

# Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

**TAKE NOTICE.**—If this declaration is executed before a Justice of the Peace or a Notary Public, the certificate of the CLERK OF THE COURT, as to the official character and genuineness of the signature of such officer, must be attached. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and DELAY.

State of MD, County of Balto, ss:

ON THIS 28<sup>th</sup> day of October A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty nine

personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State

aforsaid, George W Downes aged 49 years, a resident of Balto County of \_\_\_\_\_ State of MD

who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the

United States, enrolled at the Washington Pension Agency at the rate of 2

dollars per month, Certificate No. 168400; by reason of disability from g. s. Wound  
(Here name the disability for which pension was granted.)

of left knee

incurred in the military service of the United States, while serving as a Priv  
(Military or Naval.) (Here state rank, company, and

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regiment, if in the army; vessel if in the navy.)

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of Increased

disability. (Here state reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described. If

has been painful & incapacitates  
on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place and circumstances

him for manual labor fully  
of its origin, and the names of hospitals where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment should be given as nearly as

1/2 his time  
possible.)

that he hereby appoints with full power of substitution and revocation,

A. Parlett Lloyd of Baltimore MD  
his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is 507 Jasper St Balto MD

W. W. Caffery his

George W Downes  
(Signature of Claimant.)

(Two witnesses who can write can here)