[illegible], residing at [illegible], Md, and George Smith, residing at Balto Md, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, say they were present and saw Harriet Wesley claimant, sign her name (or make her mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and an acquaintance with her of 5 years and 6 years, respectively, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Her Harriet Wesley mark

1 William H. Greene

2 George W. + Smith for

(Signatures of Witnesses.)

SWORN to and subscribed before me this 23 day of January A. D. 1894

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words ,

[L. S.]

erased, and the words ,

added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

J. Magruder Tuhman

(Signature.)

Justice of the Peace

(Official Character.)

NOTE.—If Notary or Magistrate has no seal, the Clerk of Court must fill in here.

I, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that , Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this day of , 18.

[L. S.] Clerk of the

The Act of June 27, 1890, REQUIRES, in widow's case:

1. That the soldier served at least NINETY DAYS in the War of the Rebellion and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED.
2. Proof of soldier's death (death cause need not have been due to Army service).
3. That widow is "without other means of support than her daily labor."
4. That widow was married to soldier prior to June 27, 1890, date of the Act
5. That all pensions under this act commence from date of receipt of application (executed after passage of act) in Pension Bureau.

Proofs. Feb. 9/94
and undersigned
9.3.7

[Form 5.]

ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

WIDOW'S CLAIM.

Claimant, Harriet Wesley

Soldier John Wesley

Service Co. E 39 Ills Inf

No. 1 25

PENSION OFFICE. U S D JAN 26 1894

ADDRESS:

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