

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

State of Maryland, County of Dorchester, ss:

In the matter of Pension Claim of Martha C. Woolford
widow of Thomas Woolford Co S-7:use T

ON THIS 11th day of March, A. D. 1898, personally

appeared before me David Stranglin J.P. in and for the afore-

said County, duly authorized to administer oaths Moses Cotto

aged 89 years, a resident of Christ Rock - near Cambridge, in the County

of Dorchester, and State of Maryland

whose Post-office address is Cambridge Maryland

and Elija A. Henry, aged 45 years, a resident of Cambridge

, in the County of Dorchester,

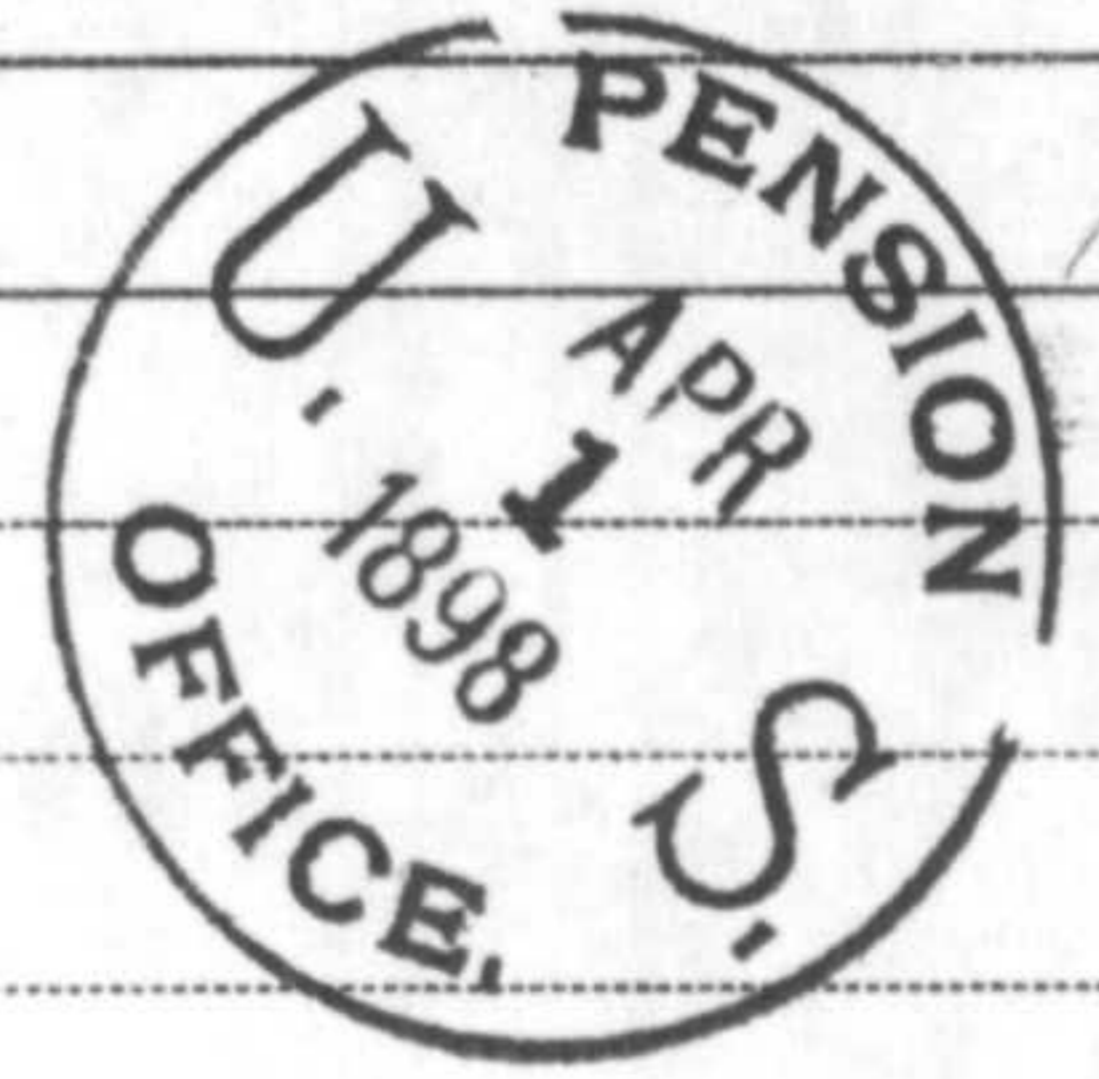
and State of Maryland, whose Post-office address is Cambridge

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

That they were personally acquainted with
(NOTE.—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.)
the claimant and her late husband Thomas
Woolford in their boyhood and girlhood and by
reason of said acquaintance know that neither
of them were married prior to their marriage
to each other.

Affiants also know that from the time of
their marriage at Christ Rock Dorchester County Md
in Sept 1868. They lived together as husband and
wife up to the time of her husband's death, on
July 27-1898. That they were never divorced and
were always recognized as husband and wife
by the community in which they resided.

no divorce



They further declare that they have no interest in said case and are
not concerned in its prosecution.

Charles L. [Signature]

Moses Cotto *AK*

[Signature]

Elija A. Henry

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

(Signatures of Affiants.)

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