



Declaration for Invalid Pension.

Act of June 27, 1890.

NOTE.—This can be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal, certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.

State of Massachusetts, County of Worcester, ss:

ON THIS 12th day of March, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety two

personally appeared before me, a Notary Public

within and for the County and State aforesaid, Granville W. Wilder

aged 54 years, a resident of the Town of Leominster

County of Worcester State of Massachusetts, who, being

duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Granville W. Wilder

who was ENROLLED on the 29th day of August, 1861, in Co. "E"
(Here state rank, company)

26th Regt. of Mass. Vol. Inf. (That he
and regiment, in Military service, or vessel, if in the Navy.)

also enlisted on the 15th day of July 1864
in Co. "E" 5th Regt. Mass. Vols.)
and was discharged Nov. 16, 1864 in the war of the rebellion, and served at least

ninety days, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at New Orleans, La. on the 6th

day of March, 1863 That he is now unable to earn a support by

manual labor by reason of Chronic Diarrhoea, Malarial
(Here name the diseases or injuries from which disabled.)

Pacianing and resulting disease of heart,
Dyspepsia and Piles; that, ^{said} diseases originated
in the U. S. Service, and that he was discharged

an Surgeon's Cert. of Disability. He also
lost four fingers of left hand and injury to other fingers by accident
That said disabilities are not due to his vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent. That

he has never applied for pension under application No. That he is a pensioner

under Certificate No.
(If a pensioner, Certificate only need be given. If not, give the number of the

That he has not been in the Military or Naval
former application if one was made.)

service of the U. S. since Nov. 16, 1864 -
That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension-roll of the United States under the provi-

sions of the Act of June 27, 1890. He hereby appoints

M. F. Plimpton of Fitchburg, Mass.

his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim, and he directs that the sum of ten dollars be paid to said attorney

That his POST OFFICE ADDRESS is Leominster, P. O. Box 645

County of Worcester State of Massachusetts

Charles W. Walker Granville W. Wilder
(Signature of Claimant.)

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(Two witnesses who can write, sign here.)

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Act of June 27, 1890.

DECLARATION FOR INVALID PENSION.

To be executed before a Court of Record or some officer thereof having custody of its seal, a Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk of a Court of Record, or a City or County Clerk.

State of Massachusetts, County of Worcester, ss:

On this 26th day of March, A. D., one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

seven, personally appeared before me, Nathan H. Cleverick

a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid

Granville W. Wilder, aged 59 years, a resident of the

Town of Leominster County of Worcester

State of Massachusetts who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is

the identical Granville W. Wilder, who was ENROLLED on the 29th

day of August, 1861, in Sergeant in Company F

(Here state rank, company, and regiment in Military service, or vessel, if in Navy.)

26th Mass Vols. in the service of the

United States in the war of the rebellion, and served at least ninety days, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at

New Orleans La, on the 5th day of March, 1863.

That he has been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated

Company E 6th Mass (3 months) from April 15 to Aug 2, 1861, and 68th Mass (volunteer) from July 16 to Sep 16, 1864. That he was not in the service prior above to August 24, 1860, nor subsequent to Nov 16, 1864, nor between March 16, 1863, and July 16, 1864.

That he is totally unable to earn a support by manual labor by reason of "Malarial poisoning,

& chronic diarrhoea, piles, trouble of heart resulting general debility"

(Here name the disease or injuries from which disabled.)

"loss vision, finger left hand" see his proofs on file

"double inguinal hernia" contracted during the winter of 1860 during a fit of violent coughing - "irreversible" of left leg

That said disabilities are not due to his

vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent. That he has heretofore

applied for pension under application No. 1100, 968 That he is a pensioner under Certificate No.

(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 June 27, 1890.

He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

Charles W. Kencall of Fitchburg, Mass.

his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim, the fee to be TEN DOLLARS as prescribed by law. That

his POST-OFFICE ADDRESS is 18 Green St Leominster, County of

Worcester, State of Massachusetts

Granville W. Wilder

(Claimant's Signature.)

1 Emily A. Wilder

2 A. O. Hitchcock

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

ATTY FILED

Act of June 27, 1890.

PHYSICIAN'S AFFIDAVIT. PROOF OF PHYSICAL DISABILITY.

TAKE NOTICE.—The affidavit should, if possible, be in the handwriting of the affiant, the marginal instructions must be carefully observed before writing out the statement. All the facts in possession of affiant as to the origin and continuance of the disability should be fully set forth, and the dates of treatment should be specifically given.

State of Massachusetts, County of Worcester, ss:

In the Pension Claim No. 763,769 of Granville W. Wilder,
late of Company E, 26th Regt Mass Vol Inf
(Company and regiment of service if in the army, or vessel and rank if in the navy.)

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid
County and State, Henry R. Brown a citizen of Leominster, Mass.
whose post-office address is Leominster, Mass.

well-known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declares in relation to the aforesaid case as follows:

That he is a Practicing Physician, and that he has been acquainted with said soldier for about 12 years, and that in addition to the ailments
(Here embody all the facts known to the affiant in accordance with the marginal instruction. No erasures or interlineations will be permitted unless the magistrate certifies in his jurat that they were made before executing the paper.)
which partially disabled him

he has now complete paralysis
of right arm, partial paralysis
of right foot and leg, and
also of tongue and throat.
He is totally disabled
his condition in my opinion
is not the result of vicious
habits

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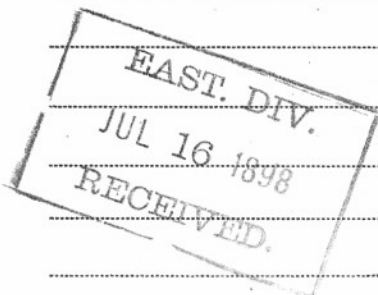
The Physician's Affidavit must show the following facts:

1st. A complete diagnosis of the disabilities upon which the claim for pension is based, and the period during which he treated him.

2d. That the soldier is suffering at present from a mental or physical disability of a permanent character, not the result of his own vicious habits, which incapacitates him from the performance of manual labor in such a degree as to render him unable to earn a support. The degree or extent he has been disabled since the filing of his application should be plainly stated.

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EAST. DIV.
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 Department of the Interior,
 BUREAU OF PENSIONS,
 Washington, D. C., *September 27 1897*

East Div.
 Claim No. *1100968*
Granville W. Wilder
 Co. *E. 26* Reg't *Mass. Inf.*

SIR:

Will you kindly 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 family.

Very respectfully,

Mr Granville W. Wilder
No 18 Green St
Lowminster, Mass

J. H. Davenport
Acting Commissioner

No. 1. Are you a married man? If so, please state your wife's full name, and her maiden name.

Answer: *yes Emily Ann Wilder — Walker*

No. 2. When, where, and by whom were you married? Answer:

June 11th 1877. North Lowminster, Mass. Rev. C. G. Smith.

No. 3. What record of marriage exists? Answer:

certificate of marriage, and on Town Record.

No. 4. Were you previously married? If so, please state the name of your former wife and the

date and place of her death or divorce. Answer: *yes Angeline A. Wilder*

Divorced Oct 18th 1875 at Worcester, Mass.

No. 5. Have you any children living? If so, please state their names and the dates of their

birth. Answer: *yes one son. Henry Windsor Wilder,*

Born Sept. 23^d 1865.

Date of reply, *Sept 24th*, 1897.

Granville W. Wilder
 (Signature)

LEOMINSTER, MASSACHUSETTS.

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE.

TRANSCRIPT FROM THE RECORDS OF MARRIAGES.

Leominster, July 20, 1903 18

I hereby certify that the marriage of Granville W. Wilder, and Emily A. Walker is recorded on the records of the Town of Leominster, Mass., Vol. 15 Page 130 as follows:

	GROOM.	BRIDE.
Names,	Granville W. Wilder	Emily A. Walker
Date of Marriage,	June 11th. 1877	
Residence,	Leominster	Leominster
Age,	39	34
Occupation,	Cabinet Maker	
Birthplace,	Stowe	Nashua N. H.
Name of Father,	Henry	George
Name of Mother,	Ann S.	Elisabeth
No. of Marriage,	2nd.	1st.
Place of Marriage,	Leominster	
By whom Married,	Rev. E. G. Smith	

A true copy. Attest:

Robt. L. Carter

Town Clerk.

Worcester, ss.

On this 20th. day of July 1903. 18, personally appeared the above named Robt. L. Carter Clerk of the Town of Leominster and made oath that the above statement subscribed by him is true.

Before me,

James B. P. Dyer

Justice of the Peace.

LEOMINSTER, MASSACHUSETTS.

TOWN CLERK'S OFFICE.

TRANSCRIPT FROM THE RECORDS OF DEATHS.

Leominster, July 20th. 1903.

I hereby certify that the death of Granville W. Wilder is recorded on the Records of the Town of Leominster, Mass., Vol. 15 Page 1865 follows:

Name of Deceased, Granville W. Wilder
Residence, Leominster Mass.
Date of Death, July 7th. 1903.
Name of Husband,
Age, 65 years 9 months 7 days
Place of Death, Leominster Mass.
Sex, Male.
Married, Single or Widowed, Married
Occupation,
Birthplace, Stowe Mass.
Father's Name, Henry Wilder
Mother's Maiden Name, Brown
Disease, or Cause of Death, Apoplexy
Place of Interment, Evergreen Cemetery Leominster
Birthplace of Father, Unknown
Birthplace of Mother, "



A true copy Attest: Robt. L. Carter Town Clerk.

Worcester ss. On this 20th. day of July, 1903., personally appeared the above named Robt. L. Carter, Clerk of the Town of Leominster, and made oath that the above statement subscribed by him is true. Before me,

James O. Lyman, Justice of the Peace.
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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Worcester, ss.

To all People to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting:

Know Ye, That at the Supreme Judicial Court, begun and holden at Worcester, within and for the County of Worcester, and Commonwealth aforesaid, on the first Tuesday of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy five Granville W. Wilder, of Leominster in said County of Worcester, having entered his libel in said Court praying that the bonds of matrimony between him and Angeline A. Wilder of Marysville in the State of California might be dissolved and due proceedings having been had thereon, and all the material facts necessary to substantiate the charge of desertion in said libel contained, having been satisfactorily proved, it was ordered and decreed by the Court, that the bonds of matrimony before then existing between the said Granville W. Wilder and the said Angeline A. Wilder be dissolved, and the same were then accordingly dissolved.

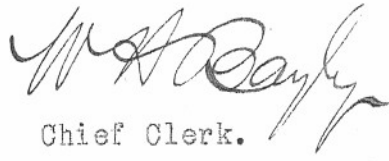
In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at Worcester in said County, this eighteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy five.

(SEAL)

Joseph Mason, Clerk.

I certify that the above is a true copy of a paper this day returned to Mrs. Emily A. Wilder.

October 21, 1903.


 Chief Clerk.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The civil officer before whom this affidavit is executed should be careful to fill in all spaces, both in the caption and jurat.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Massachusetts, County of Worcester, ss:

In the matter of original pension claim No 78802 Emily A Wilder
Granville W. Wilder, Co "E" 26th Regt Mass Vol Inf

ON THIS first day of August, A. D. 19 03, personally
 appeared before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the afore-

said County, duly authorized to administer oaths Abraham Priest

aged 67 years, a resident of Gardner, in the County

of Worcester, and State of Massachusetts

whose Post-office address is #361 Chestnut Street and

Mary A. Priest, aged 62 years, a resident of Gardner,

in the County of Worcester

and State of Massachusetts, whose Post-office address is #361 Chestnut Street.

well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid

case as follows: that we were well and personally

acquainted with the aforesaid Granville W.

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

Wilder, having known him before he

arrived at marriageable age; that we were also

acquainted with Angelina A. (Harris) Wilder,

his first wife and we are acquainted with

the above widow Emily A. (Wilder) Wilder,

that we have every reason to believe and

we do believe that the soldier was never

married previous to his marriage with

Angelina A. Harris, nor did he remarry between

the time of his divorce from the said

Angelina A. Wilder and his marriage with

Emily A. Wilder, if it had been otherwise

we would have been likely to have known it.

that we further declare that said Granville W.

Wilder was not in the military or naval service

before April 15, 1861, nor between August 2, 1861, and

August 29, 1861, nor between March 6, 1863, and

July 16, 1864, nor after November 16, 1864.

We further declare that we have no interest in said case and we are

not concerned in its prosecution.

(If Affiants sign by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.)

(Signatures of Affiants.)

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Abraham Priest
Mary A. Priest

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The civil officer before whom this affidavit is executed should be careful to fill in all spaces, both in the caption and jurat.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Massachusetts, County of Worcester, ss:

In the matter of pension claim No 788020 Emily A Wilder
Graville W Wilder Co & 26th Regt Mass Vol Inf

ON THIS 24 day of July, A. D. 1903, personally appeared before me
Harry C Brown A. Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer
oaths Emily A Wilder, aged 60 years, a resident of Leominster,
in the County of Worcester, and State of Massachusetts,
whose Post-office address is 12 Hawes Street - North Leominster, Mass

well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

that my maiden name was Emily A. Walker; that
I was married to the above named Graville W. Wilder,
(Note.—Affiant should state how he gains a knowledge of the facts to which he testifies.)
on the 17th day of June 1877; that I had not been pre-
viously married; that my said husband had been once
previously married; that his first wife's name was Angelina A.
Harris, from whom he was divorced October 18, 1875; that
I lived with my husband from date of our marriage
till date of his death and was never divorced from
him. That at the time of my husband's death,
he did not own or have in his possession any real,
personal or mixed property, no money loaned at interest in
Savings Banks or elsewhere, no bonds, stocks or investments;
that my husband was insured in the Odd Fellows benefit
association, the certificate is payable to myself upon which
I receive \$200.00 per year, which I will use for my husband's death as
he had been a helpless invalid for a long time.
That at the time of my husband's death, I did not
own any real personal or mixed property, no bonds, stocks
or investments, no money loaned at interest in Savings Banks
or elsewhere. That I have not disposed of any real
estate since my husband's death. That there is no
person legally bound to support me, that I can without
other means of support than my daily labor.

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

Emily A. Wilder
(Signature of Affiant.)

(If Affiant signs by mark, two witnesses who can write sign here.)



Law
Y. L.

September 20. 1916

Widow's Certificate Number 559. 363

Name of Soldier (or sailor) Granville W. Wilder

Service of Soldier (or sailor) Sergt. Co. E, 6 Mass. Inf. Sergt. & Priv. Co. E, 26 Mass Inf
and Private Co. E, 5 Mass. Inf.

Commissioner of Pensions,

Washington, D. C.

Sir: I am pensioned under the above certificate number, because of the service of the soldier (or sailor) named. I was ^{not} his wife during the Civil War.

I am 73 years of age, having been born April 6, 1843, at Nashua New Hampshire

I am entitled to the increase of pension provided by the first section of the Act of September 8, 1916.

(Signature) Emily A. Wilder

(Postoffice address) 508 Main Street

North Leominster Massachusetts.

Wid. O. No. 788020

Emily A. Wilder

Granville W. Wilder

E 26 Mass. Inf.

ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.



CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE.

(To be used, in duplicate, in all cases of discharge on account of disability.)

Sergeant Granville W. Wilder of Captain *W.H. Chapman* Company, (E) of the 26th Mass. Vol. Regiment of United States was enlisted by Capt. *W.H. Chapman* of the *Twenty-fifth* Regiment of *Massachusetts* at *Acton Mass* on the *Twenty-fifth* day of *August* 1861, to serve *Three* years; he was born in *Stow* in the State of *Massachusetts* is *Twenty Four* years of age, *Five* feet *Eight 1/2* inches high, *Fair* complexion, *Blue* eyes, *Light Brown* hair, and by occupation when enlisted a *Carrier*. During the last two months said soldier has been unfit for duty *60* days. (Here consult directions on Form 13, p. 325, Medical Dept. Gen. Reg.)

Said Sergeant Granville W. Wilder has been in the Hospital for the last *Three* months he has not done any duty for the last *Six* months.

STATION: *New Orleans La*
DATE: *Feb 16th 1863* *W.H. Chapman*
Captain Commanding Company.

I CERTIFY, that I have carefully examined the said *Granville W Wilder* of Captain *Chapman's* Company, and find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of *Chronic diarrhoea* (Here consult par. 1260, p. 284 and directions on Form 13, p. 325, Med. Dept. Gen. Reg.) *of over 7 months standing*

W.H. Brown
Surgeon.

DISCHARGED, this *6th* day of *March* 1863, at *St James Hospital No.*
W.H. Brown
Commanding the Post.

NOTE 1.—When a probable case for pension, special care must be taken to state the degree of disability.
NOTE 2.—The place where the soldier desires to be addressed may be here added.
Town— County— State—

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DIVISION.

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., Aug 7, 1893

Respectfully returned to
the Chief of the Record
and Pension Division of
the War Department
for a full military
history of this record
with all treatment.

No. 1100.968

Granville W. Wilder
Co. E. 26 Mass Inf
" E. 5 " "

J. W. Lochorn

Commissioner.

Address: "Chief of the Record and Pension Office,
War Department, Washington, D. C."

Record and Pension Office,

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions.

Granville W. Wilder
Co. E. 26 Reg't Mass Inf
was enrolled Aug 29, 1861,
and discharged Mar 6, 1863,
on S. C. of D.

Granville W. Wilder Co
E. 5 Mass Inf was en-
rolled July 15/64 and
M. O. Nov 16/64.
From Enr, 186, to disch, 186,
he held the rank of Capt Sargt
Capt

and during that period the rolls show him present
except as follows Oct 31/62 present
sick in St James Hospital
Dec 31/62 Feb 28/63 pres-
ent sick in hospital

The medical records show him treated as follows as
Granville W. Wilder Sgt
Co E 26 Mass, Oct 7/62
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mitted, ret'd to duty;
Nov 8 62 to Mch 11/63
Chronic Diarrhoea Dis-
charged from service
Mch 11/63
Nothing additional found.



By AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

W. A. C. M. W. W.

Colonel, U. S. Army, Chief of Office.

Per m.

Washington, D. C., AUG 8 1893

(COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS.)

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[No. 1.]

DECLARATION FOR AN ORIGINAL INVALID PENSION.

This must be Executed before a Court of Record or some Officer thereof having custody of the Seal.

State of Massachusetts County of Worcester, ss:
 ON THIS 27 day of March A. D. one thousand eight hundred
 and ninety seven, personally appeared before me a Justice
 of the Peace ~~a COURT OF RECORD~~ within and for the county and
 State aforesaid Granville W. Wilder aged 39 years, who, being
 duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Granville W. Wilder
 who was ENROLLED as a Sergeant on the 29th
 day of August 1861, in Company G of the 25th Regiment of
Mass Vols commanded by Wm H. Chapman
 and was honorably DISCHARGED at St James Hospital, New Orleans La on the 5th
 day of March, 1863; that his personal description is as follows: age 24
 years; height five feet 8 1/2 inches; complexion fair; hair light brown;
 eyes blue. That while a member of the organization aforesaid, in the service and in
 the line of duty, at or near New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana,
 on or about the _____ day of _____, 18____, he contracted
 "Malarial poisoning" he does not recollect the date. He never
 nature of disease, or the location of the wound, or injury. If disabled by disease state fully its cause, if by wound or injury, the precise manner in
 doing Garrison duty near Fort St Philip below New Orleans.
 which received.)
 and was dangerously sick. That while in New Orleans, La.,
 on or about Nov 11, 1862, as near as he can recollect, he
 contracted "chronic diarrhoea" and from the results of the above
 diseases i.e. "trouble of heart, dyspepsia" and pills he has
 never recovered "having been generally disabled thereby during
 each and every year since his discharge"

That he was treated in hospitals, as follows: first in a building used for hos-
 (Here state the names or numbers, and the localities of all hospitals in which treated, and the dates of treatment.)
pital purposes near Ft St Philip - second at St James in
New Orleans La.

That he has _____ been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as
 stated above Co E 6th Mass (3 months) from April 13, 1861, to Aug 2, 1861
 (Here state what the service was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above, and the dates at which it began and ended.)
Co E 6th Mass 104 (100 days) from 16th day of July 1864 to Nov 16, 1864.

That he has not been in the military or naval service of the United States since the
16th day of September 1864. That since leaving the service this applicant
 has resided in the Town of Leominster in the State of
Massachusetts, and that his occupation has been that of a Mechanic
 That prior to his entry into the service above named he was a man of
 good, sound physical health, being when enrolled a Currier

That he is now _____ disabled from obtaining his subsistence by
 manual labor by reason of his injuries above described, received in the service of the United
 States; and he therefore makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the invalid
 pension roll of the United States. He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and
 revocation Charles W. Kendall of Fitchburg, Mass.
 his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim. That he has never
 received but has applied for a pension; that his residence is No. 18
Green street Leominster, Mass.
 and that his post-office address is Same.

Emily A. Wilder

A. O. Hitchcock

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

Granville W. Wilder

(Signature of Claimant.)