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Attention is invited to the outlines of the human skeleton and figure upon the back of this certificate, and they should be used whenever it is possible to indicate precisely the location of a disease or injury, the entrance and exit of a missile, an amputation, &c.

The absence of a member from a session of a board and the reason therefor, if known, and the name of the absentee, must be indorsed upon each certificate.

Insert character and number of claim.

Original

Pension Claim No. 883.830

Name and rank of claimant.

Isaac Anderson

Rank, Pvt

Claimant's post-office address.

Company E, 19 Reg't U S C Infantry

Elkton Md

State,

1138 Watson St Balto. Md.

[Post-office address of the Board.]

April 17

, 1891.

[Date of examination.]

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred

Cause of disability.

in the service, viz:

Rheumatism

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of _____ dollars per month.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for Original

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

I had my back hurt in 1863 and I have gradually lost the use of my limbs, until at this time I am almost helpless cannot stand on my feet without help. Have severe pain in my feet I need someone to assist me when I move about.

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with pars. 5, 6, 51, 52, &c., of Book of Instructions for 1889

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 108; respiration, 20; temperature, 98; height, 5 feet 4 inches; weight, 130 pounds; age, 47 years. Find Claimant full well developed man. There is no evidence of rheumatic disease of joints. Muscles soft and flabby. Cannot stand upon his feet, Cross his legs or arise from a chair without help. Is accompanied by an attendant who dresses and undresses him. There is lateral curvature of lumbar & dorsal vertebrae - tenderness over vertebrae in this region - Erector Spinae Muscles rigid and prominent. This man is helpless. The patellar reflex are abolished. Heart sounds clear and distinct but no murmur. No evidence of Syphilis. The disability is permanent.

No other disability except as above

Rate for EACH cause of disability.

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a First Grade rating for the disability caused by _____, for that caused by _____, and _____ for that caused by _____

Theo A. Morale, Pres. J. H. Gamar, Sec'y. S. J. Roman, Treas.

N. B.—Always forward a certificate of examination whether a disability is found to exist or not.