

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

Insert character and number of claim. Increase Pension Claim No. 1057,626
Name of claimant. John W. Davis Address of Board. { Baltimore P.O. Maryland State. October 24th, 190 4
Company H 9 Reg't U.S.C.V. Inf [Date of examination.]
Claimant's post-office address. 422 Short St

Names of disabilities. Senile debility, malaria, results of sunstroke, dis. of eyes, kidneys, back, vertigo, gen. debility, dis. of head, rheumatism, cramping of limbs, dyspepsia, injury of leg, chronic diarrhoea, disease of heart&stomach. He receives a pension of 6 dollars per month.

Here give the claimant's statement (as briefly and as compactly as possible) in regard to the date of origin and cause of his disabilities and the manner in which they affect him. He makes the following statement in regard to the origin of his disabilities and date when first discovered by him: Rheumatism and kidney disease-last attack of malaria last fall-had sunstroke in Texas in 1865

Birthplace, Baltimore, Md; age, 65 years; height, 5-8; weight, 165 pounds; complexion, negro; color of eyes, brown; color of hair, gray; occupation, laborer; permanent marks and scars other than those described below, none

We hereby certify that upon examination we find the following objective conditions:
Pulse rate, 80- 80- 88; respiration, 18- 18- 24; temperature, N;
[Sitting, standing, after exercise.] [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of instructions, and make a separate paragraph for each disability.
Facts within the knowledge of the Board, or any member thereof, relative to the cause of any disability found should be stated.
Whenever a disability is shown or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated.
When rates are recommended solely on subjective evidence the strongest reasons must be given therefor.
SENILE AND GENERAL DEBILITY-No objective evidence-muscular and well nourished.
MALARIA-No chill or fever present or sequelae of same. Condition of skin,spleen,liver normal-upper border corresponds to 6th rib and lower border to 10th rib.
RESULTS OF SUNSTROKE-No brain or spinal symptoms-no evidence of chronic meningitis-memory and mental faculties unimpaired. Does not complain of persistent headache or intolerance of heat.
DISEASE OF EYES-Lids,conjunctiva,pupils and cornea normal-vision of both or either eye 20/20.
DISEASE OF KIDNEYS-Specific gravity 1020-acid reaction-amber color-no albumin,sugar or other abnormal deposits.
DISEASE OF BACK-Complains of pain over lumbar muscles-no atrophy or swelling of muscles.
VERTIGO-No objective evidence of vertigo.
DISEASE OF HEAD-No objective evidence of disease of head.
RHEUMATISM-Soreness and crepitation in shoulder and knee joints with pain complained of upon motion-no enlargement of joints-no atrophy or swelling of muscles-no contraction or impaired motion-no lameness. All other joints and muscles normal.
CRAMPING OF LIMBS-No objective evidence of cramping of limbs.
DYSPEPSIA AND DISEASE OF STOMACH-No epigastric tenderness, tongue clean,skin normal,bowels costive.
INJURY OF LEG-No scar or other objective evidence of injury of leg.
CHRONIC DIARRHOEA-No evidence of chronic diarrhoea-hemorrhoidal vessels and rectum normal.
DISEASE OF HEART-The heart is normal in size, position and action. Apex beat in 5th left interspace-no dilatation,hypertrophy,dyspnoea,edema or cyanosis.
LUNGS-Chest at rest 38 1/2-full inspiration 40-full expiration 38. Percussion and auscultation reveal a normal condition of lungs and bronchi.
No other disability found to exist.
No evidence of vicious habits.
We find that the aggregate permanent disability for earning a support by manual labor is due to rheumatism and age, not due to vicious habits, and warrants a rate of \$6 a month.

C. T. Scudder Pres. H. A. Janney Sec'y. B. B. Allen Treas.
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Single surgeons will use this blank, changing "I." to read "We."

Marginal entries must never be made.