

Single surgeons with this blank changing "we" to read "I," and "our" to read "my." They will erase the words "I," "we," "our," and "Board" where the words appear, and sign at the foot of the certificate, and also on the back of the same.



**SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE**

IN CASE OF

*Open Hunter*

Co. B, 41 Regt. Mass. Vols

*Applicant for Admittance*

No. 25336

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

*April 20*, 188*7*.

*S. Miller, Pres.,*  
*J. Smith, Sec'y,*  
*Wm. B. Bancroft, Treas.,*

BOARD.

Post office, *Sum Creek*

County, *Dawson*

State, *Nebraska*

P. S. Write your Post-Office address plainly and in full.

PROVIDED FURTHER, That all examinations shall be thorough and searching, and the certificate contain a full description of the physical condition of the claimant at the time, which shall include all the physical and rational signs and a statement of all the structural changes. [Extract from Section 4, Act of Congress approved July 25, 1882.]

*ABX*

Act of June 27, 1890.

(3-232.)

**DEAD.**

H60,275

May 1899. And -  
Adm of dth -  
N.K.

Margaret Hunter

**DROPPED**

Widow

William Hunter

Apr 25 1899  
Death: 1899

Rank *Priv*

Company *B*

Regiment *3. Mass Vol. Cav*

Rate per Month \$ *8.00*

Commencing *March 11 1897*

Ending

*Des Moines* Agency.

Issued *March 10*, 1898.

Mailed " *14*, 1898.

Fee, \$ *10.00*

Holtz

[3-218 a.]

Ex'r.

No.

650152

Act of June 27, 1890.

6/162 4/242

Noted 192  
Apr. 29. Atty Tierney  
of death, manager  
just money, to  
K. H.  
justly State of Mass.  
Apr. 29. Atty Tierney

Margaret Hunter  
Hubbell, Mebr  
Mid

William Hunter

B. 41 Mass Inf. - B 3 Mass Cav

Died at

Jan. 15/97

other claim.

I. ctf. 25336

Apr. 12, 1897. - R.

Clerk.

Numerical No.

Oct. 12. 97. To Atty for Childs state.  
VT. must and testimony showing the amt.  
of income from farm - J. D.  
MASS.

Clmt. Claim awaits answer  
R. I. to letter of inquiry as to merits  
of claim. request Hon Stark  
CONG. Feb 12. 98. W.P.C.

N. Y.

N. J.

DEL.

Application filed: *Mch. 11*, 1897.

Attorney: *W. Tierney*

P. O. *City*

(9877-3,000.)

att. filed

Emo

No.

INVALID. (Series \_\_\_\_\_)

Cert. No. *25,336*

Name, *William Hunter*  
Rank, *Dr.*; Service, *1st B<sup>th</sup> Mass Vol  
Cor*

Agency { Original Roll: *Des Moines*  
Transf'd \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_  
" \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_

Class *110*  
Issue *169*  
Entered *27*  
Fee, \$ *2.00*  
Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 189*3*  
Mailed \_\_\_\_\_, 189*3*  
Rate and Period, \$ *6.*, from *Jan 15*, 189*3*  
Deductions: \_\_\_\_\_  
Disability: *Injury of rt. side  
& injury of left knee*

Class *101*  
Issue *288*  
Entered *28*  
Fee, \$ *1.00*  
Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 189*5*  
Mailed \_\_\_\_\_, 189*5*  
Rate and Period, \$ *12*, from *Dec 3*, 189*4*  
**Act of June 27, 1890.**  
Pension granted under former laws  
terminated *Dec. 2*, 189*4*  
Disability *Inability to earn a  
support by manual labor*

Class \_\_\_\_\_  
Issue \_\_\_\_\_  
Entered \_\_\_\_\_  
Fee, \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_  
Mailed \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_  
Rate and Period, \$ \_\_\_\_\_, from \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_  
Deductions: \_\_\_\_\_  
Disability: \_\_\_\_\_

Class \_\_\_\_\_  
Issue \_\_\_\_\_  
Entered \_\_\_\_\_  
Fee, \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
Issued \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_  
Mailed \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_  
Rate and Period, \$ \_\_\_\_\_, from \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_  
**ACCRUED PENSIONS--SEC. 4718.**  
Deducted *Accrued Pension Certificate and  
Order issued Jan 10 1895  
(Pen. Ctn. and voucher herewith)*  
Disability *Wid.*  
Payable to \_\_\_\_\_  
Mailed *Mar. 14*, 189*5*

**INDORSEMENTS.**  
*Atty. General's order of ref. of claim  
for addnl. pension under Act of  
June 27, 1890, & reasons for said  
ref. Oct 27, 1893. M. M. R.  
"1894 act" - clmt. Sub. 7 Ref.  
of June 27, 1890*  
**DROPPED FROM ROLLS**  
**JAN 25 1897**  
**PENSIONER DEAD.**

See Wid. Cf. 460275

U. S. Army Pension Agency  
Boston 15<sup>th</sup> June 1866

Sir

Oath of allegiance executed  
by Wm Hunter of Sycamore & Kellogg Co  
Ill has this day been received at this  
Agency - Hunter's application for transfer  
to the Roll of the Chicago Agency has  
been delayed, for an oath of allegiance  
required to perfect a voucher for payment  
made by Col. Barnes - whose accounts with  
the U. S. have been closed -

Very Respectfully

Yours Obedt. Servt.

G. C. Trumbull

Pension Agent

To  
Hon. J. H. Barrett,  
Commr. of Pensions  
Washington  
D. C.

Lowell



U. S. Pension Agency  
Boston 22<sup>d</sup> March 1866

Sir

In Oct' 1865 notice of intended transfer  
from the roll of this agency to that of Chicago  
Ill. (was rec'd.) of the name of Wm Hunter  
late Private Co B, 41<sup>st</sup> Mass Cert. No 25,336  
issued 17<sup>th</sup> Oct/64 to commence 8 Oct/63 at 2<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>

No notice of or order for transfer has  
been rec'd. - He now claims pay from 4<sup>th</sup> Oct/65  
I have to ask if it should be paid by me,  
or if he should be referred to the Chicago agency -  
At time of notice in Oct', a payment  
to him made by Col Barnes was under  
suspension for Oath of Allegiance, which ~~was~~  
has since been furnished -

Very Respect

Your Obedt. Svt.

G. B. Trembull

Army Pen. Agt.

To

Hon<sup>ble</sup> J. H. Barrett

Comd. of Pension

Washington - D.C.



OFFICE OF THE  
DIRECTOR  
PENSION OFFICE

# INVALID PENSION.

**RECEIVED**  
JAN 2 1888

**Claimant,**

*William Hunter*

**P. O.,**

*Chelso.*

**County,**

*"*

**State,**

*Nebr.*

**Rank,**

*Pvt.*

**Company,**

*B.*

**Regiment,**

*41st Mass. Inf. 3rd Mass.*

**Attorney,**

*E. S. Mearns, 153 Monroe St., Chicago* Fee, \$ *10*

**Rate, \$**

*per month, commencing*

**Disabled by**

*fracture of ribs*

**Submitted**

*Dec 18, 1885 by Cook*

*, Examiner.*

**Approved for**

*injury to right side*

**Approved for**

*No increase.*

*Dec 26<sup>th</sup> 1885* *J. J. [Signature]* Reviewer.

Reviewer.

*Dec 28<sup>th</sup> 1885* *J. [Signature]* Med. Referee.

*J. [Signature]* Med. Referee.

**Discharged**

*Oct 8, 1863*

**Certificate surrendered**

*[Signature]*, 18

**Original application filed**

*Nov 25, 1863*

**Last paid at \$ 4, to**

*[Signature]*, 18

**Increase application filed**

*June 26, 1883*

**Pensioned**

*Nov 12, 1864 from Oct 8, 1863; at \$ 2 2/3 per month*

**for**

*injury to R. side by falling from a horse*

**Claims**

*same*

*Club writes*

State of Arkansas } SS.  
County of Sheep }

On this 15 day of June, A.D., 1883, before me [Signature]  
a duly authorized officer of a Court of Record, in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared  
William Hunter, aged 64 years, who being duly sworn according to law,

declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, duly enrolled at the  
Pension Agency, at the rate of \$ 3.00 per month, by reason of disability incurred in the Military Service of  
the United States as Priv. of B Co 2d Regt Cav. Mo. Vol., that his

present physical condition is such that he believes himself entitled to receive an increased pension, that he here-  
with returns his present pension certificate. He further declares that he is disabled in the following manner, to-wit:

*Was injured while on the march near Brecker City, Miss. In going down a steep place his  
horse slipped, throwing said Hunter over his head to the ground then falling on him, fracturing  
ribs on right side and causing other serious internal injuries. Was formerly oc-  
cupation that is he lives on a farm but is so disabled he can do no ordinary  
farm labor at all. Fully three fourths of the time he suffers so much with  
pain on right side he is unable to do anything. When he does do any-  
thing it is only a few light chores of small value. Disability is  
constantly increasing and is now much worse than when granted  
his present rating. As pensioner per cent. No. 25 336.*

That he hereby appoints E. S. Weeden, of 153 E. Wacker St. Chicago, Illinois, his attorney, to pros-  
ecute this claim. That his residence is Phelps, Phelps County Missouri  
and that his post office address is the same

William Hunter  
Claimant's Signature.

Also, personally appeared Chas. J. Backman and Peter Pearson  
residents of Sheep Head, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled  
to credence, and who, being by me first duly sworn, say they were present and saw William  
Hunter, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration.

That they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him,  
that he is the identical person he represents himself to be, and that they have no interest whatever, either direct  
or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Chas. J. Backman  
Peter Pearson

Sworn and subscribed before me this 15 day of June, A. D.,  
1883 and I certify that the contents of the foregoing Declaration, &c., was fully made known and explained  
to applicant and witnesses, before swearing, and that I have no interest whatever, either direct or indirect, in the  
prosecution of this claim

This will be worthless if executed before a Notary  
 Public or a Justice of the Peace.

[Signature] Clerk.  
of Dist. Court

Here insert  
your Rank, Co.  
and Regiment,  
as appears in  
Pension Certi-  
ficate.

Here state the disability def-  
initely. If wounded, state  
when, where and how wound-  
ed, and locate the wound.

Two witnesses  
sign here, if ap-  
plicant makes  
his mark.

Identifying  
witnesses must  
not sign by  
mark.

**INCREASE OF PENSION.**

*William Hunter*

Late Capt. "B Co. 3"

Regt. Early Texas Vol.

*Mason*



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CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.

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# Declaration for Increase of Invalid Pension.

This will be worthless unless executed before a duly authorized officer of a Court of Record: a Justice of the Peace or Notary Public *cont do.*

STATE OF Iowa }  
COUNTY OF Linn } ss.

On this ~~second~~ 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March November, A. D., 1875, before me J. L. Crawford, a duly authorized officer of a Court of Record,

in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared William Hunter

57 years, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, duly

enrolled at the Boston Massachusetts Pension Agency, at the rate of \$ 2.66 2/3 per month & that his name is now on the Roll of the Chicago Ill Agency at the rate of \$4.00 per month, by reason of disability incurred in the Military Service of the United States, as Private Company B

of the 41<sup>st</sup> Regt. Mass Vols afterwards 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt Mass Cavry

that his present physical condition is such that he believes himself entitled to receive an increased pension, that he herewith returns his present pension certificate. He further declares that he is disabled in the following manner, to-wit:

He recd an injury on the right side by horse falling & throwing him with his right side on his musket while on line of duty about 15 miles above Prasler City Iowa. That it occurred on the date alleged in my declaration for Pension when the above Pension of \$2.66 2/3 was granted me.

That he hereby appoints E. S. WEEDEN, of No. 143 East Monroe Street, Chicago, Illinois, his attorney, to prosecute this claim. That

his residence is Cedar Point Linn Co. Iowa and that his post office address

is Walter, Grant Tp. Linn Co. Iowa & that the words "Second" & "March" were erased & 23<sup>rd</sup> & November were inserted before signing,

William Hunter  
Claimant's Signature

Also, personally appeared A. L. Daniels and Jay J. Smyth

residents of Marion Linn Co. Iowa, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credence,

and who, being by me first duly sworn, say they were present and saw William Hunter

the claimant sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration. That they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be, and that they have no

interest whatever, either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

A. L. Daniels  
Jay J. Smyth

Sworn and subscribed before me this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November, A. D., 1875

and I certify that the contents of the foregoing Declaration, &c., was fully made known and explained to applicant and witnesses, before swearing, and that I have no interest whatever, either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

This will be worthless if executed before a Notary Public or a Justice of the Peace.  
J. L. Crawford Clerk.

Here insert your Rank, Co. and Regiment, as appears in Pension Certificate.  
Here state the disability definitely. If wounded, state when, where and how wounded, and locate the wound.

Two witnesses sign here, if applicant makes his X mark.

**INCREASE OF PENSION.**

*William H. Smith*

Late Private, U.S. Army, 4<sup>th</sup> Regt.

Regt. *Mass. Vol.* *1<sup>st</sup> Regt.* *Mass. Cav.*

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**E. S. WEEDEN, Attorney,**

No. 143 East Monroe Street,

**CHICAGO, ILLINOIS.**

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# INVALID PENSION.

REISSUE TO ALLOW ADDITIONAL DISABILITY.

Pensioner, *William Hunter* <sup>and Increase</sup> *ad. 25386*  
 P. O., *Hubbell* Rank, *Private*  
 County, *Thayer* Company, *B*  
 State, *Nebr.* Regiment, *41 Mass Vols. (3 Cav.)*  
 Rate, \$ \_\_\_\_\_ per month, commencing \_\_\_\_\_

Pensioned for \_\_\_\_\_

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, *W. Tierney* Fee, \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Agent \_\_\_\_\_ to pay.  
 P. O., *City* Articles filed *Jan 30*, 18 *89*

## APPROVALS

Approved for \_\_\_\_\_  
 Submitted for *Rejection* *Nov 11, 1890* *S. J. Schneider*, Examiner.  
 Rejected *Jan 23 92*  
 Approved for \_\_\_\_\_  
*Rejection for Insurren. no benefit for separation for injury of left hand on ground of no prof. disability. The prof. cert. filing subject to the approval of medical Reper*  
 \_\_\_\_\_, Legal Reviewer. \_\_\_\_\_, Med. Ex'r, \_\_\_\_\_, Med. Reviewer.  
 \_\_\_\_\_, 18 *92*, \_\_\_\_\_, Med. Referee.

## HISTORY OF CLAIMS AND FORMER ACTION.

Discharged *Oct. 8*, 18 *65* Last paid to \_\_\_\_\_ at \$ *4*  
 Pensioned from *Oct. 8*, 18 *65*, at \$ *2 2/3*, for *injury to rt. side*

Original declaration filed *Nov 25*, 18 *65* alleged *injury to rt. side*

Declaration filed *June 26*, 18 *88*; alleged *injury to rt. side by falling from horse*  
 " " *Nov. 30 - 75* *re rejected*  
 " " *June 23 - 71* *same as June 26 - 88 - no action*  
 Arrears allowed from \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 18 \_\_\_\_\_, at \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## PRESENT CLAIM.

Declaration filed *Jan 15*, 18 *87* *injury to rt side and*  
*and Sept. 2*, 18 *87* *injury to knee cap.*  
*3845 - 10 m* *col. writes.* *No M.C.*  
*No subser.*

# INVALID PENSION.

REISSUE TO ALLOW ADDITIONAL DISABILITY.

Pensioner, *William Hunter*

P. O., *Hubbell*

County, *Thayer*

State, *Nebr.*

Rate, \$ *6* per month, commencing

Rank, *Private*

Company, *B*

Regiment, *2 Mass Vol. Cav.*

January 15, 1887

*and Increase of 25336*

*Deduct sub. payments*

*In lieu of Lett. dated October 17, 1871*

*left knee.*

Pensioned for *injury of right side + injury of*

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, *W. Tierney*

P. O., *City*

Fec, \$ *25*; Agent \_\_\_\_\_ to pay.

Articles filed *Jan 30*, 1889.

### APPROVALS

Approved for

Submitted for *Rejection Feb 20, 1893;*

Approved for *Injury of right side  
Locks also for injury of left  
side now new disability to rate  
from January 15, 1887.  
Pension to read  
July 10, 1894*

*O. J. Schneider*

Examiner.

Approved for *injury of right side  
H/18 no increase  
Injury of left side  
7/15*

*Robertson*, Legal Reviewer.

*Feb 25*, 1893, Re-Reviewer.

*Keyes ad*, Med. Ex'r, *O. E.*, Med. Reviewer.

*Mich. 23*, 1893, *and Ingram*, Med. Referee.

### HISTORY OF CLAIMS AND FORMER ACTION.

*2 brig  
25-83  
W. Hunter  
3/20/93*



ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

INVALID PENSION.

*Additional*

*cf. 25336.*

*2 Brief*

*Adm.*

Claimant, *William Hunter*

P. O., *Hubbell*

County, *Thayer*

State, *Nebr.*

Rate, \$....., per month, commencing

Rank, *Private*

Company, *B*

Regiment, *11 Mass. Vol. (3 Cav.)*

*July 11, 1890*

Disabled by .....

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, *D. W. Tierney*

Fee, \$ *10*

Agent to pay.

P. O., *Washington D.C.*

Articles filed, .....

189.....

APPROVALS.

Submitted for *Admission Nov. 11, 1890*

*Admission Nov. 11, 1890*

Examined by *O. J. Schneider*

Examiner.

Approved for *Admission*

*Admission*

Approved for .....

Pension granted under former laws by

Cert'f'd by *25336*

to ent. *Nov. 11, 1890*

*Residual payments*

*Robertson*

Legal Reviewer.

Medical Referee.

*Feb. 9, 1893*

189.....

now pensioned under other laws. Last paid to .....

18.....

at \$ *4*

Pensioned from *Oct 8*

18 *63*

at \$ *2 2/3*

for *injury to rt side.*

SERVICE SHOWN BY RECORD.

Enlisted *Aug 9*

18 *62*

honorably discharged *Oct. 8*

18 *63*

Re-enlisted .....

18.....

honorably discharged .....

18.....

Declaration filed *July 11*

1890,

alleges permanent disability, not due to vicious habits,

from *injury to right side alleged in declaration*

filed *Nov. 25-63. Injury to knee Cap*

alleged in declaration filed *Jan. 15-87.*

*A. writes.*

*No M.C. No subser.*

Act of June 27, 1890.

Additional  
INVALID PENSION

of 25336.

2 Briefs

2 Briefs

O.S. Adm

Claimant, William Hunter

P.O., Hubbell

County, Thayer

State, Neb.

Rank, Private

Company, B

Regiment, 3 Mass Vol. Coar. (44 vols)

Rate, \$ \_\_\_\_\_, per month, commencing July 11, 1890

Disabled by \_\_\_\_\_

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

2 Briefs

Name, W. Tierney  
P.O., Washington D.C.

Fee, \$ 10 Agent to pay.

Articles filed, \_\_\_\_\_, 189 .

APPROVALS.

Re  
G  
J  
M  
W  
J  
S  
1893

Submitted for Admission Feb 20, 1893

O. J. Schneider, Examiner.

Approved for Admission

Approved for rejection no benefit

Rejection. en action  
of null & void

Robinson  
Legal Reviewer.

Kings  
and D. Ingram  
Medical Referee.

Feb. 25, 1893  
and 30, 93

Dec. 23, 1893.

now pensioned under other laws. Last paid to \_\_\_\_\_, 189 , at \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Pensioned from Oct. 8, 1863, at \$ 2 7/8, for injury to rt. side.

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Nebraska, County of Thayer, ss.

In the Pension claim No. \_\_\_\_\_ of Margaret Hunter widow

late of Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Reg't \_\_\_\_\_ Vols. \_\_\_\_\_

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid County

and State Nebraska aged 75 year.

a citizen of near Hubbell County of Thayer and State of

Nebraska Post-Office address \_\_\_\_\_ who being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid claim as follows:

NOTE—Affiant should state how he gains a knowledge of the facts to which he testifies.

*That the entire amount of my income consists of one third of the crops raised on my eighty acre farm which consists of one third of sixty acres of corn the value of which would not exceed one hundred dollars. The balance being in pasture from which I derive no benefit at all. There is no incumbrance on said eighty acres of land*

\_\_\_\_\_ further declare that \_\_\_\_\_ no interest in said claim and \_\_\_\_\_ not concerned in its prosecution.



*Mary Janet Hunter*  
Signature of affiant.

NOTE—In the execution of evidence, whenever a witness signs by X mark, two PERSONS WHO CAN WRITE MUST attest the signature by signing their names opposite.

State of Nebraska, County of Thayer, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November, A. D. 1897,

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above affidavit was fully made known, explained and read over to the affiants before swearing, including the words .....

[SEAL]

erased and the words .....

.....added; that affiant M to me well known to

be reputable and entitled to credit, and that I have no interest, direct or

indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Edwina Mattison  
Official signature.

Notary Public  
Official character.

NOTE—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If executed before an officer not using a seal, his official character should be certified to by a Clerk of Court, unless there is on file in the Pension Bureau a general certificate covering his present term, and if said certificate has been filed he should state so opposite his signature.

Court Div.

**ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.**

Claim No. 65-9152  
of Margaret Hunter  
Glen Hunter

Lot. "B"  
Co. "B"  
41" Reg. Mass Vols.

**AFFIDAVIT OF**

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**M. V. TIERNEY,**

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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ELECT. DIV.



# CENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Nebraska County of Thayer, ss:

In the matter of Pension Claim of Margaret Hunter

Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Reg't \_\_\_\_\_ Vol. \_\_\_\_\_

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, Margaret Hunter aged 75 years,

a citizen of Hibbell County of Thayer and State of Nebraska  
[Post Office Address.]

who, being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid claim as follows:

*That the value of all property owned by the late William Hunter, <sup>her husband</sup> would not exceed nine hundred dollars. That the only income she has is one third (1/3) of crops raised on sixty five acres of land, and there is no one legally bound to support her. That above statement was written by Edwin Mattison the Notary in my presence, <sup>from</sup> oral statements made by me and that I was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital prepared or dictated by any other person but the facts were written down at my request.*

NOTE.—Affiant should state how he gains a knowledge of the facts to which he testifies.

\_\_\_\_\_ further declares that \_\_\_\_\_ no interest in said claim and \_\_\_\_\_ not interested in its prosecution.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
X \_\_\_\_\_

*Margaret Hunter*  
(Signature of Affiant.)

NOTE.—In the execution of evidence, whenever a witness signs by X mark, two persons WHO CAN WRITE, MUST attest the signature by signing their names opposite.

State of Nebraska County of Thayer, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant and I read the affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in no wise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me and that he is a reputable person and

N. B. entitled to credit

Officer will please fill out blank line marked N. B. in his own hand writing.

(State whether or not witness is a creditable person, and so reputed in the community in which he resides.)

Witness my hand and official seal this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1897

OFFICIAL SIGNATURE (Sign here) Edwin Mattison  
Notary Public

My Commission expires .....

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If executed before an officer not using a seal, his official character should be certified to by a Clerk of Court, unless there is on file in the Pension Bureau a general certificate, covering his present term, and if said certificate has been filed, he should state so opposite his signature.

*6611*

Div.

**ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.**

Claim No. 637152

Margt. Hunter,

of Wm. Hunter

B. 41<sup>st</sup> Reg't.

Mass. Vols.

Affidavit of



FILED BY

**M. V. TIERNEY,**

Attorney at Law,

Washington, D. C.

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Nebraska County of Thayer, ss:

In the matter of Pension Claim of Margaret Hunter widow of the late  
Wm Hunter Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Reg't \_\_\_\_\_ Vol. \_\_\_\_\_

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for said County  
and State, Margaret Hunter aged 77 years,  
a citizen of Subbell Precinct County of Thayer and State of  
[Post Office Address.] Nebraska, who, being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid claim as follows:

NOTE.—Affiant should state how he gains a knowledge of the facts to which he testifies.

The entire amount of my personal  
consists of one horse and buggy  
the value of which would not exceed  
Fifty Dollars. The Real Estate consists  
of Eighty Acres <sup>of land</sup> the value of which ~~would~~  
would not exceed One thousand Dollars.  
All the income I have is one third (1/3)  
of the crops raised on said Eighty  
Acres of land, and there is no one to  
help support me. This is a complete  
list of all property both real, personal,  
and mixed owned by myself or  
my late husband

\_\_\_\_\_ further declares that \_\_\_\_\_ no interest in said claim and \_\_\_\_\_ not interested in its  
prosecution.

X \_\_\_\_\_

X \_\_\_\_\_

Margaret Hunter  
(Signature of Affiant.)

NOTE.—In the execution of evidence, whenever a witness signs by X mark, two persons WHO CAN WRITE, MUST attest the signature by  
signing their names opposite.

State of Nebraska County of Thayer, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant and I read the affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in no wise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me and that he is a

N. B. creditable person and so reputed in the community in which she resides

Officer will please fill out blank line marked N. B. in his own hand writing.  
(State whether or not witness is a creditable person, and so reputed in the community in which he resides.)

Witness my hand and official seal this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1897

OFFICIAL SIGNATURE (Sign here) Edwin Mattison  
Notary Public

My Commission expires .....

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*Attachment*

Div.

**ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.**

Claim No. 657,152

Margt. Hunter  
of Wm. Hunter

Co. B., 41st Reg't.  
Mass. Vols.

Affidavit of



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**M. V. TIERNEY,**

Attorney at Law,

Washington, D. C.



To Hon Comm of Pensions  
Washington  
D.C.

We the undersigned citizens of  
Hubbell Thayer Co Alaska  
in behalf of the widow of William  
Hunter deceased certify to the  
following facts. We have known  
known Mr and Mrs Hunter for  
the past 4 years and know that  
they have been living together as  
husband and wife. That they have  
a large family of grown children  
living in this vicinity. This statement  
is made for the following reasons.

As they were married some 50 years  
ago in the north of Ireland the  
records of same, or statement of pastor  
who performed the ceremony cannot  
be obtained as required by the  
pension department.

Signed

G. H. Cole, M.D.

A. J. Miller Comdr Post 50 Dept of War S.A.R.  
Sgt Lockwood

J. H. Kersh

W. W. Johnson

Subscribed to and sworn to  
before me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Feb. A.D. 1893

Ed. Matteson  
Notary Public

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Rhode Island, COUNTY OF Providence ss:  
In the matter of William and Margaret Hunter

ON THIS 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, A. D. 1897, personally appeared  
before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County and  
State, duly authorized to administer oaths Margaret Fife, aged 63  
years, a resident of Providence in the County of Providence  
and State of Rhode Island, whose Post-Office address is 12 Aurora Street

and \_\_\_\_\_, aged \_\_\_\_\_  
years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ in the County of \_\_\_\_\_  
and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose Post-Office address is \_\_\_\_\_

and who, being duly sworn, declares for herself each for himself, in relation to aforesaid case,  
as follows:

NOTE.—Affiants should state how they gained a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.

That I., Margaret Fife have known William & Margaret Hunter since  
their marriage on April 2, 1841 and until the year 1865 when they went  
west, and to the best of my knowledge and belief neither of them were  
married before. I have lived near them in Ireland and boarded with  
them in Lawrence, Mass. after they came to the United States, and have  
lived near them until they went west in 1865.

They were married by the Rev. John Armstrong of the second Presby-  
terian Church, in Castlederg, County Tyrone, Ireland on April 2, 1841

She further declares that she has no interest in said case and is not concerned in its  
prosecution.

X \_\_\_\_\_  
X \_\_\_\_\_  
Margaret Fife  
(Signature of Affiant.)

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signing their names opposite.

State of Rhode Island, County of Providence, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of June, A. D. 1897,

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above affidavit was fully made known, explained and read over to the above affiant before swearing, including the words

[SEAL]

erased, and the words

added: that affiant I know to be reputable and entitled to credit as witnesses, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Walter F. Tetlow  
Official signature.

Notary Public  
Official character.

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If executed before an officer not using a seal, his official character should be certified to by a Clerk of Court, unless there is on file in the Pension Bureau a general certificate, covering his present term, and if said certificate has been filed, he should state so opposite his signature.

**Read This Before You Fill Out Blank.**

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, BUREAU OF PENSIONS, }  
Order No. 229. Washington, D. C., June 19, 1893. }

In the preparation of testimony in support of claims in pension cases all statements affecting the particular case and not merely formal must be written, or prepared to be type-written, in the presence of the witness, and from his oral declarations then made to the person who then reduces the testimony to writing, or then prepares the same to be type-written. And such testimony must embody a statement by the witness that such testimony was all written or prepared for type-writing [as the case may be], in the presence, and only from his oral statements then made: stating also the time, place and person, when, where and to whom he made such oral statements, and that in making the same he did not use, and was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital, prepared or dictated by any other person; and not attached as an exhibit to his testimony.

Any needless delay in the preparation of such testimony after such oral statements by the witness, or in forwarding the same to the Bureau, and any material alteration or erasure will be cause for rejecting such testimony.

Approved: HOKE SMITH, Secretary.

WM. LOCHREN, Commissioner.

*Witness  
No print name*



Additional Evidence.

Claim No. 50152  
Margaret Hunter  
Wm. Hunter  
co. B.  
late 41 Regt. Mass. mts.

Affidavit of



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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Illinois, COUNTY OF DeKalb SS:

In the matter of Margaret Hunter, widow of William Hunter deceased, for a pension

ON THIS 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1897, personally appeared

before me, a notary public in and for the aforesaid County and

State, duly authorized to administer oaths Eliza A. Ray, aged 21

years, a resident of DeKalb in the County of DeKalb

and State of Illinois, whose Post-Office address is DeKalb

Illinois and \_\_\_\_\_, aged \_\_\_\_\_

years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ in the County of \_\_\_\_\_

and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose Post-Office address is \_\_\_\_\_

and who, being duly sworn, declares each for himself, in relation to aforesaid case,

as follows:

That she was acquainted with said William Hunter in his lifetime; that she knew him when he was a young man and unmarried, that she was acquainted with the aforesaid claimant Margaret Hunter, formerly Margaret Anderson, prior to her marriage to said William Hunter deceased; that she well remembers the occasion of their said marriage, which occurred in the County of Ferris, Ireland; that she has been acquainted with them ever since their said marriage; and that she knows the said claimant Margaret Hunter, widow of said William Hunter, deceased, to be the same person she represents herself to be; that said William Hunter, deceased, was never married but once and that to the aforesaid claimant, Margaret Hunter, formerly Margaret Anderson; this affiant further states that in making the foregoing statement she was not aided nor prompted by any written or printed statement, or verbal, prepared or dictated by any other person and not attached as an exhibit to this testimony, but that the facts are personally known <sup>to her</sup> and written down at her request by Archie L. Kennedy.

NOTE.—Affiants should state how they gained a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.

she further declares that she no interest in said case and is not concerned in its prosecution.

X

Eliza A. Ray  
(Signature of Affiant.)

X

NOTE.—In the execution of evidence, whenever a witness signs by X mark, two persons WHO CAN WRITE, MUST attest the signature by signing their names opposite.

State of Illinois, County of DeKalb, SS:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24 day of May, A. D. 1897,

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above affidavit was fully made known, explained and read over to the above affiant before swearing, including the words.....

[SEAL] erased, and the words "to her" inserted

added: that affiant is known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit as witnesses, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Archie G. Kennedy  
Official signature.

Notary Public  
Official character.

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If executed before an officer not using a seal, his official character should be certified to by a Clerk of Court, unless there is on file in the Pension Bureau a general certificate, covering his present term, and if said certificate has been filed, he should state so opposite his signature.

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Any needless delay in the preparation of such testimony after such oral statements by the witness, or in forwarding the same to the Bureau, and any material alteration or erasure will be cause for rejecting such testimony.  
Approved: HOKE SMITH, Secretary. WM. LOCHREN, Commissioner.

*Same as before made*

Additional Evidence.  
Claim No. 650/152  
Margt. Hunter  
Opal Hunter Co. B.  
Late 41 Reg't Mass. Vols.

Affidavit of  


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# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Iowa, COUNTY OF Calhoun ss:

In the matter of Wm. of William Hunter

ON THIS 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1897, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County and State, duly authorized to administer oaths Isabella Phelps, aged 69 years, a resident of Lohrville in the County of Calhoun and State of Iowa, whose Post-Office address is Lohrville

and \_\_\_\_\_, aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, a resident of \_\_\_\_\_ in the County of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of \_\_\_\_\_ whose Post-Office address is \_\_\_\_\_

and who, being duly sworn, declares each for himself, in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

*That I am well acquainted with William Hunter and his wife Margaret Hunter of Hubbel State of Nebraska I have known them for fifty years I know they never were married their marriage to one or the other the reason I know is by having lived near to them when they were young and because the wife of said William Hunter is my sister. That above statement was written by William Nowers the Notary in my presence for oral statements made by me and that I was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital prepared or dictated by any other person and nor attached as an exhibit to this testimony but that the facts are personally known and written down at my request*

NOTE.—Affiants should state how they gained a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.

I further declares that I have no interest in said case and I am not concerned in its prosecution.

X Isabella D Phelps  
(Signature of Affiant.)

X \_\_\_\_\_  
NOTE.—In the execution of evidence, whenever a witness signs by X mark, two persons WHO CAN WRITE, MUST attest the signature by signing their names opposite.

State of Iowa County of Cass SS:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1897,

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above affidavit was fully made known, explained and read over to the above affiant before swearing, including the words.....

[SEAL]

erased, and the words.....

added: that affiant..... is ..... ~~is~~ reputable and entitled to

credit as witnesses, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

William Brown  
Official signature.

Notary Public  
Official character.  
Cass Iowa

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Any needless delay in the preparation of such testimony after such oral statements by the witness, or in forwarding the same to the Bureau, and any material alteration or erasure will be cause for rejecting such testimony.  
Approved: HOKE SMITH, Secretary. WM. LOCHREN, Commissioner.

*No prior messages*

Additional Evidence.  
Claim No. 652152  
Martha Hunter  
Spencer Hunter  
Late Co. B.  
41<sup>st</sup> Regt. Mass. 1861 1865

Affidavit of  


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The Claimant  
is over 75 years  
of age. ?  
Morrison.

Oct. 23/95.

Ex. 10.



Act of June 27, 1890.

# INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, William Hunter *Off 25,336*  
 P.O., Hubbell Rank, Pri  
 County, Phayer Company, 13  
 State, neb Regiment, 3 Mass Vol Cav

Rate, \$ \_\_\_\_\_, per month, commencing \_\_\_\_\_

Disabled by \_\_\_\_\_

REJECTED

## RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, M V Tierney Fee, \$ 10 Agent to pay.  
 P.O., City Articles filed, none, 189 \_\_\_\_\_

## APPROVALS

*RECEIVED*

Submitted for Ref Sept 27, 1894 Powers Examiner.

Approved for rejection, subject to approval  
 of Med. Referee. No benefit under Act  
 of June 27, 1890 from piles - lumbago -  
disorder of eyes - injury of left  
knee + right side.

Approved for Rejection.  
No benefit conferred.

Fishes  
 Legal Reviewer.

Howell  
 Oct 15, 1894.  
 Medical Referee.

over, 1894

Is now pensioned under other laws. Last paid to \_\_\_\_\_, 189 \_\_\_\_\_, at \$ 6

Pensioned from Oct 8, 1863, at \$ 2 2/3, for injury to rt  
side Inc to \$6 from Jan 15, 1887  
for inj to rt side

## SERVICE SHOWN BY RECORD.

Enlisted Aug, 1862 honorably discharged Oct 8, 1863

Re-enlisted \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_, honorably discharged \_\_\_\_\_, 18\_\_\_\_

Declaration filed Dec 6, 1893 alleges permanent disability, not due to vicious habits,  
 from piles lumbago and sore eyes

Dec filed July 11, 1890 alleged injury  
 to left knee and right side

No M.G.

Waters (1943-150,000.)

[3-216 a.]

*Burton*  
*Ex'r.*  
No. *25336*

Act of June 27, 1890.

*Wm. Hunter,*  
P. O. *Holdredge,*  
*Nebr.*

Service: *B 41-Mass. Inf*  
*B 3 Mass. Cav*

Enlisted: *Aug. 9*, 18*62*

Discharged: *Oct. 8*, 18*63*

Application filed: *Jul. 11*, 18*90*

Alleges: *injury to left knee and*  
*right hip*

Any other Claim filed: \_\_\_\_\_

Numerical No. *4580* ✓

Attorney: *M. V. Tierney,*  
P. O. *City.*

..... Recognized. .... Contract.

..... Cert. of Dis. Searched for ..... 18 ..  
(1021-18,000.) *W-N 600*