

State of Pennsylvania
County of Adams J. S. S.

On this 6th day of January 1849
personally appeared before me the Prothonotary of the
Court of Common Pleas of Adams County aforesaid,
The Landis D. Hunsicker a resident of Gettysburg in the
County of Adams aforesaid aged thirty four years or
thereabouts, who being first duly sworn according
to Law, hath on her oath made the following de-
-claration in order to obtain the benefit of the
provisions made by the second section of the act
of Congress increasing the term of widow and
children's appraisals July 25. 1846: That she is the
widow of Wm. Hunsicker who was a Sergeant in
Co. G 15th Reg. N. York. 20th in the war of 1811,
and that by reason of his death in the service
aforesaid, she has been granted a pension of
Eight dollars per month in accordance with a
Certificate Number 74.221 bearing date June
5. 1846. She further declares that she has the
following named children of her deceased
husband under sixteen years of age who are
now living, the dates of whose births were as
given below, to wit:
Franklin Hunsicker born April 10. 1855
Alice B. Hunsicker " March 30. 1857
Ferdinand Hunsicker " January 17. 1859
She further declares that she has not remarried
since the death of her said husband & ever has

She acknowledged the receipt of any one of the children above named and permitted any one of the same to be adopted by any other person or persons as she, her or their child.

My Parl. office address is as follows
Betty Ann Adams Esq. Penn.

Part. The children... in the state
of the State of Maryland
Ten and a more before signing
of 1772-1780-1781-1782

Philinda B. Thomas

Also personally appeared Robert B. Wrenning and Mark W. Stigwell residents of Adams County Penn persons whom I certify to be respectable and creditable & credit, and who being by me duly sworn say that they were present and saw Philinda B. Thomas in sign her name to the foregoing declaration; and they further swear that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of the applicants and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be, and that they have no interest in the presentation of this claim.

R B Wrenning
M Stigwell

Deem to and subscribed before me this 6th day of June
- 1789 and I hereby certify that I have no
interest, direct or indirect in the prosecution
of this claim, witness my hand and the
seal of said Court the date above written.
Jas. M. Mehan .. P⁵⁰

Declarations are required to be made before a Court of Record, or before some officer of such Court duly authorized to administer oaths, and having custody of its seal. Testimony may be taken before a Justice of the Peace, or other officer having the authority to administer oaths; but in no case will any evidence be received that is verified before an officer who is concerned in prosecuting the claim, or has a material interest therein.

Also, personally appeared J. S. Bell and Frank Weston residents of Smithport Pa. who being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Fredonia A. Harrison sign her name to the foregoing declaration; and they further swear that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the applicant, and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

J. S. Bell
Witness.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this Eight day of June A. D. 1864
and I hereby certify that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

John Mackinick, Jr.

I hereby authorize M. H. Williams of Smithport Pa. my Agent and Attorney in fact, to present the foregoing claim, and to receive and receipt for, in my name and stead, the money, certificate, or warrant payable under it.

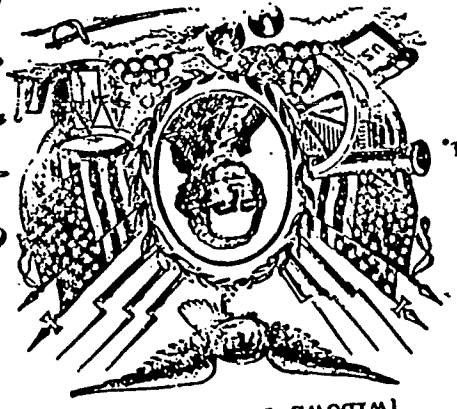
Fredonia A. Harrison
Witness.

State of Pennsylvania }
County of McKean } 88.
Personally appeared Fredonia A. Harrison whose name is signed to the foregoing Power of Attorney; and acknowledged the same to be her free and voluntary act, for the purposes therein named.

Wm. H. Brown
Attorney at Law

Specify the time, place, and cause of the death of the husband. Also, if the widow has remarried, and again become a widow, the fact must be stated.

THE STATE OF Pennsylvania }
County of Chester } ss.



WIDOWS ARMY PENSION.

On this 27th day of June
A. D. 1864, personally appeared before
me John H. ...

of the County of Delaware, State of Delaware,
Phyllis A. ... a resident of

in the County of Delaware and State of Delaware,
aged thirty three years, who being first duly sworn according to

law, doth on her oath make the following declaration, in order to obtain the benefit of the provision
made by the Act of Congress, approved July 31st, 1862, that she is the widow of Anna

Ammon who was in Company A,
commanded by Capt. Thomas ... in the 9th Regiment of

Delaware Infantry, in the year of 1861, who was killed at the
battle of Gettysburg, about the second day of July

A. D. 1863, and died from the effects of a gun shot wound received
at the hands of the enemy when in battle

at the hands of the enemy when in battle. She further declares that she was married to the said Anna Ammon
the above said Anna Ammon on the fourth day of July
and that she has remained a widow ever since that period, as will more fully appear by reference to
the proof here annexed. She also declares that she has not, in any manner, been engaged in, or

aided or abetted the rebellion in the UNITED STATES.

Phyllis A. ...

No. 1

No. 154 N.Y.

Quoted of *Journal*

Corp., Co. C, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Sept 27 to Oct 31, 1861*

Present or absent

Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

Springfield
Copyist (858)

No. 154 N.Y.

Journal

Corp., Co. C, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Nov 1 Dec 1, 1861*

Present or absent

Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

Springfield
Copyist (858)

154 | N.Y.

Amos Bennett

Sgt. Co. B, 154 Regt N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Amos Bennett*, 1863.

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: From 'from Co's Jan' 25/63 in place of 'Sergeant' & 'Master' from 'Co's'.

Book mark:

Amos Bennett (858) Copyist

154 | N.Y.

Amos Bennett

Sgt. Co. C, 154 Regt N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Amos Bennett*, 1863.

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

Amos Bennett (858) Copyist

154 | N.Y.

Amos Bennett

Sgt. Co. B, 154 Regt N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on Special Muster Roll

for *Amos Bennett*, 1863.

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: From 'from Co's' 25/63 in place of 'Sergeant' & 'Master' from 'Co's'.

Book mark:

Amos Bennett (859) Copyist

154 N.Y.

154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for July 24th 1863

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Missing in action

at Gettysburg

Book mark:

(868) Copy of ...

154 N.Y.

154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Nov 24th 1863

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

(868) Copy of ...

154 N.Y.

154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Descriptive Book

of the organization named above.

DESCRIPTION.

Age 32 years; height 5 feet 7 inches.

Completion 18th

Eyes Blue; hair Black

Where born Warsaw, N.Y.

Occupation Harness Maker

ENLISTMENT.

When July 26, 1862

Where Gettysburg

By whom A. H. ... term 3 yrs.

Remarks: ...

Gettysburg July 1863

(882g) Copy of ...

154 N.Y.

154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Sept 24th 1863

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Missing in action

Gettysburg July 1863

(868) Copy of ...

% 154 N.Y.

Quind's Battalion

Co. B, 154 Reg't N.Y. Infantry.

Age 27 years

Appears on

Company Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Muster-in to date

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When July 26, 1862

Where July 26, 1862

Period 3 years

Remarks:

Book mark:

Copy of [Signature] (866)

86 154 N.Y.

Amos's Battalion +

Sgt. Co. B, 154 Reg't New York Inf.

Appears on Returns as follows:

July 1863, for: July 16, 1863, Hottel's Co.

Aug. 1863, from marching in

action Aug 11/63, Amos's

and

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Bird. At Hottel's

Battle July 1, 1863 ascending

at present information

Book mark:

Copy of [Signature] (843)

86 154 N.Y.

Amos's Battalion

Sgt. Co. C, 154 Reg't N.Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for [Signature] 1862.

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Last settled, 186 ; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U.S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U.S. for arms, equipments, etc., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 25 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: Killed in action

at Hottel's Co. Aug 1, 1863

Book mark:

Copy of [Signature] (868)

86 154 N.Y.

Amos's Battalion

Sgt. Co. B, 154 Reg't N.Y. Infantry.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

for [Signature] 1865.

Muster-out to date

Last paid to

Glothing account:

Last settled, 186 ; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U.S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U.S. for arms, equipments, etc., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 25 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: Killed in action

at Hottel's Co. Aug 1, 1863

Book mark:

Copy of [Signature] (861)

Reim. Sec.
Bl. of Nev.

FJR - WEL

February 4, 1914.

Miss Alice E. Humiston,
Box 14 East Sufrey,
Cheshire County, New Hampshire.

Madam:

Referring to your claim for reimbursement in the case of Phillinda B. Humiston, now Barnes, widow's certificate No. 74,921, you are advised that from your application submitted it appears that Dr. Lawrence B. Hetch attended the pensioner during her last illness and it will be necessary to furnish an itemized bill from this physician.

You should also furnish bills covering the livery charges and cemetery expenses, if there were any. If there were no livery charges or cemetery expenses, the facts should be stated and fully explained. Each bill presented should contain the name of the pensioner, and show over the signature of the creditor by whom paid, or if unpaid, that you are held responsible for payment.

The enclosed certificate should be signed by W. F. Delighton the undertaker, and returned to this Bureau.

Very respectfully,

E. W. SALTZGABER.

Commissioner.

East Jaffrey, N. H. Jan. 20, 1914

Pension Department for Reimbursement.

Gentlemen:—

Hereln enclosed please find papers relating to the accrued pension of Phillinda B. Humiston (Barnes) Certificate number 74921. I ask only reimbursement for burial expenses as the amount due at the time of her death would not cover even these, and as there was absolutely nothing to make any charge against as the pension was all she had and that was used toward her living expenses. She was a semi-invalid for more than thirty years, and helpless since Dec. 1, 1912, requiring constant watchfulness and care, all of which I gave her. I am only asking for what was rightfully her due until her death November 18, 1913, and trust you will see the matter in the same light I do. If there is anything further you would like to know I shall be glad to tell you to the best of my ability. There are plenty who would be perfectly willing to swear to the truthfulness of this letter.

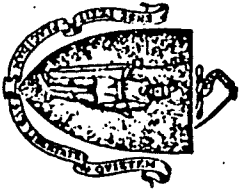
Respectfully yours,

Oliver E. Humiston



Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PENSION DEPARTMENT,
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.



AFFIDAVIT.

State of ~~Massachusetts~~,
Pennytown } ss.

County of Waltham

In the matter of the claim for

Revolutions Soldiers Pension of 174921

of Paulinda D. Barnes former widow of

Amos Humble

of Company B, 154 Regiment New York Vols.:

Personally came before me, a Prothonotary in and for

aforesaid County and State, George Emworth aged 74, and

Abner Emworth aged 68, resident of Waltham

in the County of Waltham, State of Massachusetts, who being

duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid claim, as follows:—

*That we have known this claimant since July and
1849 years respectively and we know of Justice
Smith, he whom she was married previous
to her marriage to Amos Humble, the
marriage taking place April 17, 1850.
He Justice Smith died in 1851.
We also know that she has not remarried since
him.*

*We also know that she has no property of
any kind whaters, she has no income and
we are in legally bound for her support.
She is wholly dependent upon herself.
She is just in receipt of any U. S
Pension.*

*We also know Amos Humble and that
claimant was married from him.
We also know Amos Barnes and that claimant
was never married from him.
We further declare that we have no interest in said claim, and are not concerned
in its prosecution.*

AMOS BARNES

Agent's Signature,

Geo. Bonsworth

P. O. Address,

Waltham Pa

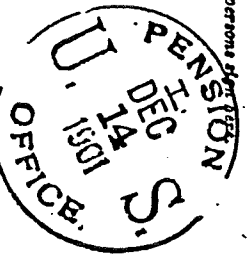
Agent's Signature,

Abner Emworth

P. O. Address,

Waltham Pa

Alert—when any agent signs as next two persons sign



Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

PENSION DEPARTMENT,
STATE HOUSE, BOSTON.



AFFIDAVIT.

State of Massachusetts,

County of

In the matter of the claim for Provision John's Pension No 74921.
of Philinda B Barnes former widow of

Amos Hornum

Yols:

of Company B, 15th Regiment Stevs for the in and for
Arthur Public

Personally came before me, Philinda B Barnes and
aforesaid County and State, Philinda B Barnes resident of Cambridge
State of Mass, who being

in the County of Hoyden, State of

duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid claim, as follows:—

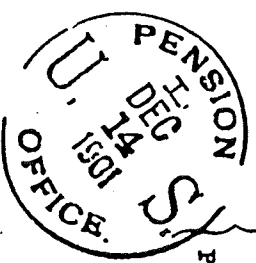
That she is the claimant above named and that she and the soldier Amos Hornum were both married and she was married to said Amos Barnes Oct 26 1869. She died at Shirley Mass at Ellington she is now a widow and not indigent Feb 12 1881. That she does not own any part of any U & Pension. That she has no dependency of any description. She has no income and is dependent upon her small and she is dependent upon her small. That she had from this date married prior to her marriage to the soldier having been married to the soldier April 17 1850 - she died in the year 1851. That Amos Hornum was married prior to his marriage to her. Amos Hornum in 1855 that she first knew Amos Hornum in and she knew him did not see me and she knew him to July 26 1862. That she knew or knew prior to this U & Army or Army prior to this

~~no interest in said claim and not concerned~~

~~in its prosecution.~~

Philinda B Barnes
P. O. Address, 25 Mt Pleasant St Cambridge

Amos's Signature:



[OVER.]

East Jaffrey, N. H. Feb. 4, 1914

Pension Department for Reimbursement,

Gentlemen:—

Referring to the claim for reimbursement in the case of Phillinda B. Humiston, nee Barnes, widow's certificate # 74921 in reply to your letter of February 4th will say that Dr. Lawrence Hatch made no charge for visiting my mother in her last sickness as he succeeded to the practice of my brother who died Dec. 30, 1912, and as in this part of the country no doctor ever makes a charge against the family of a brother doctor be he living or dead. Also the town of Jaffrey makes no charge of cemetery expenses to any one.

Regarding the livery charges you will see that all those bills are made out to Mr. Leighton, the undertaker, who holds me responsible in the final bill, but I inclose the livery bills. He also pays the singers. The rest of the charge belongs to him. All these charges are itemized in his bill which you have. Here the undertaker furnishes everything and holds the person who is responsible for his bill. I inclose the statement which you wished Mr. Leighton to sign. Trusting I have made everything clear, I am

Respectfully yours,

Alice E. Humiston

State of New York }
Tioga County } ss.

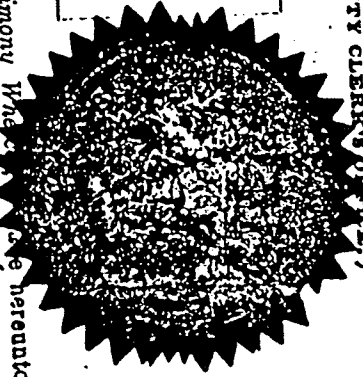
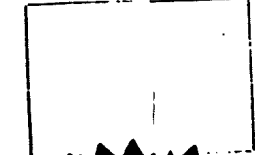
Be it known that before me personally appeared
Marris Annistaw, John R. Whitley and Sarah H. Annistaw
and being by me severally and duly sworn, that each
for himself appears and say, that on the fourth day of
July in the year 1854 at the House of Marris Annistaw
in the town of Concord in said County, they were present
and witnessed the marriage of Susan Annistaw to
Phillips Smith, and that the said marriage was solemnized
and performed by Rev. Dr. Brooks a Minister of the N. &
Church, their Stationer at Concord of said County and that
said deponents, among others, were present and witnessed
said marriage as forsworn; and that they have no interest
in said claim

John R. Whitley
Sarah A. Annistaw

Swants are subscribed before me this 27th day of
April in the year 1866, and I further certify that the
above named persons are legal persons, and
that I have no interest in the matter.
James L. Baragon, Justice of the Peace

State of New York,
Tioga County Clerk's Office.

ss.



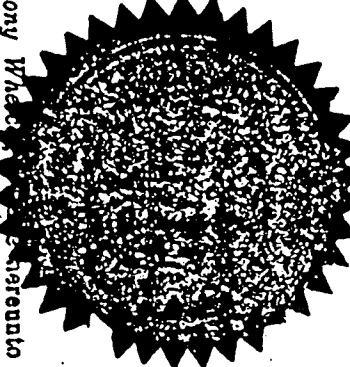
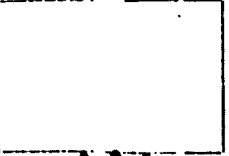
I, HORACE A. BROOKS, Clerk of said County, and of the
County Court thereof, and one of the Clerks of the Supreme
Court of said State, Courts of Record, do hereby certify that,
... Esq.,
whose name is subscribed to the first of the annexed affidavits,
was, at the date of said jurat, a Justice of the Peace,
in and for said County, duly commissioned and sworn, and au-
thorized by the laws of said State to administer oaths and take
and certify affidavits; that I am well acquainted with his hand-
writing, and verily believe that his signature to said jurat is
his genuine signature; and that said affidavit and jurat are in
due form, and in accordance with the said laws of said State,
County, at Owego, this ... day of ... 1866

Horace A. Brooks, Clerk.

State of New York)
County of)
John A. ...
Dated this 18th day of June 1865

dearly beloved, depones & says that
he is a member of the N. E.
Church, and was such etc.
upon on the 4th day of July 1853.
which on the 4th day of July
1853 he duly united in
Circus Herminston and Plaintiff.
I, with at Carver in
County of Cayuga according to
the terms of said church
and the laws of the State of
New York, and that he
list of his name in record
of the marriage ~~record~~ has
been ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~record~~
Bishop, W. E. ...
Justice of the Peace

State of New York,
TIoga COURT CLERK'S OFFICE }
SS.



In Testimony Whereof, I, the Clerk of the County, at Oswego, this ... day of ... 1865

I, HORACE A. BROOKS, Clerk of said County, and of the
County Court thereof, and one of the Clerks of the Supreme
Court of said State, Courts of Record, do hereby certify that,
... Esq.,
whose name is subscribed to the jurat of the annexed affidavit,
was, at the date of said jurat, a Justice of the Peace
in and for said County, duly commissioned and sworn, and au-
thorized by the laws of said State to administer oaths and take
and certify affidavits; that I am well acquainted with his hand-
writing, and verily believe that his signature to said jurat is
his genuine signature; and that said affidavit and jurat are in
due form, and in accordance with the said laws of said State.

Subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of said Courts and
County, at Oswego, this 18th day of June 1865
H. A. Brooks, Clerk