

Dayton New York  
Sept. 22d 1866

Mrs Ellen Newcomb

I send you the pension certif of your son. I also send you a Blank to be filled up & properly executed before some Justice of the Peace Go before some careful men who will not make mistakes & have it filled up properly & take two Witnesses with you.

Also execute the enclosed oath of Allegiance. Then send or carry it to the County Clerk of your County & have him attach a certif to it the Blank for which is on the paper I send you, & then return it to me & I will collect it. Also return oath of allegiance. But you can keep the Pension Certificate.

All well & am

In Haste

Truly Yours

Norman M Allen

*(Mark H. Dunkelman collection)*