

every man.

The first I now remember of his complaining was within a month after his discharge, he became lame in his right leg, and he continued lame in that leg up to the time he died. He began using a cane within a year after discharge and for a year or more before he died not substituted crutches for his cane.

I do not know what caused this lameness, and have no recollection to have heard him say what he thought caused it. I never knew or heard of his having injured his leg after his discharge.

His ankle was the part affected.

Q Was he lame in the army?

A Yes sir he was now that I come to think of it, became lame about the time of the battle of Petersburg or in that vicinity and I now remember was somewhat lame after we got to Texas, but his leg became so much worse after he got home that I had not thought of his lameness in service when you asked me if he had contracted any disability. I do not know what was the cause of this lameness at that.

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Deponent.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13 day of Dec 1889, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

R.R. Fletcher
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