

ADJOURNED MEETING.

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.

ORIGINAL

[State above whether for original, increase, or restoration.]

Pension Claim No. 279216

Name and rank of claimant.

ALEXANDER RUSSUM

Rank, PRIVATE

Company B, 7th Reg't U.S.C.T.

BALTIMORE, MD.

State,

Claimant's post-office address.

806 SPRING ST., BALTIMORE, MD.

[Post-office address of the Board.]

FEBRUARY 9th

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 in the service, viz: Rheumatism; Injury to Right Shoulder; Disease of Throat and Lungs.

Cause of disability.

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

and that he receives a pension of 0 dollars per month.

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

[Original, increase, restoration, &c.]

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

Claims to have Rheumatism in right arm and both legs. Claims to have had a gathering in the throat every year since leaving the service. Makes no claim for disease of the lungs.

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, 72; respiration, 18; temperature, N; height, 5 feet 9 inches; weight, 159 pounds; age, 48 years. General physical condition good. He claims that while lying in his bunk, a needle entered just outside of vertebrae border of right scapula and was extracted several months after on anterior aspect of right arm just in front of tendon of deltoid. Scar is circular; 1/2 inch in diameter; superficial. Claims severe pain on motion through arm and shoulder, which is probably of rheumatic nature. No crepitation or deformity of joints. Has pain on motion in both knees. Heart, Lungs and Abdominal organs normal. From his statement he evidently suffers with occasional attacks of Tonsillitis, which is the disease of throat claimed. No evidence at present. No other disability exists.

Rate for EACH cause of disability.

He is, in our opinion, entitled to a 6/18 rating for the disability caused by Rheumatism for that caused by \_\_\_\_\_, and \_\_\_\_\_ for that caused by \_\_\_\_\_

A. A. White, Pres. Eschelman, Sec'y. Geo. R. Baker, Treas.

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

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