

No. 147, 5 112 '16

DECLARATION FOR WIDOW'S PENSION

ACT OF APRIL 19, 1908.—AMENDED BY ACT OF SEPTEMBER 8, 1916.

State of Maryland, City County of Baltimore, 99:

Justice of the Peace day of August, 1917, personally appeared before me, a Mary A. Freeman within and for the County and State aforesaid,

who, being duly sworn by me according to law, declares that she is 75 years of age and that she was born March 8th 1842 at Baltimore City

That she is the widow of James H. Freeman, who enlisted March 31st 1864 at Baltimore Maryland under the name of James H. Freeman as a First Sergeant in Company G. Thirty Ninth Regiment U. S. C. I. (Here state company and regiment, if in the Army; or vessels, if in the Navy.)

and was honorably discharged December 4th 1865, having served ninety days or more during the Civil War.

That he also served

(Here give a complete statement of all other military, naval, or coast guard service, if any, at whatever time rendered.)

That otherwise than as herein stated said soldier (or sailor) was not employed in the United States service.

That she was married to said soldier (or sailor) July 16th 1862 under the name of Mary A. Leaday at Baltimore Maryland, by Bishop Wayman C. M. E. Church

that she had not been previously married; that he had not been previously married.

(Here state all prior marriages of either, and give the names and dates and places of death or divorce of all former consorts.)

and that neither she nor said soldier (or sailor) was ever married otherwise than as stated above.

(If any former husband rendered military or naval service, here describe same and give number of any pension claim based thereon.)

That said soldier (or sailor) died August 4th 1917, at Baltimore Maryland; that she was not divorced from him; and that she has not remarried since his death.

That the following are the only children of the soldier (or sailor) who are now living and under sixteen years of age, namely: 3 children youngest 2 years old

(If he left no children, the claimant should so state.)
born _____, 1 _____, at _____
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That the above-named child _____ of the soldier (or sailor) { is } now receiving a pension, and that such child { are } member _____ of her family and _____ cared for by her.

That she has not heretofore applied for pension, the number of her former claim being _____; that said soldier (or sailor) was _____ a pensioner, the number of his pension certificate being 552047

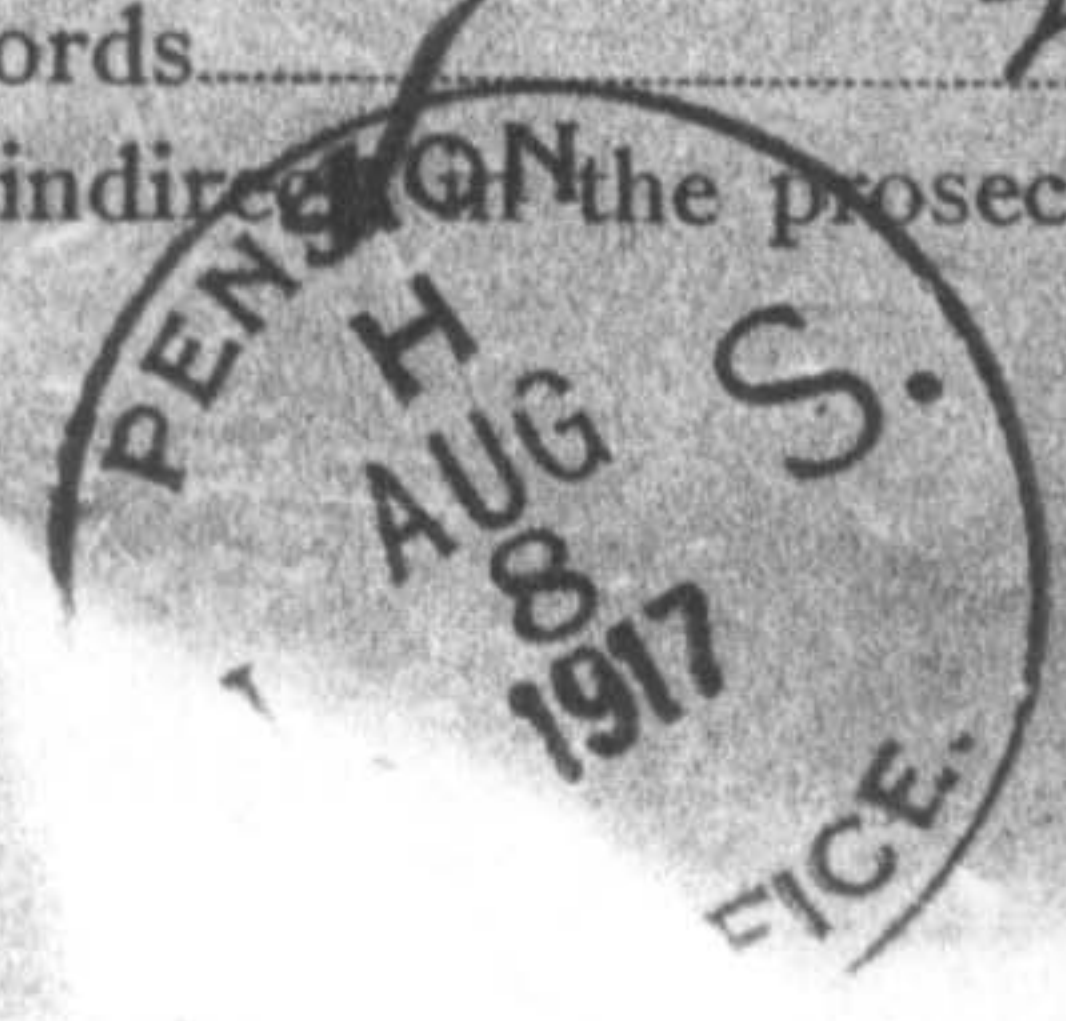
(Two attesting and identifying witnesses.)

(1) Mary Queen
1231 Edward Street
(Address of first witness.)

Mary A. Freeman
1231 Edward St
(Claimant's signature in full.)
(Claimant's address in full.)

(2) Chas. E. Leffen
619 Censor Street
(Signature of second witness.)
(Address of second witness.)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this Seventh day of August, 1917, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration were fully made known and explained to the applicant before swearing, including the words Rate erased, and the words nothing added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.



Edward W. Halbert
(Signature.)
Justice of the Peace
(Official character.)

(SEAL.)