

Physician's Affidavit.

State of Maryland, County of Kent ss:

In the Pension Claim of Bessie Anderson widow of John W. Anderson late of Co. F, 7" Reg't. W. S. C. T. Vols. 7

Before me, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Doctor Henry G. Simper whose residence and Post Office address is Chestertown, Maryland, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That he is a Practicing Physician, and as such attended the Soldier John W. Anderson the above named soldier during his last illness.

That he died at or near Chestertown Kent county, Maryland on the 17th day of April 1903, and the immediate cause of death was Dropsy
Here state name and nature, or symptoms of the fatal disease.

The duration of the last illness was from January 1903 (1st visit) to the date of death above set forth.

The symptoms which then marked his physical condition were as follows: Feeble, Soft, Rapid Pulse, Praecordia pain, Cough, Dyspnoea, Pulmonary Congestion, Displaced Cardiac Impulse, Blowing Systolic murmur

The remote or contributory cause of death was Mitral Regurgitation

He further declares that he has been a practitioner of medicine for 4 2/3 years, and that he has no interest, either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of said claim.

H. G. Simper
Affiant sign here.

