

Attention is invited to the outlines of the human skeleton and figure upon the back of this certificate, and they should be used whenever it is possible to indicate precisely the location of a disease or injury, the entrance and exit of a missile, an amputation, &c.

The absence of a member from a session of a board and the reason therefor, if known, and the name of the absentee, must be indorsed upon each certificate.

Insert character and number of claim. Increase Army Pension Claim No. 748,103  
Name and rank of claimant. John Hoales, Rank, Pri. d Corp.  
Company B 39 Reg't U.S. I. C. Baltimore Md. State,  
Claimant's post-office address. 307 Rose St. Balts. Md. [Post office address of the Board.]  
March 10, 1894. [Date of examination.]

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred

Cause of disability. in the service, viz: Rheumatism - enlarged prostate - cataract of head, and throat - lumbago - disease of kidneys & bladder - disordered blood, and resulting disabilities - defective eye-sight and great increase  
and that he receives a pension of \$6.00 dollars per month of rheumatism and disability from enlarged prostate

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line. He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for Increase  
That disabilities have increased and he is less able to earn a livelihood  
Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 80; respiration, 17; temperature, 97; height, 5 feet 8 inches; weight, 176 pounds; age, 58 years.

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of Instructions. Rheumatism and Lumbago: - Left shoulder joint affected - tissues thickened - joint measures 1 1/2 inches more than right - movement and use impaired 1/3 - no tenderness or inflammatory symptoms - no swelling, tenderness or noticeable stiffness of lumbar muscles - other muscles joints and etc. normal - action and area of Heart normal  
Disease of prostate: - We cannot at this examination find any enlargement or disease of prostate gland - but we find two internal piles, vascular and sensitive - the tumor about 1/3 inch across  
Cataract of head and throat: - Tonsils free and Schneiderian membrane in fair condition - no crusts or abnormal secretions - throat shows a moderate condition of chronic follicular pharyngitis  
Kidneys and Bladder: Urine tests, give negative results.  
Disordered blood: - The body is free from eruption nor is there any further evidence of "disordered blood."  
Defective eye-sight: - Eyeball and adjuncts normal for age - the only defect is presbyopia - sees well with glasses.  
Examination yields no evidences of vicious habits.  
Claimant says he has no occupation and can't work.

The actual or probable origin of every existing disability must be fully set forth. Whenever a disability is shown, or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated.  
He is, in our opinion, entitled to a rating for the disability caused by \_\_\_\_\_ for that caused by \_\_\_\_\_  
by \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ for that caused by \_\_\_\_\_

Robt. Casan, Pres. E. W. Gilliam, Sec'y. J. D. Morris, Treas.

N. B. - Always forward a certificate of examination whether a disability is found to exist or not.