

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

Insert character
and number of
claim.

Inc

Pension Claim No. 683990

Name of claim-
ant.

Alexander Chany

Address
of
Board.

Dover

P. O.

Company A 6th Reg't U S C Inf

Delaware

State.

Claimant's post-
office address.

Chestertown Kent Co Md

August 1st 1906, 190

[Date of examination.]

Names of disa-
bilities.Pharyngitis Disease of eyes, stomach and mouth Rheumatism Lumbago
general and senile debility

He receives a pension of EIGHT dollars per month.

Here give the
claimant's
statement (as
briefly and as
compactly as
possible) in re-
gard to the date
of origin and
cause of his dis-
abilities and
the manner in
which they
affect him.

He makes the following statement in regard to the origin of his disabilities and date when first discovered by him: Claimant was examined by this board, he thinks about 1896 Applies for increased rating for the reason that his rheumatism is worse than when last examined, Disqualified for manual labor 3/4 of his time

Birthplace, Kent County Maryland; age, 69 years; height, 5ft 6 inches weight, 146 pounds; complexion, black; color of eyes, brown; color of hair, black; occupation, day laborer; permanent marks and scars other than those described below, no

We hereby certify that upon examination we find the following objective conditions:

Pulse rate, 70 74 90; respiration, 18 18 30; temperature, 98 2/5
[Sitting, standing, after exercise.] [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]

"PHARYNGITIS"

Here give a full
description of
the disabilities
in accordance
with Book of
instructions,
and make a
separate para-
graph for each
disability.

Inflammation of pharynx with elongation of uvula and inflammation of half arches No ulceration but he has cough and general soreness of pharynx

"DISEASE OF EYES"

Reads Snellen 5 M at 16 ft with either eye Vision equals 16/16 was normal vision. Has slight conjunctivitis with arcus senilis

No blepharitis ectropian entropian pannus opacity of cornea or cataract

No pterygium or other evidence of disease of eyes (He claims that his vis

ion has greatly improved in the last two or three years) Pupils respond to light and shade. External appearance of eyes normal

"DISEASE OF STOMACH"

Tongue furred. Stomach

tender and tympanitic Has nausea and regurgitation of food and fermentation of fluids of stomach. Has dizziness of head. His dyspep

sia is very pronounced

"DISEASE OF MOUTH"

Gums are still spongy and gums have receded from teeth. The latter are decayed and misshapen as a result of previous attack of scurvy but he does not have inflammation of mouth or gums. He has not lost more than eight or ten teeth on both upper and lower jaw.

"RHEUMATISM"

Crepitation stiffness with painful motion of both shoulders both hips and both knees but no swelling inflammation or impaired motion.

Joints are very stiff and motion is painful. "LUMBAGO"

Lumbar muscles are stiff rigid with painful and impaired motion

But no atrophy or swelling Cannot touch the floor without getting down upon his knees. Has pain upon pressure and in act of stooping

He is quite a rheumatic patient.

"GENERAL AND SENILE DEBILITY"

He is feeble of course, being 69 years of age but his feebleness is due to his rheumatism in the main but for his disabilities which we have described he would be a fairly robust old man We cannot say that his feebleness is due to senility or general debility HEART normal. Apex impulse is in the 5th interspace in line of nipple. Cardiac dullness not extended. No intermission regurgitation murmurs valvular lesions, cyanosis or dyspnoea.

"LUNGS" Respiration clear distinct and resonant No dullness upon percussion Full inspiration 38 inches Full expiration 35 inches. KIDNEYS normal No nephritis or cystitis Specific gravity of urine 1020 No albumen or sugar Acid reaction Amber in color No evidence of disease of kidneys

When rates are
recommended
solely on sub-
jective evi-
dence the
strongest rea-
sons must be
given therefor.

Hearing normal. Bowels rectum liver spleen and bladder normal

No other disabilities exist. The aggregate permanent disability for earning a support by the performance of manual labor is due

to Pharyngitis disease of mouth and stomach Disease of eyes Rheumatism and age and not due to vicious habits and warrants a rating of ten dollars pr month.

L. H. Lawrence, Pres. *J. H. Wilson*, Sec'y. *J. C. G. G. G.*, Treas.