

# PHYSICIAN'S AFFIDAVIT

[TO BE IN THE HANDWRITING OF THE DOCTOR.]

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Claim No. 971,679 Of Benjamin B. Smith Co. F 4 Reg't. U.S.C.A.

On this day and date below written, personally appeared the affiant whose signature is hereto affixed and who being duly sworn according to law testified as follow:

My name is Whitfield Winsey, I am 56 years old. and  
I reside in Baltimore, Md. at No. 1220 2. Street. I have  
been a practitioner of medicine for 25 years and have been acquainted with the  
soldier Benjamin Smith for about 23 years, and that

Here give a full diagnosis of the disabilities from which you find soldier now suffering, and state for what period you have treated him.

Be sure to state whether the disabilities are due to vicious habits and of permanent character, and the extent you have found claimant

disabled for manual labor in earning a support during the period of your treatment; i. e.  $\frac{3}{4}$   $\frac{1}{2}$   $\frac{1}{3}$  as the case may be. State all

you know concerning the origin and continuance of the disability.

I have known Ben-  
jamin Smith formerly a member of  
Company F 4th U.S.C.A. since July 8th  
1904. His condition has not improved since  
my last examination Feb. 9th 1904 but is  
anything but worse. He has been and still  
is receiving medical treatment at my hands  
for the organic trouble of his heart. My  
diagnosis is insufficiency and aortic regurgitation  
also chronic rheumatism. The patient is the  
left knee becomes dislocated frequently and that  
foreign body in the thigh of left leg gives him much  
pain when he lies down. I consider him wholly  
disabled for the performance of manual labor



I have no interest in this claim

Test: Henry R. Lloyd

Whitfield Winsey MD  
(Physician sign here.)

STATE OF MARYLAND CITY OF BALTIMORE, ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above name affiant, and I certify that said affidavit was read to said  
affiant including the words \_\_\_\_\_ erased, and the words \_\_\_\_\_

added \_\_\_\_\_

and I 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 known to me as a reputable physician and\* id.

I believe a credible person, this 8th day of July, 1904

5:20 P.M.

Henry R. Lloyd  
Official Signature

NOTARY PUBLIC  
Justice of the Peace

If witness is personally known to the Magistrate as a credible person, he should so certify

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