

Also personally appeared Edward Bennett, residing at 17 1/2 Jenkins Alley
 and Frederick Johns residing at 2 Castle St., persons
 whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw
Alexander Russell, 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.

J. H. Dempsey
P. Lawrence

Edward Bennett
 mark
Frederick Johns
 (Signatures of Witnesses.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of April A. D. 1879
 and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known
 and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words
7 1/2 Counties, erased, and the words
9 1/2 City added; and that I have
 no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

J. H. Campbell
 (Signature.)
Deputy Chief Superior Court
 (Official character.)

The claimant's identity and loyalty must be proven by two witnesses, certified by the judicial officer to be respectable and credible, who are present and witness the signature of the declarant, and certify to his identity and loyalty under oath or affirmation.

Declarations and other papers should be as legible and as clear in statement as possible.

Where any evidence is already on file in any Department of the Government, a definite description of and specific reference to it will render it available in any subsequent claim.

The POST OFFICE ADDRESS (naming street and number in all large cities) of the applicant, attorney, and witnesses, should be embodied in or accompany every application, and all evidence in each claim; and each change of residence of said parties, while communicating with the Pension Office or the pension agents, should be stated.

Testimony in support of allegations made in a declaration may be taken before any officer whose authority and signature are duly certified, and who shall disclaim any interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of the claim.

INVALID
 CLAIM FOR PENSION.

ORIGINAL.

Alexander Russell, Applicant.

Co. B. 7th Regt.

Maryland bold Vols.

Enlisted, 18

Discharged, 18

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