

and he had it in hand
up until this year
to until January, 1900
and then he told me
he would not have any
more to do with it.
I could put it in my
attorney's hands or present
it myself so I wrote to
you the cordy part of last
spring what must I do
in regard of my claim
but you never answered
it so from that up I
had no attorney but my-
self as I had to answer
all the questions that the
pensions office required.
I thought I would be
my own attorney or you
could tell me what
steps to take in 1886

I received a letter from
commissioner Black that my
claim was in the com-
pleted file and would
be paid as soon as
reached and I have got
6 cards for the last 10 years
from commissioner run
stating that my claim
was in the completed
file and would be paid as
soon as reached will you
please try to settle my claim
as soon as possible if you
please sir. I am so crippled
that I cant do any manual
labor and have been so
for the last 18 years my
disabilities are in such a
nature that I suffer night
and day I am crippled