

Baltimore January 25 1891

Mr Green B. Raum

The Commission of Pension Dear Sir you
call for the History of my Disability
I contracted in 1865 the Rheumatism
in 1865 & it have continued ever since to the
present time & I was treated By Dr
John H. Barry in 1867 for the Rheumatism
& Dr John H. Barry is dead & I was also
treated By Dr A. W. Dodge once or
twice in 1869 for the Rheumatism
& also I am treated By Dr George A. Fleming
928 Madison Ave Baltimore City Maryland & he
is telling me for the Rheumatism the
Chronic Rheumatism have defected the active
nerves of my eyes cause my to go stone blind
from the affect Chronic Rheumatism & I am
I am disabled & helpless & depending for
support & help I have lived in the
16 ward ever since discharge in the in
3 years ago & I live at 610 Sider Ally
in the 13 ward I all ways mark in
farm Cornol Crager J. Reese & Fisher
of Brick Manufectury I marked with
that farm untill I was total disabled
& helpless yours William Ballard
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