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NATIONAL ARCHIVES AND RECORDS SERVICE

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RECEIPT NO. 45071	DATE 12/17/66
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ORDER FOR PHOTOCOPIES
CONCERNING VETERAN
(See reverse for explanation)

198770

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Michy, 1885.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.
 Thomas S. Magruder, a Private (Rec'd) of Company I,
 15th Regiment W. Va. Infy. Volunteers, was enrolled on the
 2^d day of Dec, 1863, at Wheeling W. Va. 3 years
 and is reported: a. i. Muster Roll for Nov & Dec 1863
 June & July 1864. Sergt. present. To June 30
 1864, Private present. To Aug. 31 1864 absent without
 leave. To April 30 1865, Sergt. present.
 Regt. Returns for January 1865 reports him
 absent at Deep Bottom Va since Jan 25 1865.
 Transferred to Co. I 10th W. Va. Infy. Muster Roll
 of said Co. for May & June 1865 reports him present.
 Regt. Returns for July 1865 reports him absent
 in furlough. Mustered out on S. I. M. O. R.
 Aug. 16 1865 at Wheeling W. Va. D. date Aug. 7 1865.
 date of Muster out of Co.
 Name not borne as Mc Gruder

MM
875

The records of this office furnish
no evidence of disability in the
fall of 1864 as alleged. Records
24th A.C. show him furloughed
July 15/65 for 20 days. Cause not
stated. Name not borne on Hospth.
Records 15 West Va Inftry. Commencing
prior to Enrollment & terminate Oct 19/64.
No Hospth. Records 10 West Va. Inftry.
subsequent to 1863. - Morning Reports
or Returns of either Company or Med.

A.P. Carter file.
G.B.H.

(13)

O. D. Green
Adjutant General
431
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1902 11/17/03

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, May 21, 1873

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your request of Oct 7, 1872, for certain information in the case of 198770, and to return it herewith, with the following information from the records of this office.

It appears from the rolls, &c., on file in this office that Thomas M. Gruder was mustered into the service of the United States as 1st Co. A, 12th Regiment of West Virginia, to date July 18, 1862, to serve years or during the war. On the Muster-roll of Company of that Regiment for the months of Nov. 1st Aug. 16, 1862, he is reported

present Sept. & Oct. 1862 absent 2 days Dec. 31 1862 present Regimental Return Sept. 1862 present Oct. 1862 sick on leave of absence for 10 days. Name also borne by Thomas Magruder. The following is a copy of Surg. Certificate which accompanied his resignation tendered on Thomas Magruder & accepted to take effect January 15/1863.

Thomas M. Gruder 1st Lt. in Company A 12 Regt 52 Vol Inf having applied for a certificate on which to ground his application for leave of absence I do hereby certify that I have carefully examined this office and find that about the 20 Oct 1862 when with his regiment at Buchanan he became affected with a disease of his liver and in consequence became unfit for duty & on leave of absence returned to his home in Maryland.

He has not been in the military, naval, marine or civil service of the United States since the 16th day of Aug 1863 -

Since leaving the service he has resided in the County of Decatur & Wayne in the State of Iowa and his occupation has been Harness Making

when enrolled he was a Harness Maker And for the purpose of prosecuting his claim, he hereby appoints P. H. FITZGERALD, of Indianapolis, State of Indiana, his attorney in fact, with power of substitution, and with authority to receive his pension certificate. He requests that his pension be paid at the nearest State of Agency His postoffice address is Genoa County of Wayne and State of Iowa

Thomas S. McQuider
Signature of Claimant.

Two witnesses who can write.

A. B. Chase
John Fox

Also personally appeared John E. Monteith of Genoa P. O., County of Wayne State of Iowa and John Fox of Genoa P. O., County of Decatur State of Iowa

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 Thomas S. McQuider sign to the foregoing declaration and power of attorney; and they further swear that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of the applicant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have known him for ten years last past; that prior to enlistment he was a Harness Maker Since leaving the service his habits have been uniformly good, and his occupation has been Harness Making

They further state that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

When signed by marks, two persons must sign as witnesses to mark.

Signatures of two identifying witnesses.

John E. Monteith
John Fox

Sworn to, acknowledged and subscribed before me, this 15th day of May 1874, and I hereby certify that the contents of the foregoing declarations of claimant and affidavit of witnesses was made known to each of them before administering the oath; that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Official Signature.

A. B. Chase
Clerk Dist Court

(1.) State all the circumstances under which disabled, and just how you was wounded, or how disease was contracted, naming the disease or wound, and then state just how your disability has affected you since first contracted.
(2.) Give the names, dates and localities of all hospitals in which you was treated, and your full history from time you was wounded or diseased, to the date of your discharge.

WIDOW'S DECLARATION FOR PENSION OR INCREASE OF PENSION.

(This must be executed before a Notary Public or other Officer having a seal.)

State of West Virginia, County of Marshall

On this 12 day of October, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and two, personally appeared before me, W. J. Phillips

, a NOTARY PUBLIC within and for the County and State aforesaid, Mrs. Millie Magruder, aged 40 years, who, being

duly sworn according to law, makes the following declaration in order to obtain the Pension provided by Acts of Congress granting pension to widows; That she is the widow of Thomas S. Magruder

at Wheeling West Va, who enlisted under the name of Thomas S. Magruder on the 2^d day of December, A. D. 1862, in Company A 12th. Regt. W. Va. Vols.

(Company and Regiment of Service, if in Army; or Vessel and Rank, if in the Navy.)
in the war of Rebellion, who afflicted was a general breaking down of the system (State nature of wounds, and all circumstances attending them or the disease and manner in which it was incurred, in either case showing soldier's death to have been the sequence.)

and died on the 25th. day of August, A. D. 1902, who bore at the time of his death the rank of Lieutenant in service aforesaid

that she was married under the name of Millie Earnest to said Thomas S. Magruder, on the 14 day of August

A. D. 1894, by Rev. Weston at Cameron, W. Va.

there being no legal barrier to such marriage; that neither she nor her husband had been previously married has divorced from Earnest September 1st 1892 (If either have previously married, so state; and give date of death or divorce of former spouse.)

; that she has to 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 father's death, viz:

Lady L. Magruder born, Dec. 10. 1897



that she has not abandoned the support of any one of her children, but that they are still under her care or maintainances. (For such children as are not under her care claimant should account.)

that she has not in any manner engaged in, or aided or abetted, the rebellion in the United States; that prior application has been filed (If prior application has been filed, either by soldier or widow, so state, giving number assigned to it.)

she hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, Jewell & Nicholson, of washington, D. C., her attorneys, to prosecute the above claim; that her residence is No. _____ street,

and that her post-office address is Calis, Marshall Co., West Virginia.

Morgan Guinn

Millie Magruder
(Signature of Claimant.)

Amos Riggle
(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)



United States of America, }
 State of West Virginia, County of Marshall, } SS:

I, J. K. Chase, Clerk of the County Court of said
 Marshall County and as such the legal custodian
 of the marriage records thereof, hereby certify that
Thomas S. Magruder and
Millie Jane Ernest
 were united in marriage at Cameron, W. Va.
 on the 15th day of August 1894

by C. W. Wiptow
 a licensed Minister of the Gospel and due return
 thereof made to this office as required by law.

Given under my hand
 and the seal of said Court
 at Moundsville this
15th day of January A.D. 1903



J. K. Chase
 Clerk.

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Marriage

PENSIONER DROPPED.

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United States Pension Agency,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Aug. 21, 1906

Certificate No. 579348

Class Widow Civil War.

Pensioner Millie Magruder

Soldier Thomas A. Magruder

Service 1st Lt. Co. 12th Va. Inf.

The Commissioner of Pensions.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the above-named pensioner who was last paid at \$17.22, to date 20 Mar. 1906 has been dropped because of Remarriage

Very respectfully,

[Signature]
United States Pension Agent.

NOTE.—Every name dropped to be thus reported at once, and when cause of dropping is death, state date of death when known.

GENERAL LAW.

Declaration for Pension of Children under Sixteen Years of Age.

STATE OF Iowa
COUNTY OF Woodbury

On this 21 day of July, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and 11
personally appeared before me Harry D. Patis within and for the county and
State aforesaid, Mellie Magruder now Mickey, aged 44 years,
a resident of North St. Anne's City, county of Woodbury

State of Iowa, who, being duly sworn according to law, makes the following declaration
in order to obtain pension under the acts of Congress granting pension to the minor children of soldiers and
sailors who have died by reason of wound or injury received, or disease contracted, in the service of the United
States and in the line of duty.

That 5 he is the guardian of Chyde L. Magruder

legitimate child of Thomas S. Magruder, who was
Enrolled under the name of Thomas S. Magruder

at Whitney W Va on the 2nd day of December, 1863

as a Private in 10th Regt West Va Infy Volunteers

and was discharged on the 16 day of August, 1865 and who died at

Bedford Illinois on the 25th day of August,
1897, of Stomach trouble due to

incurred in the above-named service. That he was was in the military or naval service of the United States
except as above stated.

[If any other service it should be stated in full, with dates of enlistment and discharge.]

That the mother of said child was married under the name of Mellie Riggle Trice
to the soldier Cameron W Va on the 14 day of August, 1894
by Rev Upson; that there was no legal barrier to the marriage;

that she had no been previously married; that he had no been previously married.

Mellie Magruder divorced at Quincy Ohio Sept 1st 1897
[If there was a prior marriage of either, the name and the date and place of death or divorce of former consort or consorts should be stated.]

that he left no widow surviving.

[State date of death or remarriage.]

That the following named are the only surviving children of the soldier who were under sixteen years of age
at the date of his death:

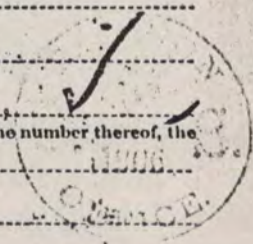
- Chyde L. Magruder born Dec 10th 1897 at Cal W Va
- born _____, _____, at _____
- born _____, _____, at _____
- born _____, _____, at _____
- born _____, _____, at _____
- born _____, _____, at _____
- born _____, _____, at _____
- born _____, _____, at _____

That _____ prior claim on behalf of said child _____ has been filed. [If prior application has been made, the number thereof, the
service on which it was based, and the name of the soldier should be stated.]

That his post-office address is North St Anne's City
county of Woodbury, State of Iowa

That _____ he hereby appoints _____ [If it is desired to employ an attorney.]
of _____, his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute this claim.

ATTEST: (1) J. H. Harrison Mellie Magruder now Mickey
(2) O. C. Ford [Claimant's signature.]

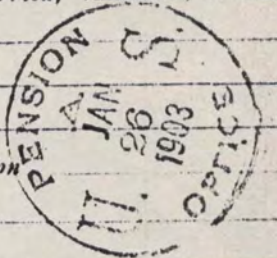


PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.

STATE OF ILLINOIS }
 COUNTY OF COLES, } The Physician who attended any person in a last illness, should immediately return this certificate, accurately filled out, to the County Clerk PENALTY—\$10.00, if not returned within thirty days.

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Name Thos. Magruder Sex Male Color White
 Age 66 years 10 months days. Occupation Farmer
 Date of death Aug. 25 - 1902 hour 6 A.M. *Single, Married, Widower, Widow.
 Nationality and place where born Penn
 How long resident in this state
 Place of Death Oakland, T.P.
 Cause of death Progressive Paralysis ✓



Duration of disease 3 Years 4 months 34-4 m - Duration of Complication.
 Place and date of burial Oakland Cemetery
 Name and place of Undertaker Robb & Sudduth, Oakland Ill
 Signed at Oakland Ill Aug 26 1902 J. W. Alexander M. D.
 Signature of City Clerk Luther Whanger Residence Oakland Ill
 Address Oakland Ill

*Erase such of these as are not required.
 †City—No. Street and Ward; same in towns that have them; township and precinct.
 ‡State primary and immediate cause of death, and examine the list of diseases printed on cover of this book, and law pertaining to Coroner's Inquests.

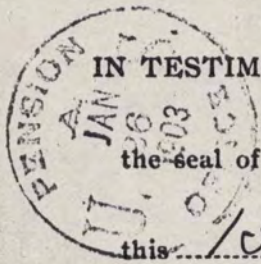
Filed for record Sept 1 1902 A. C. Sellars County Clerk

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
Coles County. } SS.

I, Samuel Rardin

Clerk of the Coles Court in and for said County, in the State aforesaid, do hereby

certify the foregoing to be a true, perfect and complete copy of the death of
Thos. Magruder Deceased late of
this County



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed

the seal of said Court, at my office in Charleston

this 15 day of January 1893

Samuel Rardin Clerk.

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Declaration for Invalid Army Pension.

STATE OF Iowa
COUNTY OF Iowatus } SS:

On this 21 day of May A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy four personally appeared before me A. O. Chase Clerk of the District Court within and for the County and State aforesaid Thomas S. McGruder

aged 37 years, a resident of Lewin in the County of Iowatus in the State of Iowa

who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Thomas S. McGruder who enlisted in the service of the United States at

Whalumy County of Marshall State of Va. on the day of October in the year 1861, as a Sergeant,

in Company L commanded by Captain John H. Pickey in the 6th Regiment of West Va Vol Infy,

in the war 1861, Promoted to 12th Va Vol Infy as Lieut, Comd'g Co D 11th Va and was honorably discharged at Whalumy State of Virginia

on the 16th day of August in the year 1865; that while in the service aforesaid, and in the line of his duty at

a place called Winchester in the State of Virginia on the month day of October 1863

(1) He took severe cold on said march, and was taken sick with pain in bowels, back, and shoulders. That he is still disabled in the following manner; stomach swollen, pain in shoulders stomach and back, caused by acetes, from said date. That he asks a Pension believing himself to be justly entitled to the same.

(2) That he was treated in field hospital at Bermuda Hundred Va, and Regt Hospitals.