

A Declaration for Original Pension of an Invalid. A

State of Maryland } SS.
 County of Baltimore

On this 22^d day of May, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy four personally appeared before me a Deputy Clerk of the Superior Court, the same being a Court of Record within and for the County and State aforesaid,

John S. Barnes, aged 33 years, a resident of No. 18 E. Street, County of District, State of Columbia,

who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical John S. Barnes, who (1) Enlisted in Captain

Company 19th U.S. Infantry, Regiment 19th U.S. Infantry, Division at Benedict

on the 9th day of January, 1864 and was honorably discharged at Brownsville Tex on the 15th day of January,

1867; that his personal description is as follows: Age 33 years; height, 5 feet 7 inches; complexion, Dark hair, Black;

eyes, Black; that while in the service aforesaid, and in the line of his duty, he received the following disability, to wit: 2. was wounded by a gun shot at Petersburg, Va. on July 30th 1864, at

Petersburg, Va. by a gun shot, the ball striking the end of his left thumb and emerged at the base of the thumb, entirely destroying the use of said said thumb - the bone of the thumb is gone & he has no use of the same.

That he has not been employed in the military or naval service other than as above, except as above stated. He was first treated at Field Hospital in front of Petersburg, Va. That he was treated in General Hospital No. 2 at Philadelphia where he remained one week, thence to Summit House Box, Philadelphia where he remained from August 1864 to February 1865.

That since leaving the said service, this applicant has resided in the City of Baltimore in the State of Maryland, and his occupation has been laborer; that prior to his entry into the service above-named, he was a man of good sound physical health, being when enrolled, a Sergeant,

that now he is totally disabled from obtaining his subsistence from manual labor in consequence of his above-named injuries received in the service of the United States; that he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the invalid pension roll of the United States by reason of the disabilities above stated; that he hereby appoints R. E. Wright 63 W. Fayette St.

his Attorney to prosecute his claim; that he has never received or applied for a pension; that his Post Office is at No. 18 E. St., County of Washington D.C.

State of D.C.; that his domicile or place of abode is No. 18 E. St. bet. New Jersey & North Capital Ave. Washington D.C.
John S. Barnes

(Attest.)

(Claimant's Signature.)

Thos A. Campbell
J. Lawrence