

NAME <b>BRIZZEE, WILLIAM A JR</b>		LAST KNOWN
RESIDENCE <b>LEVERETT, NORTH, MA</b>		
TOWN CREDITED	<b>MONTAGUE, MA</b>	BIRTHPLACE
OCCUPATION	<b>FARMER</b>	DOB
MARITAL STATUS		AGE ENLISTED <b>18</b>
5TH ON ROLLS <b>64/09/01 to 65/06/12</b> 5TH DATE ENLISTED <b>64/09/01</b> 5TH DATE MUSTERED 5TH MUSTERED RANK <b>PRIVATE</b> 5TH PROMOTIONS  5TH REENLISTED 5TH BOUNTY 5TH MUSTERED OUT <b>65/06/12</b>  •5TH M.O. TYPE •5TH M.O. LOCATION 5TH DUTIES		SERVICE RECORD <b>63/12/29 (E&amp;M) 3d MASS BATTERY</b> <b>64/09/01 TRANS TO 5th MASS BATTERY</b>  <hr/> NOTES
5TH KILLED IN ACTION PLACE  5TH WOUNDED IN ACTION PLACE  DEATH BY DISEASE		
5TH M.B.A.  ARTIFACTS  PHOTO IMAGE NO <b>12/94</b>		GAR POST AFF. RELATIVES
DOD WHERE BURIEL LOCATION  CAUSE OF DEATH		
PAGE REF. 5TH HIST. <b>NONE</b>		
NARRATIVE NO <b>12/94</b>		
RESEARCHER CPT DATE		

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**BRIZZEE, WILLIAM A jr.**

**(MR)**

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Priv., Residence-North Leverett \*; farmer; 18; enl. and must. December 29; 1863, three years #; transf, September 1, 1864 to 5<sup>th</sup> Mass. Battery.

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Priv., Residence-Montauge; farmer; 18; transf. from 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass. Battery, September 1, 1864; must. out June 12, 1865, Camp Meigs, Readville, MA @.

•	credited to Montauge	(HoF)
#		(HoF)
@		(HDS)
PN	William b. 1823 Elsa b. 1826 (adopted parents)	(C50) (P)
DOB	March 4, 1845	(MV) & (C50) & (P)
PoB	Ashland, MA	(P)
SIB	Ellen N. b. 1847	(C50)
WN	Emma (clark) Darling m 1869	(C50) & (P) (P)
BO	\$ 325.00 (3 <sup>rd</sup> Mass. LA)	(MV)
PR	Brizzee, William A. jr (grd) Emma A. Darling	

	<u>Application #</u>	<u>Certificate #</u>	<u>State Filed</u>
(inv) 1889 Dec 09	742 432	948 591	WI
(wid)			
(grd) 1917 Sep 12	110 728 3	852 341	WI

(remarks) William A. Brizzee also used an alias, William A. Darling, both pension cards are the same.

served in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass. LA  
5<sup>th</sup> Mass. LA (NA)

DoDH March 23, 1913 (68yrs) (P) & (LCP)

PoDH Minneapolis, MN (LCP)

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**BRIZZEE, WILLIAM A. jr**

**RoDH** Murdered (LCP)

**PoBU** Oak Grove Cemetery  
LaCrosse, WI  
Soldiers Lot  
Row 3, GAR, Lot s. 14 (P) & (LCP)

**C50** Massachusetts Census, 1850  
**HDS** Historical Data Systems  
**LCP** La Crosse Public Library  
**P** Pension, National Archives, Washington, DC

## **BRIZZEE, WILLIAM A.**

### **QUESTIONS....QUESTIONS**

The "Record of Headstones, M1845, circa 1879-1903" has a William A. Brizzee, 27<sup>th</sup> Mass Infantry, Co. B, dying, February 19, 1896. He was a patient at the National Home for Disabled Civil War Veterans, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The Federal 1850 Census has a William Brizzee, Leverett, MA listed with a son William and a daughter Ellen. There was no letter A printed on the 1850 census form.

The MSSMCW has a William Brizzee living in Hubbardston, MA who joined the 27<sup>th</sup> Mass. Inf, July 30, 1862. He was 39 years old at that time. He was discharged September 27, 1864, Boston, MA.

Our, William Brizzee, jr who gave North Leverett, MA as his place of residence when he joined the 3<sup>rd</sup> Mass. Light Artillery, aged 18, December 29, 1863 and Montauge, MA as his place of residence when he was transferred to the 5<sup>th</sup> Mass. Light Artillery, September 1, 1864.

The National Archives, Waltham, MA has a pension listed under William A. Brizzee, jr. He applied for his pension from the state of Wisconsin. He also used the name of William Darling. Both pension cards, Brizzee and Darling, contained the same information. Once we received his pension we assumed that he was either given to the Brizzee family, hard times, or he was apprenticed to the Brizzee family. I think that he was adopted by the Brizzee family. According to the the pension record, William Brizzee passed away while he was a patient at the National Home for Disabled Veterans, Wisconsin. \*

Did the father and son both move to Wisconsin after the war ? If so why ?

Before closing; Montauge and Leverett, MA are in Franklin County. Hubbardston, MA is in Worcester County.

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- This William Brizzee is the father. I believe that they both moved after the war.

I also think that the (grd) that William jr was in charge of was, see pension record, was his wife Emma. According to the pension record Emma was in a mental hospital when William jr. was murdered.. He died and was buried in 1913. Emma didn't ask for his pension until 1917. Why ?

*Third Battery Light Artillery, M. V.—(Three Years).—Continued.*

NAME AND RANK.	Age.	Bounty.	Residence or Place credited to.	Date of Muster.	Termination of Service and cause thereof.
Barry, Octavius R., . . . . .	26	-	Charlestown,	Sept. 5, '61,	Sept. 27, 1862, supernumerary.
Bass, William B., . . . . .	23	-	Southbridge,	14, '61,	16, 1864, expiration of service.
Beals, Charles, . . . . .	31	-	Boston, . . . . .	5, '61,	16, 1864, do do
Beals, Jacob, . . . . .	33	-	Boston, . . . . .	5, '61,	16, 1864, do do
Bell, John, . . . . .	35	-	Boston, . . . . .	16, '61,	16, 1864, do do
Blackmar, George E., . . . . .	22	-	Southbridge,	9, '61,	Died of disease, Mar. 25, 1862.
Boutwell, William G., . . . . .	21	\$325 00	Montague,	Dec. 23, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Bowman, Benedict, . . . . .	26	-	West Roxbury,	Sept. 5, '61,	Feb. 15, 1864, re-enlistment.
Bowman, Benedict, . . . . .	28	325 00	West Roxbury,	Feb. 16, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Boynton, David B., . . . . .	21	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 22, '62,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Boynton, John, . . . . .	26	-	Charlestown,	5, '61,	27, 1862, supernumerary.
Brizze, William A., Jr., . . . . .	18	325 00	Montague,	Dec. 29, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Broon, George, . . . . .	19	110 66	Lanesborough,	May 30, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Brock, John H., . . . . .	18	325 00	Malden,	Nov. 7, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Brown, Thomas A., . . . . .	23	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 10, '61,	Oct. 22, 1863, disability.
Bryson, Peter, . . . . .	25	325 00	Charlestown,	Dec. 14, '64,	Transferred Feb. 26, '64, to 5th Battery.
Bucknam, George C., . . . . .	27	-	Boston, . . . . .	Aug. 12, '62,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Bugbee, William L., . . . . .	20	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 6, '61,	Feb. 12, 1864, re-enlistment.
Bugbee, William L., . . . . .	22	325 00	Boston, . . . . .	Feb. 13, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Burleson, Charles, . . . . .	31	-	Roxbury,	Sept. 10, '62,	Dec. 25, 1863, re-enlistment.
Burleson, Charles, . . . . .	33	212 00	Roxbury,	Dec. 26, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Burns, Joseph, . . . . .	18	325 00	Montague,	28, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Byrns, Otis, . . . . .	24	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Cahill, George H., . . . . .	18	325 00	Woburn,	Jan. 5, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Call, George L., . . . . .	36	-	Charlestown,	Sept. 9, '61,	Transferred Feb. 22, '64, to Vet. R. Corps.
Caldwell, John C., . . . . .	18	-	Boston, . . . . .	12, '61,	Dec. 8, 1863, re-enlistment.
Caldwell, John C., . . . . .	20	310 66	Wilmington,	Dec. 9, '63,	Killed July 11, 1864, Petersburg, Va.
Campbell, Alexander, . . . . .	22	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 10, '61,	Deserted Jan. 30, 1863.
Cameron, John, . . . . .	33	-	Boston, . . . . .	Apr. 29, '63,	Never joined for service.
Carling, Charles P., . . . . .	31	325 00	Woburn,	Jan. 6, '64,	Transferred Feb. 26, '64, to 5th Battery.
Cary, Freeman, . . . . .	19	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Cary, John W., . . . . .	33	-	Stoncham,	5, '61,	Nov. 25, 1862, disability.
Cary, Richard, . . . . .	21	325 00	Boston, . . . . .	Nov. 4, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Carver, Silas W., . . . . .	28	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 6, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Cargill, Thomas M., . . . . .	30	-	Roxbury,	5, '61,	Second Lieut., June 29, 1863.
Carroll, Thomas S., . . . . .	21	-	Boston, . . . . .	5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Cass, Rufus, . . . . .	20	-	Charlestown,	5, '61,	16, 1864, do do
Chase, David C., . . . . .	23	-	Charlestown,	Aug. 15, '62,	Dropped Oct. 22, 1863, by G. O.
Champlain, Henry, . . . . .	27	-	Boston, . . . . .	14, '62,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Childs, Andrew J., . . . . .	24	-	Boston, . . . . .	8, '62,	16, 1864, do do
Churchill, John, . . . . .	22	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 5, '61,	Mar. 5, 1863, disability.
Clark, Edward S. C., . . . . .	29	-	Boston, . . . . .	5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Clement, James M., . . . . .	19	-	Boxborough,	5, '61,	Deserted Aug. 22, 1862.
Coc, William A., . . . . .	21	-	Charlestown,	14, '61,	Oct. 4, 1862, disability.
Colby, William W., . . . . .	31	-	Charlestown,	Aug. 15, '62,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Conant, Sherman W., . . . . .	22	325 00	Worcester,	Jan. 4, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Cornwall, George H., . . . . .	19	-	Charlestown,	Aug. 15, '62,	Died Dec. 7, 1862, Potomac Creek, Va.
Corey, George H., . . . . .	21	-	Waltham,	Sept. 5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Crockett, George F., . . . . .	22	-	Melrose,	7, '61,	Jan. 2, 1863, disability.
Crockett, George F., . . . . .	25	100 00	Mansfield,	Aug. 19, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Cutter, Edward, . . . . .	31	-	Charlestown,	Sept. 5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Dalton, Frank S., . . . . .	30	-	Lynn, . . . . .	5, '61,	Apr. 11, 1863, disability.
Daly, James H., . . . . .	22	-	Charlestown,	5, '61,	May 15, 1865, expiration of service.
Dickman, Joseph L., . . . . .	38	-	Cambridge,	9, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, do do
Donovan, Dennis G., . . . . .	28	-	Boston, . . . . .	12, '61,	Transferred Oct. 1, '63, Vet. Res. Corps.
Donahoe, Charles, . . . . .	22	-	Boston, . . . . .	5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Donohue, John, . . . . .	19	-	Charlestown,	5, '61,	16, 1864, do do
Donoghue, Timothy, . . . . .	21	-	Cambridge,	7, '61,	June 3, 1862, disability.
Downey, Thomas, . . . . .	42	325 00	Charlestown,	Jan. 16, '64,	Transferred Feb. 26, '64, to 5th Battery.
Draper, George, . . . . .	20	-	Roxbury,	Sept. 7, '61,	Deserted Aug. 22, 1862.
Drake, William M., . . . . .	26	325 00	Stoughton,	Jan. 25, '64,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Dudley, Edward M., . . . . .	21	325 00	Woburn,	6, '64,	Transferred Feb. 26, '64, to 5th Battery.
Duff, Robert, . . . . .	31	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 5, '61,	Dec. 29, 1863, re-enlistment.
Duff, Robert, . . . . .	33	209 34	Boston, . . . . .	Dec. 30, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Dunn, Bernard, . . . . .	31	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 22, '63,	Never joined for service.
Duggan, Cornelius, . . . . .	19	-	Charlestown,	9, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Edwards, James H., . . . . .	29	-	Charlestown,	5, '61,	16, 1864, do do
Edwards, William, . . . . .	22	-	Roxbury,	5, '61,	Dec. 27, 1863, re-enlistment.
Edwards, William, . . . . .	24	325 00	Boxborough,	Dec. 28, '63,	Transferred Sept. 1, '64, to 5th Battery.
Emerson, Herbert L., . . . . .	17	325 00	Boston, . . . . .	Oct. 30, '63,	Died July 19, 1864.
Everleth, Franklin, . . . . .	40	-	Boston, . . . . .	Sept. 5, '61,	Sept. 16, 1864, expiration of service.
Everleth, Charles G., . . . . .	41	-	Boston, . . . . .	5, '61,	27, 1862, supernumerary.

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*Fifth Battery Light Artillery, M. F.—(Three Years.)—Continued.*

NAME AND RANK.	Age.	Bounty.	Residence or Place credited to.	Date of Muster.	Termination of Service and cause thereof.
Wilson, Edward T., 2d, Sergt.,	24	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 27, '61,	Dec. 24, 1863, re-enlistment.
Wilson, Edward T., 2d, Sergt.,	26	\$400 66	New Bedford,	Dec. 25, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Agan, John, Corp.,	24	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 25, '61,	Transferred Nov. 23, '63, to V. R. C.
Allen, Christopher C., Corp.,	24	-	New Bedford,	Oct. 1, '61,	Oct. 23, 1862, disability.
Allen, Elisha, Corp.,	30	†	Charlestown,	Dec. 24, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Almy, Andrew W., Corp.,	18	-	Fairhaven,	Sept. 25, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, do do
Atkins, Nathaniel H., Corp.,	22	325 00	Marblehead,	Feb. 18, '64,	June 12, 1865, do do
Baxter, William H., Corp.,	19	-	Quincy,	Sept. 18, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, do do
Campbell, Rodney S., Corp.,	24	325 00	Somerset,	Apr. 11, '64,	June 12, 1865, do do
Chase, Thomas E., Corp.,	24	-	Boston,	Sept. 28, '61,	Dec. 14, 1864, do do
Clark, Charles A., Corp.,	39	-	New Bedford,	26, '61,	Nov. 8, 1862, disability.
Cox, Albert T., Corp.,	24	-	Malden,	11, '61,	Deserted Aug. 21, 1862.
Ferris, Anson E., Corp.,	34	-	New Bedford,	23, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, expiration of service.
Follett, Charles A., Corp.,	22	†	Quincy,	Dec. 24, '63,	June 12, 1865, do do
Gibbs, Elisha J., Corp.,	27	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 26, '61,	Dec. 11, 1863, re-enlistment.
Graham, Benjamin, Corp.,	20	-	New Bedford,	26, '61,	Feb. 1, 1864, re-enlistment.
Graham, Benjamin, Corp.,	22	316 66	Norton,	Feb. 2, '64,	Sept. 14, 1864, disability.
Haskins, Alpheus, Corp.,	30	-	Marion,	Sept. 30, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, expiration of service.
Johnston, Leonard F., Corp.,	25	†	Groton,	Dec. 9, '63,	June 12, 1865, do do
Macomber, Charles H., Corp.,	21	-	Fall River,	Sept. 28, '61,	Deserted Aug. 21, 1862.
Martis, Brooks B., Corp.,	19	†	Boston,	Dec. 28, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Matthews, David A., Corp.,	21	†	Boston,	Oct. 24, '63,	12, 1865, do do
Mathews, Robert F., Corp.,	19	†	Boston,	Dec. 8, '63,	12, 1865, do do
Milliken, Albert F., Corp.,	22	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 23, '61,	Killed June 27, 1862, Gaines' Mills, Va.
Newton, George L., Corp.,	20	-	Charlestown,	Oct. 1, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, expiration of service.
Nichols, William H., Corp.,	31	†	Boston,	Dec. 23, '63,	June 12, 1865, as absent wounded.
Parsons, Henry C., Corp.,	29	-	Malden,	Sept. 12, '61,	Died June 14, 1862, Gaines' Mills, Va.
Platts, Edward M., Corp.,	18	-	Boston,	29, '61,	Died of w'ds Dec. 14, '62, Fredericksburg, Va.
Poole, George W., Corp.,	24	410 00	Malden,	Dec. 12, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Proctor, George O., Corp.,	21	-	Boston,	Oct. 1, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, do do
Shackley, Jonas, Corp.,	31	-	Quincy,	Aug. 15, '62,	Sept. 19, 1864, 2d Lieut. 4th Ill. Art'y.
Trumbull, George B., Corp.,	30	378 00	Boston,	Jan. 30, '64,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Warren, William G., Corp.,	26	-	Boston,	Sept. 28, '61,	Died Oct. 11, 1862, Baltimore, Md.
Johnson, George H., Wagoner,	32	-	Boston,	25, '61,	Aug. 26, 1864, order War Dept.
Gifford, Henry M., Bugler,	21	325 00	Dartmouth,	Jan. 5, '64,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Tucker, John C., Bugler,	25	-	W. Amesbury,	Oct. 30, '61,	Oct. 31, 1864, do do
Winters, James, Bugler,	43	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 25, '61,	Dec. 11, 1863, re-enlistment.
Winters, James, Bugler,	45	410 00	New Bedford,	Dec. 12, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Barnard, Charles D., Artificer,	22	-	New Bedford,	Oct. 11, '61,	Nov. 15, 1862, disability.
Gilbert, Jacob A., Artificer,	32	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 23, '61,	Dec. 12, 1863, re-enlistment.
Gilbert, Jacob A., Artificer,	35	409 33	New Bedford,	Dec. 13, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Hewitt, Michael, Artificer,	27	-	New Bedford,	Oct. 1, '61,	Dec. 25, 1863, re-enlistment.
Hewitt, Michael, Artificer,	29	400 66	Fairhaven,	Dec. 23, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Stantial, Thomas B., Artificer,	26	-	Melrose,	Sept. 28, '61,	July 25, 1862, disability.
Tripp, Christopher B., Artificer,	21	-	New Bedford,	Oct. 3, '61,	26, 1862, disability.
Wood, James A., Artificer,	23	-	New Bedford,	1, '61,	25, 1862, disability.
Alden, Frederick D.,	22	-	Fall River,	Sept. 28, '61,	Killed June 2, 1864, Coal Harbor, Va.
Allen, James D.,	22	-	New Bedford,	Oct. 1, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, expiration of service.
Alton, John H.,	27	-	Freetown,	3, '61,	3, 1864, do do
Alton, Joseph B.,	19	-	Sandwich,	3, '61,	Dec. 24, 1863, re-enlistment.
Alton, Joseph B.,	21	400 66	Sandwich,	Dec. 25, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Atkins, Thomas P.,	21	325 00	Marblehead,	Feb. 18, '64,	Died Aug. 28, '64, Portsmouth Grove, R. I.
Atwood, Alexander A.,	34	325 00	Marion,	Dec. 31, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Austin, Isaac C.,	24	-	South Danvers,	July 2, '64,	Aug. 8, 1864, rejected recruit.
Aymer, Frank,	25	†	Charlestown,	Dec. 29, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Baker, Harry M.,	21	325 00	Swampscott,	June 25, '64,	12, 1865, do do
Baldwin, James W.,	40	-	New Bedford,	Oct. 3, '61,	Sept. 26, 1862, disability.
Balfa, Thomas,	21	325 00	Salem,	Aug. 9, '64,	-
Ball, Volney,	20	†	Birmingham, Pa.,	Jan. 4, '64,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Barry, William,	35	-	Boston,	Oct. 1, '61,	Oct. 3, 1864, do do
Baur, Ignaz,	29	325 00	Salem,	July 14, '64,	June 12, 1865, do do
Baxter, Francis A.,	35	184 00	N. Bridgewater,	Sept. 7, '64,	12, 1865, do do
Blanchard, Amos,	27	-	Boston,	25, '61,	Dec. 11, 1863, re-enlistment.
Blanchard, Amos,	29	410 00	Boston,	Dec. 12, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Bliss, Cornelius E.,	29	-	Freetown,	Aug. 12, '62,	Transferred Mar. 11, 1864, to V. R. C.
Boutwell, William G.,	21	†	Montague,	Dec. 28, '63,	Died Nov. 10, 1864, Washington, D. C.
Bowman, Benedict,	23	-	West Roxbury,	Feb. 16, '64,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Boynton, John W.,	21	325 00	South Danvers,	24, '64,	Died of w'ds May 12, '64, Spottsylvania, Va.
Braley, Philo L.,	19	-	Freetown,	Oct. 1, '61,	Died Mar. 13, '64, Rappahan'k Sta'n, Va.
Brand, Robert,	22	-	Freetown,	Aug. 12, '62,	Dec. 14, 1864, expiration of service.
Brizze, William A., Jr.,	18	†	Montague,	Dec. 29, '63,	June 12, 1865, do do
Broom, George,	19	†	Lanesborough,	May 30, '64,	12, 1865, do do
Brown, Edward A.,	19	-	Quincy,	Dec. 15, '61,	Dec. 25, 1863, re-enlistment.
Brown, Edward A.,	21	400 66	Quincy,	26, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Brock, John H.,	18	†	Malden,	Nov. 7, '63,	12, 1865, do do
Brownell, Lorenzo D.,	42	-	New Bedford,	Sept. 28, '61,	Feb. 1, 1864, re-enlistment.
Brownell, Lorenzo D.,	44	375 33	New Bedford,	Feb. 2, '64,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.
Brown, Warren W.,	25	-	Lynnfield,	Oct. 1, '61,	July 14, 1862, disability.
Bryson, Peter,	25	†	Charlestown,	Dec. 14, '63,	June 12, 1865, expiration of service.

† See Third Battery.

SCHEDULE I.—Free Inhabitants in Seymour in the County of Franklin State  
of Massachusetts enumerated by me, on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of September, 1850. Samuel D. Day Asst. Marshal.

1	2	3	4			7	8	9	10			12
			Age	Sex	Color				Married within the year	Attended school within the year	Persons over 15 years of age who cannot read & write	
		Mary E. Woodward	20	F				Massachusetts				
		Nelson H. "	12	M				"				
		Bathsheba "	69	F				"				
148	161	Daniel Green	47	M		Miller	200	"				
		Wesley "	42	F				"				
		Maria "	18	F				"		1		
		Mary "	4	F				"		1		
		Warren B. Marsh	26	M		Blacksmith		"				
		Nancy "	20	F				"				
		Emmett W. "	12	M				"				
		Austin W. Glazier	21	M		Farmer		"		1		
		Alonzo J. "	17	F				"		1		
144	162	George Hubbard	42	M		Blacksmith	800	"				
		Lizzy W. "	44	F				"				
		Lucan M. "	2	F				"				
		Louisa Vaughan	38	F				"				
145	163	Lucius Cutting	42	M		Blacksmith	1600	New York				
		Eliza "	18	F				Massachusetts				
		James W. "	15	M		Farmer		Massachusetts		1		
		Orlie A. "	13	F				"		1		
		Levi A. "	9	F				"		1		
		Helen L. "	4	F				"		1		
		Lizzy B. "	2	F				"				
146	164	Abel Ware	70	M		Farmer	300	"				
		James "	66	F				"				
147	165	Alden C. Field	42	M		Under Transportation	800	"				
		Caroline "	38	F				"				
		Ralph A. "	12	M				"		1		
		Lucena L. "	10	F				"		1		
		Caroline M. "	8	F				"		1		
		Hannah Thomas	35	F				"				
148	166	William Brizzee	27	M		House Carpenter	300	"				
		Eliza "	24	F				"				
		William W. "	5	M				"		1		
		Ellen K. "	2	F				"				
		Sally Pratt	77	F				"				
149	167	Leiphae Field	35	M		Farmer	900	"				
		Esther B. "	35	F				"				
		Thos L. "	4	M				"				
		Esther L. "	1	F				"				
150	168	Asa L. "	49	M		Farmer	800	"				
		Mary W. "	42	F				"				

OURS?

BRIZZEE, WILLIAM A (1850)

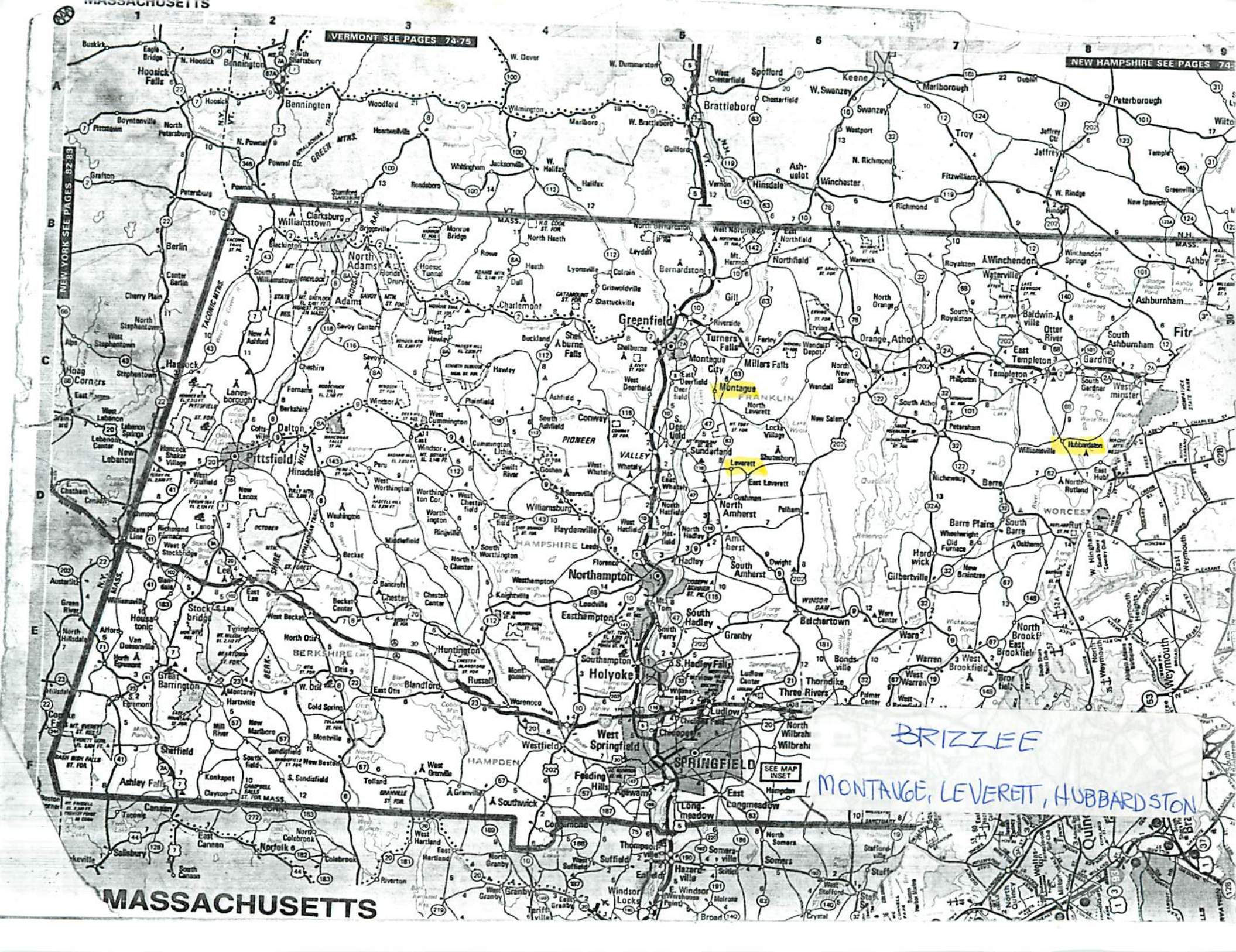
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Individuals Name

Roll # 1

Brizzee, William A.  
Pvt. Co. B, 27<sup>th</sup> Mass. Regt.  
New Branch NH for DVS  
Milwaukee, WI  
d. February 19, 1896

**NH for DVS**      National Home for Disabled Voluntered Soldiers



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BRIZZLEE

MONTAUGE, LEVERETT, HUBBARDSTON

SEE MAP INSET

MASSACHUSETTS

LaCrosse Tribune

Darling, William A.

March 25, 26, 27, 28

Other name: Brizzee, W.A.

LCT 3-27-13 P. 6

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See Reg. of Deeds, cemetery office, National Archives

AGED VETERAN KILLED BY MANIAC

DARLING'S SKILL AS A NURSE SAVED SEVERAL LIVES IN LACROSSE.

Minneapolis, Minnesota:

Aged Veteran is Killed by Maniac W.A. Darling, aged 68, a Civil War veteran, was shot and killed on Saturday by Gus Gusafson in the Darling home. Gusafson also fired a rifle bullet at Policeman Fred Schoede but the shot went wild. Gusafson recently was brought before a court of the insanity commission after having attempted to blow up a settlement home with a view to killing imaginary enemies in a boarding house nearby. He was ordered deported to Norway and an officer escorted him to New York where he was put on a ship sailing for his native country. He reappeared in Minneapolis a few weeks later, however.

March 26: Darling's Slayer a LaCrosse Man (Description fitted a man arrested in LaCrosse for burglary in 1896) The venerable victim was a former nurse credited with saving many lives by his skill in tending the sick. (No motive known for killing) According to the statement of Minneapolis police, Darling was called out on the porch of his boarding house Sunday morning by his landlady who told him that a man carrying a rifle wanted to see him. As he went out of the door, Gusafson shot him. Gusafson was captured by the police after a desperate chase. It was not known whether the paths of the two had crossed before.

Darling lived in LaCrosse until about two years ago when he went to Minneapolis to work in a restaurant. He was a Civil War veteran and was employed in the city as a nurse. He won the esteem and respect of his neighbors by his devotion to his wife who was insane. She is now in the asylum at West Salem. Mr. Darling's skill as a nurse was remarkable and he is credited with saving several lives in the city. It is probable that he will be buried at Baraboo where his only surviving relatives, two nieces, live.

Gusafson refused to give reasons - will be tried in Hennepin Cty.

March 27: Darling Will be Buried in LaCrosse. The body of W.A.

Darling will arrive in LaCrosse tonight and will be taken in charge by the Wilson Colwell Post GAR. The Post will hold a meeting

to complete arrangements for the funeral which will be held Friday  
Darling will be buried in Oak Grove Cemetery.

Friday 28th - MURDERED MAN IS BURIED IN LACROSSE - was shot to death  
on Sunday. The funeral was held today at 12.30 from Oak Grove Cemetery  
Chapel under the auspices of the Wilson Colwell Post. Pall Bearers  
Mr. Pope, John Desmond, E. Lawrence, Theodore Häuser, Edward Cronon,  
Professor Hardy read the ritual and John M. Holley made the prayer.  
Interment was made in Oak Grove Cemetery - Soldiers' Lot

Died March 23, 1913 bur. Row 3 GAR Lot S. 14

Darling's legal guardian was Jedediah Darling whose name he later  
adopted

# The Lanpher Hat

A large crop of new Spring shapes—one just right for you

SOLD IN  
LA CROSSE

BY  
Nels Thompson



## IGAN CITY IS CUT OFF BY SNOW

MET, Mich., March 25.—  
rail communication and on-  
mittent and uncertain wire  
northern Michigan was on  
shut off from the rest of the  
because of the blizzard which  
up Sunday night, following  
rainstorm. All business of  
rict is at a standstill. No  
running and the people of  
rict use snowshoes and skis  
rse the streets. Twenty-six  
of snow fell in nine hours.  
all boxes are snowed under  
main streets.

## PASS TOWEL BILL

SON, Wis., March 25.—(Spe-  
Several important Assembly  
re-passed in the senate last  
he most notable of the meas-  
s the McComb bill providing  
ividual towels must be kept  
ashrooms of public buildings  
der of the state board of  
The Allison bill, which has  
central idea the beautifying  
es, and permits the creation  
commissions by villages, was  
ncurrence, as was the Spor-  
biting the use of snag lines  
men in Wisconsin waters.

## AGED VETERAN IS KILLED BY MANIAC

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., March 25.  
—W. A. Darling, aged 68, a civil war  
veteran, was shot and killed on Sun-  
day by Gus Gusafson near the Dar-  
ling home. Gusafson also fired a  
rifle bullet at Policeman Fred  
Schroeder, but the shot went wide.  
He was captured several hours la-  
ter. Gusafson recently was brought  
before an insanity commission after  
having attempted to blow up a set-  
tlement home with a view to killing  
imaginary enemies in a boarding  
house nearby. He was ordered de-  
ported to Norway and officers escort-  
ed him to New York, where he was  
placed on a ship sailing for his na-  
tive country. He reappeared in Min-  
neapolis a few weeks later, howev-  
er.

## Great Writer Not Musical.

Macaulay was entirely insensible to  
the charms of music. He wrote from  
Windsor castle on January 14, 1851:  
"At table I was between the duchess  
of Norfolk and a foreign woman who  
could hardly speak English intellig-  
ibly. I got on as well as I could.  
The band covered the talk with a suc-  
cession of sonorous tunes. The

## MONEY RAISED QUER

## Nothing Left for Project Said to Purpose of League

That the McKinley  
pital league which has  
funds in La Crosse's  
humanitarian purposes  
than a salary paying  
men at the head of it  
that it does not fulfill  
pose of fighting tuber-  
least particular are the  
Associated charities of  
ter an investigation.  
Miss Winnifred Sallab  
of the Associated char-  
mane society on the  
tions is given in full a  
"About one week ago  
ed to investigate the  
McKinley Memorial H  
which had been solic  
La Crosse. Our inve-  
us the following facts  
glad to give out for  
the public.

"The William McKi  
Hospital league was in  
1903 under the genera  
law of New York stat  
means of donations,  
and sale of seals, a fun-  
tion of a monument t  
of William McKinley,  
a hospital, which when  
be open to all reputa  
also by means of sele  
various places to aid in  
tuberculosis.

"Up to the pre  
league's only work  
raising of money but  
420 16 had been recei-  
tember 20, 1912, th  
statement at that time  
deficit of \$2,620.38.  
tures had been for sal-  
sions and office expen-  
means of raising funds  
'McKinley seals' simil  
Cross Christmas seals

Piqua dead estimated from 100 to 150; Tiffin, 50 reported dead; Fremont, 11 known to be dead; Columbus, 25 known to be dead; Akron, 3; Youngstown, 2; New Philadelphia, 3; Findlay, 1; Washington Courthouse, 1; Warren, 1.

## DISEASE BAR TO THE POOR HOUSE

Persons Suffering with Infectious or Contagious Diseases Not Admitted Under New Rule

### TUBERCULOSIS IS NOT INCLUDED

County Board May Order Audit of Books to Close Old System of Accounting

All persons suffering with infectious or contagious diseases, especially genital diseases, will be barred from the La Crosse county poor house if a resolution embodying new rules for the county physician, poor commissioner and manager of the county farm which was offered by the committee on poor at the meeting of the county board of supervisors today go into effect. The resolution was offered at the morning meeting and held over for further consideration at the afternoon session. In answer to questions from several of the supervisors County Physician R. E. Flynn, said tubercular patients will not be refused admittance by the new rule, tuberculosis not being commonly considered a contagious disease.

The morning session was largely devoted to the reading of reports of committees appointed to investigate the condition of the county buildings, offices and books. The committees reported the buildings generally in good shape.

#### To Redeem Bonds

A resolution providing the redemption of \$25,000 worth of La Crosse County Agricultural school bonds from the sinking fund was

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## DARLING'S SLAYER A LA CROSSE MAN

Description of Murderer Fits Man Arrested Here for Burglary in 1896

### VENERABLE VICTIM FORMER NURSE

Credited with Saving Many Lives by Skill in Tending the Sick

That the man who murdered W. A. Darling, formerly of this city, Sunday in Minneapolis was also known in La Crosse was the opinion of Chief of Police John Webber today following the publishing of the murderer's picture, name and description in the Minneapolis papers yesterday. According to the Minneapolis papers the murderer's name was Gus Gustafson. No motive for the killing which was done in cold blood can be discovered. According to the story of Minneapolis police Darling was called out on the porch of his boarding house Sunday morning by his landlady who told him a man carrying a rifle wanted to see him. As he stepped out of the door Gustafson shot him dead. Gustafson was captured by the police after a desperate chase.

La Crosse police records show that an Albert Gustafson was arrested here in 1896 for burglary and his picture in the rogue's gallery is similar to that published in the Minneapolis papers. Gustafson was 26 years of age when sent up from here and the man who committed the murder is evidently about 40 or 50 years old. The last Chief Webber heard of Gustafson he was in Minneapolis and it is not improbable that he is the same man. Whether the two men's paths ever crossed in

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John H. Patterson, president National Cash Register co who personally aided the rescue and turned over his famous plant as an asylum for victims.

### GARY IS FLOODED

GARY, Ind., March 26.—The Calumet river has overflowed banks south of the city. Houses are surrounded by the water but it is not believed there is any danger.

## Woodrow Wilson Appeals For Succor

WASHINGTON, March 26.

The following appeal in connection with the floods in the middle western states was issued today by President Wilson:

"The terrible floods in Indiana and Ohio have approached the proportions of a national calamity. Loss of life and infinite suffering in the prompt me to issue an appeal to all who are able, however small a way, to contribute to the labors of the American Red Cross, to send contributions to the Red Cross at Washington to the local treasurers of the society.

"We should make this a national cause. The needs of upon whom this sudden and overwhelming disaster has should quicken everyone's sense of sympathy and cooperation to give immediate aid to those who are laboring to secure and relieve.

"WOODROW WILSON

WEATHER

Photograph from Strick

3-25-1913 p. 6 LAX Tribune (Wed.)  
for state aid have reached  
Ralston from Peru and  
le. Relief measures have  
been undertaken.

apolis, largest inland city in  
ed States, has suffered \$2,-  
property loss already and the  
on is growing worse. Two  
valued at half a million dol-  
re washed away. Ten thou-  
uses are flooded.

ts in the darkness when the  
ashington bridge gave way,  
n a torrent on a not alto-  
deserted residential section  
e to the believe that many  
perished.

TRANSPORT, Ind., March 26.—  
housand people are homeless  
city is submerged in from  
en feet of water as the re-  
a rapid rise in the St. John  
st night. No deaths have  
ported, although several per-  
e missing.

WAYNE, Ind., March 26.—  
rphan girls were drowned to-  
en their boat upset in which  
re being transferred from the  
Allen County Orphans home  
poorhouse, a short distance  
William Niemyer was drown-  
night while attempting res-

40 Die at Brookville  
NORSVILLE, Ind., March 26.  
y or more persons were  
d at Brookville, Franklin  
according to authentic in-  
on received here today.  
bank which protects the city  
two forks of the White river  
broke Monday night. Twelve  
just back of the levee were  
l by the wall of water and the  
ants undoubtedly perished.  
ivors gathered in the churches  
immediately after the disaster  
ayed that some of those who  
r the water's path might have

To Ask Larger Appropriation  
With adoption of a resolution of-  
fered by the committee on Insane the  
board ordered a protest to be sent  
to the legislature on the amount now  
given by the state for the care of the  
insane.

The legislature will be asked to  
increase the appropriation from \$3 to  
\$3.50 for each person in the county  
asylums.

The board recessed at noon until  
two o'clock.

## DARLING'S SLAYER A LA CROSSE MAN

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La Crosse are not known.

Darling lived in La Crosse until  
about two years ago when he went  
to Minneapolis to work in a restaur-  
ant. He was a civil war veteran and  
was employed about this city as a  
nurse. He won the esteem and re-  
spect of his neighbors by his devo-  
tion to his wife who was insane. She  
is now in the asylum at West Sa-  
lem. Mr. Darling's skill as a nurse  
was remarkable and he is credited  
with saving several lives in this city.  
It is probable that he will be buried  
in Baraboo where his only surviving  
relatives, two nieces, live.

Arraigned in court yesterday Gus-  
tafson refused to give a reason for  
his action. He will be tried in the  
next term of court in Hennepin coun-  
ty.

## WILSON SYMPATHIZES

WASHINGTON, March 26.—Pres-  
ident Wilson today sent the following  
messages to Governor Cox of Ohio  
and Ralston of Indiana:

"I deeply sympathize with the  
people of your state in the terrible  
disaster that has come upon you

ing. Later  
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for two days  
crackers. I  
an iron fence  
ays before he  
od. I saw the  
children float-

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nd.

Hall The Latest 3-28-1913 p.6 LAY Tribune (Fri)

Of course that settled the Bachelor story, but in running it to ground reporters got a new lead. It is that George Hall may be made chief of police in case of Mr. Sorensen's election. To this some of Sorensen's friends say he intends to get an out of town man, and others declare that he will keep Chief Webber.

### Ori Out of City

Reporters on Mr. Sorensen's trail today were disappointed by the information that the candidate is in Aurora, Ill. Mr. Sorensen will return this evening.

## MURDERED MAN IS BURIED AT LA CROSSE

The funeral of W. A. Darling who was shot to death in Minneapolis on Sunday was held today at 12:30 from the Oak Grove cemetery chapel, under the auspices of the Wilson-Colwell grand army post. The pall bearers were: Mr. Pope, John Desmond, Esther Lawrence, Theodore Hauser, and Edward Cronon. Professor Hardy read the ritual and John M. Holley made the prayer. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

# ROSSE THEATRE

MATINEE AND NIGHT

NDAY, MARCH 30

R. A. PRESCOTT PRESENTS

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## Personnel Directory



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First Name

State Served

Residence

State of Residence

Occupation

Survived War

3. 

1 Row Found

Events: (C)ommissioned Officer; (P)OW; (W)ounded

#	First Name	MI	Last Name		Residence	ST	Enlist Rank	State Served	Enlist Age	Enlist Date	Enlist Place	Survived War	Event
1	William	A	Brizzee	Jr	North Leverett	MA	Priv	MA	18	12/29/63		Y	

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## Soldier History

William A. Brizzee, Jr



**Home**

Personnel  
Directory

Officer  
Directory

Soldier  
Report List

Residence Montague MA; an 18 year-old Farmer.

Enlisted as a Private (date unknown).

On 9/1/64 he transferred into MA 5th Light Artillery.  
He was Mustered Out on 6/12/65 at Camp Meigs, Readville, MA

He also had service in:  
MA 3rd Light Artillery

### Sources:

- Massachusetts Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in the Civil War

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## Soldier History

William A. Brizzee, Jr

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DirectoryOfficer  
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Report ListResidence North Leverett MA; an 18 year-old Farmer.

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(date and method of discharge not given)

## Sources:

- Massachusetts Soldiers, Sailors and Marines in the Civil War

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## Town Data



Home

State  
Report ListMontague, MA  
Franklin County

Population in 1860: 1,593

Soldiers by In Method

Soldiers by Out Method

Enlisted/Commissioned:

103

Killed or Mortally Wounded:

8

Drafted:

3

Died as POW:

4

Died of Disease:

11

Total Men:

106

Disabled:

21

Deserted:

0

Discharged:

9

Mustered Out:

52

Note: Most state Adjutant General Reports did not provide Residence information.

The table above reflects only the data in the HDS database.

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## **BRIZZEE, WILLIAM A. jr**

### **HISTORICAL DATA, COUNTIES in MASSACHUSETTS**

#### **MONTAUGE, FRANKLIN COUNTY**

Made a town by State 1775-1776, c 3

1754	Jan.	25	Established as a district by the name of Montauge, from part of Sunderland. (Prov. Laws, Vol. III, p. 713.)
1775	Aug.	21	Made a town, by general act under which districts became towns,
1803	Feb.	28	Part annexed to Wendall.

*Archaic Names of the Municipality:*  
Hunting Hills.

*Section/Village Names:*  
Lake Pleasant, Miller's falls, Montauge center, Montauge City, Turner's Falls.

2 of 2  
THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

CERT. NO. 832341

PENSIONER:

Emma A. Darling

Widow

OF

VETERAN:

William A. Darling William A. Darling

CAN NO:

1952-16

UNIQUE NO:

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# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

INSTRUCTIONS. READ CAREFULLY—This should be sworn to before a CLERK of the COURT or his DEPUTY, or any NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE of the PEACE, provided if executed before a Notary or Justice, the certificate of the court must be attached unless the Notary or Justice has a certificate already on file in the Pension Office. In such case the Notary or Justice must state that such certificate is on file. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and delay. The witnesses, if not themselves equal to the task of drawing the affidavit, should go to some Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or other officer or competent person, and have the blank filled out and properly executed.

STATE OF Wisconsin COUNTY OF Sauk SS.

In the matter of Original Pension claim No. 742432 of

Will A Brizze or now Darling

ON THIS 23 day of May, A. D., 1890, personally appeared before me a Clerk of

Circuit Court in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths O. L. Glavin

aged 55 years, a resident of Baraboo in the County of

Sauk and State of Wisconsin whose postoffice address is Baraboo

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

to the aforesaid case as follows: That I have been well and personally acquainted with Will A

Darling for 40 years, have known Will A

Brizze now known as Darling when he was a

child lived neighbor to his Father's family for years

until moving west which was in 1854 know the

Darlings mother separated from his father and

that he was by his Father bound out to A Mr Darling

with whom he was living when I came West

I again saw him in 1858 and again in 1866

when he came to Wisconsin he told me he had

been in the War and showed me his discharge

which was made out in the name of Brizze

though he was going by name of Darling

he telling me that as he had lived with the

Darling so long he had changed it or had it

changed by A Judge of Probate of Madison Co

shortly after return home from service

and I supposed that Darling was his legal name

I know he has gone by that name ever since know

in 1866 was afflicted with Rheumatism which

he said and I have reason to believe was caused by

exposure in the Army he was Deaf which he

stated was due to his army service know he was

treated for these disabilities by Dr Main of Portage

and Dr Hall of Baraboo who are now dead I

have seen him on an average of once A years since

Will A Brizze 1866 to 1880

This blank is prepared by, and for the exclusive use of, CHARLES J. ALDEN, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

Return all blanks not needed in this case to CHARLES J. ALDEN, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

his marriage which was in 1869 before or from 1866 to 1869 seen him after known was married under the name of Darling also know that he has been troubled with Rheumatism and Deafness each and every year since 1866 seemed to be growing worse is not in my opinion on account of same able to over half of the work of a strong healthy man

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

O. L. Glazier

[If affiants signs by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

[Signature of affiants.]

STATE OF Wisconsin, COUNTY OF Sauk, 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

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 credible person.

Charles Coleman

[Official signature.]

Clerk of Circuit Court

[Official character.]

[SEAL]

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 declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing 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, this day of, 189

[SEAL]

Clerk of the

742,432

Additional Evidence.

CLAIM OF

Will A. Briggs Jr. New Darling  
3, Betty. W. B. S. J.

AFFIDAVIT OF

No.

FILED BY CLAIMANT'S ATTORNEY,

CHARLES J. ALDEN,

United States Pension Claim Agent  
and War Claim Attorney,

LA CROSSE, : : WISCONSIN.

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aged 66 years, a resident of Fairfield in the County of

Lauk and State of Wis whose postoffice address is Baraboo

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

to the aforesaid case as follows: That I have been well and personally acquainted with Will A. Darling

for 40 years, have known him from

his childhood lived neighbor to his family, for

years upon the separation the family I adopted

his oldest sister and know that he was haunted out

by his father to a Mr. Darling to remain until

he was 16 years old I came west in 1854 and

did not again see him till fall of 1866 when

he came to my house in Fairfield Lauk Co

Wis this was about 1 year after his discharge

he then went by the name of Darling he told

me that he took that name just after coming

out of service having had it changed by Judge

of Probate Madison Co if it was not that he supposed

it to be legal he has always went by that name he

was at my house quite often some times a week

or more at a time for about 3 years or until he

was married which was in 1869 know that he

was married under the name of Darling and so

recorded since the named date I have seen him

on an average of once a year I know that when he came

to my house in 1866 he was suffering from rheuma

tism which he stated and I believe he contracted

while the service he was also at that time somewhat

deaf caused he said by concussion of artillery during

the battle of Spottsylvania know that he was under

treatment a great deal for these disabilities by Dr. Maine

of Portage and Dr. Hall of Baraboo Wis

made in 1890

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both deceased said treatment done done him but  
little if any good and he has continued to suffer  
ever since troubled more or less with said rheumatism  
almost constantly and his deafness seems to in-  
crease he is in my opinion disabled from the  
performance of manual labor by reason of said  
rheumatism and deafness at least one half

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

✓ Harrison Porter

[If affiants signs by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

[Signature of affiants.]

STATE OF Wisconsin, COUNTY OF Sauk, 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.

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 credible person.

Charles Coleman

[Official signature.]

Clerk of Circuit Court

[Official character.]

[SEAL]

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 declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing 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, this day of, 189

[SEAL]

Clerk of the

Additional Evidence.

CLAIM OF

AFFIDAVIT OF

No.

FILED BY CLAIMANT'S ATTORNEY,

CHARLES J. ALDEN,  
United States Pension Claim Agent  
and War Claim Attorney,

LA CROSSE, : : WISCONSIN.

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

NOTE.—Write the affidavit just as you would write a letter, stating all the facts, circumstances, d. and places, as near as you can remember, according to the requirements in the case in which your testimony is to be used; also state how you know what you say to be true, whether from personal observation or otherwise. This blank can be used for the testimony of either one or two persons.

STATE OF

COUNTY OF

In the matter of the claim for

of

late of Company

Personally came before me, a

and State,

and

resident of

Mass.

, who being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

I knew Brazee before his death for 10 years & was a school mate of his at North Lennett Mass. I knew him intimately. During the war I was a comrade in same Battery and was during whole time of service a bunk-mate with him. In Sept 1864 at or near Weldon Railroad in Va. he had and complained of Rheumatism in limbs. He also during the whole campaign from Wilderness to Spottsylvania had and complained of deafness caused by concussion of artillery. He complained of Rheumatism during whole of above mentioned campaign but I have the most distinct recollection of his suffering with it at Weldon Railroad as I state. His complaints were frequent and at times he was lame from rheumatism. He would after each engagement complain of deafness from concussion.

Complains of Rheumatism & Deafness

He further declares that he has no interest in said case, and is not concerned in its prosecution, and is not related to said claimant.

Affiant's Signature,

P. O. Address,

Affiant's Signature,

P. O. Address,

Attest—when any affiant signs BY MARK two persons sign here.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant ; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant , and acquainted *him* with its contents before *he* executed the same; that said affiant *is* personally known to me; that *he is* a credible person and so reputed in the community in which *he* reside *s*. I further certify that the words ..... were erased, and the words ..... were added before execution, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Witness my hand and seal this *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *August* 189*0*.

ADD SEAL HERE.

{ Any erasures or interlineations in the foregoing affidavit should be certified by the Magistrate, in his jurat, as having been made before execution. }

*Certificate filed*

*John R. Neil*  
Magistrate's Signature.  
*Notary Public*  
Official Character.

NOTE.—This may be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If sworn before a NOTARY or JUSTICE, then the official character and signature of such officer should be verified by certificate of the Clerk of Court, on the form which follows:

I, ..... Clerk of the ..... 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 the seal of said Court, this ..... day of ..... 189 ..

..... Clerk.

[L. S.]

Nature of Case	No.	Claimant	Date	Co.	Reg't	Vols.	AFFIDAVIT OF	FILED BY	Lawyer	Lawyer	Lawyer
									<i>Wm. J. Alden</i>	<i>Wm. J. Alden</i>	<i>Wm. J. Alden</i>

Sold by  
T. H. BALL, Law Stationer,  
49 Court Street, Boston.

# Neighbor's Affidavit.

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK of the COURT or his DEPUTY or any NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE of the PEACE, provided, if executed before a Justice of the Peace, the certificate of the court must be attached unless the Justice has a certificate already on file in the Pension Office. In such case the Justice must state that such certificate is on file. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and delay.

STATE OF Rhode Island, COUNTY OF Providence, ss.

NOTE.—For testimony of employers or near neighbors of soldier, (other than relatives) who have known him before his enlistment or since his discharge and return from the army.

NOTE.—The witnesses, if not themselves equal to the task of drawing the affidavits, should go to some Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or other officer or competent person, and have the blank filled out and properly executed.

## INSTRUCTIONS. Read Carefully.

The witnesses must state:

1st. Their respective ages and occupations; the length of time they have known the soldier, and in what year or years of the said period they have employed, worked with, or for him, or lived in the same neighborhood with him.

2d. If they knew him before his enlistment, what his physical condition was at the time, and that he was then sound and free from disability, and especially free from the disease which caused the soldier's death—naming the disease.

3rd. If they have employed, or worked with, the soldier since his return from the army, they should state where it was and at what business, or if they have known him as neighbors only, they should state about what distance from him they lived; how frequently, on an average, each week, month or year, they saw him and conversed with him, and how intimate they were with him during this time, and from what disease or disability he has suffered during all the time they employed him, worked with him, or lived near him and how severely; whether at any time during this period he was obliged to stop work, was confined to his bed or house, or was wholly unable to do any manual labor because of his alleged disabilities, and give dates as near as recollected when such attacks occurred and how long they lasted and how severe they were. In this connection, if the witnesses have been his employers, or have worked with or for the soldier, they should state about what proportion of a sound, able-bodied man's work he was able to do—whether one-fourth, one-third, one-half, two-thirds, three-fourths, or as the case may have been; what his actual earnings were, and whether or not the wages paid him were less in amount, and how much less on account of his inability to labor, than were paid to others physically sound and doing the same kind of work. They should

In the matter of

Claim No.

of W. A. Bragge now W. A. Darling

ON THIS 12th day of January, A. D. 1894

personally appeared

before me a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized

to administer oaths, Orson West, aged 54 years, a resident

of Providence, in the County of Providence and State of

Rhode Island, whose postoffice address is 9 Winter Street

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

aforesaid case as follows: That I have been well and personally acquainted with W. A. Bragge

now W. A. Darling for two years who was a

member of 3rd Mass Battery of Artillery, that in

the winter of 1863, I was a member

of the battery, that Bragge was

also a member and we were en-

camped on the banks of the

Rappahannock river. That we were exposed

to wet and cold, and that Bragge was

sick and stiffened with rheumatism

while there. As I was a corporal, I have

had him under my charge to go to the

surgeon. I recollect of his being excused

from duty. I should say that it resulted

from his exposure to cold and wet

in the service. That at Spotlyham

Battery was engaged and he was in the

fight. Concussions of Artillery were then

being fired

and he was killed

and his name is on the list of the dead

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C. P.

(S-061.)

CALL No. 10.

Eastern Division.

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

973578

January 29<sup>th</sup>, 1894.

Respectfully requested of the Officer in charge of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, a report from the records of his Office as to the presence or absence, on or about winter of, 1863, of Orson West a capt.

of 3<sup>rd</sup> Batty - Mass. Vol. S. A.

and the station, at that date, of the said Battery -

Claim No. 742,432.

Will A. Darling & Co. Prizgee. Pk.  
of same Battery.

J. L. Lachorn

Commissioner.

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

Record and Pension Office,

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, JAN 30 1894 189

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions.

The rolls show that

Orson West

mentioned in the preceding endorsement was present during the period named in that endorsement except as follows:

During the period named the station of the company and regiment was as follows:

Dec. 31, 1863 Near Seaton, Va.

Feb. 29, 1864 Seaton, Va.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. C. Cairns

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

Per m.

(323)

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Wisconsin, County of Calumet, ss.

In the matter of Union claim Wm A. Buzza, now residing  
Engl 742402, Minute C. 6 3" March 25 1894

ON THIS 16 day of January, A. D. 1894, personally appeared before me  
a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County duly authorized to administer  
oaths Wm A. Buzza now residing aged 48 years, a resident of Calumet  
in the County of Calumet and State of Wisconsin

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

That he belonged to a Battery of Light Artillery while in the army.

NOTE.—Affiant should state how he gained knowledge of the facts to which he testifies.

That the Batteries had no Surgeon, that the only medical treatment  
he had while in the Army, was repeating at night call, when he was  
ordered to come Surgeon or Hospital and furnished for his testimony  
by Commanders, West & others. The physicians who furnished for him as soon  
as he was recalled, were Dr. Hammond and Bell now dead as  
reported to me by the names sent me from the Pension office. Dr. Wilson whose  
name was furnished appeared only there about a week and did not test affidavit.  
In order that testimony of Commanders Hammond and West be accepted on that point,  
he cannot furnish medical testimony after discharge till the time of his  
treatment by Dr. Frank Powell of Calumet Wis. for the reason that Dr.  
Main of Portage Wis. and McKeen & Hull of Baraboo Wis. are dead.  
He asks that the evidence of Harrison Porter and O. H. Glavin, heretofore  
filed be accepted as to such treatment and existence of said disease.  
This Affidavit written at Calumet Wis by A. W. McClellan, Jan 16 1894  
from my oral statements to him and not from any written or printed  
statement or recital prepared or dictated by any one else

H Post-office address is Box 1117 Main St, Calumet Wisconsin

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

(If affiant signs by mark two persons who write sign here.)

W. A. Buzza Jr  
now  
McArdle

STATE OF Wisconsin, COUNTY OF Calumet, 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ added, and acquainted \_\_\_\_\_  
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 credible person.

A. H. McElmury  
(Official Signature.)

[L. S.]

Notary Public  
(Official Character.)  
Calumet Co. Wis.

I \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid  
County and State, do certify that \_\_\_\_\_, Esq., who has signed  
his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was, at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ 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, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 189 .

[L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

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

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

W. H. Briggner & Son  
W. A. Darling  
Pac. Co. Co. 3rd Mass St. Cal

AFFIDAVIT OF

Calumet

No: 744 et 32.

FILED BY

Charles J. Alden.  
Atty.

JULIA WALKER, WTS.

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

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

(Signatures of affiants.)

STATE OF Rhode Island, COUNTY OF Providence, 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.....

erased, and the words..... added and acquainted..... with its contents before..... executed the same

I further certify that I am in no wise 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 credible person.

Charles H. Bartlett  
(Official signature.)

Notary Bartlett  
(Official character.)

[SEAL]

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 declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing..... 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, this..... day of....., 189.....

[SEAL]

Clerk of the.....

Additional Evidence.

CLAIM OF

W. A. Buzzen

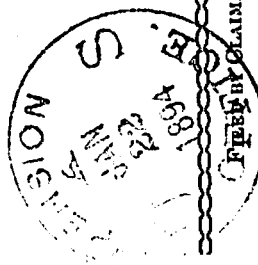
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AFFIDAVIT OF

Marion West

No. 742432



FILED BY CLAIMANT'S ATTORNEY,

CHARLES J. ALDEN,

United States Pension Claim Agent and War Claim Attorney.

WISCONSIN.

# General Affidavit.

NOTE.—This should be sworn before a CLERK of the COURT or his DEPUTY or any NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE of the PEACE, provided, if executed before a Justice of the Peace, the certificate of the court must be attached unless the Justice has a certificate already on file in the Pension Office. In such case the Justice must state that such certificate is on file. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and delay.

STATE OF Mass, COUNTY OF Hampden, ss.

## IMPORTANT!

### INSTRUCTIONS.

Read carefully.

Order No 229.

In accordance with an order issued by the Commissioner of Pensions, all evidence hereafter filed in pension claims must contain a statement from the witness showing that in making his affidavit he was not aided or prompted by any printed or written statement or recital, prepared or dictated by any other person, and not attached as an exhibit to his testimony. If the affidavit is in the handwriting of the witness, it should be so stated, and if it is not in his handwriting, then it must also contain a statement showing that it was prepared in his presence, and only from his oral declarations then made, and must show the name of the person to whom such oral declarations were made, and who reduced them to writing, and the time when, and place where they were made.

Affidavits that do not conform with this order will not be accepted as evidence by the Pension Bureau.

In the matter of Pension claim No 742432  
of Wm A. Biggerfellow W. A. Darling 3<sup>d</sup> Mass Co. A.  
ON THIS 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, A. D. 1895, personally appeared  
before me a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized  
to administer oaths, Henry B. Grooms, aged 50 years, a resident  
of Westfield in the County of Hampden and State of  
Mass, whose postoffice address is same

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

to the aforesaid case as follows: That I have been well and personally acquainted with William A. Biggerfellow W. A. Darling for 40 years I was in

(Affiant should state his means of knowing the facts to which he testifies.)

same battery and was discharged at some time with claimant and lived near neighbors to him for nearly fifteen years months after his arrival home from service and I know from personal knowledge that he suffered from rheumatism in service and from date of his discharge in June 1865 to the early part of September 1866. Since that time I

have seen but very little of him for he removed to the west on or about that time. He further testifies that the statements contained in this affidavit were written in his presence and from his oral statements made to Daniel W. Babbs of Westfield Mass on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of June 1895 and that in making the same he did not use and was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital prepared or dictated by any other person

This Blank is prepared by, and for the exclusive use of CHARLES J. ALDEN, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Return all Blanks not needed in this case to CHARLES J. ALDEN, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

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

*Henry B. Graves*

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

(Signature of affiants.)

STATE OF Mass, COUNTY OF Hampden, 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 the said affiant is personally known to me, and that he is a credible person

*Daniel W. Bates*  
(Official Signature.)

*Natany Public*  
(Official Character)

[SEAL.]

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 declaration and affidavit, was at the time of so doing \_\_\_\_\_ 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 hereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 189\_\_\_\_\_

[SEAL.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

Additional Evidence.

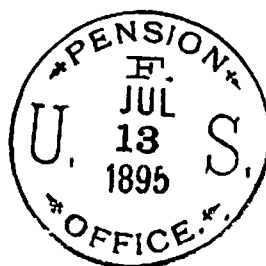
CLAIM OF

*William A. Briggs*  
*John William A. Briggs*

AFFIDAVIT OF

*Henry B. Graves*

No. 742437



FILED BY CLAIMANT'S ATTORNEY.

**CHARLES J. ALDEN,**

Pension Claim Agent and  
War Claim Attorney.

Loan & Trust Building, MILWAUKEE, WIS.



Div.

3-056.

Ex'r.

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., September 28, 1895.

Case  
L. N. M.  
Claim No. 742432  
Will A. Darling.  
Co. 13th Bally Mass. L. A.  
Return this with your reply.

SIR :

To further aid this Bureau in determining the merits of the above-entitled claim for pension, be kind enough to answer in your own handwriting the following questions, giving more complete details than your affidavit affords.

Very respectfully,

Wm Lockman  
Commissioner.

25  
Mr. Wm A. Brigger  
25 West Fourth  
Milwaukee, Wis

When did you first see claimant after he returned from the Army, and how do you fix the date?

Answer: I first saw Wm Brigger, now Darling on the 4th day of July 1865 as we were at a wedding

Of what disability did he complain, and how was he affected?

Answer: of rheumatism I was lame & was doctored or took medicine of one Dr Cobb of Montague Mass.

How frequently have you seen him since your first acquaintance?

Answer: not remembering the dates but quite frequent between 1865 & 1866 & then he went west and did not see him till about 72 or 73 he was with me at that time & for parent to you, and state to what extent he has been disabled therefrom for manual labor during each year. one year he often complained of rheumatism

Answer: from the above date he has been west & I have often had letters & complained of rheumatism in the Spring of the 1895 I came out to his home in La Crosse Wis & found him as above stated

My means of knowing the facts of the case are these:

yours Truly

Very respectfully,

COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C.

William A. Brigger  
Read

## Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

State of Wisconsin County of Du Croire, ss:

ON THIS 29 day of October A. D. one thousand and hundred  
and 1900, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within  
 and for the County and State aforesaid, William A. Briggs, Jr., aged 55 years,  
 a resident of Du Croire, County of Du Croire,  
 State of Wisconsin, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner  
 of the United States, enrolled at the Indianapolis Pension Agency at the rate of 6.00  
 dollars per month, under Certificate No. 948.591, by reason of disability from Rheumatism  
 (Here name the disability  
 or disabilities for which now pensioned.)

incurred in the Military service of the United States, while serving as a Private  
 (Military or Naval.) (Here state rank, company  
3<sup>d</sup> Battery, Massachusetts Volunteer Light Artillery  
 and regiment, if in the Army; or rating and name of vessel, if in the Navy.)

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of:

The Progress in increase of Rheumatism, which now totally  
incapacitates him from performing manual labor  
 (Here state reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, the fact should be stated, and the  
for any period of a day, and totally incapacitates him  
 manner and extent of the progression of the disability described. If on account of diseases resulting from the disability for which pensioned, the names  
from earning his subsistence by manual labor.  
 of the disease should be stated.)  
that he is crippled up to such an extent that he cannot get about

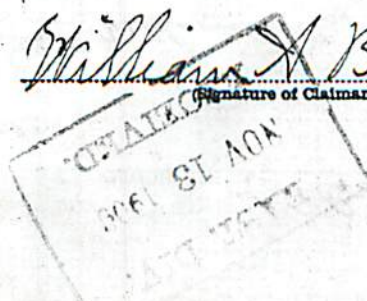
and he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

Julius J. Harkness of the County of Wisconsin  
 his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute this claim.

His Post Office address is 1616 Main Street Du Croire, Du Croire County  
Wisconsin

Timothy A. Lewis  
Wm. Blackley  
 (Who write, sign here.)

William A. Briggs, Jr.  
 (Signature of Claimant.)



also personally appeared T. A. Lewis residing at La Crosse  
State of Wisconsin and Wm Blackley residing at  
La Crosse Wisconsin persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who  
being by me duly sworn, depose and say that they were present and saw Melrose A. Prigee Jr.  
the claimant sign his name to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to  
(Sign his name or make his mark.)

believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he repre-  
sents himself to be; that they have no interest in this claim, and are not concerned in its prosecution.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

Timothy A. Lewis

2. \_\_\_\_\_

Wm Blackley

(If either Affiant signs by mark, two persons who write, sign here.)

(Signature of Affiants.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October A. D. 1908

and I hereby certify that the contents of the foregoing declaration were fully made known and explained to  
the applicant and witnesses before they made oath to the same, including the words \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ added; and that I have no interest, direct or  
indirect, in this claim, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

[L. S.]

J. A. Minton  
(Official Signature.)  
Notary Public  
La Crosse County Wis.  
(Official Character.)

I \_\_\_\_\_, Clerk of the County Court in and for the aforesaid County  
and State, do hereby certify that \_\_\_\_\_, who has signed his name to the  
foregoing declaration and 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, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ I \_\_\_\_\_

[L. S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

NOTE.—This application should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE  
OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE, or NOTARY, the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his cer-  
tificate as to the official character of the Notary, or Justice hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

If the Notary, or Justice, has filed his Commission, or duly certified copy thereof, in the Pension Office for gen-  
eral reference, he should add statement to that effect, and the Clerk's certificate will not be required.

INVALID.

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

Melrose A. Prigee Jr.  
Charles William A. Prigee  
Co. 3<sup>rd</sup> Cavalry  
Regt.

Manufacturers, Light and Heavy Vols.

Pension Certificate No. 948,591

5 Bally, Mass. La.

FILED BY  
J. A. Minton  
Notary Public  
La Crosse Wis.

108 North 4<sup>th</sup> St.

La Crosse Wis.

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# Declaration for Increase of an Invalid Pension.

(OLD AND NEW DISABILITY.)

State of Wisconsin, County of Du Chesne, SS:

ON THIS 12 day of December A. D. one thousand eight hundred and one 1901 personally appeared before me Judge of the County Court, a County of Du Chesne within and for the County and State aforesaid.

William A. Briggs, aged 56 years, a resident of the City of Du Chesne County of Du Chesne, State of Wisconsin,

who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States by certificate number 948,591, and duly enrolled at the Madison Pension Agency, at the rate of Eight

dollars per month, by reason of disability incurred in the Military service of the United States while serving as Private in Third Battery Massachusetts Volunteer Light Artillery (Give rank, company and regiment or other organization, if in the Army; and rank and vessel if in the Navy.)

that his present physical condition is such that he believes himself entitled to receive an increased pension.

He further declares that he is disabled in the following manner, to wit:

Rheumatism

Application is also hereby made for increase of pension on account of a new disability, to wit: at \_\_\_\_\_, in the State of \_\_\_\_\_

on or about the \_\_\_\_\_, 186\_\_\_\_,

that new disability Rheumatism has continually increased to an extent as to totally incapacitate him from earning a subsistence by manual labor for any portion of a day

(Here name the new disability for which pension is claimed, state when, where and how contracted, and if treated in hospitals give names of hospitals and dates of treatment.)

that he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, Julius H. Henshaw of Du Chesne Wisconsin his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim

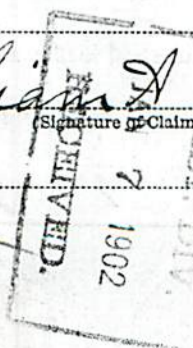
His Post Office address is 1616 Main Street Du Chesne Wisconsin

J. A. Bowles  
Emmett A. Lewis

(Two witnesses who write, sign here.)



William A. Briggs  
(Signature of Claimant.)



Also personally appeared John A. Rowles residing at La Crosse Wisconsin and Timothy A. Lewis residing at La Crosse Wisconsin, 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

William A. Buzze the claimant sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

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

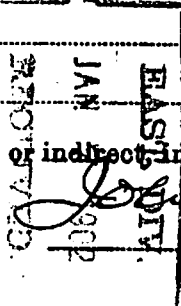
John A. Rowles  
Timothy A. Lewis  
(Signature of Affiants.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14 day of December

A. D. 1902, 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.



[L.S.]

Clerk of the \_\_\_\_\_

John A. Rowles  
County Judge  
La Crosse County  
Wisconsin

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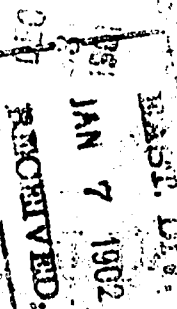
OLD AND NEW DISABILITY.

William A. Buzze, Applicant.

5 to 32 Battery Regt.

U.S. Light Artillery Vols.

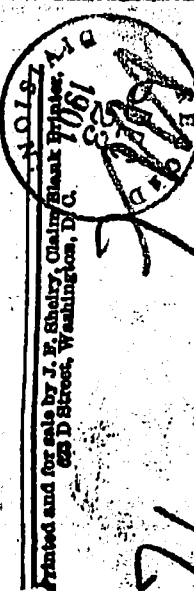
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INVALID.

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

CLAIMANT:

SERVICE

*William A. Breeuwer*

*9th Battery*

*Earling*

*Mass. Vol Light-arty*

*Co. No. 948-91*

*5 Battery Mass. CA*

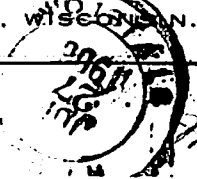


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PENSIONER DROPPED. 5

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

UNITED STATES PENSION AGENCY

WASHINGTON, D. C.

APR 15 1913, 191

Certificate No. 948591

Class INVALID.

Pensioner Wm A. Bruze Jr.

Soldier

Service Pri 3. Batty Mass L. a

The Commissioner of Pensions.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the  
above-named pensioner who was last paid  
at \$ 17.00 to Jan 4, 1913  
has been dropped because of death  
date not given.

Reported by Postmaster

Minneapolis, Minn.

Very respectfully,

W. A. Thompson.

United States Pension Agent.  
Disbursing Clerk

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

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Briefs

Cert.

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Act.

February 6, 1907

ACCURUED PENSION

Class Invalid

Pensioner

William A. Brizzee ~~Junior~~

Date of death

march 23

1913

Certificate

not

filed

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Admitted  
Nov 22, 1913

Claimant

Emma A. Worling widow Insane  
By George M. Clark Guardian  
R. R. #1 Baraboo, Sauk County  
Wisconsin

Attorney

Address

The fee of \$\_\_\_\_\_ allowed on issue of

to

of \_\_\_\_\_ to be paid when

payment is made on accrued.

Submitted

for Adm. Aug 5, 1918

M. M. McDonald

Examiner.

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Rereviewer,

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M. C.

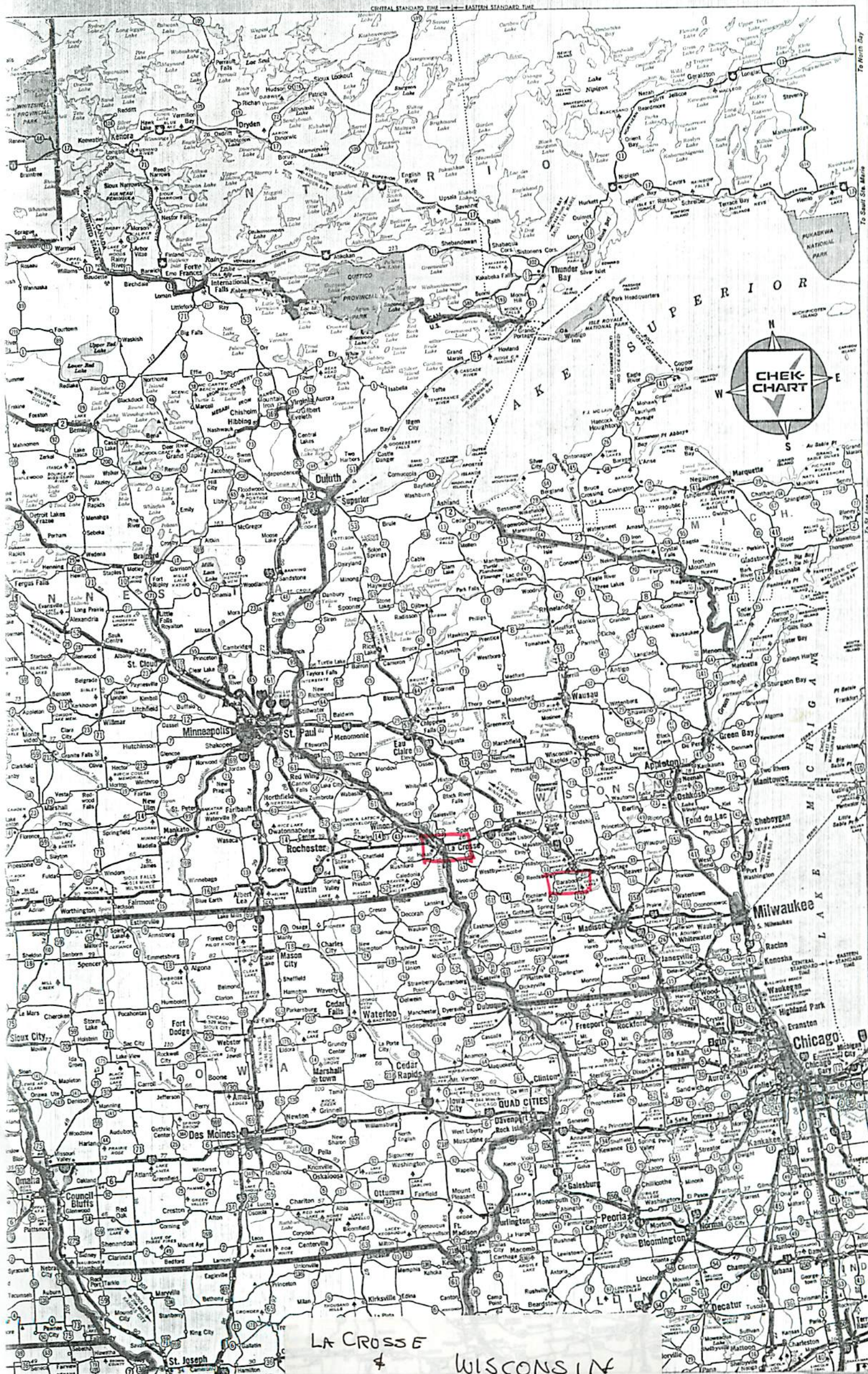
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Claimant

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