

Certificate of Ordinary of the County of Applicant's Residence.

Form No. 3.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County of Wilkes in and for said County of Wilkes

I, W. H. Harrison Ordinary of the County of Wilkes State of Georgia, hereby certify that I am acquainted with Mrs. N. M. Armstrong the applicant for a pension in this case, and know, from my own knowledge, or from positive proof presented to me by reputable witnesses, that she resides in this County, and that she resided in the State of Georgia on December 23d, 1890, and has not lived out of the State since that date. I also certify that the witnesses whose testimony she presents to sustain her claim are known to me to be truthful witnesses, entitled to full faith and credit as such. I am fully satisfied that this claim is made in good faith, and that I have caused the applicant and the witnesses to read or hear read the proofs they sign.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office, this, the 7th day of April 1891.

SEAL

Ordinary.

Form No. 4.

NOTES.

- The pension is only payable to certain classes of widows.
- Those whose husbands were killed in service.
- Those whose husbands died in the army of wounds or disease contracted in the service.
- Those whose husbands went to the army and have never been heard from since the war.
- Those whose husbands were wounded in the army and have since died from the direct effects of the wounds.
- Those whose husbands contracted disease in the service, and who after the war, died of the disease caused by the service. The disease directly causing the death.
- No widow is entitled unless she was the wife of the soldier during the war, and has never remarried.
- The law does not provide for any one living out of the State of Georgia, or who did not live in the State at the date of the Act.
- The facts to establish a claim must be substantiated by the testimony of three witnesses who personally know of the enlistment of the husband and his death and the immediate cause of the death.
- Widows who have married since the service of their husbands in the army are not entitled.
- There is no need of employing a lawyer or other agent to attend to these claims. The Department will furnish full and specific instructions, and give ample opportunity to every claimant.
- If witnesses live in another County from that wherein applicant resides, they must go before the Ordinary and testify. The attestation of a Justice of the Peace or Notary will not answer.
- Fill out Power of Attorney authorizing some one who can call at Treasurer's office in Atlanta and receive the money, to receipt for same.
- Fill out the "direction" below Power of Attorney, so that your Agent will know where and how to send the money.
- By order of the Governor.

W. H. HARRISON,
Sec. Ex. Department.

Affidavit for Three Witnesses.

Form No. 2.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County of Barrow in person came before me, the undersigned Ordinary of the County of Barrow in and for said County, witnesses N. J. Collins, W. R. McMillan

and J. C. Wofford (each known to said Attesting Officer as truthful, reliable and reputable citizens), who severally say under oath, that, from their own personal knowledge, Mrs. N. M. Armstrong of the County of Barrow State of Georgia, is the widow of D. C. Armstrong, who was a soldier in Company A of the 40 Regiment of Co Volunteers.

That said soldier enlisted in the service of the Confederate States (or the Georgia State Troops) on or about the 10 day of March 1862. That while in said service, or by reason of said service in the Army, he lost his life as follows: He had fever

while in Camp at Knoxville Tennessee; that he was sent home on furlough; that the fever settled in his hip after which time he was never well, while we knew him; although he was weak and sick he went to Vicksburg Mississippi; but was discharged and sent home because he was unable to do duty; that the time he was sent home from Nashville was in June or July 1863; that he never was stout after he had the fever at Knoxville Tennessee 1862; that he was a stout and healthy man when he enlisted in the service; that he was sick when I last knew him; that the said Armstrong was lost his health by reason of service or of some while in the service.

We further swear that Mrs. N. M. Armstrong was the wife of said soldier during the service, and that she has not intermarried since his death, and that she resides in Paulding County of the State of Georgia.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 11th day of April 1891.
W. H. Harrison Ordinary.

N. J. Collins
J. C. Wofford

Georgia Personally appeared
 Floyd County before me the
 undersigned official, Lewis
 Reynolds, W. W. Bobb & E. E. Burk-
 hatter, and being duly sworn
 depose and say on oath, that
 they were well acquainted with
 L. C. Armstrong, during the latter
 part of his life and especially
 after the war and know of
 their own knowledge that
 the said L. C. Armstrong had
 to have medical attention up
 to his death which happened
 on the 14 day of February
 1873.

Sworn to & subscribed
 before me this 14th day of
 April 1891
 N. J. Johnson
 Ordinary
 Floyd Co. Ga

Lewis Reynolds
 W. W. Bobb
 E. E. Burkholder

Georgia Personally appeared before me
 Barton County James M. Barton and on oath
 says that L. C. Armstrong was a stout
 and healthy man at the time when he in-
 listed in the Confederate Army in March
 1862; that said L. C. Armstrong contracted
 the Scurvy while in the Army; that
 he had Chronic Scurvy when he came
 home from the Army in July 1863;
 that he was never stout after he
 came home from the war and never
 recovered his health nor got well of
 said disease; that he died of said
 Chronic Scurvy in 1873.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this January
 14 1892
 J. M. Barton
 C. W. Audinok
 Ordinary, B. Co. Ga.

Copy April 20 1898
 From Mr. H. Harrison
 I have a postal from you a few days ago making
 inquiry about Mrs. Leck & Mrs. Thompson
 Thompson and her husband is dead. Her husband
 gone down in South West Georgia. I don't
 know when she will be at home. I thought
 she had made arrangements for the funeral
 to be at home for her. I would like to see
 her at home before long.
 Yours Respectfully
 J. Harrison

Georgia } In person appeared before
 Bartow County } me, Mrs. C. O'Brien, Arm-
 Strong and in both says
 that J. C. Armstrong was a stout
 healthy man when he enlisted in
 the Confederate service in March 1863.
 That he contracted the Dysentery while
 in the service; that he came home from
 Vicksburg, Mississippi in July 1863; that
 he had Chronic Dysentery when he came
 home in July 1863; that never recovered
 from said disease, but died of the said
 disease, Chronic Dysentery on the 12th day
 of February 1873. Floyd County Ga.

Sworn to and Subscribed } Catherine
 before me this 12th day of } Armstrong
 C. W. Kendrick }
 Ordinary B. C. Ga. }

State of Georgia

Barrow County } Personally appeared
 } me the undersigned
 Thos. H. Baker who on oath says he
 is a regular practicing Physician in
 the regular practice of his profession and
 that he attended to J. C. Armstrong in the
 year 1861 and was at Jesso prior to that
 year and that as far as he knew or can
 learn he was a large stock man and
 engaged in a health and again
 had a furlough to visit at Athens, Ga.
 in the month of Virginia in 1863 he had
 and that he has seen J. C. Armstrong
 and presented for and that he thought
 that he thinks he has seen J. C. Armstrong
 and that he was at Jesso suffering with
 Chronic Dysentery and was greatly
 relieved from it
 Sworn to and Subscribed Thos. H. Baker
 this 24th day of May, 87.

C. W. Kendrick }
 Ordinary B. C. Ga. }

Barrow County
 Dec 20 1873
 Hon. W. H. Harrison
 I have a postal from you a few days ago mentioning
 your visit about the Lake & the surrounding
 country. I have just now a dead all the Lake
 you have in South West Georgia & I must
 when she will be at home I thought
 I had made arrangements for her funeral
 to be drawn for her I wish she will
 be at home before long
 Yours Respectfully A. S. ...

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Brunswick COUNTY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, *William Armstrong*,

County, in said State, do hereby appoint *Wm M. Gibson* of *Brunswick County* my true and lawful attorney in fact, for me and in my name, to receive and receipt for whatever amount of money I may be entitled to from the State of Georgia as a widow of a Confederate Soldier, as stated in the foregoing affidavit; hereby authorizing my said Attorney to receipt in my name for any Warrant that may be issued by the Governor, or for any sum of money which may be coming to me for the reason aforesaid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this *21st*

day of *April* 189*4*

Wm M. Gibson

Executed in the presence of us:

E. W. Gibson

DIRECTIONS.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

Home 41 St. Manhattan

By a

Georgia }
 Barton County }
 J. W. Hendricks, Clerk of said
 County, hereby Certify that J. C. Wofford,
 A. J. Collins, H. K. McMillin, James M. Barton
 and Catherine Armstrong of said County,
 and witnesses in the application of Mrs.
 N. M. Armstrong for Pension, are truthful
 and reliable citizens of said County and
 are worthy of belief in any Court of
 Justice of or pension claim.

Given under my hand and seal of office
 this May 21, 1892.

J. W. Hendricks
 Clerk
 B. C. Co.

I further Certify that Dr. John H. Baker
 is a man worthy of belief and stands
 foremost as a physician in said
 County.

J. W. Hendricks
 Clerk
 B. C. Co.

Form No. 5.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,
 Paulding COUNTY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, N. M. Armstrong
 of Paulding County, in said State, do hereby appoint N. R. McGee
 of Paulding County, my true and lawful attorney in fact, for
 me and in my name, to receive and receipt for whatever amount of money I may be entitled to from the
 State of Georgia as a widow of a Confederate Soldier, as stated in the foregoing affidavit; hereby author-
 izing my said Attorney to receipt in my name for any Warrant that may be issued by the Governor, or
 for any sum of money which may be coming to me for the reason aforesaid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 21st
 day of May 1892

N. M. Armstrong (L. S.)

Executed in the presence of us:

J. F. Rathcoat
Wm. A. ...
 DIRECTIONS.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,
Paulding COUNTY.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, *J. M. Gregory*

of *Paulding* County, in said State, do hereby appoint *J. R. McGowan* of *Paulding* County my true and lawful attorney in fact, for me and in my name, to receive and receipt for whatever amount of money I may be entitled to from the State of Georgia as a widow of a Confederate Soldier, as stated in the foregoing affidavit, hereby authorizing my said Attorney to receipt in my name for any Warrant that may be issued by the Governor, or for any sum of money which may be coming to me for the reason aforesaid.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this *21st* day of *March* 1894.

J. M. Gregory [L. S.]

Executed in the presence of us:

J. G. ...
C. W. ...

DIRECTIONS.