

Claim No. 861314 of John H. Murphy Co. G. 30 Regiment, U.S.A.

On this day and date below written, personally appeared the affiant whose signature is hereto affixed and who being duly sworn according to law testified as follows:

"My age is 53 years, I reside in Baltimore, Md., at No. 1336 N. Carey St Street,

name is John H. Murphy

I am unable to furnish testimony of Physicians who first attended me at the regi- ment. Dr. Jackson was at that time Medical Officer of the regiment and I do not know where to find him. The Physicians who has at- tended me for the past twenty or twenty-five years. Dr. Harry W. Owing is dead. He attended me quite a number of times for throat troubles and the ailments of which I complain from time to time including Rheumatism, for the latter disease, he told me that Medical treatment would only serve to help me but could not cure completely. Dr. Edward Avingo, who has been my family physician since the death of his father, and who has attended me for loss of hearing appends his affidavit. I was attended in Clyde, Ohio, and at Niagara Falls, in '72 & '73 but I have not the names or addresses of the Physicians who attended me. My disability as far as I am able to remember commenced about the latter part of June or the first of July at a place called the "Fish Ponds," I do not know the local name of the place. I was taken to the field hospital and from there to City Point Hospital, at which place I was treated for Bronchitis and Chronic Rheumatism, and at one time my life was despaired of. I was sent to La Overture hospital in St. Ignace, Va., and returned to my regiment about January 1865. I was detailed to duty at Brigade head quarters on account of not being able to do regular duty, when I remained about 3 or 4 months. I have been a continual sufferer from these ailments now, either in a greater or less degree. For the past seven or eight years I have done but little manual labor, but wish to do it.

John H. Murphy

(If witness sign by mark, two persons who can write, sign here.)

J. Maguon Tubman

STATE OF MARYLAND, CITY OF BALTIMORE, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that said affidavit was read to said affiant, including the words... erased, and the words... added and acquainted... with its contents before... executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is of believe a

credible person, this 21 day of Oct 1895.

J. S. Maguon Tubman (Official Signature.)

Justice of the Peace.

INSTRUCTIONS-Read Carefully.-Under the order of the Commissioner of Pensions number 229 in the preparation of testimony in support of claims in pension cases, all statements affecting the particular case and not merely formal, must be written or prepared to be type-written in the presence of the witness, and from his oral declarations then made to the person who then reduces the testimony to writing or then prepares the same to be type-written. And such testimony must embody a statement by the witness that such testimony was all written or prepared for type-writing (as the case may be) in his presence, and only from his oral statements then made; stating also the time, place, and person, when, where and to whom he made such oral statements, and that in making the same he did not use, and was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital prepared or dictated by any other person; and not attached as an exhibit to his testimony.