

Claim of Officer or Soldier for Invalid Pension.

The State of New York County of New York ss.

On this 19 day of May A. D., 1865 personally appeared before⁽¹⁾ the

deputy Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas Court of Record within and for said county, Robert Bennett aged 23 years, a resident of

Cambridge in the County of Dorchester and State of Maryland, who, being first duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Robert Bennett

who enlisted in the service of the United States, at Baltimore in the County of Baltimore and State of Maryland on the 26 day of

September in the year 1863 as a private in Company D commanded by Captain Sprineys in the

Regiment of U.S. Col Troop commanded by Col Shaw in the war of 1861, and was honorably discharged on the 17th day of May

A. D. 1865 as will appear by this certificate of discharge herewith presented.⁽²⁾

That while in the service aforesaid, and in the line of his duty,⁽³⁾

Hee was wounded on 29th of September 1864 at Chapins Farm Va. by a mine fired from the Enemy taking effect in "Right Leg" below the knee causing amputation of the same

Hee was sent to Hampton Hoes. Va from there to Grant Gen Hoes Willets Point: N.Y. Harbor from there discharged.

That since leaving the service he has resided at Cambridge in the State of Maryland and his occupation has been Not employed

He makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the Invalid Pension Roll of the United States, on account of the disability above stated; and he hereby authorizes MARVIN J. MERCHANT, of New York City, to present and prosecute this claim, and to receive the certificate therefore.

APPLICANT'S POST OFFICE ADDRESS.

Cambridge
Dorchester Co.
Md

Witness Geo. W. Gales his Robert X Bennett
C. H. Eaman Mark

Also, on the same day, personally appeared Geo. W. Gales a resident of Chambersburg Ohio and William Anderson of Highland Co. Ohio 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 Robert Bennett sign his name⁽⁴⁾ make his mark to the foregoing declaration: and they further swear that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the applicant, and their acquaintance with him, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be, and who served as stated in his declaration; that his habits since he left the service have been good, and his occupation been that of Not employed and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Witness
G. a. Simon
J. H. Landon
C. H. Eaman
W. H. Carid

George X W. Gales
William X Anderson
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