

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Maryland }
County of Baltimore } ss.

In the matter of Original Invalid Pension Claim No
of James W. Williams late Co "F" 30th Regt U.S.C. I

Personally came before me, a Justice of the Peace, in and for aforesaid County
and State, Elias McDonald, aged 53 years

and citizen of the Town of Gasper Street, County of Baltimore, State of
Maryland, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,

being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

I was a private in Co "F" 30th Regt U.S.C.I. Was present for duty with my command, on the 30th July 1864 and do of my own personal knowledge that the claimant Jas W. Williams was present for duty at that time and whilst charging the enemy's works, the claimant received a gun shot wound in his left thigh, and of the first finger of the right hand.

I know the above facts from being wounded myself, first sent to the field hospital, where I saw the doctors dressing his wounds after which he was sent away.

Since our discharge in 1866 to date 1889 I have seen the claimant at least once a week he has continued to complain from discharge to date from gun shot wound of left thigh, limps when making a step up or down a curb or steps. A small portion of the first finger ^{of right hand} was shot off.

He is in my opinion disabled one half of his time from performing manual labor on account of gun shot wound of ~~left~~ thigh.

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

1 [Signature]
2 George Miller

Signature of Affiant: Elias McDonald

NOTE.—In the execution of papers and evidence, whenever a person or witness signs by mark (f), two persons who can write must attest the signature by signing their names opposite.