

NOTE.—This affidavit must be executed by a Commissioned Officer, or First Sergeant, of claimant's company, if possible; but if not possible to secure such evidence, then one of the soldier's late comrades should testify.

Personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for the aforesaid County and State, duly authorized to administer oaths, James

acquainted with Harry L. Matthews, applicant for Invalid Pension, and knows the said Richard Patton to be the identical person of that

on or about the _____ day of _____, 1867, by reason
of failure in _____ of duty

did, on or about the 3d day of Sept, 1864, become dis-
abled in the following manner, viz: *Shot the hand and arm.*
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Quarterly of First Division - in the Spring of 1865

...duty claimant was performing at the time.)

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June 15-1895 from his oral statement. He made known to

by any other person