

Also personally appeared B. B. Turner, residing at Baltimore
 and J. H. Warner, residing at Baltimore, persons whom I

certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw
Edward Smothers, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to
 the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaint-
 ance with him for _____ years and _____ years, respectively, that he is the
 identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

B. B. Turner
J. H. Warner
 (Signatures of witnesses.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of July, A. D. 1890

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained
 to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words _____
 _____ erased, and the words _____
 _____ added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the
 prosecution of this claim.

Frank G. Macdonald
 (Official Signature.)
Commissioner
 (Official Character.)

[L. S.]

The Act of June 27, 1890, REQUIRES, in case of a soldier:

1. An honorable discharge (but the certificate need not be filed unless called for).
2. A minimum service of ninety days.
3. A permanent physical disability not due to vicious habits. (It need not have originated in the service).
4. The rates under the act are graded from \$6 to \$12, proportioned to the degree of inability to earn a support, and are not affected by the rank held.
5. A pensioner under prior laws may apply under this one, or a pensioner under this one may apply under other laws, but he cannot draw more than ONE pension for the same period.

Regt 780.376
WIDIER'S APPLICATION.

Act of June 27, 1890.

Edward Smothers
 ce. Co. C. 39th
St. J. C. I.

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