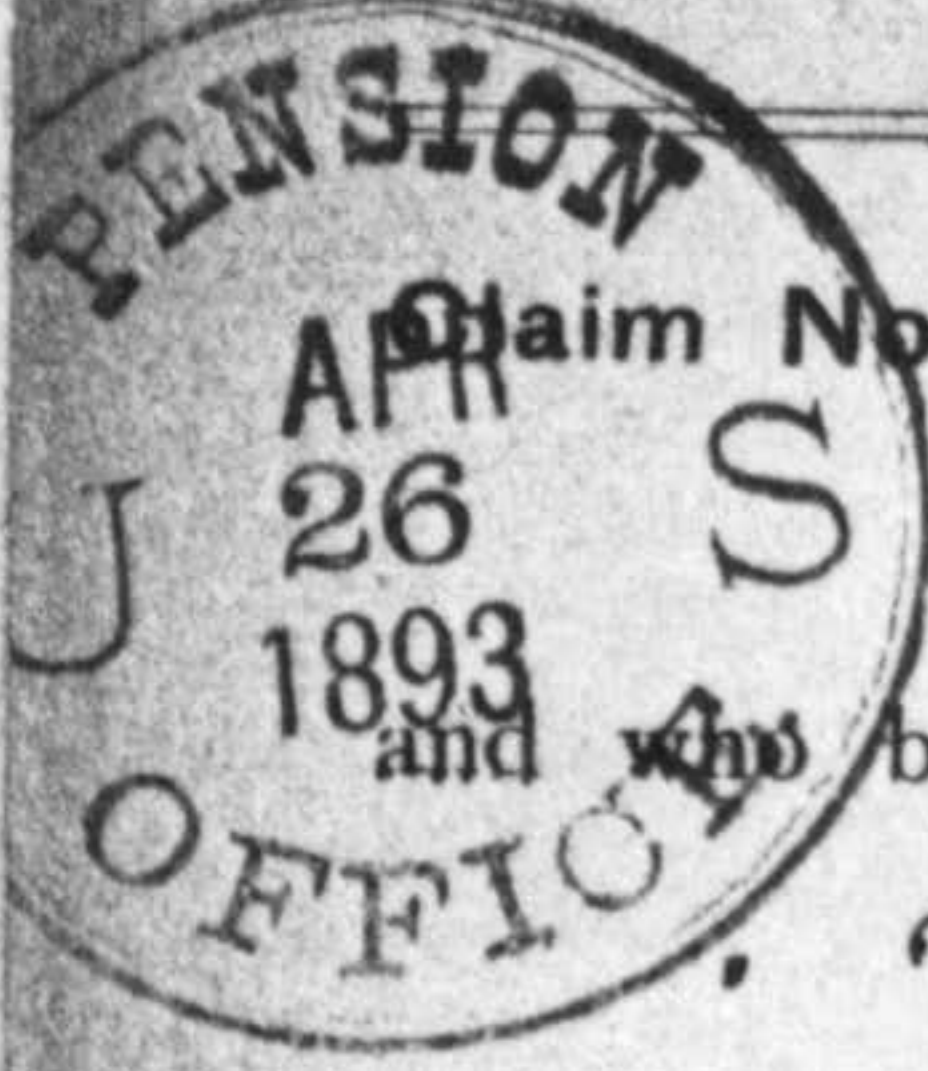


JACKET NO.

16295

Law Office of A. PARLETT LLOYD, S. E. Cor. St. Paul and Saratoga Streets, Baltimore, Md.



Claim No. 577 of Rachel Brooks and Leona Co. "E" 19 Regiment.

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 age is 35 years, I reside in Baltimore, Md., at No. 404 Ellaw Road Street,

This is to certify that I do positively know that the claimant has never remarried nor cohabited with any man since the death of the soldier. I also know that she owns no property whatsoever and is wholly dependent upon her daily labor for support.

I have known claimant for 25 years on most intimate terms - I therefore know whereof I speak



I have no interest in this claim.

[Signature]

George Anna Welch

(If witness sign by mark, two persons who can write, sign here.)

State of Maryland, Baltimore City, Ss;

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this 20 day of April 1893, and I certify that the contents of the foregoing were fully made known and explained to affiant above named, (whom I certify to be credible) before his making oath thereto and I have no interest in prosecution of this claim.

Wit J.P.

[Signature] JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.