

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.

ORIGINAL

Pension Claim No. 896,783

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

Name and rank of claimant.

ABRAHAM WARREN

Rank, PRIVATE

Company G, 19th, Reg't U.S.C. INF.

BALTIMORE, MD.

State,

[Post-office address of the Board.]

Claimant's post-office address.

CATONSVILLE. MD.

MAY 11th.

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[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 in the service, viz: Injury to top of head and right hip: Also Rheumatism and nervousness.

Cause of disability.

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of NO. dollars per month.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for ORIGINAL

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

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

Claims to have been thrown from a horse at Bermuda Hundreds resulting in fracture of skull and injury to right hip.

Has suffered with pain through the head and vertigo ever since Cannot stand exposure to heat or any hard work.

Has Rheumatism in shoulders, breast and back.

Pain when using the arms and when stooping.

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 86; respiration, 18; temperature, N; height, 5 feet 5 inches; weight, 154 pounds; age, 47 years. General physical condition is fair.

Well nourished.

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of Instructions.

Stellate scar on top of head, the arms, three in number, radiating from a point in median line just at junction of coronal and inter-parietal sutures. The longest extends backward and slightly outward to the left parietal eminence, five inches in length. Another runs downward and forward to the left/hook shaped and four inches in extreme length. The third is three inches long and runs downward and backward to the right. All the scars are irregular, depressed, adherent in places and very sensitive to pressure. There has evidently been a fracture of the skull at the point of junction of the scars, where there is a marked depression of bone over a space one inch in diameter. From the nature of the wound we should judge that he suffered with pain in head and vertigo as claimed. He states that he remained in Hospital for three months. We recommend rating of four-eighteenths for injury of head and results.

There is no evidence of affection of brain or nervous system. Special senses are normal as are gait and reflexes.

No objective evidence of injury to right hip. Some sensitiveness of muscles about the hip and complains of pain on walking but this is due to Rheumatism.

Slight crackling in the shoulders with pain on manipulation.

There is sensitiveness of muscles about the shoulders. Complaints of pain on all motions of arm, especially when raising.

No apparent limitation of motion. Sensitiveness of muscles

Rate for EACH cause of disability.

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a 4/18 rating for the disability caused by injury to head for that caused by

by Rheumatism and 4/18 for that caused by

A. White, Pres. E. S. Carlson, Sec'y. Geo R. Halahan, Pres.

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