

B DECLARATION FOR THE INCREASE OF AN INVALID PENSION. **B**

State of Maryland }
County of Baltimore } ss.

On this 21st day of Jan, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-
Six, personally appeared before me, a clerk of the Superior Court
the same being a court of record within and for the County and State aforesaid, Benjamin
Malone aged 50 years, a resident of Baltimore
County of Baltimore State of Maryland, who, being duly sworn
according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, duly enrolled at the Baltimore
City Pension Agency at the rate of Four dollars per month, by
reason of disability incurred in the Military service of the United States while (1) Private
Co G 19th Regt U.S. C Troops
that his present physical condition is such that he believes himself entitled to receive an increased pension; and
that he herewith returns his present pension certificate.

He further declares that he is disabled in the following manner, to wit: (2) Gun Shot
wound of left forearm

that he appoints Frank G. McDougall his true and lawful attorney
to prosecute his claim; that his residence is No. 25, in Stockholm street, of Baltimore
County of Baltimore, and State of Maryland
; and his post office address is

(Attest,)—Two witnesses who can write:

Benjamin Malone
(Claimant's signature)

Thos. A. Campbell
Jno. F. Dempsey

Also personally appeared Elija Smothers, residing at
Baltimore and Frederick Smothers,
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 Benjamin
Malone, 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
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.

Thos. A. Campbell
Jno. F. Dempsey

Elija Smothers
Frederick Smothers
(Signatures of Witnesses)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of January
A. D. 1876 and I hereby certify that the contents of the
above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the appli-
cant 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.

[SEAL.]

J. B. Gaither
(Signature.)
Clerk Superior Court
(Official character.)

1. Company and Regiment, if in the Army; and Vessel, &c., if in the Navy.
2. Set forth extent of present disability as sequence of disability for which pension was originally allowed; how far incapacitated for manual labor, or dependent upon the personal aid or attendance of others.