

Comrades

PROOF OF DISABILITY.

NOTE.—This affidavit must be executed by a Commissioned Officer, if possible, but, if not possible to secure such evidence then two of the soldier's comrades should testify.

State of Maryland, City of Baltimore, ss.

ON THIS 22nd day of January A. D. 1897, personally appeared before me a

Justice of the Peace in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths

Alfred Cooper aged 46 years, a resident of Baltimore City

in the County of _____ and State of Maryland and

Issac Perry aged 34 years, a resident of Baltimore

in the County of City and State of Maryland who being

duly sworn according to law, state that we are acquainted with Robert Kinzey

applicant for Invalid Pension, and know the said Robert Kinzey to be the identical

person of that name who enlisted or volunteered as a Private in Company B.

19 Regiment of Maryland vols., and who was discharge

[Died or was discharged.]

at Baltimore on or about the January 15th day of January, 1897

by reason of time was out

[Here insert the reason of the soldier's discharge, if known; if not known, so state; or, if he died, so state.]

That the said Robert Kinzey while in the line of his duty, at or near

at Brownsville Texas in the State of Texas did, on or

about the _____ day of December, 1866, become disabled in the following manner, viz:

he contracted the Rupture in the right side

[Here state the time and place and manner in which the wound or other injury was received. Describe the wound or injury, the part of the body

& we have heard him say the he was strained

wounded or injured, and all the circumstances attending it. If sickness, state time and place when contracted, what caused it, the name of the

some how & there was a small knot in his grimes

sickness, and how it affected him.]

& he suffered a grate deal with that

pain in the right side

That the facts stated are personally known to the affiant by reason of we have heard Robert

[Here state whether affiant was with the command at the time the

Kinze complaining with this disability

claimant contracted his disability, or whether his knowledge was otherwise obtained. All the facts known to affiant relative to the soldier's medical

he contracted in the U.S Army & we was

treatment for his disability while in the service should be stated, giving time and place, if possible.]

with Robert Kinzee in Texas & we

have been with him more or less

ever since he have been home & this

have been his Complaint & also it have

prehelit him from his manuel labor

& it is not his usual habit & we

consider Robert Kinzee a disabled man
