

Act of June 27, 1890, as Amended by Act of May 9, 1900.

DECLARATION FOR WIDOW'S PENSION.

State of Maryland, County of Calvert, ss:

On this 23 day of October, A.D., one thousand nine hundred and five personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace within and for the county and State aforesaid, Rebecca F. Coates, aged 49 years, a resident of Hallville, County of Calvert State of Md., who, being duly sworn according to law, makes the following declaration in order to obtain pension under the provisions of the act of Congress approved June 27, 1890, as amended by Act of May 9, 1900.

That she is the widow of William H. Coates, who was enrolled under the name of William H. Coates at Benedict on the Nov day of Nov, 1863 as a private in Co. D, 7 Reg't. U.S. 6 Inf. Vols. and honorably discharged Nov, 1866, having served ninety days or more during the late war of the rebellion. That the soldier was not in the military or naval service of the United States prior to Nov 1863 nor subsequent to Nov 1866 (If any other service it should be stated in full.)

That she was married under the name of Rebecca F. Lacey to said soldier at St. John Church on the 22 day of April, 1875, by Daniel Wheeler, that there was no legal barrier to the marriage that she had not been previously married; that the soldier had not been previously married (or not) (or not)

(If there was a prior marriage of either, the date and place of death or divorce of former consort or consorts should be stated.)

That the said soldier died, Sept 20, 1905, at Hallville Md; that she was not divorced from him; that she has not remarried since his death; and that she is without other means of support than her daily labor and an actual net income not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars per annum.

That the said soldier left the following-named children who are now living and under sixteen years of age, to wit: (If the soldier left no children, the claimant should so state.)

Thomas B. Coates born Jan 11, 1876, at Hallville Md.
Barbara L. Gray born Oct 17, 1879, at "
James H. Coates born Mar 22, 1882, at "
Josie Coates born June 4, 1885, at "
 born ", 18", at "
 born ", 18", at "

That she has not heretofore applied for pension. Soldier was a pensioner under 64 #1052790 on which it was based, and the name of the soldier should be stated, (If prior application has been made, the number thereof, the service)

That she hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

Wm. FLETCHER & CO., of Washington, D. C.,

her true and lawful attorneys, to prosecute this claim, and agrees to pay them a fee of Ten Dollars therefor.

That her Post Office address is Hallville (If in a city, give street and number of residence.)County of Calvert, State of MarylandATTEST: (1) Thos. W. Fische(2) M. B. GottRebecca F. Coates (Claimant's signature.)