Vanceboro
 N.C. Mr George Bell I married and
 I had no children by the Soldier Wm
 Jordan was raised in Green County N.C.
 near Hoakerton N.C. he belong to Mr
 Berya Kennedy his mother name him
 Wm Jordan and he belong to Mr Benjam
 in Kennedy his owners was a farmer and
 Wm Jordan worked on the farm his hair
 was dark dark hair and dark eyes I dont
 know his age he was between 20 and 30
 years old when he enlisted in the U.S. Army
 he enlisted at New Bern and some time
 out of the Army complaining of Rheum
 atism 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 Barris of
witness

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St Beerser

Annie^{the} Jordan
mact

Also Personally appeared Squire Jonkin age 49 years
a Resident of New Hampshire & he well known & he left the
evidences in credit & he being duly sworn according
to Laws of Law as follows & he became acquainted with
Wm Jordan & the claimant Annie Jordan on or about 1867
at New Hampshire or so, they then was living as man & wife &
and they had not been very long married. I lived a year
or neighbor to him & William the Soldier went by two names
to live Wm Jordan & Wm Kennedy, & I ask him his
right name, & he told me that his Regt. Major Wm P. J.
Kennedy & he said his Soldier 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 no & 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 lived the claimant
from Spring of 1867 up until he died & I work

Annie Jordan No 556,952

with him when he was able to work by reason of the
 Rheumatism & pain in the left side he suffered with
 said disease. I know 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 of great wear & tear
 each year until he died March 12. 1868 &
 had the said claim also went after a doctor for
 him in his last illness he was very bad off
 with pain in left side & shortness of the breath the
 doctor to wit Walter Smith Refused to come because
 the poor soldier had no money but had some
 children & Ann Jordan. died March 12. 1868 & I hope
 to bury him I had no children but the soldier
 & after the death of Ann Jordan the claimant
 live his widow up until one or spring of 1871
 at which time she Remarried to one James
 Edwards but & to one Luke Pugh the claimant
 Po. Address is Danaboro N.C. I am living in the
 same neighborhood & see the claimant & I have no interest
 in the claim. my Po. Address is Danaboro, N.C.
 Witness
 Square Jenkins
 E. A. Smith

sworn & subscribed to before me at
 E. A. Smith N.C.

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 private of Co G 1st
 A.C. U.S. Val on this 28 day of Sept
 A.D. 1892 personally appeared before
 me Wm J. Lane of that age 40 years resident
 of Kenesaw Co well known to be
 reputable 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 until 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 private of Co G 1st A.C. Regt
 U.S. Val I know he was living in
 my house 1850 51 52 53 54 and 1855
 and I say again up until he enlisted
 and I know he was not married to
 any one I took and washed for him
 at that time he would work out at
 times but he would not stay over
 amount of a two but he made my house
 his home and I know that he never
 married any one not until 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
 relations or relation to my brother Riley

getting married Mary Deane in 1854
 or any time is a Goalse that I know of
 never did marry her or own her as his
 wife not 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 deportment was very bad in
 the neighbor hood and I know my
 brother never did own her as his
 wife and I never had her own him
 as her husband not until he died
 after his death and she assured out
 there was something coming to him
 she applied 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
 factored for the purpose of depending
 many are Weatherington now getting
 out the legal rights I know my Brother
 never was married to no one
 and I never had of it before not until
 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 New Bern N.C.

Nitrus
 Sincwofuten
 H. Bolner

favy fany^{tu} elpach
 Mark

No 444 206

We the undersigned Regular Practicing Physicians

have to pronounce one Jerry Baker Late of Co. 7. 2^d Regt. U. S. Army or fine sick Baker & totally unable from performing any labor from the following causes Anchylitis of left Hip joint Resulting from and impacted fracture received during his military services in the date was the left leg is short and wasted away to about half the size of right leg & thigh any amount on the undertaking of any work cause great pain which mostly subsides at times

Jen. Ste. Duffey M.D.
graduated from U. P. Surgeon
Baltimore

March 1889

Robert S. Purnose M.D.
graduated by Belton Hospital M.D. Grad. by U.S. Army
March 1889

Dated Newbern N.C. Oct 3 1892

North Carolina before me sworn & subscribed to before me this 3^d day of Oct 1892 and certify that the foregoing was written by Dr. Purnose in my presence and same signed in my presence & that they 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

Statement of Jerry Baker

in matter of original claim old & new disabilities No. 444 206 of Jerry Baker Late Privet of Co. 7. 2^d 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 Danaboro Maine County
 well known to be reputable and entitled
 to audit who being duly sworn according
 to Law declares as follows my P.O. address
 is Newmarket N.H. Since my discharge
 from said service on the 10 day of July 1866
 I have resided in the County of Coos
 and State of N.H. I have lived about six
 years in justice truly granted. No July 1866 to 1871
 Then I went about fourteen miles from Newmarket
 upon 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 Injury
 and Inflammation and cold which was received
 contracted in N. H. Army that I was thrown
 by horse jumping down at Suffolk Va
 April 1864 which I injured my left Hip
 and Back thigh and Quads my left leg which
 has resulted in Rheumatism & some heart trouble &
 weakness in the course of the War. From my said
 discharge to the present time I have received the following
 medical treatment for the said disease & injuries. The
 first treated by Doctor Isaac Thompson of Newmarket N.H.
 from March 1866 until he died in the year of 1880 then Henry
 G. Bates treated me up until he died June 1898 & Robert
 medium from and some other medical or latter times. When
 I was able to work to get the money I have continued by
 medicine & surgery all the said time my physical condition
 and ability to perform manual labor has been so
 excellent. In the year when I was discharged and lived
 in Cambridge N.H. I was total unable to work & care at
 the Hospital I got my discharge & was taken care of by my

Dorsey Baker Co. J. S. Post No. 1000 City #44206

Further up front I reside in the County of ...
 to total unable to do any thing ...
 the County ... could not get about and so
 a little light work & follow my children up & down ...
 been able to do any thing of a ... work by
 ... at any time ... have been
 ... July ... last year I have
 not been able to do any thing of a ...
 by ... children ... take care of
 them & ... a ... by City #44206
 ... 23rd of August 1887
 the permission to ... of the 13th of July 1886
 at the ... for ... to ...
 ... of 89 ...
 ... the State ...
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 ... 1880
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 ... of Congress
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Dorsey Baker

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

Recorder A. H.

Sent up this 4th day of Oct. 1892

Also Harry B. robust of No. 12 Post made an affidavit sent
 ...

Claim of Mary Ann Gattlin

State of North Carolina County
 of Currier in matter of original
 claim etc of Mary Ann Gattlin
 the legal widow of Riley Gattlin late
 private of Co G 1st Regt U S Caval
 on this 24 day of Sept A D 1892
 personally appeared before me Mr George
 Broad Street age 62 years Resident of
 Newbern etc well known to be reputable
 and entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to laws declares as
 follows I became acquainted with
 Riley Gattlin in about the Spring of
 1851 here at Newbern etc from
 1851 to the time he enlisted in U S
 Army I would visit Riley Gattlin
 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 Gattlin 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 Gattlin married her
 in my life I up until after his
 death then Mary Decree

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claim that she did just to get
 his pension she has lived here in
 this country every sense 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 Piley Gattin
 married Mary Ann Weatherston
 the claimant and about March
 1850 and she has two lawful
 children by Piley Gattin the said
 wife and they are still living the alidg
 marriage of Mary Decree to Piley
 Gattin is false not true and
 I have every reason to believe that
 allegation in relation to the marriage
 of Mary Decree to Piley Gattin
 are not true many factoid I
 was Captain of Schooner before
 the war I come home England and
 saw Piley Gattin and he was of
 friend of mine and I was a Pil
 lot in time the war I have no
 interest in claim my past address
 is at New Bern N.C.

witness
 Signer George Brantley
 Johnson

Mary Ann Gattlin

personally appeared before me
 Bachul Wiggins age 51 years
 residents of Newbern N.C. well
 known to be reputable and entitle to
 the credit who being duly sworn according
 to law declares as follows I was born
 and raise on John Gaston Plantation
 in the County of Craven and State
 of N.C. I become acquainted with Piley
 Gattlin when it was a young girl. He
 come to work on the John Gaston
 Plantation and he work there every
 second week for fifteen years or
 more up untill he went in to the
 Army. He was then single man
 had no wife and I saw him every
 week up untill he enlisted and had
 no wife and I never heard any one say
 he was married or live with any one as
 man and wife not untill he married
 Mary Ann Weatherington March the 1870
 at Newbern N.C. I never know Mary
 Decree not untill about the year of 1872
 she was then living at Batchlar Creek
 N.C. and she was then known as Mary
 Decree and she continued to go by the
 name of Mary Ann Decree untill Piley
 Gattlin died when she heard that Mary
 Ann Gattlin alias Weatherington was
 trying to get a pension then Mary
 Ann Decree change her name to Mary
 Ann Gattlin alidg that she was
 the widow of Piley Gattlin 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 one 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 Batten after
after him before he died el would not after
he was dead and she said she would
and that is the cause of her name appears
el know she now lives with Riley Gattin
we did any thing for him while he lived
and el would say it is wrong to keep
Mary Ann Gattin alias Weatherington
out of her pension el have no trust
in said claim

witness

Snoo Carpenter
& of SmithRachel ^{her} Wiggins
mark J

also personally appeared before me another
at Elphock age 51 years resident of near New
Horn. Granum Co N.C. well known
to be reputable and entitled to credit
who being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows el am the stepson
of the deceased Soldier Riley Gattin and
el have ben knowing him all my
life and el lived in my mother
house very far from Elphock my mother
up until Riley enlisted in Co G 1st
regt N.S. and she worked
and washed for him and he never
was married until he married
Mary Ann Weatherington

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el was present when Mary & Gattlin and Billy Gattlin was married and hold the matrimony sed to them they was married by the Justice of Peace his name Howard Richard Boy they was married on about March 12 1870 at New Bern etc and el know that they live together as man and wife and was so recognize by all that know them and el know that she was never married priore to their marriage of her and Billy Gattlin and by that marriage and habitation three children was born to wit William Nancy and James and James B Gattlin are dead and these are the legitimat children of Billy Gattlin and Mary & Gattlin and her husband Billy Gattlin died some time in January 1889 he left a widow and two children surviving and his widow to wit Mary & Gattlin are still living and have not remarried since the death of her husband Billy Gattlin and she has not lived with any man as man and wife since the death of her said husband Billy Gattlin if she had el have every reason to believe el would have known it because el see her pretty much daily and she are in a suffering condition my past address is New Bern etc
 Encouranter Arthur et al
 H. Baerion mark

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also personal appeared before me
 Mr Celia Harrington age 68 years
 residents of New Bern N.C.
 who declares that he know that
 Mary Ann Weathering married
 Pily Gattin and they live together
 as man and wife and was so
 known as man and wife by all
 that know them & never heard
 that Pily Gattin married Mary
 Ann Decree and he have lived in
 Etaherne N.C. over 16 years and
 he never did here Pily Gattin
 say he married Mary Ann Decree
 and if he had married Mary
 Ann Decree he believe he would
 have known some thing about
 it he am no relation to claimed
 my past address is Etaherne

J. C.
 witness
 E. C. Carpenter
 & J. Smith

Celia Harrington

Done at Oct the 5 1892

Claim of Mary Ann Whitehead

State of North Carolina Co
 of Craven 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 O Masley age 59 years resident
 of New Bern N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitle to Credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 declares as follows. I became acq-
 anted with Conrad Lewis Williams
 at New Bern N.C. an or about the
 fall of 1862 before he enlisted in
 the Regiment he was from all
 appearance a well and hearty man
 he enlisted of 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 away from New Bern
 N.C. together and I was injured and
 I was sent to the hospital at Brant 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 he was 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 I thought he was dying when he
 come to the General Hospital I got
 Better and was sent to the Regt
 and I left Lewis Williams in the
 General Hospital and I remember
 well very soon after I got to the
 Regt the news come that Lewis Williams
 of Co B 2 Regt M S & G was dead of
 course I did not see him die but
 it was always understood that Lewis
 Williams was dead and died in the
 General Hospital I 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, I do not remember but one
 Lewis Williams of whom enlisted at
 Etowahville etc it always was reported
 to the Regt that Lewis Williams died
 while in the hospital and I have not
 known any other but that he died
 while in Hospital my Past address
 is Etowahville etc
 & carpenter
 & et Smith F. H. Masley

also personally appeared before me
 John Brown age 54 years residents
 of Etowahville etc well known to
 be reputable and entitled 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 & C Bay at New Bern
 N C 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 & C Bay and we both went to
 Fatuse manro 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 untill some time
 in April 1864 Lewis Williams was
 brought to the hospital he was
 wounded he got 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
 had not seen him since the
 report was that he died in the
 hospital el was sick in the hospital
 at the time el will further say
 that Lewis Williams enlisted at
 New Bern N C 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
 Jahn B Brown
 Fredrick Davidson

Bandal Staton

State of North Carolina
 County of Granen in matter
 of original claim No 1089454
 of Bandal Staton late private of
 Co F 1st Regt of U.S. Cavalry on
 this 1st day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me Bandal Staton
 age well known to be reputable and
 entitled to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows: I enlisted as under
 Cook of Captom David Y Laks of
 Co F 1st Regt of U.S. Cavalry on
 the 14 day of December 1862 at Washing-
 ton D.C. and was honorably discharged
 the 27 day of June 1865. at Stenberg
 D.C. with the Company and Regt my
 personal description 30
 years old 5 feet and 10 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 Bandal
 Staton I can not read or write
 and my attorney says this is the
 way it was spell I have my dis-
 charge paper in my possession I have
 not been employed in the mili-
 tary or naval service since the
 27 day of June 1865 that I have
 lived in Granen Co N.C. I ask
 that my claim be taken up and
 settled my past address is
 Stenberg D.C.
 Ew Carpenter
 & A Smith

Bandal Staton
 his mark

Sent Oct 4 1892

Claim of Siddy Paster

State of North Carolina
 County of Wayne on this 5 day
 of Oct 1892 personally appeared
 before me Siddy Paster age 40
 years residents of Stenborne N.C.
 well known to be reputable and
 intell to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows & that 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 private of Co & 2 regt
 U.S.C. Bay at Stenborne N.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 Saldier 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 N.C. the Saldiers mother
 was name Charles Loringhouse
 died on Masters Plantation W.M.
 Loringhouse 10 miles from Washing
 ton N.C. The father of the Saldier
 to suit Charles Willis who died
 in the summer of 1858 at Washing
 ton N.C. the following are the

Brothers and sister to the Soldier
 to wit Simon & Sidney Maria
 Godley and Jefferson Laughinghouse
 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
 as his true and legal attorney
 to present and prosecute this her
 claim and to receive all letters
 certificates or drafts 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 Provacation that her
 past address is New Bern N.C.
 witness

& we carpenter ^{his} Sidney Laughinghouse
 Miles Simmons alias ^{March} Paster

also personally appeared before me Judge
 Laughinghouse age 75 years
 Martha Boyd age 48 years residents
 of New Bern N.C. who well known to
 be reputable and entitle to credit
 declares that they was present and
 saw Sidney Paster make her mark
 to the foregoing declaration
 witness ^{his} Judge Laughinghouse
 & we carpenter ^{March} Martha Boyd
 Miles Simmons

Mary Ann Gattin 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 Recog-
 nition of the Bearers of Pension and
 the aforesaid grounds that Mary Ann
 was my husband's lawful wife through
 the report of the Special Examiners
 of the Bearers of Pension regardless
 to the evidence of Saldiers witnesses
 both White and Black both rectious
 and those that have no interest.
 all Sent

original claim for service of late U.S. of
 Claim of Rose Gaston
 State of North Carolina County of Curran
 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 or Chamber made on the U
 S S Ship Quill at Newbern N.C.
 Enrolled March 1862 and was discharge
 on about fall 1863 Commanded by
 Capt Vail that she was employed
 a few 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 Gravel that she carried 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 oath-
 =ary and appaint 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 Pas address is Newberne
 etc.
 witness ^{her} Basie Gaston
 E. W. Carpenter
 P. C. C. of

also personally appeared before me Methia
 Kennedy age 73 years Mr Maria Gessler
 age 70 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 Basie 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

equal and have always heard her
 say she did not get her pay for
 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 Stenborne of
 witness

Emancipator Hetti ^{his} Kennedy
 C. C. Co Maria ^{for} ^{mark} Fisher

also personally appeared before me Mary
 of green age 50 years, residents of
 Stenborne etc well known to be
 reputable and entitle 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 Ships Grille that she would be
 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 and Alex 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 ant 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 last address is etw borne
 witness
 Encarifer Mary of Green
 C. B. Bot

also personally appeared before me
 Anna Bryant age 54 years resident
 of Tenbone etw 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 Aquil on about March 1862
 and worked 6 years and 6 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 receiv-
 ed pay for her services that she
 rendered on said Boat my address
 is etw borne etw

witness
 Encarifer Anna Bryant
 C. B. Bot

Declaration for and resating
Claim of Joseph Jackson.

State of North Carolina County of
Craven. personally appeared before me
Joseph Jackson age 62 years resident
of Stenberg etc who being duly sworn
according to law declares as follows that
he are ex pensioner of the U S enrolled
at the Et nominal Gen 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 joint of
the thumb of right hand left hand
it incurred in the Military Service
of the U S while serving serving as
a private of Co D 2d Regt U S Cav
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 resating 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 discharg that for the last
of the right thumb under the act of
March 3 1873 and April the 3 1884
and act of 1885 et on 15th 1884 being
27 1888 rate 16 or 18 dollars for last
of thumb and it was only allowed
two dollars per month from
July 13 1864 from Dec 24 1890
also Rheumatism the thumb imp-
aired the hand hand at times
and pains go in the shoulder

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and Rheumatism Cause had right
 Leg and Side impaired and knee and
 foot stiff when I went before the
 medical Surgeon by order of the
 Bearers I told him that my Left foot
 and ankle and knee and was stiff and
 I made to drag my foot that he by
 appoints with full power and Substit
 action and revocation of red brick Doug
 lass of eten borne. et. le his true
 and lawful attorney to present his
 claim his past address is eten
 Borne et. le.

et. le of Borne Rhin 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. le Borne Borne et. le who being
 duly sworn according to law declares
 that he is the pensioner of the U S
 by copy of 805744 and duly enrolled
 at Knottville 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 military service of the
 U S while serving as a private of
 Co. D 2 Regt U S C Bay that his pres
 ent physical condition is such that he
 believes himself entitled to receive and
 in case pension he further declares

that he are disable in the following
 manner to witte skull wound of right
 Thumbe Arm impaired Rhumatism
 of right lege ankle foot and hip impaired
 lost of Sight and part deaf diarrhea
 and Piles application is also mad for
 increase of pensions an account of these
 disabilities to wit at Chapins farm
 in State of Va on or about the fall
 of 1864. He contracted Diarrhea and piles
 and Rhumatism resulted in hewit
 Doubles 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 Scurvy 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 sore the result from Boon Scurvy
 that he suffers unable to work and
 he hereby appoints Frederick Douglass
 of Stenberne his true and lawfull
 attorney to present this his claim
 my Post address is Stenberne N.C
 E. W. Carpenter Joseph Jackson
 C. J. Schelkey

also personally appear Wright Stanley
 and Alonzo Plum bath of Stenber
 who declares that they was
 present and saw Joseph Jackson
 make his mark to the fore
 going declarative Wright Stanley
 E. W. Carpenter Alonzo Plum
 C. J. Schelkey

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 disable 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 lasted
 and snowed and stand front with
 out any fire and he was taken with
 soon & wrong cause blind and
 part deaf at Broys Santa Fe Texas
 and he lost his Right Thumb in
 Battle of deep Bottom Va

made by
 Wright & Stanley
^{his}
_{mark}

Endorwenter
 Alonzo Pherr

articles of agreement sent
 Oct. 8 1892

Claim of Hulda Swarrt

A part of a writt Carolina County of
 Virginia in matter of original deforcement
 matters Claim etc 55438 of Hulda Swarrt
 the deforcement mother of Hilliard Swarrt
 the ~~deforcement~~ late friend of Ho H 30
 regt V. S. T. I on this 6 day of Oct A D
 1892 personally appeared before me
 Edmunds Hick age 62 years residents
 of Newburn etc 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 Sharkey Swamp
 an old Thomas Hicker plantation
 and was raise in Dupling County
 and he become acquainted with Hulda
 Swarrt the claimant in about the fall
 of 1842 in Carver County on 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 she her fruty much daily
 weekly and she are very aged and
 unable to perform manual labor
 and she are in a suffering condition
 suffering for the necessaries of life and
 for trimments to wear and for medical
 aide and she her fruty 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 or 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
mercy of the rowdies far her
I repeat my Past address is
Steuernburg etc

witness
Edmund + Flicker
H. Besser

Sent Oct 10 1892

Claim of Jane Henderson
State of North Carolina County of
Granville in matter of Claim of Jane
Henderson widow of Wm. Henderson.
decd on this 7 day of Oct at 2 1892
personally appeared before me Ebr
Wright Stanley age 50 years President
of Steubenville 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 Henderson who was engaged in
the Bakery Business at Steubenville
etc some time in 1862 Wm Henderson
had a Baker Shop and a man had
a Bar Room on the upper floor front
over Wm Henderson Shop I know
this by reason of I work with him
and take for other Wm Henderson
and he had no stock whatever in

in the Lignars business some
 time in 1862 I was reported the
 men was selling liquors without
 license and the Proost Marshall
 of New Bern N.C. arrested the men
 about selling liquors without
 license and they taken Wm Hendrix
 Don with the men, that was selling
 Whiskey without license. of which Mr
 Wm. Hendrixson 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 Lignars business had nothing to
 do with the Baker business, I was under
 the employment of Mr Wm Hendrixson
 I bake for him and had nothing to do
 with the Lignars business. Wm Hendrixson
 was anced with these men that sold
 liquors and they carried William Hendrix
 Don away from his wife. The Claimant
 and his Bakery Shop and the yankies
 destroyed his baking utensils and shop
 and he was keep from his Wife and I
 did not see him any more when I come
 home out of the war in 1866 he was
 dead and his wife was here in town of
 New Bern N.C. and she has not
 recived any of her husbands property
 the yankies destroyed it and she was
 without any property and has no
 money and no one to depend upon
 except the hands of charity I have
 in trust my address is New Bern N.C.
 E. Carpenter Wright & Stanley
 G. C. Co. mark

sent of
 1866

Claim of Mary of Whitehead.

personally appeared before me Mrs
 Mary of Whitehead alias Williams
 age 25 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 Bay who entered
 at Steubenville 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
 from an comrad who was in
 his same Co and who was raised
 on the same plantation before the
 war and enlisted here at Steubenville
 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
 Welling Wright I have also furnished
 testimony of Comrad who was in Hospital
 when he was brought there and each
 testifying that it was the identical
 Lewis Williams my husband who
 enlisted at New Bern 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 Eatonsville Va 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 at present unable
 to get around and get witness from
 time to time to furnish correct
 record when it is all ready in the
 possession of the war department I
 forth ask and consideration of my
 claim that my past address is
 Steubenville O.

witness
 Esdcarpenter Mary A + W. Whitehead
 W H Lane alias Williams

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

Jane Henderson

also personally appeared before me Alice Jordan age 42 years, a resident of Sturbridge 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 Henderson and remember he was engaged in Bakery Business at Sturbridge etc. he baked for himself his Bake Down in a Basin and a Bar Room was over him but he had nothing to do with the bare of 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 Sturbridge etc that is the Yankees sent his men and broke up this man Wm Henderson Baker Shop and destroyed his things of which Wm Henderson 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 Yankees in 1862 or 1863 and this Wm Henderson was sent away or 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 Sturbridge etc
 E. S. Carpenter
 Alice Jordan

Claim of Jane Henderson

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

also personally appeared before me Edward Harry age 54 years resident of Kennerne etc well known to be reputable and entitled to credit who being duly sworn according to law declares as follows I became acquainted with Wm Henderson at Kennerne etc. in the time of the late war he was engaged in Baker business & lived in the St. Kitchen where his Bakery Shop was and I well remember that he had his Bakery in the basements 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 Postal Marshall of Kennerne etc. 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 loss 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 claimant my address is Kennerne etc witness

Edward Harry
W H Pender

Edward Harry
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 549809 of Hannah Washing-
ton widow of George Washington ~~son of~~
decd late. et print of Co H 14 Regt M
S C of Army

on this 5 day of Oct A D 1892
personally appeared before me Landis
Bryant age 42 years Resident of
Chatham Co. well known to be
reputable and entitled to credit who
being duly sworn according to law
declares as follows I become acquaint-
ed with the claimant Hannah Wash-
ington when I was a child at Beaufort
Co. N.C. her maiden name was Hannah
Chatwick of which she grew up and
married an Mr Bell of Beaufort Co.
N.C. 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 name Child
to wit I was being with the

the Claimant and her husband
 George Washington at the time and
 I watered an hot and hard 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 was down
 in bed helpless and I can not do
 any thing and he complain of
 heart disease and was down at
 times and it appears that he
 would die and he continues to
 complain from time to time
 and grewed worse and worse 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 see to
 death of George Washington and
 she are still living 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 wearpunter Linda ^{her} Bryant
 Jarris Paly next

also personally appeared

before me. Martha Gayle age
 27 years residents of Stenberg
 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 in Beaufort District Co. N.C.
 and on about 1881 I ~~resided~~ ^{remained} in the
 City of Stenberg N.C. and I
 become acquainted with the Claimant
 George Washington when
 I was a small child at Beaufort
 N.C. I was raise I near neighbor
 of her also I remember on about
 Aug 2d 1866 the Claimant married
 George Washington Ben John
 Washington married them at Beaufort
 N.C. and by said marriage and
 Cohabitation two children was born
 of the Claimant by the said to
 wit Elmer Washington born June
 1st 1873 and Julius Washington
 born Sept 13 1875 - I being next
 door neighbor to the Claimant
 when the said children was born
 and I visit the said George Washington
 complain of Rheumatism and pains
 in feet and legs and weakness of back
 and pain in left side and vert
 lures and shortness of breath
 which he did he contract in U.S.
 Army and he died May 1880
~~thought~~ I 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
Parkies Paley

Claim of Ruben Helum

State of North Carolina County of Curran
on this 10 day of Oct 1892 personally
appeared before me Ruben Helum age
26 years residents of Pallock mill James
Co etc 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 D 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 D. 2 regt. U S C Bay and left surviving
a widow by the name of Mary Ann
Brow and her children Birth and ages
as follows Ruben Helum Barn March
29 1858 Easter Helum Barn April 15
1855 Mary A Shepard Barn 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 arrear 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 Douglas

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

Evocarpenter Ruben ^{his} Kelum
E. et. Smith _{mark}

Claim of Isaac Carter
State of North Carolina County
of Warren on this 12 day of Oct
1892 personally appeared before me
Eddy Person age 55 years resident
of Eben Bone E. C. who being duly
sworn according to Law declares
as follows that I am acquainted with
Isaac Carter of place far removed
person and I know the said
Isaac Carter to be the identical
person of that name who enlisted
at Dargant of Co B 14 reg U S Inf
Army 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 Morehead City etc 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 Pils and complain
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 vision. 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 a private of Co
 B 14 regt U.S.C. & Army. and saw the
 symptoms of Diarrhea and Piles and in
 the fall of 1865 Isaac Carter was
 transfer in Co G 14 regt U.S.C. & Army
 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 Isaac Carter
 was bad off with Rheumatism and
 Diarrhea and piles and kidney disease
 and dimness of vision 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 N.C.
 E. Carpenter Essex Pierson
 H. Balser mark

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

applican for invalid pension and
 know the said eldred Carter to be the
 identical person of that name who enlisted
 as volunteer as a Sgt in Co B. 14
 Regt U S Artillery Vol and who Discharged
 Sgt Macon etc on the 11 day of Dec 1862
 by reason of order from the war department
 that eldred Carter while in line of duty
 at a near Newburne etc 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 Carolina
 City etc on about December 1864 rose
 was exposed in cold rain and snow with-
 out tents 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 etc 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 first 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
 etc know he was excuse from duty
 and treated for same and he complains
 in of liver disease and dimness of
 vision also complain of fever and
 disease of eyes and legs and various
 pains and hence discharge the
 claimant has growed worse and
 worse each year with the

absent Oct 14 192 and also affidavit
made by Albert W. Ellett as above

The above said disabilities and
he are now about $\frac{2}{3}$ disable to do
manual labor $\frac{3}{4}$ he are
suffering with Rheumatism diarrhea
and Piles heart disease and kidney
disease and enlargement of kidney
disease and some time in the
fall of 1865 he transferred to Co
of 14 regt U S C of City
my last address is
and Kenburne N.C.
I am carpenter Carver ^{Wm} _{Smith}
St. Paulson

Physicians affidavit of Joseph Jackson
State of North Carolina County of Granum
in the pension claim No 805744 of
Joseph Jackson late of private of Co D. 2d regt
U. S. C. Gary personally appeared before me
Dr. Linster Duffey, M.D. a citizen of
Kenburne in County of Granum, N.C.
well known to be truthful and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn declares
in relation to the above said case as
follows that he are a practicing physician
and that he has been acquainted with
said Saldier for about ten or twelve
years and that he have been recently
consulted by said Joseph Jackson
on account of ailments which he
claims he contracted in U.S. Army
he suffers from a complexity of
cases which all in all makes him
of great suffering he has chronic

Rheumatism when being considerably
 stiffness of joints and swartill of
 muscles of right leg and hip. which
 cause a halt or crawling in his joints
 quite 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 poor and he has a
 cough and probable inceptant asthma
 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 St
 E W Carpenter

State of North Carolina

Parity of Examin
 in matter of original name
 of all and other distribut
 No. 490 & 5 of William B
 Weber late private of Co G
 3rd Regt U S C I an thus 14
 day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me a Just
 of the North Carolina and
 State above said of James
 Flanders age 54 years residing
 of Orange Co N C well known
 by all reputable and entitled
 to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law
 deposes as follows I recollect
 of private in Co G 3rd Regt
 U S C I at Chambers Co N C
 on about the 19 day of Sept
 1864 and was honorable discharged
 at Raleigh N C on about
 the 11 day of July 1865
 and I became acquainted with
 W. Barber at Chambers Co N C on about
 Sept 1864 he was a private of my
 company Co G 3rd Regt U S C I and
 with him all through U S Service
 and he was a well and hearty man
 from all appearance when I first
 met him at Chambers Co N C up
 until on about December 1864 at
 near front of Ft Harrison in St of
 Va we was exposed in cold and
 comrad Wm Barber taken a 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 I would have to speak loud to him he deaf in both ears also he had Rheumatism and he was complaining on the raid from Chapshan farm Va to Galdsboro et c. he continued to complain of misery of the head and weakness of head and was excuse from duty and he would have his head bound up and his eye Glasses on I know the about facts by reason I was at print of his Co the 24 regt U.S.F. and I was with him and William Barber was med boat of the Company and Regt By reason he could not hear good and he was sick at Washington et c in fall of 1865 and since he was discharg Feb 11 1867 we both have live here in Et enberne et c there I see him week ly and he is growing warse and warse each month and he is now total imob le 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 Run water and he are now helpless and have not been able to do any manual labor in quite a number of years and he are very thin not able to do any thing suffer with Rheumatism Deafness and blindness Both eyes Encarperiter & et Smith James ^{tin} + Flowers _{work}

gent Oct 19 1892

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

State of North Carolina County of Granville
 on this 17 day of Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me Adam James alias
 Adam Johns age 45 years residents of
 Stenborne 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 work or
 journey in about three months
 and he ask that the honorable Commis-
 sioner of pension please to allow my
 claim he are subject to die at any
 moment he have no property and
 he am suffering for the necessaries
 of life and for medical aid.

E W Carpenter
 & J Smith

his
 Adam James alias
 John Johns

in matter of pension claim
 of Adam James alias Johns
 late of Co A 165 NY Val

adam jans alias jahn

on this 14 day of Oct personally
 appeared before me Southy Blango
 age 51 years resident of Etenbeme
 & well known to be reputable
 and entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares as
 follows that it shud been well and
 personally acquainted with the claimant
 about 8 years and it have been
 living at near neighbor of him
 about three or four years and
 the claimant are in a destitute con-
 dition he has ben down about three
 months not able to help himself
 and he are upon the hands of a hart
 not 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 post address is Etenbeme etc
 E. W. Carpenter Southy ^{his} Blango
 E. C. Smith ^{mark}

Coak Over

Adam fans alias jahns

also personally appeared Alfred Conkey
 age 68 years resident of Stenbom
 etc well known to be reputable and
 entitle to credit who being duly
 sworn according to law declares
 as follows I am well and persons
 acquainted with the claimant
 Adam fans alias jahns and has been
 living at dore nighbar 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 a
 suffering condition not able to
 help himself and suffers for
 the necessaries 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 Stenbom
 etc

Encarjunter Alfred Conkey
 & J. Smith. ^{his} _{mark}

and also and affidavit made by
 James H. Galtin as above all sent
 Oct the 19/89e

Claim of Mary Counts alias Simmons

State of North Carolina County of
 Curran in matter of original partition
 Claim etc of Mary Counts alias
 Simmons widow of Caesar Counts
 died late of Co cl 35 regt U.S.A. on
 this day of Oct 14 1892
 personally appeared before me Christopher
 or Green age 54 years residents of
 Etowah Co. well known to be just
 =able and entitled to credit who being
 duly sworn according to law declared
 as follows I was born and raised
 in the County of Jones and State
 of North Carolina about 4 miles
 from Granton, etc and I became
 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 know them. and by said marriage
 and habitation 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 claim not
Mary Counts remained his widow
until an about the month
of May 1861 at which time she
remarried to one Mr. Matthew Simm
ons of Tenberne N.C. my past
address is Tenberne N.C.

W. W. Watson Christoper ^{his} Green
Clerk of Superior Court ^{mark}

also personally appeared me Joseph
Bryant age 60 years residents of
Tenberne N.C. well known to be reputable
and entitle to credit who being duly
sworn according to law declares as
follows I was born and raise in
Brunton Janus County N.C. and I become
acquainted with Mary Counts long before
the late war at near Brunton N.C. 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 Janus County
near Brunton N.C. and Mary Green married
Caesar Counts an about the month of
Feb 1859 at near Brunton N.C. 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 from them both well and they
~~was~~ not married prior and by
 said marriage and cohabitation
 are child was borne and said
 child did live before the war
 at a place a small child and
 and about June 1842 Caesar County
 went in the uss Army and el
 there not seen him since el had
 he died while in uss Army and
 the Plaintiff remained his
 widow until about May
 1847 at which time she remained
 are Mathew Simmons of Owen
 born etc el am well acquainted
 with the Plaintiff el knew her
 husband Caesar County we was
 all raise in James County near
 Stanton etc my Ras address is
 Eberberne etc

W W Watson
 Clerk of Sup Court
 Joseph Bryant
 Notary

Claim of John et al

State of North Carolina County
of Surry in matter of pension
claim etc 113242 of John et al
late of pilot of union etc Val
on this 18 day of Oct 1892 personally
appeared before me a juror and within
the County and State aforesaid
Edward Peters age 78 years resident
3 miles North of Stemborne well
known to be reputable and entitled to
credit who being duly sworn according
to law declares as follows he became
acquainted with John et al about
40 years and was well and personally
acquainted with him long before he
went in the union etc Val and
then he was a well and hearty man
from all appearances and since he
has come back home out of the
union etc Val he appears deaf and
can not hear good and we had to
speak loud to him and she 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 grasp about
 the house and this are his condition
 el see him every after and he were
 growing worse all the time and
 now he were total disable to do man-
 nel labor and were very aged has
 no incomes and were upon the
 hands of charity my address is
 Stenborn etc
 Enclosure
 J. B. Bader
 Elsdal ^{his} Petterfor-
 mark

also personally appeared Jacob Wiggum
 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 I have
 been acquainted with the claimant
 John O. Elpack about 40 or 45 ye-
 ars long before he went in the
 union Val etc and that he
 was a well and hearty man
 from all appearance and when
 he come home out of the union
 etc Val and the first time I
 met him after he come home he
 was complaining of dizziness
 of the head and he appeared to
 be deaf and I notice I 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 mounthly and he
 seems to grow worse and worse
 and now he are about $\frac{2}{3}$ disable
 to perform mannel labor
 by reason of deafness of both
 ears and pains in stomach
 and Rheumatism and at times
 he are stown as helpless as a
 child and his wife has to
 nurse him and now he are in
 a suffering condition and has
 no clothes and are upon the
 hands of Charity my past
 address is Starbuck, etc
 Encarfunter Jacob ^{Wiggins}
 of Bassor _{mark}

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

in breach of provision of children
under sixteen years of age of Mary Kelum

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State of North Carolina on this
10 day of Oct 1892 personally appeared
before me Ben Kelum and Easter
Kelum Mary Kelum alias Shepard
and Ben Kelum of Fallstonville
James Co etc ~~and~~ afterwards 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 sixteen years of
age that they were the legitimate chil-
-dren of John Kelum who served
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 & do not know hospital at
part manro on the summer of 1864
and who bore at the time of his death
the rank of private in Co of 2 regt
of 2nd bay that he left as widow
surviving Mary Kelum alias
Ambrose she remarried on about
15 May 1868 that the above names
were 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 issued of
Saldier as follows the dates of their
births being as hereinafter stated
Ben Kelum of Saldier born March 29
1853 Easter Kelum born Oct 15 1855
Mary Kelum born Oct 1st 1857
D.W.T.

that the matter was moved
 under the name of Mary
 Henderson to John Helm 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 appoint with full power and
 substitution Frederick Douglass
 of St Albans their attorney to
 prosecute the above claim their
 past address is Ward will
 witnesses

Em Carpenter	Robert ^{his} & Hellum
& C. Smith	Eraser & Hellum
	Mary & Hellum
	alias - Shepard

also personally appeared ^{mar} John
 Shepard and Emily Shepard
 who declare that they was present
 and saw the claimants make
 their marks to the above foregoing
 declaration

articles of agreement
 sent

A declaration for widows pension
 Mary Helm alias Ambros

State of North Carolina Co
 of Haver an this 10 day
 of Oct 1892 personally appeared
 Mary Helm alias Ambros
 age 66 years who being duly

I swear according to law make the following declaration in order to avail on the pension provided by the act of Congress granting pension to widows that she are the widow of John Keelum who enrolled under the name of John Keelum at Chambersville Pa 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 Mifflin Va Summer 1864 who bore at the time of his death the rank of Sergeant in Co E 2^d Regt U S C Bay and that she was married under the name of Mary Henderson to said John Keelum on the 15 day of June 1850 by Mrs Mary Henderson at her house near Jackson Mill Pa there being no legal bars to such marriage that neither she nor her husband had been previously married had not been married prior that she has renounced in Spring May 1868 that the following are the names and dates of births of all his legitimate children yet surviving who were under 16 years of age at the time of their fathers death to wit Ruben Keelum of the Soldier born March 29 1853
 Gaster Keelum born Oct 15 1855
 Mary Keelum born Oct 1st 1857
 that she has not abandoned the support of any one of her children but that there are still under her care of maintenance that taken

care of the children until they
 was known 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 Kennerly etc her true
 and lawful attorney to prosecute
 this her claim her first address
 is wards Mill and low county
 etc

E W Carpenter ^{her} Mary Kelum
 & C 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 young declaration
 and articles of agreement
 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
resident of 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 sus-
ted in to heart troubles diarrhoea reser-
ting disease Pectum in crowd 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 Diarrhoea 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
Diarrhoea and Piles. Intermitter fever
bansa 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 1864
and he was sick there and had

and on the 4 day of Nov 1892 William Barber
 made the same affidavit for Isaac Miller that Willis Elliott made for him

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 reso-
 lution Frederick Douglass of New
 Bern his true and lawfull
 attorney to prosecute his claim
 my past address is Stenberg &
 Socarpenter
 G. J. Scheelky Isaac Miller

also personally appeared before
 me Willis Elliott age 74 years resid-
 ent of James City N.C. 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 a volunteer
 as a Cavalry in Co H 37 regt N.S. 6
 Co. I who was discharged at Raleigh
 N.C. 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
 Stenberg N.C. did on about the
 month of Oct 1864 become disable
 in the following manner to wit
 he was taken with Typhoid fever
 and Diarrhea and Piles and was
 treated by the Surgeon doctor
 at New Bern N.C. and was
 excused from duty and he was
 taken with deep cold on lungs

at Chaphens 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 friend and took
 of the same to and right to wit Co
 of 34 regt U S & I 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 here in a
 suffering condition and upon
 the hands of charity
 also personally
 Encarponter
 of Schelky

Willis ^{June} Elliatt
 State

also personally appeared James F. Loomis
 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 Curran in matter of original
 Invalid Pension No 697 141 of
 James Flowers of Co H 37 regt V
 S. C. I an this 19 day of Oct 1892
 personally appeared before me James
 Flowers age 54 years resident of
 Stenborne N.C. well known to be
 reputable and entitled to credit who
 being duly sworn according to law
 as follows I testified and about
 Sept 19 1864 at Stenborne N.C.
 a private of Co H 37 regt V S. C. I
 on about Oct 1864 at Butlers Sten-
 borne N.C. I was taken diarrhoea
 and Typhoid fever I was on a
 drill when I was first taken it
 was very warm and I drunk a great
 deal of ^{bad} water and after drilling I
 was taken with a headache in
 the head and diarrhoea 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 help up by the
 assistance of another disease
 of right leg stiffness and enlarg-
 =ment of left Hip continue pains
 and numbness of disabilities of
 enlargement of left leg have
 stiffness of joints of which I
 call Chronic Rheumatism I
 was treated at Butlers Barrick

near Newburne N.C Oct 1864 before
 my Company was ordered to Chapmans
 farm Va I do not know the sargent
 name that treated me and I was
 Sick in Comp Dec 1864 at Chapmans
 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 Fort East Station
 with the same disabilitities and on
 about Feb 1865 that I was treated
 in Comp at Galds baro N.C May
 1865 and when I was taken with
 Intermittent fever at Hutton Hill
 near Washington N.C taken pains
 in head and back and was excused
 from duty and in the year of 1866
 I was treated by the sargent at Fort
 Manro after and on and July 12
 1867 I was discharged and come
 home at Newburne N.C and
 have lived here every since I
 have continually attacks here or here
 times each year some times of
 months at the times and again
 six weeks at times each year
 the attacks seems to be more severe
 or with Diarrhea Pile 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 side the pain commence
 in left hip and pass across
 the small part of my back
 and I am unable to pay any one
 to write out my statements
 and I can not write my self
 and my former attorney Jewell
 and Etichalson will not employ
 any one to do so I do hereby
 authorize and appoint Frederick
 Douglass of New Berne all my
 legal and lawful attorney in
 my original claim with full
 power and substitution and
 Renovation in lue of Jewell and
 Etichalson of Washington, D C
 to complet the original claim
 etc 1697141 under old law and said
 fee of agreement be paid or allow
 said Frederick Douglass of New Berne
 etc in lue of Jewell and Etichalson
 and under the new act of Congress
 Jun 24 1890 and I do hereby reconize
 as attorney of said Jewell and
 Etichalson as my claim are rejected
 and I ask that testimonies of
 Linstor Duffey and Horace Duffey
 date an about April 1890 and
 Supplement thire to date Oct
 18 1892 be accepted and my
 Comradts to wit Willis Elliott
 Carl Isaac Miller Wm Barber
 Thomas Kelly thire are all

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an field My Past address is
 Stewberne Ct.
 E. W. Carpenter James ^{his} + Flowers
 of Schellky mark

also personally appeared before me
 Willis Elliott age 17 years residents
 of James City Ct. who being duly
 sworn according to Law stat that el on
 acquainted with James Flowers and appls
 care for annualid pension and know
 the said James Flowers to be the
 identical of that name who enlisted
 as Volunteer as a private in Co H 34
 regt U S C Y who was discharge at
 Raleigh Ct. the 12 day of Feb 1864
 by reason of time of service was
 expired that said James Flowers
 while in the line of his duty at
 near Stewberne Ct. 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 side and at Chap
 -ans farm Pa he was taken deep
 cold and cough and hoarseness and
 cold on the lungs call lung disease
 and Rheumatism in left side by
 exposure and cold el know this
 by reason of el was a private and
 Cook of the company and had

to carry the Soldier something
to eat when he was down sick
with Diarrhea and Piles and the
Internment 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
Rheumatism the Claimant was
under treatment of Doctor in
fall of 1865 at Melton etc and
Goldsbarro etc and since he has
been discharged he has continued to
suffer with Left Hip and have
drag left foot and complains
of his back & visits flows and
know that he had to travel he
was so bad off address is
James City etc

E. W. Carpenter
G. F. Schelky

his
Willis G. Elliott
mark

and also and affidavit made by
Isaac Miller as a bond

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 K 37 regt U S A
at Stenborne etc on about
Sept 5 1864 and also was

well and personally acquainted
 with James Flowers 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 untill on
 about the fall of 1864 at near
 Stanbourn Ct at Butlers Barrecks
 at 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 Chapins farm
 Va and there we stayed for about
 two months drilling and on
 the march from Chapins farm
 to Harrisons Landing we was
 hit in a snow storm and
 having no tents we was expose
 to the weather and the salinient
 James Flowers taken a deep cold
 and complain of a headache
 and cold on the lungs and
 also complain of Rheumatism
 after that and continued to com-
 -plain all through service and
 at times he was useless from
 duty and treated by the Surgeon
 Doctor and since he have been
 dischargd from service and 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 husiness 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 can 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 Kelly
 Jarvis Baley Mark

and articles of agreement sent
 all went with 2 Dr Oct 21 1892

James Flowers Dr Serfs
 of State of North Carolina County
 of Curran claim for medical
 services of James Flowers
 printed as to it by Sgt as by person
 ally appeared before me Dr Francis
 Duffy Critson of New Bern N.C.
 who being duly sworn according to
 law declares as follows that he is
 practicing physician and has been
 practitioner of medicine for 15
 years and that he has been employed
 with this Soldier for about 2 years
 and that he was personally examined
 him to which this is the

Supplement of Francisco Duffey
 state that my attention has been call
 to the case of James G. Lovers and
 applican for pension when I exam
 ined on a former occasion his disab
 ilitis are not real than was exactly
 ascribed in his application for
 pension is not ruptured I has no
 mania curt has disabilities in that
 respect having Hydrocul as refered to
 in my former Examination my former
 relating of one my disabilities is
 now practicable increasing and I think
 is progressing on account of anema
 se in the longule and Bronchitis
 disease refered to in former examina
 -ation

Francis Duffey
 Esq. & Co. Dr. West

also personally appeared Linster Dr
 ffey who have ben practicing
 medicine fare years and have
 ben acquainted with James G. Lovers
 4 or 7 years and that I have sold
 him medicine while in the druge
 business and since entering the prac
 -ice of medicine I have ben his
 attending Physicians I have kept
 I have kept no special record of
 his count but I 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 vertifical yinun sin
 it thinks in April 1890 some of
 his diseases of which I write
 them are greatly aggravated mainly
 Bronchus Respiration Rhumatic
 troubles and he is at times
 a very great sufferer and is not
 able to do labor in my opinion
 he is unfit for manual labor
 to the extent of two thirds

Tenberne Dr Linster Duffey

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 printed
 of Co of 2d Regt N S C Cav on this
 20 day of Sept Oct 1892 Personally ap-
 peared before me Stephen Scott
 age 54 years resident of Tuscaroras
 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 Scott 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 Bl
 sedge plantation an about eight miles
 north of Kingston N.C. she left sur-
 viving the following name children
 to wit. Jacob Tucker now near Kin-
 borne N.C. and Samuell 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 pass
 Graner County N.C. Sumner Tucker
 Died at Washington N.C. fifteen years
 ago Joseph Tucker half blood now
 Washington Beaufort County N.C.
 Eligha Tucker died in summer of
 1854 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 Japhia Tucker then farmer
 or more 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 river about 8 miles
 from Kingston N.C. and the

married brother and sisters
 are the only legal heirs of the
 Saldier now living and of
 do not know whether Mary
 of Tucker and Sarah of Tucker
 and William Tucker are living
 or not and I have not seen
 or heard from them but one
 Since I heard Sarah and
 William died on their way
 to Tenn before the war this
 is all I know about the case
 I have no interest in said
 claim and am no relation to
 the claimant my Post adds
 is Susanna Craven Co of
 witness
 E. W. Carpenter Stephen Deat
 Sent Oct the 22 1892

Claim of Ellen Crooms
 Stat of North Carolina County
 of Craven in matter of original jurisdiction
 claim etc 365914 of Ellen Crooms
 Defendant Brother of Henry Grady died
 late of Co H 25 regt U S I an this
 22 day of Oct 1892 personally appeared
 before me Simon Laflon age 52 years
 resident of Newbern 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
 raised in Craven County an other

Danrills plantation near Trenton
 et. c. and on about May or June
 of D. 1862 et and my Brother Henry
 Grady left our owners plantation
 et. come to Stenberg et. c. and we
 both enlisted private of Co H 35
 Regt U. S. I of my brother Henry Grady
 was born and raise in Kingston
 et. c. and when he enlisted he
 come from Kingston et. c.
 and met me at Stenberg et. c.
 and we both enlisted on about
 May or June 1862. in Co H 35 regt
 U. S. I and et served in the same
 company. with Henry Grady up
 untill he died he was struck by a
 limb at the battle of Shiloh Fla
 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 Penitentiary
 and he never did get any
 letter he continued to grow worse
 and worse all the while and could not
 do duty and at Summers Hill S. C.
 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
 Crow who died 3 day of July 1881
 and he left et dependant brother

Allen Croome who was born on
 or about the 14 day of December 1840
 his mother died when he was at
 Ducklin baby and Henry Grady the
 Souldier would see Mary to look out
 for the Claimant up untill the Souldier
 did the Souldier was not fully grown
 and he sent his many home to
 his father for his little Brother the
 Claimant the Souldiers Father was
 a very old man when he died
 he was 88 hundred and eight years
 old and it would further state the
 father never did make any application
 for pension or bounty and was all
 belong to diffrent men before
 the war it belong to the Croomes
 and my Father belong to the
 Croomes and Henry Croome 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 Croome
 Past add is at Roberson St.
 Ewd carpenter Simon Lafton
 J. S. Palmer

Sent Oct 25 1892

Stat of North Carolina County of
 Craven. In matter of original jurisdic-
 tion claim to \$354.85 of Mary
 A Boswell widow of Jesse J Boswell late
 of Co H 1st Regt of C. Vals.
 on this 21 day Oct 1892 personally
 appeared before me as D L Taylor, age
 26 years Resident of near Harlock
 Craven Co etc well known to be respect-
 able 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 dead 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 are in upon the hands of charity
 and she are sick and helpless as and
 infant and requires the assistance of another
 person she complains of humors 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 of subjed
of charity and very 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 past address is
Harlock etc

witness

D. L. Taylor

E. wearhunter

Jannis Riley

Sept Oct 29 1892

State of North Carolina County of
Cowan in the matter of original pension
No 282988 of Mary Vanniel widow of
Julius Vanniel died late of Co H 1st
regt U S I on this 21 day of Oct at
1892 personally appeared before me
Mary Vanniel age 30 years of residence
of Tenbourn Cowan 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 grew that wound
of left arm and said Rheumatism
resulted in to heart disease and my
husband grewed worse and worse
up until he died on the 28 day

and raise in Glyd County etc and
 et becom acquainted farther Williams
 long before the late war we was raise
 up children in Glydy Co etc we
 was raise on farming 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 et did not
 see him any more 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 seven
 years after Discharg 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 green 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 at
 present more and are now upon
 the hands of charity and he has
 to be halled from place to place
 and he are weak and unable to do

at Paints of rock Va. on the day of 1845
 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 of 1842 that the above
 named are the only surviving legitimate
 children of the Saldier P. Boon
 who were 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
 births of the said children
 John Boon of Saldier by Kittie Boon
 born Oct 25 1855 and Elizabeth
 Boon born Nov 10 1854 and
 Aliver 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 of
 1861 and hereby appointed with
 full power and revocation of
 Rick Douglass of number my
 true and lawful attorney to
 present the above claim
 Esquire John Boon
 John M Hill
 and
 and trasea mater, for memorial
 was present and saw John Boon
 sign his name all sent Oct 29
 and articles of agreement

Certificate of discharge of Dowdson
 Macleod 5th Aug the 5 1892

on this 17 day of Aug 1892
 Mrs. Kelda Swetts promises to
 give the sum of 10 dollars to Mr.
 John Swenters when her claim
 is settled
 witness
 C. C. Co.

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

State of North Carolina County of
 Craven on this 29 day of Oct 1892
 personally appeared before me Tablet-
 Williams age 51 years resident of near
 New Bern etc who being duly sworn
 according to law declares he is a pensioner
 of the U S enrolled at Knottville Tenn
 pension agency at the rate of 8 dollars
 per month Cert # 791442 by reason
 of Rheumatism and injury of back and
 addonsans and facial and muscles.
 Contracted while in the U S Army
 that he was a private of in Co E
 14 regt U S C of Arty that he believes
 him self 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 therefore
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
-one resulted in to heart disease and
he suffers with neuralgia of the
head and he are total disable to do
any thing helpless 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 H. H. and his factor
who was present and saw Tablet Williams
sing his name to this declaration

[Faint, illegible handwriting, likely bleed-through from the reverse side of the page.]

finished up Oct the 29 1892

