

Also personally appeared John Boston, residing at 1380 Stockton St, Balt, Md  
and James Crosby, residing at 836 Stockton St, Balt, Md, persons whom I  
certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and  
saw Richard A. Tongue, the claimant, sign his name (~~make his mark~~) to  
the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their  
acquaintance with him for 28 years and \_\_\_\_\_ years, respectively, that he is the identical  
person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Frank deBemmer  
A. W. Stockham

John Boston  
James Crosby

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 23 day of July, A. D.

1890, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully  
made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the  
words \_\_\_\_\_ erased and the words \_\_\_\_\_

[L. s.]

\_\_\_\_\_ added, and that I have no interest,  
direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Frank deBemmer  
Signature.

Mon. 9.0. (May 9)  
A newspaper

NOTES.

The act of June 27, 1890, requires, in case of a soldier :

- (1) An honorable discharge (but the certificate need not be filed unless called for).
- (2) A minimum service of ninety days.
- (3) A permanent physical disability not due to vicious habits. (It need not have originated in the service.)
- (4) The rates under the act are graded from \$6 to \$12, proportioned to the degree of inability to earn a support, and are not affected by the rank held.
- (5) A pensioner under prior laws may apply under this one, or a pensioner under this one may apply under other laws, but he cannot draw more than one pension for the same period.

SOLDIER'S APPLICATION.

ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

Name Richard A. Tongue  
Service John Co. G. 100  
A. S. S. T.

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