

# Form of Declaration for an Invalid Pension.

This Invalid Pension Declaration must be executed before a Judge or Clerk of a Court of Record, and if before the Judge, the Clerk thereof will certify said Judge's official capacity and signature, and attest the same under the seal of the Court.

A Justice of the Peace must not authenticate this paper. If he does, the work is utterly useless, and must be all done over again before a Judge or Clerk of a Court of Record, as above stated.

State of Maryland  
County of Baltimore } SS.

On this fourteenth day of April, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, personally appeared before me, (1) Blank of the (2) Superior Court, a Court of Record within and for the County and State aforesaid' Benjamin Reddick, aged Twenty-seven years, a resident of the (3) City of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Benjamin Reddick who (4) Enlisted in the service of the United States at Baltimore in the State of Maryland, on or about the 31<sup>st</sup> day of March, in the year 1864, as a Private in Company A., commanded by Capt. John G. Patrick, in the 30<sup>th</sup> Regiment of (5) U.S. Artillery commanded by Col. Bates in the war of 1861, and was honorably discharged at Franklin Island, in the State of North Carolina, on or about the Tenth day of December, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five; that while in the service aforesaid, and in the line of his duty, (6)

Was wounded in right arm by gunshot wound in front of Gettysburg whilst in line of duty on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864 Shattering the bone and totally disabling the arm which is still unhealed and prevents him from performing manual labor of any kind. The arm is equally as bad as state as when first done. Was under treatment of Dr. Jackson; Field Hospital 2<sup>nd</sup> Brigade 1<sup>st</sup> Division 9<sup>th</sup> Army Corps. Was then transferred to City Point Hospital under treatment of surgeon Hammond, and then transferred to Fort Mifflin, and remained there two months.

That since leaving the said service, this applicant has resided in the (3) City of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland, and his occupation has been Light Work in Home.

That prior to his entry into the service above named, he was a man of good, sound physical health, being when enrolled a (8) Labourer.

That now he is (9) Totally disabled from obtaining his subsistence from manual labor in consequence of his above named injuries, received in the service of the United States.

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, and revoking and countermanding all other authority that may have been given, he hereby constitutes and appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, George H. Co, of (3) Washington

Geo. H. Co, his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim, and obtain the Pension Certificate that may be issued. That his Post Office is at 49 West Fayette in the City of Baltimore, in the State of Maryland. That his domicile or place of abode is (10) No. 1 Slag Alley Baltimore.

If applicant makes his mark, let two persons who write their names attest his signature. The Officer administering the oath cannot be one of the attesting parties.

ATTEST:

Robert Miller  
W. Smith

Benjamin Reddick  
his mark Applicant.

Sworn to, subscribed, and acknowledged before me the day and year first above written, and also personally