

on the 20th day of October 1880, there being no legal barrier to such marriage, and nor her husband had been previously married ⁴

that she has to the present date remained his widow; that the following are the names and dates of birth of all his legitimate children yet surviving who were under sixteen years of age at the father's death, to wit: There were no children born to him

HIS BY HERSELF.

HIS BY A FORMER MARRIAGE.

born _____, 18	born _____, 18
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That she has not abandoned ⁵ support of any one of his children, but that they are still ⁵ maintenance

that she has not in any manner been engaged in, or aided or abetted, the rebellion in the United States; that no prior application has been filed ⁶ by her number 227,082

that she hereby appoints Lewis H. Hollister 322 Bay Ridge her attorney to prosecute her claim; that her residence is No. 348 Latrobe street, Baltimore, Md. and that her post office address is as above given.

(Attest.)

P. Lawrence
G. Reinhart

Emeline Golley
(Claimant's signature.)

Also personally appeared Maria Pratt residing at No. 211 in S. Howard street, in Baltimore, and Shadrach H. Hill residing at No. 171 in Bay street, in Baltimore, persons whom I ^{bevere} to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Emeline Golley the claimant, sign her name (make her mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant 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.

P. Lawrence
G. Reinhart

Maria Pratt
J. M. Hill
(Signatures of witnesses.)

SWORN to and subscribed before me this seventeenth day of January, A. D. 1880, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c. were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words "in trust" and "city" added, and the words "sign her name" added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

W. A. Campbell
(Signature.)
Deputy Clerk, Superior Court
(Official character.)

1 State company and regiment, if in army; or vessel and rank, if in navy.
2 State nature of wounds and all circumstances attending them, or the disease and manner in which it was incurred, in either case showing soldier's death to have been the sequence.
3 "In the service aforesaid," or otherwise.
4 If either have been previously married, so state, and give date of death or divorce of former spouse.
5 For such children as are not under her care claimant should account.
6 If prior application has been filed, either by soldier or widow, so state, giving number assigned to it.