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EXAMINING SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

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IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL APPLICANT.

No. of Application, _____

State: District Colony: Columbia

Post Office: Washington Dec 11, 1878

We hereby certify, That we have carefully examined James Boone, late a Private Co. C, 89 Reg't, U.S. C. Troops in the service of the United States, who is an APPLICANT for an invalid pension by reason of alleged disability resulting from gun shot wound of rt thigh

Applicant's service.

Degree of disability.

In our opinion the said James Boone is 1/4 incapacitated for obtaining his subsistence by manual labor from the cause above stated.

Origin.

Judging from his present condition, and from the evidence before _____, it is _____ belief that the said disability did _____ originate in the service aforesaid in the line of duty.

Probable duration.

The disability is _____

A more particular description of the applicant's condition is subjoined:

Particular description.

Height, 5-6; weight, 140; complexion, Black, age, 30 1/2; pulse, normal; respiration, normal

Claws gun shot wound of the rt thigh
ball entered inner edge of the patellar
medial portion of the thigh
passed downwards and backwards
and made exit upper edge of popliteal
space at inner margin of long head of
biceps femoris substance and exit closed
non adherent Claws that when he
stands or walks on it for some
time that it causes lameness - We believe
that the claws make the substance & exit of a
small ball - The disability is not cured
but may & probably does interfere with his
"ordinary" powers we rate at 1/4

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