

Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

TAKE NOTICE.—If this declaration is executed before a Justice of the Peace or a Notary Public, the certificate of the CLERK OF THE COURT, as to the official character and genuineness of the signature of such officer must be attached. Neglect to comply with this requirement will cause trouble and DELAY.

State of Maryland County of Baltimore, ss.

ON THIS 17th day of March A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty three

personally appeared before me, a Commissioner of Deeds for the County of Baltimore

aforesaid, James L. Slaughter aged 39 years, a resident of

Baltimore County of Baltimore State of Maryland

, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the

United States, enrolled at the Washington Pension Agency at the rate of twenty-four

dollars per month, Certificate No. 9425B, by reason of disability from amputation

(Here name the disability for which pension was granted.)

of left thigh, unable to wear artificial

limb

incurred in the Military service of the United States, while serving as a Private

Co "E." 4th Regt. United States Colored Troops

(if in the Navy.) (Here state rank, company, and regiment, if in the army; vessel

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension under the provision

of the act of March 3/83

(Here state the reasons for applying for increase. If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described.

If on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place

and circumstances of its origin, and the names of hospitals, where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment

should be given as nearly as possible.)