

ADJOURNED MEETING

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

[State above whether for original, increase, or restoration.]

Pension Claim No. 484898

Name and rank of claimant.

NATHANIEL HICKMAN

, Rank, PRIVATE

Company H, 7th. Reg't U.S.C.T.

BALTIMORE, MD.

State,

[Post-office address of the Board.]

Claimant's post-office address.

#708 LITTLE GEORGE ST. BALTO. MD. OCTOBER. 23rd.

, 1890.

[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 and resulting disease of heart & disease of lungs. Results of scurvy & asthma. Results of mumps & ch. diarrhoea. Deafness of left ear; partial loss of eyesight. Results of jaundice and effects. \$8.00. dollars per month.

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

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

Claims rheumatism in the upper and lower extremities with pain and palpitation in the heart. Cough with shortness of breath Scurvy in the teeth. Diarrhoea in the summer. Slight deafness and partial loss of eyesight.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 84; respiration, 24; temperature, N; height, 5 feet 5 inches; weight, 140 pounds; age, 45 years. General physical condition is good.

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with pars. 5, 6, 51, 52, &c., of Book of Instructions for 1889

Rheumatism: No crepitation or deformity in the joints. Complains of pain on handling in shoulders and knees. Heart: Apex in the normal position: Action rapid and strong: Some roughness of second sound of the heart. No valvular lesion Chest: Measurements: Rest 34 1/2. Inspiration 35 1/2. Expiration 33 1/2... No depression in the clavicular spaces. Lungs: Slight increase in vocal resonance over the upper lobe of right lung and also over the lower lobe posteriorly. Respiratory sounds are harsh. Vesicular murmur faint. No rales.. Slight wheezing on inspiration. No evidence of Pleurisy. Probably suffers with Ch. Bronchitis with occasional attacks of Asthma. Scurvy: No scars of scurvy ulceration on body: Gums are spongy, slightly.. Mucous membrane of mouth is irritated. Teeth are all gone from the upper jaw except the central incisors, canine, and second molar with a few blackened snags. Lower jaw: First bicuspid is missing and all the molars. Alveolus is absorbed. Remaining teeth are much discolored. Liver: Slightly enlarged and sensitive. No hemorrhoids. No objective evidence of diarrhoea, or of jaundice. Slight Naso-pharyngeal catarrh. Ears: Hearing; right normal. Left; 4/40. Eyes: Slight failure of vision due to age. Left varicocele. Tumor is two inches in diameter; vessels the size of a small quill. Testicle somewhat atrophied. No other disability.

Date for EACH cause of disability.

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a 6/18 rating for the disability caused by Disease of lungs - 4/18 for that caused by Rheumatism and 4/18 for that caused by Results of Scurvy - 2/18 Incidence of jaundice

A. White, Pres. Geo R Baker, Sec'y, Treas

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