

Affidavit.

~~State of~~ District , ~~County of~~ Columbia ss.

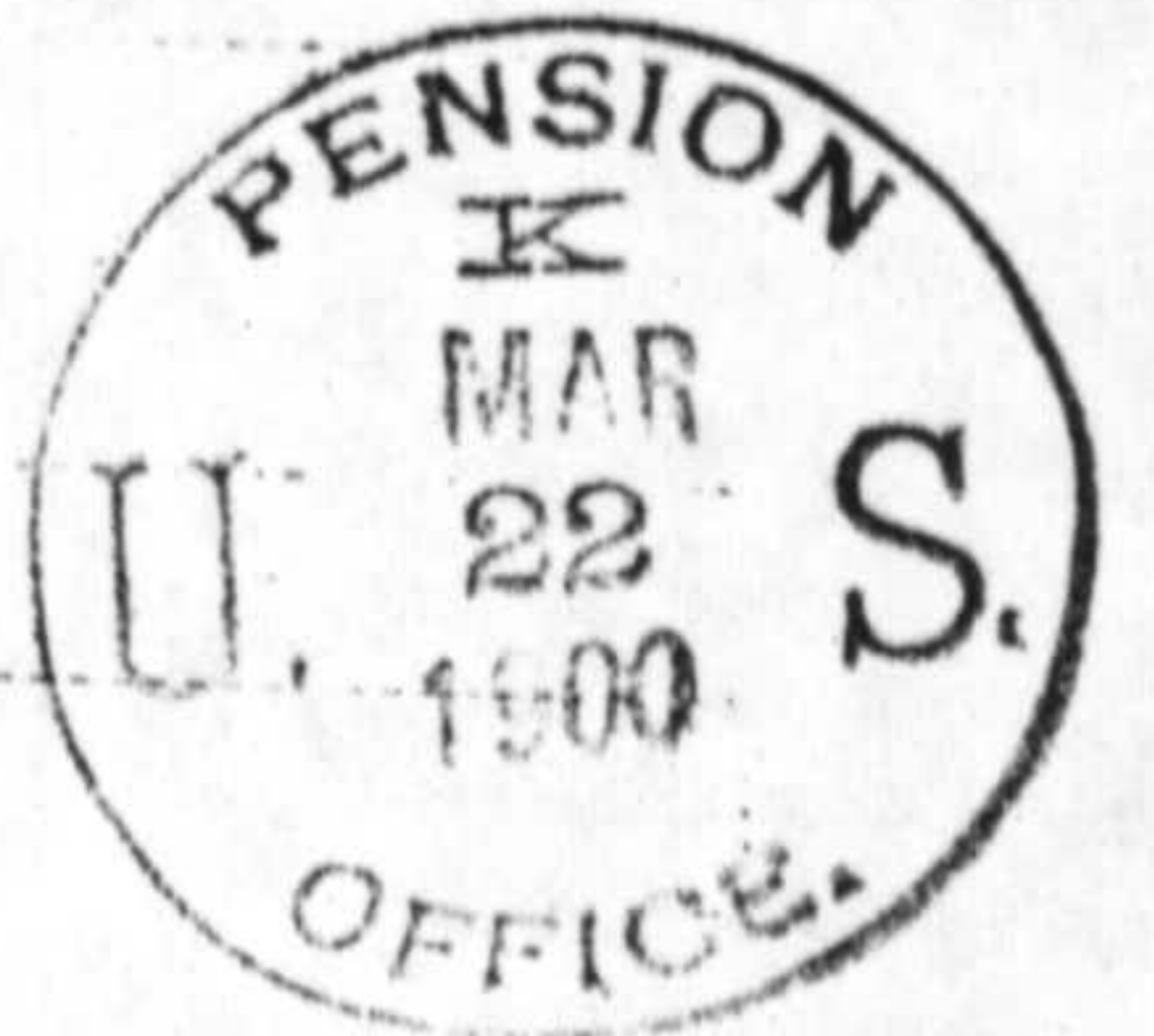
In the Pension Claim of Edward alias George A Tasker
late of Co H 30 U S C T U S Navy
Company and Regiment of Service, if in the Army; or Vessel and Rank, if in the Navy.

Personally came before me, a Notary Public, in and for the
County and State aforesaid, Adam Reed

whose Residence and Post Office address is 645 Navy Place, S.E. Wash D.C.
well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares in relation to
aforesaid case as follows:

I have been well and personally acquainted with Edward Tasker for almost two years, live next door to him and therefore have good opportunities for observing his condition. I know that he has been a sufferer from rheumatism, from about January 1899 when he (claimant) moved in the house adjoining mine, and that the same together with his age has disabled him for earning a support by manual labor about two thirds, from that date to the present time. I am confident that his disability is not due to vicious habits, as I never saw him intemperate in any respect.

Affiant should here state all the known facts pertaining to the case, and how a knowledge of them has been obtained.



He further declares that he has no interest, either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of said claim.

Jacob A Rines

George Lansdale

If affiant signs by mark, two persons who can write must sign here.

Adam Reed
Affiant sign here.
mark.