

Also personally appeared Noah ^{his} Garrison residing at 71 Church St
Baltimore Md and Elijah Smothers residing at
64 Leadenhall St, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who
being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw, Benjamin Malon
the claimant sign his name, (make his mark) to the foregoing
declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him that
he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

C. A. Purcell
B. A. Hobbs

If witnesses sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

Noah ^{his} Garrison
Elijah ^{his} Smothers
[Signatures of Affiants.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of April A. D. 1883

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.

C. R. Gaither
[Signature]
Deputy Clerk Superior
Court
[Official Character]

L. S.

Note.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If
before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT, must add his certificate of character hereon,
and not on a separate slip of paper.

I, Benjamin Malon Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and
State, do certify that Benjamin Malon Esq., who hath signed his name to the foregoing
declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing in and for said
County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his
signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this _____ day of _____ 188

[L. S.] Clerk of the

U.S. PENSION
AUG-3 1883

OF THE
CLAIM FOR INCREASE.
Benjamin Malon Applicant
Reg'd 19
Vols. 1

Pension Certificate No.

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