

CIVIL OR MEXICAN WAR.

DECLARATION FOR INVALID PENSION

Claim under Act of February 1907 which originated in the U. S. Sena and was known as Senate 976.

State of MARYLAND, City of BALTIMORE, ss:

On this 12 day of February, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and seven, personally appeared before me [Signature]

a NOTARY PUBLIC within and for the City and State aforesaid

Edward Smothers a resident of the City of Baltimore County of [blank]

State of Maryland who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is

the identical Edward Smothers who was ENROLLED ON

day of [blank], 18, in Co "B" 39 Regt U S C Art Inf (Here state rank in company, and Regiment in Military service, or vessel, if in Navy)

in the service of the United States in the late Civil War, and served at least ninety days, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at [blank], on the [blank] day of [blank], 18

That he has been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated above (Here state what the service was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above, and the dates at which it began and ended.)

This application is intended to cover allegation of at least sixty days service in WAR WITH MEXICO in cases dates above given show such services.

That he is [blank] years of age, having been born on the [blank] day of [blank] 18. About 1831 don't know exact time

Claims benefit of Act of February 1907 which originated in U. S. Senate and was known as Senate 976 59th Congress 2nd Session, having served the full period required by the statute in one of the Wars mentioned and having reached the age specified in the said Act, and having been honorably discharged from the service of the United States.

That he has applied for pension under application No. [blank] That he is a pensioner under Certificate No. 563108 at the rate of \$ 12 month. Claims the rate of pension specified in said Act for the age herein before stated.

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension-roll of the United States under the provisions of the act herein mentioned.

He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, his true and lawful attorney to prosecute this claim. That his POST-OFFICE ADDRESS is 836

China Al Baltimore, Md, County of [blank], State of [blank]

[Signature] Edward X Smothers (Claimant's signature FULL name.)

1 Ledora Smith (Two witnesses who write sign here.)

