

To. Div.
J. L. Ex'r.
In. No. 409898
Benj. B. Smith,
Co. F 4 Reg't U.S.A.

Department of the Interior
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Address your reply to the COMMISSIONER OF
PENSIONS with return of this letter.

Washington, D.C. July 25, 1894.

Sir:

In your above entitled claim for pension the testimony of commissioned officers, first sergeant, or two or more enlisted men of your company should be furnished showing whether you contracted rheumatism in the service, and the testimony of the Surgeon or Assistant Surgeon of your regiment showing treatments for the same while in the service.

Medical or other competent evidence should also be furnished showing whether you were suffering from rheumatism at the date of your discharge and return home from the service, and whether the said disability continued to the year 1886, when Dr. L. M. Eastman began to treat you.

Very respectfully,

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Mr. Benj. B. Smith,
112 Canal St.,
Baltimore Md.

First Deputy Commissioner.