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Claim No. 56310 of Widow Edw. A. Smith Co. C

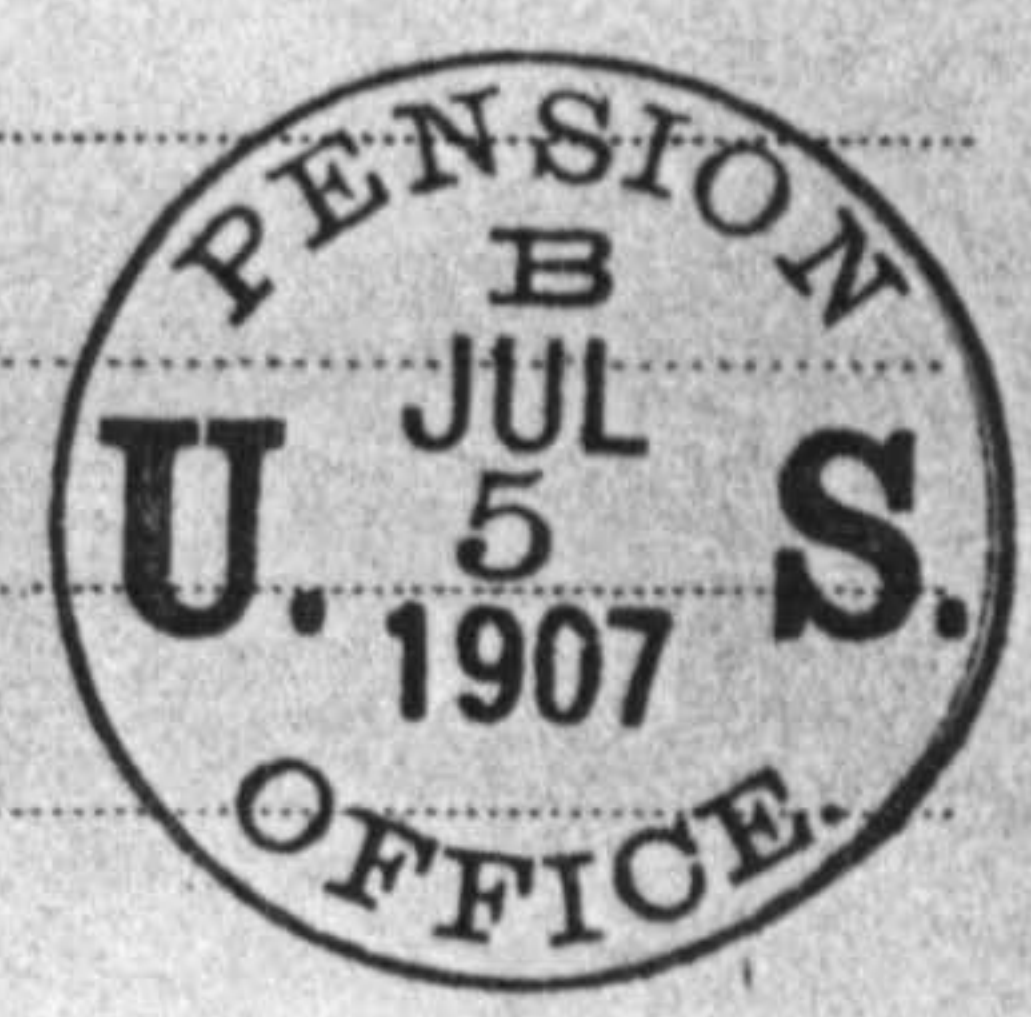
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On this day and date below written, personally appeared the affiant whose signature is hereto affixed and who being duly sworn according to law testified as follows:

"My name is Francis A. Hayes I am 64 years old, and

I reside in Baltimore, Md. at No. 1369 N. Calhoun Street.

I have known the claimant since childhood. She was married once & only once before she married the soldier Edward Smith. Her first husband whose name was Smith died about 1881. She was never divorced from Edward Smith, but lived with him till death separated them. He was married once and only once before he married the claimant. His first wife named Mary died shortly after he came back from the Army. I saw her dead body.



Witnesses to signature of affiant.

1 Herbert
2 Bonnie

~~I have no interest in this claim.~~
Francis A. Hayes
(Affiant sign here.)

STATE OF MARYLAND CITY OF BALTIMORE, ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant, and I certify that said affidavit was read to said affiant including the words _____ erased, and the words _____ added

and acquainted her with its contents before she executed the same. I further certify that I am

in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant* is a

credible person, this 3 day of July 1907

12 am

Gustav W. [Signature]
[Official Signature.]
Notary Public.

*If witness is personally known to the Notary as a credible person, he should so certify in his own handwriting.