

ACT OF FEBRUARY 6, 1907.

DECLARATION FOR PENSION.

THE PENSION CERTIFICATE SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED WITH THE APPLICATION.

State of California
County of Sonoma } ss.

On this 14th day of March, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seven, personally appeared before me, a County Clerk within and for the county and State aforesaid, Gilman S. Hosmer, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is 67 years of age, and a resident of Sebastopol county of Sonoma, State of California; and that he is the identical person who was ENROLLED at Acton, Mass. under the name of Gilman S. Hosmer, on the 29 day of August, 1861, as a Private, in Co. "E" 26th Reg. Infantry, Mass. Volunteers,
(Here state rank, and company and regiment in the Army, or vessels if in the Navy.)

in the service of the United States, in the Civil war, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Savannah Ga., on the 26 day of Aug., 1865, That he also served
(Here give a complete statement of all other services, if any.)

That he was not employed in the military or naval service of the United States otherwise than as stated above. That his personal description at enlistment was as follows: Height, 5 feet 5 inches; complexion, Ruddy; color of eyes, grey; color of hair, light Brown; that his occupation was farmer; that he was born Oct. 24th, 1839, at Acton, Middlesex Co. Mass.

That his several places of residence since leaving the service have been as follows: Acton, Mass. '65 to '66
Cleveland Ohio, '66 to '67; New Mexico - Ft. Union, '67 to '68; Sweet Water Nev. '68 to '69
Jackson Co. Oreg. '69 to 1906, Sebastopol, Cal. 1906 to present time,
(State date of each change, as nearly as possible.)

That he is _____ a pensioner. That he has _____ heretofore applied for pension
Pension Certificate No. 832143
(If a pensioner, the certificate number only need be given. If not, give the number of the former application, if one was made.)

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States under the provisions of the act of February 6, 1907.

That his post-office address is Sebastopol, county of Sonoma, State of California

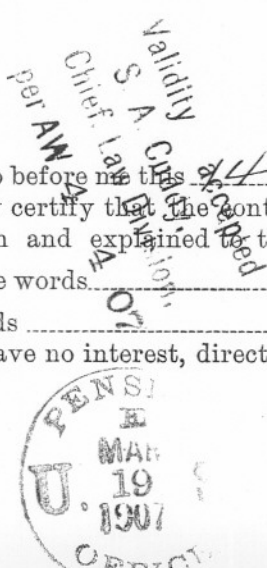
Gilman S. Hosmer
(Claimant's signature in full.)

Attest: (1) W. S. Hosmer
(2) Stanley Hosmer

Also personally appeared G. S. Hosmer, residing in Santa Rosa and Stanley Hosmer, residing in Santa Rosa, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Gilman S. Hosmer, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the claimant and their acquaintance with him of 60 years and 18 years, respectively, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be, and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

W. S. Hosmer
Stanley Hosmer
(Signatures of witnesses.)

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 14 day of March, A. D. 1907, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words _____, erased, [L. S.] and the words _____, added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.



F. L. WRIGHT, Co. Clerk,
Ben F. Ballard
BY _____ DEPUTY CLERK
(Official character)
SANTA ROSA, CAL.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 2, 1915.

SIR: Please answer, at your earliest convenience, the questions enumerated below. The information is requested for future use, and it may be of great value to your widow or children. Use the inclosed envelope, which requires no stamp.

Very respectfully,

G. M. Saenger

GILMAN S HOSMER
SEBASTOPOL CAL
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No. 1. Date and place of birth? Answer. *Oct 24 1839 Acton Mass*
The name of organizations in which you served? Answer. *6th Mass 3 Months*
and 26th Mass 2-5 Infantry
No. 2. What was your post office at enlistment? Answer. *Acton Mass*
No. 3. State your wife's full name and her maiden name. Answer. *never was married*
No. 4. When, where, and by whom were you married? Answer.
No. 5. Is there any official or church record of your marriage?
If so, where? Answer.
No. 6. Were you previously married? If so, state the name of your former wife, the date of the marriage, and the date and place of her death or divorce. If there was more than one previous marriage, let your answer include all former wives. Answer.
No. 7. If your present wife was married before her marriage to you, state the name of her former husband, the date of such marriage, and the date and place of his death or divorce, and state whether he ever rendered any military or naval service, and, if so, give name of the organization in which he served. If she was married more than once before her marriage to you, let your answer include all former husbands. Answer.
No. 8. Are you now living with your wife, or has there been a separation? Answer.
No. 9. State the names and dates of birth of all your children, living or dead. Answer.

Date *March 19*

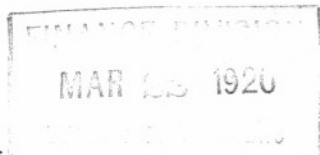
(Signature) *Gilman S. Hosmer*

KELLOGG & KYLE
ATTORNEYS
SANTA ROSA, CALIFORNIA

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THE LAW OF REAL ESTATE AND
LAND TITLES

HARRY T. KYLE
F. H. KELLOGG



March 15th, 1920.

The Commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D. C.

Sir, -

Gilman S. Hosmer, formerly a resident of Sebastopol, in this County, died November 26th last. He had been drawing a pension from the United States Government for service in the Civil War, and about the time of his death a letter was received at the Sebastopol Post Office from your office, addressed to him, which is supposed to have contained his pension check for the period just preceding his death. Pending application for administration of his estate, the letter was returned to your office.

We represent Mr. Stanley Hosmer, the Executor of Mr. Gilman Hosmer's Will, and we write to inquire what steps will be necessary to entitle him, as such Executor, to payment of the amount of pension accrued at the date of Mr. Hosmer's death.

Yours truly,

Kellogg & Kyle

HTK:FW.



ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

DECLARATION FOR PENSION.

THE PENSION CERTIFICATE SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED WITH THE APPLICATION.

State of California
County of Sonoma } ss.

On this 5th day of June, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and Twelve, personally appeared before me, a County Clerk within and for the county and State aforesaid, Gilman S. Hosmer, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is 72 years of age, and a resident of Sebastopol county of Sonoma, State of California; and that he is the identical person who was ENROLLED at Acton, Massachusetts under the name of Gilman S. Hosmer, on the 29th day of August, 1861, as a Drummer, in Company E 26th Regiment of Infantry Massachusetts.
(Here state rank, and company and regiment in the Army; or vessels, if in the Navy.)

in the service of the United States, in the Civil war, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Franklin La, on the 20th day of January, 1864.
That he also served as Private Company (E.) 26 Batt. of Inf. Mass.
(Here give a complete statement of all other services, if any.)
Honorably discharged on Aug 26th 1865, at Savannah Ga.

That he was not employed in the military or naval service of the United States otherwise than as stated above. That his personal description at enlistment was as follows: Height, 5 feet 5 inches; complexion, Ruddy; color of eyes, gray; color of hair, dk Brown; that his occupation was Farmer; that he was born Acton, Mass., 1839.

That his several places of residence since leaving the service have been as follows: New Mexico, 1868, Arizona, 1869, Nevada 1870- Oregon, 1906, California ever since.

(State date of each change as nearly as possible.)

That he is a pensioner under certificate No. 832,143

That he has not applied for pension under original No. 832,143

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States under the provisions of the act of May 11, 1912.

That his post-office address is Sebastopol, county of Sonoma, State of California

Gilman S. Hosmer

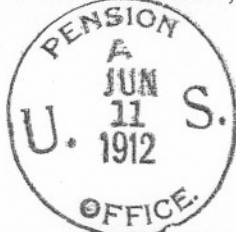
(Claimant's signature in full.)

Attest: (1) Good, Lubbrook

(2) W S Hosmer

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 5th day of June, A. D., 1912, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant before swearing, including the words _____, erased; and the words _____, added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]



W. W. Felt, Jr., Co. Clerk

[Signature]

(Official character, Dept. of War)
SANTA ROSA, CAL.

IF A PENSIONER, DO NOT FAIL TO GIVE CERTIFICATE NUMBER.

ACT OF FEBRUARY 6, 1907.

DECLARATION FOR PENSION.

THE PENSION CERTIFICATE SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED WITH THE APPLICATION.

State of California } ss.
County of Sonoma

On this 25 day of October, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and nine, personally appeared before me, a County Clerk within and for the county and State aforesaid, Gilman S. Hosmer who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is 70 years of age, and a resident of Sebastopol county of Sonoma, State of California; and that he is the identical person who was ENROLLED at Acton, Mass. under the name of Gilman S. Hosmer on the 18 day of October, 1861, as a private, in Co. E. 26 Reg. Mass. Vol. Inf.
(Here state rank, and company and regiment in the Army, or vessels if in the Navy.)

in the service of the United States in the Civil war, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Savannah Ga. (State name of war, Civil or Mexican.) on the 26 day of August, 1865. That he also served
(Here give a complete statement of all other services, if any.)

That he was not employed in the military or naval service of the United States otherwise than as stated above. That his personal description at enlistment was as follows: Height, five feet five inches; complexion, Ruddy; color of eyes, Grey; color of hair, Brown; that his occupation was Farmer; that he was born October 24th, 1839, at Acton, Mass.

That his several places of residence since leaving the service have been as follows: Acton, Mass. 29
4865-1867, Nevada 1867-1870, Lake Creek Oreg. 1870-1906.
Sebastopol, Cal. 1906 to present time.
(State date of each change, as nearly as possible.)

That he is a pensioner. That he has heretofore applied for pension
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(If a pensioner, the certificate number only need be given. If not, give the number of the former application, if one was made.)

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States under the provisions of the act of February 6, 1907.

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Attest: (1) J. L. P. Ford (2) J. W. Ford
Gilman S. Hosmer
(Claimant's signature in full.)

Also personally appeared J. W. Wayman, residing in Santa Rosa Cal. and Stanley Hosmer, residing in Santa Rosa Cal. persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Gilman S. Hosmer, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the claimant and their acquaintance with him of 3 years and 20 years, respectively, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be, and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

J. W. Wayman
Stanley Hosmer
(Signatures of witnesses.)

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 25 day of October, A. D. 1909, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words _____, erased, and the words _____, added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

Validity accepted
S. A. Cuddie,
Chief, L.

F. L. WRIGHT, Co. Clerk,

BY Ben F. Ballard (Official character.)
DEPUTY CLERK.

SANTA ROSA, CAL.



State of Oregon, } ss
 County of Jackson }

in Oath

German S. Hasmer being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the identical German S. Hasmer, the applicant named in pension claim No 933074; that he is disabled in right hand while working on the C & N R Ry. in Oregon in January 1888. My said right hand being caught between two timbers which mashed it so that it is totally disabled and that the same was not done on account of any vicious habit but from genuine hard work and that he has not been in the military or naval service since August 25th 1865.

German S. Hasmer

I now read and subscribed before me this 9th day of June 1891.
 A. J. Morey
 Notary Public

County of Jackson }
State of Oregon } s.s.
Cath.

Gilman S. Hosmer being duly sworn deposes and says that he is the identical Gilman S. Hosmer the applicant named in pension Claim No 933,074, and that I received permanent disability February 1883 at the Grave Creek Tunnel on the O+C Rail Road I was helping load the timbers that were used inside to hold up the rock and dirt, to keep it from caving, and one slipped against the other and caught my hand, and the same was not brought on by vicious habits, I am satisfied and believe the disability is permanent
Gilman S. Hosmer

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this fourth day of March
1892

Ed. R. Owen
Notary Public