Also personally appeared William Pickar, residing at Baltimore Maryland, and Zadik Moore, residing at Baltimore Maryland, 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 John Armstrong, 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.

James Watson
Thomas C Spurrier
(If Affiants sign by mark, two persons who write sign here.)

William X Pickar
Zadik mark his Moore
(Signatures of Affiants.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this fourth day of August A. D. 1903

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.

Frank A. Brandy J. P.
(Official Signature.)

[L. S.]

Filed in Record Division, Certificate on file covering May 6 1902 May 21 1904 P.

Justice of the Peace
(Official Character.)

I, _____ Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that _____, Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit, was, at the time of so doing, a _____ 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 _____, I _____

[L. S.]

Clerk of the _____

NOTE.—This can be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal, certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.

REPRODUCED AT THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES.

Soldier's Application
FOR INCREASE
Under the Acts of June 27, 1890, and May 9, 1900.

John Armstrong, Applicant.
Co. B, 39th. Reg't
U.S.C. Infantry Vols.
Pension Certificate No. 781,837

FILED BY

JEWELL & NICHOLSON.
PENSION AND PATENT ATTORNEYS.
1208 31st St., N. W.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

RECEIVED AUG 10 1903 RECORD DIVISION.

Printed and for sale by John F. Sheiry, Claim Blank Printer
414-5 Ninth Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.