

Comp # 41313

Certificate # 408623

Ida C. Martin

Boyd

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Kansas, County of Ottawa, SS.

In the matter of the application for pension of Ida C. Martin & children
widow children of Col John A Martin

ON THIS 27th day of May A. D. 1890, personally appeared before me, a
Mary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths
Ida C. Martin aged 39 years, a resident of Ottawa
 in the County of Ottawa and State of Kansas
 whose Post Office address is Ottawa and

aged _____ years a resident of _____
 in the County of _____ and State of _____
 whose Post Office address is _____

well known to me to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declare in relation
 to the aforesaid case as follows: That she has been well and personally acquainted with

Col John A. Martin for 23 years, and _____ years respectively, and that she
was married to him June 12th 1871. she was his first
and only wife. as the fruits of their marriage there was
born seven children all of whom are living, viz.
Ruth born ^{May 31, 1873} Sept. 8, 1874 - Grace, Sept. 8, 1874 - Ethel, Sept. 6
1878 - John Alexander, April 29, 1880 - Faith, March 20, 1885
Paul Alexander, May 16, 1886 - Harris Crawford, Sept. 25th 1887

Col Martin was troubled with a hacking cough during
the entire period of her acquaintance with him.
at different times his throat would become so
much worse as to necessitate his consulting a
physician and having medical treatment. In his
last illness this trouble became more serious
than it had ever been before and was one of
the most distressing symptoms of the disease
at that time.

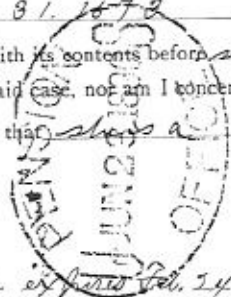
Frequently during Col Martin's lifetime he would
express himself as confident that sooner or later
he would suffer seriously from the effects of the
exposure he underwent in army service

There was always a troublesome skin eruption which
affected his head and body, and which continued to
the knowledge during the period of their married
life.

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

Ida C. Martin.

STATE OF Kansas, COUNTY OF Atchison, ss.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant, including the words Sept. 16, 1974 erased, and the words May 31, 1972 added and acquainted her with its contents before she executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me and that she is a credible person.



D.H. Kimball
Notary Public

[L. S.]
My Commission expires Feb. 24, 1992

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

Ida C. Martin + Children
Widow + Children of
Col. John A. Martin dead
STATE OF
Ida C. Martin

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FILED BY
D. BARNOLD,
Attorney at Law,
Atchison, - - Kansas.

Seip & Horton, Printers, Atchison, Kansas.

NOTICE.—Witnesses must give their means of knowledge of the facts testified to.

General Affidavit.

State of Kansas, County of Atchison, ss:

In the matter of the application of Loda C. Martin & children, widow & children of John G. Martin dead for pension

ON THIS 17th day of May A. D. 1892 personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths, R. B. Washer aged fifty four years, a resident of Atchison in the County of Atchison and State of Kansas whose postoffice address is Atchison Kansas and _____ aged _____ years, a resident of _____ in the County of _____ and State of _____ whose postoffice address is _____

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

I first became acquainted with John G. Martin in April 1860. He was living in Atchison Kansas. I was very intimate with him from that time until his death. We served in the same regiment the 1st Kansas he being its Colonel & I was a First Lieutenant and Adj't. I was with him constantly during the war. - Before he entered the service he was a strong man physically with a perfect constitution. His Parents were long lived. His father died a general aged about 90. from a long kidney trouble. His mother still lives, all his brothers & sisters survive him in good health. He was apparently free from any hereditary disease or other germ; and of a disease contracted in the army, and while he was in the army.

His widow, Loda C. Martin, who survives him was his first and only wife. They had 7 children who are now living. The 1st Kansas vol. Infantry, was subjected to a great deal of exposure during its army service. Notably on the march from Corinth Miss. to Louisville Ky. in 1862. The campaign from Louisville, the battle of Perryville & March to Nashville in October and November 1862. The campaign and battle around Fall-hurona June & July 1863, during which time for 14 days with there was almost continual rain and during which time we were with out dry clothing, slept on the wet ground and often woke to find the ground covered with water. And the battle of Chickamauga Ga. in Sept. 1863. The siege of Chattanooga Ga. & the battle of Mission Ridge. The march to Knoxville & Sandridge in Nov. & Dec. 1863 and the Atlanta campaign in 1864. During the latter of these campaigns notably the siege of Chattanooga. The regiment was not provided with

(Affiants sign on the other side.)

proper food and the disease called scurvy became epidemic and during the year 1864 Col Martin was taken sick had to leave his regiment and go to the hospital I think he had the scurvy. In the years at various times noticed eruptions on his face & head that I attributed to the effects of the scurvy contracted while in the service. Col. Martin was a man who would never abandon his post of duty except for some meritorious reason and did not leave because of sickness until it became an absolute necessity.

~~They~~ further declare that ~~they~~ have no interest in said case, and ~~are~~ ^{am} not concerned in its prosecution.

S. R. Pasher

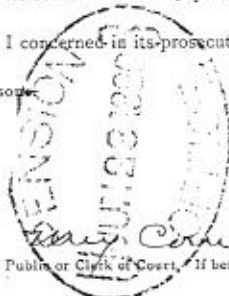
(If affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.)

AFFIANTS.

State of Kansas, County of Atchison, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiants, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiants, including the words _____ erased, and the words _____ added, and acquainted ~~them~~ ^{him} with its contents before ~~they~~ ^{he} executed the same. I further certify that I am nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant ~~is~~ ^{is} personally known to me, and that ~~they~~ ^{he is} ~~are~~ ^{is} credible person.

[L. S.]



Philip Fowler
Notary Public
Official Character
Commission expires Oct 23, 1890.

[Execute before a Notary Public or Clerk of Court, if before a Justice of the Peace, a Clerk's Certificate will be necessary.]

No. _____
ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.
CLAIM FOR
Ida C Martin
And Children, Mother &
Children Coy from a Martin
S. R. Pasher
AFFIDAVIT
S. R. Pasher
FILED BY
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Kenney
F. H. KENNEDY & CO.
ATTORNEYS,
216 American Bank Bldg., KANSAS CITY, MO.
Edwin S. Hale, Printer, 59 Delaware St.

PHYSICIAN'S AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF Kansas, COUNTY OF Shawnee, ss.

Pension Claim No. _____ of John A Martin
late of 1st Cal 8th Kansas Bats

Personally appeared before me an officer duly authorized to administer oaths within and for the County and State
aforesaid, Georg Strohbaum a citizen of Kansas
whose Post Office address is Lopoke
Kansas well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly

sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

I have been a practicing physician for 36 years, and ^{was} acquainted with the above-described soldier
about 30 years & that upon the first organization
(Here embody all the facts known to the affiant in accordance with the marginal instructions.)
of the 8th Kansas Bats on or about Sept 1861. He was
Commissioned & mustered Asst Surgeon of Said
Regt & served with portions of the Regt at different
times for about eight months. During this time
I well knew John A Martin then 1st Cal of Said
Regiment. During that time he was never sick nor
suffering in any respect. Nor showed any indications
of any ailment to my knowledge. He always appeared
well and was a strong & healthy man. After on or
about May 1862 I only saw 1st Cal John A Martin
two or three times then only momentarily up to the
close of the war. After the close of the war up to
1884 I saw him several times but only incidentally.
In 1884 he was elected Governor of the State & in his
official capacity was in the city for eight years
during which time I saw him frequently. At
times during this period he seemed to be in
poor health. At times troubled with apparently
a throat trouble which caused huskiness or clearing
of throat. As I did not examine him I do not
know what this ailment was. From 1888
up to the time of his death I do not remember
of having seen him -

DOCTOR - Please read these notes and prepare your affidavit on other paper and then copy it on this blank.

NOTES.
Physician's affidavit should be in his own handwriting or explanation made why it is not, and if made from memoranda, the facts stated and the memoranda embodied in the affidavit. It should show when the affiant first got acquainted with the soldier; for what period and how well he knew him and his opinion (and reason therefor) as to soldier's physical condition up to the time he came under affiant's treatment; the date (as near as may be) that the treatment was commenced; the whole time covered by the different periods of treatment and soldier's physical condition during that time. He should also state what portion of each year of this time was the soldier really able to perform hard manual labor and the cause of his inability.

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Medical Evidence.

No.

APPROPRIATE OF

Geo. H. H. [unclear]

Surgeon & [unclear] 1861.

CLAIM OF

Eda C. Martin & Children
Widow & Children

of [unclear] a Martin
FOUR
St. Kansas

FILED BY

A. J. [unclear]

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

For 12 years an Examiner in the U. S. Pension
Bureau.

TOPEKA, KAN. and WASHINGTON, D. C.

SPECIAL ATTENTION.

I have had twelve years experience in the

U. S. Patent and Pension Bureaus,

And for four years I was engaged in presenting all classes of Governmental claims and business before the several Departments and Bureaus of the Government, officially, as private secretary to a U. S. Senator, and understand my business thoroughly. You may be entitled to additional Bounty. You may be entitled to increase of Pension. You may be entitled to Arrears of Pay, Pension or other Monies. You will never know what the Government owes you until you ask. Let me hear from you. I will answer all letters promptly and charge you nothing for the information.

A. M. LEGG,

Late Principal and Special Examiner of Pensions.



[Handwritten signatures and text, including 'Ray', 'Court', and 'Official Register']

(L. S.)

added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

erased, and the words

declaration, etc., were fully made known to him before swearing, including the words

and I hereby certify that the affiant is a practicing physician in good professional standing; that the contents of the above

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this

[Handwritten signature and date: A. D. 1860]

I further declare that I have no interest, either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of KANSAS, County of ATCHISON, SS.In the matter of the application for pension of Ida C. MartinWidow of Col. John A. Martin deceasedON THIS 25th day of October A. D. 1890, personally appeared before me, aNatany Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oathsLuther C. Challis aged 60 years, a resident of Atchisonin the County of Atchison and State of Kansaswhose Post Office address is Atchison Kansas and

aged _____ years a resident of _____

in the County of _____ and State of _____

whose Post Office address is _____

well known to me to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declare in relation

to the aforesaid case as follows: That he has been well and personally acquainted with

John A. Martin for 33 years, and _____ years respectively, and that and
with Ida C. Martin from birth of same. That up to the
time of the marriage of said John A. Martin and
Ida C. Martin, both parties, had been single
and there was no prior marriage on the part of
either. That at the time of the death of said John
A. Martin the said Ida C. Martin was his lawful
wife they having never been divorced. That
said Ida C. Martin has remained a widow
of since the death of said John A. Martin
and has never remarried.

That of the fruits of the said marriage, there have
been to said John A. Martin and Ida C. Martin chil-
dren as follows

<u>Ruth Martin</u>	<u>born on the 3rd day of May 1873</u>
<u>Grace</u>	<u>" " " " 8th " " Sept. 1874</u>
<u>Ethel</u>	<u>" " " " 6th " " 1875</u>
<u>John Alexander</u>	<u>" " " " 24th " " April 1880</u>
<u>Faith</u>	<u>" " " " 20th " " March 1885</u>
<u>Paul Alexander</u>	<u>" " " " 18th " " May 1886</u>
<u>James Crawford</u>	<u>" " " " 25th " " Sept. 1887</u>

That all of said children are living at this
time and that said children are living
with their mother the said Ida C. Martin
and are under her care and subject
to her control

he further declare that he has no interest in said case and is not concerned in its prosecution.

Luther C. Chaceiss

STATE OF Kansas, COUNTY OF Atchison, ss.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant, including the words years erased, and the words

added and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me and that he is a ^{creditable} person.

Howard M. Baldwin
Notary Public

[L. S.]

My Commission expires Jan 26th 1890

Wed Oct 4-7, 2-12

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

Ida C Martin

Madam
Ida C Martin

AFFIDAVIT OF

L. C. Chaceiss
Col. S. Kan. Inf.

James H. Ellis North
ATTORNEY AT LAW
AND SOLICITOR OF CLAIMS,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

FILED BY

John C. Arnold

Attorney at Law, Kansas.

Atchison, - - Kansas.

Seip & Horton, Printers, Atchison, Kansas.

State of Kansas
County of Stichison } SS.

In the matter of the claim for penision of Edward Martin & Children
widow and Children of John A. Martin
Colonel of the

Company Eighth Regiment Kansas Infantry Vols:.....

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for
aforesaid County and State, by M. L. Challis
citizen of the County of Stichison State of Kansas, reputable

and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid claim, that the date of the birth
of the children named herein of said soldier is as follows:

- Ruth Martin was born May 31st 1873
- Grace Martin was born Sept. 8th 1874
- Ethel Martin was born Sept. 6th 1878
- John Alexander Martin was born April 29th 1880

That he was present at the birth of the same in the capacity of Attending Physician and has
personal knowledge of the date, as aforesaid.....

.....further declare that he has no interest in said claim, and is not concerned in its
prosecution.

Attest—when any affiant signs by mark, (3 persons.)

M. L. Bailey

Signature
of
Affiant.

M. L. Challis

December 1st 1890

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME this day by the above named affiants; and I certify that I read said
affidavit to said affiants, and acquainted them with its contents before they executed the same. I further certify

that I am in no wise interested in said claim, nor am I concerned in its prosecution. Witness my hand and official seal this 1st day of December 1890

Howard M. T. Baldwin

Notary Public

my commission expires Jan 26th 1890

Witness my hand and official seal this.....day of....., 18

ADD SEAL HERE.

Sign here.....[L. S.]

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character on the back hereof, and not on a separate slip of paper.

I,, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that Esq., who hath signed his name to the foregoing affidavit, was at the time of so doing a..... in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office.....day of....., 18

Clerk of the.....

CLAIM FOR

Widow
Ida C. Martin
Sub. A. Martin
Col. 8th Regiment
Mass. Inf.

AFFIDAVIT

Dr. H. L. Schell
Burke

FILED BY

J. H. ELISWORTH,
ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

[3-013.]

D Declaration for Original Pension of a Widow—Child or Children under Sixteen years of age surviving. D

STATE OF Kansas, COUNTY OF Atchison, ss:

On this 25th day of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and 90 personally appeared before me Chas. S. Albright Clerk of the Dist Court the same being a court of record within and for the county and State aforesaid, Ida C. Martin

aged 39 years, who, being duly sworn according to law, makes the following declaration in order to obtain the pension provided by Act of Congress granting pensions to widows: That she is the widow of John A. Martin who ^{married her} ~~married her~~ under the name of John A. Martin at Lecompton, Kas. on the 27th day of October, A. D. 1861 in the 8th Kansas Reg't.

in the war of the Rebellion, who ~~contracted~~ ^{contracted} the disease of a scabrous character and pneumonia, which was complicated with a throat affection, from which he was never entirely relieved, caused by exposure and had contracted during the Atchison campaign, which ultimately caused his death, which occurred on the 2nd day of October, A. D. 1867, who bore at the time of his death the rank of Colonel, 8th Kansas Reg't. in the services aforesaid; that she was married under the name of Ida Schellise to said John A. Martin on the 1st day of June, A. D. 1876, by Rev. E. Hurm at Atchison, Kansas, there being no legal barrier to such marriage; that neither she nor her husband had been previously married ⁴

that she has to the present date remained his widow; that the following are the names and dates of birth of all his legitimate children yet surviving who were under sixteen years of age at the father's death, to wit:

HIS BY HIMSELF.		HIS BY A FORMER MARRIAGE.	
<u>Loace Martin</u>	born <u>Sept. 8, 1874</u>		born
<u>Ethel</u>	born <u>Sept. 6, 1878</u>		born
<u>John A.</u>	born <u>April 29, 1880</u>		born
<u>Faith</u>	born <u>Nov. 20, 1887</u>		born
<u>Paul A.</u>	born <u>May 18, 1886</u>		born
<u>Harrie C.</u>	born <u>Sept. 25, 1887</u>		born

That she has not abandoned the support of any one of his children, but that they are still under her care or maintenance ⁵

that she has not in any manner been engaged in, or aided or abetted, the rebellion in the United States; that no prior application has been filed ⁶

that she hereby appoints William S. Bailey her attorney to prosecute her claim; that her residence is No. 315 N. First street, and that her post office address is Atchison, Kansas.

(Attest.) T. M. Purce Ida C. Martin
(Claimant's signature)

W. J. Charliss residing at No. _____

Also personally appeared T. M. Purce residing at No. _____ in _____ street, in Atchison Kan., and W. J. Charliss residing at No. 203, in N. 1st street, in Atchison, Kansas, 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 Ida C. Martin, the claimant, sign her name ~~(write her name)~~ to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with her, that she is the identical person she represents herself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

T. M. Purce

SWORN to and subscribed before me this 20th day of June, A. D. 18 90
and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., 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.

Chas S. Albright
(Signature)
Chief District Court
(Official Character)

1 State name of the Regiment, if in army; or vessel and rank, if in navy.
2 If wife, the words "widow," or otherwise.
3 If wife has been previously married, so state, and give date of death or divorce of former spouse.
4 For 40% children as are but under her care claimant should account.
5 If prior application has been filed, either by soldier or widow, so state, giving number assigned to it.

D. D

WIDOW.

CLAIM FOR PENSION.
WITH CHILDREN.

ORIGINAL.

Ida C. Martin Applicant
Widow of *Col. John A. Martin*
W. H. Co., Regt. *8th* Vols.
Maui, Hawaii



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All the blanks in this form should be carefully filled and the requirements of the notes strictly observed.
An honorable discharge from the service in all cases is necessary.
Declarations of claimants, either for original pension or for increase of pension already granted, must be made before a court of record or before some officer thereof having custody of its seal; said officer being fully authorized and empowered to administer and certify any oath or affirmation relating to any pension or application therefor.
The claimant's identity and loyalty must be proven by two witnesses, certified by the judicial officer to be respectable and credible, who are present and witness the signature of the declarant, and certify to his identity and loyalty under oath or affirmation.
Declarations and other papers should be as legible and as clear in statement as possible.
Where any evidence is already on file in any department of the Government, a definite description of and specific reference to it will render it available in any subsequent claim.
The post office address (naming street and number in all large cities) of the applicant, attorney, and witnesses should be embodied in or accompany every application, and all evidence in each claim; and each change of residence of said parties, while communicating with the Pension Office or the pension agents, should be stated.
Pensions are, by law, exempted from any liability on account of the obligations of the pensioners, and no lien upon them can be recognized.
All facts, testimony of which is required to establish a claim, must be proven by the affidavits of two or more credible witnesses, unless other evidence is specified.
The statements of claimants, unless duly corroborated, are not accepted as evidence.
Testimony in support of allegations made in a declaration may be taken before any officer whose authority and signature are duly certified, and who shall disclaim any interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of the claim.
With all claims for arrears, increase, or restoration to the rolls, the original pension certificate must be returned, or explanation of its absence must be given under oath.
To facilitate the adjudication of claims, all the requisite evidence that is available should be forwarded with the application.

Furnishing this blank as requested does not indicate that there is a valid claim to pension.

That fact can be ascertained only after all the necessary evidence has been filed. It must appear that the soldier died of injury received or disability contracted while in the military or naval service.

A. C. MULLIN & CO.
Clayton, Ill.



Declaration.

I, F. J. Windell of the County of Atchison, of the State of Kansas, being first duly sworn on my oath declare, that I am acquainted with John A. Martin, and Ida Challiss, the parties applying for a Marriage License; That John A. Martin is 32 years of age, and Miss Ida Challiss is 20 years of age; That they are not related to each other by blood in a nearer degree than second cousin; That at this date both parties are unmarried; And that there is no legal cause why a License should not be issued authorizing their marriage.

F. J. Windell

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this first day of June 1871.

J. L. Berry, Notary Public

No. 498.

Marriage License Duplicate
Atchison, Kansas,
June, 1st, 1871.

To any person authorized by law, to solemnize Marriage. You are hereby authorized to join in marriage John A. Martin, of Atchison County, State of Kansas, aged 32 years, and Miss Ida Challiss, of Atchison County, State of Kansas, aged 20 years, and of such marriage you will make due return to my office (in form as below) within thirty day from date hereof.

S. A. Frazier

Probate Judge.



Records of Certificates of Marriages.

The State of Kansas, County of Atchison, ss:

To the Probate Judge of said County:— This is to certify that on the 1st day of June 1871, I united Mrs. John A. Martin, and Miss Ida Chalice, in marriage in accordance with the laws of this State, and by authority of License No. 498, issued by you.

Elihu Gunn.

Minister of the Gospel.

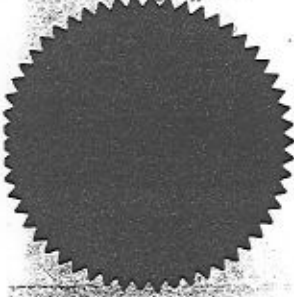


In the Probate Court in and for Atchison County,
State of Kansas:

STATE OF KANSAS, }
 } ss.
ATCHISON COUNTY. }

J.M. Bean
I, ~~J. J. LOCKER~~, *J.M. Bean* Ex-Officio Clerk of the Probate Court

in and for the County of Atchison, State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the Probate Court is a Court of Record, having a seal of office; that I am the lawful custodian of such record and seal; and that the above and foregoing is a full, true and complete copy of the matters therein contained, as the same appears of record in my office.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court this 17th day of May, A. D. 1890

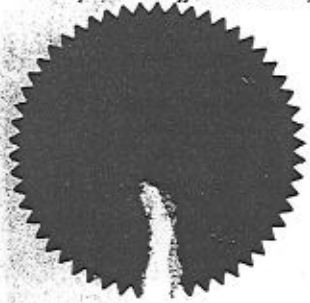
J.M. Bean

Probate Court, Atchison Co., Kansas.

State of Kansas, County of Atchison, ss.

J.M. Bean
I, ~~J. J. LOCKER~~, *J.M. Bean* do hereby certify that I am the sole

presiding Judge of the PROBATE COURT in and for the County of Atchison, State of Kansas; that said Court is a Court of Record, having a seal of office, and that the above and foregoing certificate and attestation by the Clerk of said Court, over the seal thereof, is in due form of law, and that the said Clerk whose signature is attached to the above and foregoing certificate is the duly acting and qualified Ex-Officio Clerk of said Probate Court.



WITNESS my hand and the seal of said Probate Court of Atchison County aforesaid, affixed this 17th day of May, A. D. 1890

J.M. Bean

Judge of Probate Court in and for Atchison County, State of Kansas.



Letter of the application of Ida C. Martin,
widow of John A. Martin, Col. 8th Kansas Infantry.

State of Kansas,
ss.
County of Atchison.

Ida C. Martin, being duly sworn on oath, deposes and says:

That she is the widow of John A. Martin, Col. 8th Kansas Infantry; that she was married to said John A. Martin, June 1st, 1871; that she has made every possible effort to obtain additional evidence to that already on file in the office of the Pension Bureau, to show the cause of her said husband's death originated during his active service in the United States Army; that Dr. W. H. Grimes, the physician who attended him during his sickness immediately following his return from the army, is dead, and that there is no person who can testify in reference to such sickness, further than has been testified to by Dr. J. W. Bryning, whose affidavit is on file; that various members of John A. Martin's regiment, who would be most informed of his condition physically when leaving the army, are dead, and further information in that respect cannot be had.

This affiant remembers that at and before the time of her marriage to the said John A. Martin, he was troubled with a hacking cough, and always said that he had contracted it when in the service of the army, and that he had been troubled with it ever since; that this cough was chronic and he was afflicted with it down to the time of his death.

This affiant states that further testimony she cannot obtain in this case, because of the death of those, who alone are familiar with the facts, proof of which has been required.

This affiant further states that the statements in this affidavit contained, were the oral statements of affiant, made to H. J. Bailey, to be by him type-written, and at the time said statements were reduced to writing and in making the same, affiant did not use any nor was she prompted by any written or printed statement or recital, printed or dictated by any other person.

Ida C. Martin

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Dec. 1893.

My commission expires April 18, 1897. *H. J. Bailey*, Notary Public.

3-015

DECLARATION FOR WIDOW'S PENSION

Act of May 1, 1920

FULLY WITH THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK OF THIS DECLARATION

State of KANSAS, County of ATCHISON, ss:
 On this 2nd day of September, 1931, before me, the undersigned, personally appeared Ida C. Martin, who makes the following declaration as an application for pension under the provisions of the act of Congress approved May 1, 1920.
 That she is 80 years of age, that she was born May 25, 1851 at Moorstown, N. J.
 That she is the widow of John A. Martin, who ENLISTED Sept. 6, 1861, at Atchison, Kansas, under the name of John A. Martin, in the 8th Regiment, Kans. Volunteer Infantry Lt. Colonel and Colonel (Here state company and regiment, if in the Army; or vessel, if in the Navy) and was honorably DISCHARGED Nov. 15, 1865, having served ninety days or more, or was discharged for, or died in service of the United States of a disability incurred in the service in the line of duty, during the CIVIL WAR, and who DIED Oct. 2nd, 1889, at Atchison, Kansas.
 That he also served in _____ (Here give a complete statement of all other military or naval service, if any, at whatever time rendered)
 and that, except as herein stated, said soldier (or sailor) was NOT employed in the military or naval service of the United States; THAT SHE WAS MARRIED to said soldier (or sailor) June 1, 1871, under the name of Ida Challias at Atchison, Kansas, by Rev. P. Gunn; that she had NOT been previously married, that he had not been previously married;
 (If there was a prior marriage of either, the name and the date and place of death or divorce of the former consort, or consorts, should be stated)

That neither she nor said soldier was ever married otherwise than as stated above.
 That she was NOT divorced from the soldier (or sailor) and that she has NOT remarried since his death;
 That the following are the ONLY children OF THE SOLDIER (or sailor) who are now living and are under sixteen years of age: (If he left no children under sixteen years of age, the claimant should so state)
None born _____, at _____
 _____, born _____, at _____
 _____, born _____, at _____
 _____, born _____, at _____
 _____, born _____, at _____
 _____, born _____, at _____

That she did not serve in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard of the United States between-April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921, or at any time during said period.
 That 8 members of her family served in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard of the United States between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921, or at any time during said period. Harvey Crawford Beacham
 (If any members of claimant's family were in the military or naval service during the period mentioned, state the full name under which each such member served, with the designation of the organization in (or vessel on) which such service was rendered, together with the dates of enlistment and discharge. State also whether any such members are dead, and if so, give the names)
Paul A. Martin, son, May 14, 1917, Ft. Sheridan Training Camp, Aug. 15, 1917, 2nd Lt. 85th Div. subsequently 89th Div. 31st Engineers Corps, 304th Inf. Overseas Service, Discharged June 19, 1919.

That she has not heretofore applied for pension, the number of her former claim being WC-408623; that said soldier (or sailor) was not a pensioner, the number of his pension certificate being _____

(1) Ernest Louising (Signature of first witness)
Atchison, Kansas (Address of first witness)
 (2) Paul B. Denton (Signature of second witness)
Denton, Kansas (Address of second witness)
Mrs. Ida Challias Martin (Claimant's signature in full)
315 North Linn (Claimant's address in full)
Atchison, Kan

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2 day of September, 1931, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration 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.

J. M. Challias (Signature)
Notary Public (Official character)
Atchison, Kan (Post office address of office)

[L. S.]



My commission expires Jan 29 1935.

Act of May 1, 1920

DECLARATION FOR WIDOW'S PENSION

Member *W.C. 408623*
 Claimant *Ida C. Martin*
 Soldier *John P. Martin*
 Service *Co. 1st Regt. Kansas Inf.*

ACT OF MAY 1, 1920

Under the provisions of the Act of May 1, 1920, the widow of any person who served in the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps during the Civil War for ninety days or more, and was honorably discharged, or regardless of the length of service was discharged for or died in service of a disability incurred in the service in line of duty, may be entitled to pension, without regard to her financial condition, provided she was married to him prior to June 27, 1905. The rate of pension is \$30 per month, and \$6 additional for each of his children under the age of 16 years. Pension commences from the date of filing a valid declaration in the bureau.

The act of July 3, 1926, increases the rate to \$50 per month only in the event that the widow was the wife of the soldier, sailor, or marine during the period of his service in the Civil War.

"That no claim agent or attorney or other person shall be recognized in the adjustment of claims under this Act, except in claims for original pension, and in such cases no more than the sum of \$10 shall be allowed for services in preparing, presenting, or prosecuting any such claim, which sum shall be payable only on the order of the Commissioner of Pensions; and any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this section, or shall wrongfully withhold from the pensioner or claimant the whole or any part of a pension allowed or due to such pensioner or claimant under this Act, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall, for each and every offense, be fined not exceeding \$500 or be imprisoned not exceeding one year, or both, in the discretion of the court."

INSTRUCTIONS—READ CAREFULLY

Declaration and testimony must be executed before some officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer is not required by law to have and use a seal, his official character, signature, and term of office must be certified by the proper State, county, or city officer under his official seal, unless such certificate has been filed in the Bureau of Pensions for general reference.

Under the law, a person may not receive pension from the Bureau of Pensions and compensation or vocational training pay through the United States Veterans' Bureau, covering the same period of time, except that the receipt of compensation by a widow, child, or parent on account of the death of any person will not bar the payment of pension on account of the death of any other person.

That part of the declaration referring to service between April 6, 1917, and July 2, 1921, should show whether the claimant or any member of her family rendered any service in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard of the United States during said period, and if so, the full name under which each served should be stated, together with the designation of the organization in (or the vessel on) which such service was rendered with dates of enlistment and discharge.

The term "family" includes: Child, legally adopted child, stepchild, father, mother, stepfather, stepmother, father and mother through adoption, and person who has stood in place of parent for a period of not less than one year prior to induction into service.



THE STATE OF KANSAS.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

Topeka, May 17, 1890.

I **Hereby Certify**, That it appears from the records on file in this office, that

John A. Martin was enrolled on the First day of November, 1862, at Bowling Green Kentucky by Gov of Kansas and mustered into the U. S. service as Colonel in Company 8 Regiment Kansas Volunteers.

Infantry on the 31 day of July, 1863 at Hinckley Penn, by Capt. Snider

that the following remarks appear on the muster-out roll, dated Nov 28, 1865
Joined 1st Regiment as Lt Col. of Ft Leavenworth Kans
October 24-61. Mustered out as Lt Col. to date Oct
27-62. Mustered in as Colonel as set forth in this
Roll. Mustered out as Colonel by reason of having
served three years Nov 15 64

John A. Martin

and that he was mustered out on the 28 day of November, 1865
and honorably discharged at San Antonio Texas
by D. A. Berger Capt. 15 Ohio V.V. Inf't A.C. 711
Sub. Dist. San Antonio Texas.

J. A. Roberts Adjutant General.

Write nothing above this line.

(3-000.)

West Div.
Chgo. Exr.
No. *427,212*

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Wid. Washington, D. C., *Aug 30*, 18*92*

SIR:

It is alleged that *John A. Martin* enlisted *Oct 27*, 18*61*
and served as a *Col.* in Co. *8th* Reg't *Kona, Va.*
also as a _____ in Co. _____ Reg't _____

and was discharged at _____, 18*—*

It is also alleged that while on duty at _____
on or about _____, 18*—*, he was disabled by *scurbutic disease,*
pneumonia or disease of throat.

and was treated in hospitals of which the names, locations, and dates of treatment are as follows: _____

In case of the above-named soldier the War Department is requested to furnish an official statement of the enrollment, discharge, and record of service so far as the same may be applicable to the foregoing allegation, together with full medical history. Please give the rank he held at the time he is claimed to have incurred the disability alleged, and if records show that he was not in line of duty during that period, let the fact be stated.

Very respectfully,

Geo. W. Brown

Commissioner.

The Officer in Charge of the
Record and Pension Division,
War Department.

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NEW, (3-000.)

No. 427, 112

WAR DEPARTMENT,
RECORD AND PENSION DIVISION.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner
of Pensions.

John A. Martin
Co. 8, Reg't. Home Vols.
was enrolled Oct. 27, 1861,
and M.O. and M.D.R. Nov. 15, 1864
as 1st Lt.

Messaged in as 1st Lt. Nov.
1, 62.

From Oct. 27, 1861, to Nov. 15, 1864
he held the rank of 1st Lt. and
1st Lt.

and during that period the rolls show him
present except as follows: Aug. 31,
64, sick since Aug. 1
64, Oct. 31, 64, on det-
sery.

Other records furnish
nothing additional
bearing upon this case.

The medical records show him treated as
follows: J. A. Martin, Col.
7 C. July 31, 64, Intermitt-
ent fever & Dysentery; Aug.
12, 64, 3/4, Dysentery; ad-
Jno. R. Martin, 6 Aug.
15, 64, Dysentery; ad Jno.
A. Martin, 7 C, Aug. 15,
64, Dysentery, 10/4, 64, from
Duty, 7/27, returned to
duty.
Nothing additional found.



By authority of the Secretary of War:

B. C. Ainsworth
Captain and Asst. Surgeon, U. S. Army.

Per M.

Date SEP 2 1890

(COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS.)

DROP REPORT--PENSIONER

IDA C MARTIN
ATCHISON KANS
408623 JUNE WID
315 NORTH TERRACE

..... Cert. No.....
Pensioner
Soldier
Service
Class

Remarks

NOV 4 1932

DEC 4 1932

Canceled (payee deceased)

ACCOUNTING DIVISION

NOV 18 1932

The name of the above-described pensioner

who was last paid at the rate of \$ 40

per month to OCT 3 1932, 193...

has this day been dropped from the roll be-

cause of DEATH 11/2/32

Vet. Adm. Wm. H. HOLMES,
Fin. Form 1411 Chief Accounting Division.
Rev. Mar. 1932 By BB