

Act of June 27, 1890.

and also Act March 6, 1896.

DECLARATION FOR INVALID PENSION.

To be executed before a Court of Record or some officer thereof having custody of its seal, a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk of a Court of Record, or a City or County Clerk.

State of Maryland, County of Dorchester, ss:

On this 23rd day of July, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and

ninety eight, personally appeared before me, J. A. McAllister
a Justice of the Peace within and for the County and State aforesaid,
Robt. Stafford, aged 65 years, a resident of the State
MD of Dorchester County of Cambridge,

State of Maryland who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is
the identical Robt. Stafford who was ENROLLED on the 23rd
day of Sept, 1863 in Co. "A" 7 U.S.C.

[Here state rank, company, and regiment in Military service, or name of
was discharged on account of disability in the service of the
vessel, if in the Navy.]
United States in the war of the rebellion, and served at least ninety days, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED
at Baltimore MD, on the 22nd day of January, 1866

(That he has Not been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated
above [Here state what the service was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above, and the dates at which it began and ended.]

That he was not employed in the Military or Naval service of the United States BEFORE the 23rd
day of Sept 1863, or AFTER the 22nd day of January 1866.

[NOTE—Insert date of first enlistment and final discharge.]

That he is not unable to earn a support by manual labor by reason of Blindness
[Here name ALL the
lost sight and Verigo Contracted
diseases or injuries from which disabled and state WHEN, WHERE and UNDER WHAT CIRCUMSTANCES each
while in the service of the U.S. Army
disability first appeared as nearly as possible.]

in Virginia in 1865 and has been getting
worse ever since

That said disabilities are not due to
vicious habits, and are, to the best of his knowledge and belief, permanent. That he has
applied for pension under application No. 303,191 That he is a pensioner under Certificate No.

[If a pensioner, the Certificate number only need be given. If not, give the number of the former application, if one was made.]

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension-roll of the United States, under
the provisions of the Act of June 27, 1890, and also Act March 6, 1896.

He hereby appoints with full power of substitution and revocation,

W. W. DUDLEY ~~GO~~ OF WASHINGTON, D. C.,

his true and lawful attorneys to prosecute his claim, the fee to be TEN DOLLARS as prescribed by law. That
his POST OFFICE ADDRESS is Cambridge, County of
Dorchester, State of Maryland

Robt. Stafford
[Signature]

1 G. E. Adams
2 W. B. Anderson
[Two witnesses who write, sign here]



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