

Declaration for an Original Invalid Pension.

This must be Executed before a Court of Record or some Officer thereof having Custody of the Seal.

State of Maryland, County of Baltimore, ss:

ON THIS 6th day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty 9
personally appeared before me Deputy Clerk of the Circuit Court No. 2 a Court
of Record within and for the county and State aforesaid John Chan

aged 63 years, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical John
Chan who was ENROLLED on the 15th day of July, 1863 in Company A of the 61st regiment of U.S. C. I. Inf.
commanded by General Hospital New York and was honorably DISCHARGED at Green

on the 7th day of March, 1865 That his
personal description is as follows: Age 63 years; height 5 feet 4 inches; complexion black
hair black; eyes black That while a member of the organization aforesaid, in the

service and in the line of duty at about Petersburg in the State of Virginia
on or about the day of January, 1864, he injured his breast

bone, from carrying a knapsack. Resulting
of wound or injury. If disabled by disease, state fully its cause; if by wound or injury, the precise manner in which received.

in Necrosis of breast bone, and also
contracted Rheumatism, with which he
has been more or less afflicted ever
since. And for which he was dis-
charged from the Army on Surgeons
Certificate of Disability.

That he was treated in hospitals as follows: U.S. Army Hospital at
Norfolk Va. thence to U.S. Army Hospital
of New York at Mills thence to U.S. A. Grant Hospital
New Jersey thence to U.S. A. Grant Hospital

That he has not been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated above
Here state what the service
was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above, and the dates at which it began and ended.

That he has not been in the military or naval service of the United States since the 7th day of March 1865

That since leaving the service this applicant has resided in the City of Baltimore
in the state of Maryland, and that his occupation has been that of a Laborer

That prior to his entry into the service above named he was a man of good, sound, physical health, being when enrolled a
able to work That he is now disabled

from obtaining his subsistence by manual labor by reason of his injuries, above described, received in the service of
the United States; and he therefore makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the invalid
pension roll of the United States. He hereby appoints with full power of substitution and revocation.

Mr. W. F. Vernon of 108 W. Paul Street Balb Md.

his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim. That he has not received or applied for
a pension; that his residence is No. 523 N. Garden street

Baltimore Md. and that his post office address is

John Chan
his
[Signature of Claimant.]