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Claim No. 761,981 Of John Smoother Co. G 9 Reg't. U.S.C.T.

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 follows:

"My name is Frank Johnson. I am 48 years old, and I reside in Baltimore, Md. at No. 903 No Dorough Street.

I have known Claimant John Smoother all my life About the 13th Dec 1901 he received a fracture of his left leg, by being struck by a piece of timber which he was loading. He was engaged at the time in hoisting lumber from the wagon and the wheel of the derrick or hoisting machine came off and the timber dropped striking on left leg causing the fracture. I was at work with him and an eye witness to the occurrence of the injury which was in no wise due to vicious habits. I know from my intimate acquaintance with him that he has been a great sufferer from general debility from May 19. 1901 to Feb 22 1902 and up to present time and that the same was not due to vicious habits.

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Witnesses to signature of Affiant:

1. W B Manning Jr
2. Chas Johnson

I have no interest in this claim.

Frank his X Johnson mark
(Affiant sign here.)

STATE OF MARYLAND, CITY OF BALTIMORE, ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant, and I certify that said affidavit was read to said affiant including the words ..... erased, and the words ..... added and 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 a credible person, this 13 day of June 1902

Filed May 7. 1900 to May 2. 1904 JRH Et

W B Manning Jr
[Official Signature.]
Justice of the Peace.

* If witness is personally known to the Magistrate as a credible person, he should so certify in his own handwriting.

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