

No. 186.

ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

Additional Declaration for Invalid Pension and Arrears,

Under the Provisions of the Act of March 6, 1896.

State of Maryland, City of Baltimore, ss:

On this 15th day of June, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, personally appeared before me, Edward B. Ambler, Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid

Joseph West, aged 52 years, a resident of the City of Baltimore County of ... State of Maryland

who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Joseph West who was ENROLLED on the 30th day of March, 1864, in Co. H, 39th U.S.C.V. as Private

in the service of the United States in the war of the rebellion, and served at least ninety days, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at ... on the 4th day of December, 1865

That he was disabled from earning a support by manual labor in a pensionable degree on March 4th, 1894, the date of his last payment of pension, by reason of the following disabilities: Rheumatism in legs, lower part of body and shoulders

That he was also disabled for earning a support by the following disabilities heretofore alleged in application for restoration filed August 7th 1894, viz: Piles and Eye trouble.

That he is also disabled for earning a support by reason of shortness of breath (probably heart trouble) brought by rheumatism

That none of said disabilities are due to vicious habits, and all, to the best of his knowledge and belief, are of a permanent character, and that he is now wholly disabled for earning a support by manual labor in consequence of same.

That he has applied for pension under application No. ...

That he was a pensioner under Certificate No. 610041 but was dropped by order of ... That he has not been employed in the military or naval service of the United States prior to March 30/64

nor subsequent to December 4-1865

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of reopening his claim and being placed on the pension roll of the United States, under the provisions of the Act of June 27, 1890. He also requests that his original or first claim filed under the said Act, be re-examined and considered under the provisions of the Act approved March 6, 1896, and that he be given an opportunity to show by evidence that his claim, if allowed, should date back to the time of his last payment (March 4-1894) filing his original first application for pension, under the Act of June 27, 1890.

That he hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, Ross + Ross of Baltimore, Md

his true and lawful attorneys to prosecute his claim, the fee to be TEN DOLLARS as prescribed by law. That his POST-OFFICE ADDRESS is 617 Saratoga st, Baltimore, City of Maryland

State of Maryland

1. Michael W. Ross Joseph West (Claimant's Signature.)

2. Thomas S. Hubbard (Two witnesses who write sign here.)

ATTY FILED.

June 19/97