

Attention is invited to the outlines of the human skeleton and figure upon the back of this certificate, and they should be used whenever it is possible to indicate precisely the location of a disease or injury, the entrance and exit of a missile, an amputation, &c.

The absence of a member from a session of a board and the reason therefor, if known, and the name of the absentee, must be indorsed upon each certificate.

Insert character and number of claim.

Increase

Pension Claim No. 356127

Name and rank of claimant.

John W Owens

Rank, Priv -

Company G, 4<sup>th</sup> Reg't USCT

Ellisville Ind State,

Claimant's post-office address.

Perryville - Civil C road

[Post-office address of the Board.] March 11, 1891.

[Date of examination.]

We hereby certify that in compliance with the requirements of the law we have carefully examined this applicant, who states that he is suffering from the following disability, incurred

Cause of disability.

in the service, viz: G. S. W. Left Thigh -

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line.

and that he receives a pension of Two (2) dollars per month.

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for Increase

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

Here give the claimant's statement as briefly and as compactly as possible.

I am wounded in the left thigh and it is very painful at times - totally blind in left eye from blow from stick of wood, often pains me. Have veins very much enlarged in left leg, very tender on pressure, have Cramps in left leg at night - "

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with pars. 5, 6, 51, 52, &c., of Book of Instructions for 1889

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 80; respiration, 20; temperature, 98; height, 5 feet 8 inches; weight, 145 pounds; age, 46 years. No firm Cicatrix of G. S. W. on anterior aspect of left thigh 4 inches above patella, size of 25<sup>c</sup>, depressed - tender on pressure. Exit on posterior aspect of thigh immediately opposite pt of entrance (see Diagram) Cicatrix size of 25<sup>c</sup>, depressed. Pressure gives pain - Thigh (left) is one inch greater in circumference at injured part than its fellow. There is total loss of sight of left eye with partial destruction of globe. The posterior saphenous vein of left leg is varicose from its ankle joint to the saphenous opening. Exceedingly tender on pressure. No other disability found -

Rate for EACH cause of disability.

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a 4/18 rating for the disability caused by G. S. W of left thigh, 12/18 for that caused by loss of left eye, and 4/18 for that caused by

W. H. Hall, Pres. W. H. Hall, Sec'y. W. H. Hall, Treas

N. B.—Always forward a certificate of examination whether a disability is found to exist or not.