

### Declaration for an Increase of Invaidd Pension.

STATE OF Maryland COUNTY OF Calvert, SS.

On this 3<sup>d</sup> day of August A. D. 1887, personally appeared before me the undersigned, duly authorized to administer oaths within and for the County and State aforesaid,

Bazil Kell aged 54 years, a resident of the County and State aforesaid, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, duly enrolled at the rate of 8 dollars per month, under Pension Certificate No. 116858 by reason of a disability from gun shot wound in right foot and right side Here state the disability for which your pension was allowed.

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service of the United States while corp in Co. G, of the 4<sup>th</sup> colored Md Vols. That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on the account of his rate now being unjustly low and disproportionate to his degree of disability also on

the account of rheumatism and disease of the kidneys contracted in the service aforesaid from exposure,

That he appoints P. J. Lockwood, of Washington, D. C. his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim; that his Postoffice is Wallsville County of Calvert State of Md

Claimant sign here. Bazil Kell

Also personally appeared M. P. Turner residing at Wallsville and Annie Washington residing at Wallsville persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, say they were present and saw Bazil Kell the claimant, sign his name ( or 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, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

M. P. Turner  
Annie Washington  
Two witnesses sign here.

SWORN TO and subscribed before me, on the day first above written; and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration &c. were fully made known and explained to applicant and witnesses before swearing, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect in the prosecution of this claim.

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M. P. Turner  
Signature  
Justice of the Peace  
Official Character.