

*J. G.*

[No. 7]

# Declaration for Pension or for Increase of Pension of Children Under Sixteen Years of Age.

State of Maryland, County of Somerset, ss:

ON THIS ninety eight day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. one thousand eight hundred

and ninety eight personally appeared before me \_\_\_\_\_ of the \_\_\_\_\_

aforesaid Charles H. Brooks **COURT OF RECORD** within and for the County and State \_\_\_\_\_  
(If application is made through guardian insert name of guardian, adding "guardian of," and then give names of minors. If minors apply in their own names insert names of claimants.)

resident of Crisfield, County of Somerset, State

of Maryland aged 35 years, respectively, who, being

duly sworn according to law, make the following declaration in order to obtain the pension provided by Act of Congress for children under sixteen years of age. That they are the legitimate children of James D. Brooks

who 1 enlisted under the name of James D. Brooks at \_\_\_\_\_

2 on the 26 day of October A. D. 1863

as a Corporal in Co G 9th US C.

in the war of the Rebellion, who died 3 April 21, 1867

at Old Point Comfort Va. on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 18

and who bore at the time of his death the rank of \_\_\_\_\_ in 4

that he left a widow surviving 5 who died in 1878

that the above-named is are the only surviving legitimate children of James D. Brooks

who were under sixteen years of age at the time of his death, of whom 6

that said children were the issue of soldier, as follows, the dates of their birth being as herein after stated:

\_\_\_\_\_ of soldier by \_\_\_\_\_, born \_\_\_\_\_ 18

Chas. H. of soldier by Sarah Brooks, born March 18 1863

\_\_\_\_\_ of soldier by \_\_\_\_\_, born \_\_\_\_\_ 18

\_\_\_\_\_ of soldier by \_\_\_\_\_, born \_\_\_\_\_ 18

\_\_\_\_\_ of soldier by \_\_\_\_\_, born \_\_\_\_\_ 18

\_\_\_\_\_ of soldier by \_\_\_\_\_, born \_\_\_\_\_ 18

\_\_\_\_\_ of soldier by \_\_\_\_\_, born \_\_\_\_\_ 18

That the mother was married under the name of Sarah Dugge

to 8 James D. Brooks, there being no

legal barrier to such marriage; that the said children have not aided or abetted the rebellion; and that \_\_\_\_\_ prior application has been filed 9

\_\_\_\_\_ that declarant hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_ with full power of substitution

and revocation H. D. Berlin of Washington, D. C.

his attorney to prosecute the above claim; that his Post Office address is Crisfield, Somerset Co. Md.

ATTY FILED.

Amos Henderson  
E. F. Gurby  
(Two persons who can write sign here.)

Charles H. Brooks  
(Signature of claimant.) 10

