THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES

SOLDIER'S CERTIFICATE

No. 819 345

VETERAN Frank Verdier

RANK Pvt

SERVICE Co C 21 U.S.C. Inf

CAN No. 16883

BUNDLE NO. 17

(3—216.)

Ex'r.

INVAL.

Campbell

No. 439,993

Ctf. 819,345

Acts of July 14, 1862, and March 3, 1873.

Now known as Frank Washington 1139

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Frank Verdier

v.

Frank alias Wardier.

P. O. Jacksonboro Ashepoo

Colleton Co.

Lancaster Co. So. Ca.

Service: Prvt. Co. C. 21st U. S. C. Inf.

C. S. C. Inf.

8/12/14 J.H.W.

Enlisted: , 1863.

Discharged: , 1866.

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Application filed: Feb. 14, 1882.

Alleges: Gun Shot Wound left Knee

Re-enlisted:

Attorney: H. F. Bungardt.

Geo. E. Lemon

P. O. Kansas City, Mo. City.

Recognized. Contract.

Cert. of Dis. Searched for , 18 .

[9149—30 M.] ELECTRO'S.

ABANDONED

FILED

Power of Substitution not recognized.

A. G. Attys for locality & circumstances of origin of wound and hosp data Jany 18th 83

March 13 1866. A.L.S. Report hospital treat. Clerk ser Keller Charleston, S.C. for examination A.N.I.D. 1866

April 10 1866 P.C. add'd of Pleasonton Atty Burgandt Atty

Sept 16/87 - Atty for Corris & Rsadd. Furnished of Jury C. Hart Co. & Roberts.

June 21 1889 Atty Bungardt enters Atty Full & Con veluce. 5/26/92

Law dy 2/17 P filed 10/14/2

Dec 10 94 Bungardt, Latimer and Lemon that he is recognized W. L. P. Lawd.

Feb 8/96 Ch Atty Lemon for client's pres.
& specific statements of case circumstances
& inquiry. of Q. M. G. & for inf. of Com'd
Off. & Req Surg. showing origin. A.C.

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INVALID.

S. Frank-Wash. Cert. No. 819345

Name, Frank Verder

Rank, Prvt; Service, Co C. 21st U S C Inf.

Agency: Original Roll: Knoxville

Transf'd ....., 1 , to .....

" ....., 1 , to .....

Issue. Class Reiss Fee, $ 4 Entered

Issued July 2. 1913

Mailed JUL 3 1913

Rate and period, $ 18, from Apr 3. 1913

" $ 24 " May 11. 1913

" $ 30 " May 11. 1918

Deductions: .....

Disability: ACT OF MAY 11, 1912

Issue. Class Reiss to mch. from Frank Verder Fee, $ 8 Entered

Issued Aug. 19. 1914

~~Mailed~~ .....

Rate and period, $ 18, from Apr 3. 1913

" $ 24 " May 11. 1913

" $ 30 " May 11. 1918

Deductions: DEAD

Disability: ACT, OF MAY 11, 1912

Issue. Class Fee, $ Entered

Issued .....

Mailed .....

Rate and period, $ ....., from .....

Deductions: .....

Disability: .....

Issue. Class Fee, $ Entered

Issued .....

Mailed .....

Rate and period, $ ....., from .....

Deductions: .....

Disability: .....

INDORSEMENTS.

DROPPED

MAR 27 1916 1 FINANCE

T. R. S.

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Sept. 6. 1911. Status
Auditor for War Dept., per request
dated.
H.C.H. Law Cl

(3–230.)

INVALID. (Series Act of June 27, 1890.)

Cert. No. 819345

Name, Frank Verdier.

Rank, Private; Service, Co. C, 2d U. S. C. Vol. Inf.

Agency. { Original Roll: Knoxville
Transf'd ....., 18....., to .....
" ....., 18....., to .....

Class Reg. Fee, $6. Issue. 1 Entered

Issued November 2, 18
Mailed " 11, 18
Rate and Period, $6., from Dec. 15, 18
Deductions: "
Disability: Gsw. of left knee.

Class ..... Fee, $..... Issue. ..... Entered .....

Issued ....., 18
Mailed ....., 18
Rate and Period, $....., from ....., 18
Deductions: Over
Disability: .....

Class Inc. Fee, $2. Issue. 2 Entered

A.L.C. Issued Sept. 9, 1904
Mailed " 10, 1911
Rate and Period, $8., from July 20, 1904
Act of June 27, 1890.
Deductions: ✓
Disability: .....

Class ..... Fee, $..... Issue. 3 Entered .....

Issued Apr 5 1907
Mailed " 6, 1907
Rate and Period, $12., from Feb 20, 1907
Deductions: 0
Disability: D ✓

INDORSEMENTS.

Dec. 10. 94 as to atty's fee see law jacket
S. W. D. Hand
Oct. 18. 1902. Letter of 10/11 rec'd to Cl. & Atty. J. H. Hunter & Co.
Oct. 20 1904. Attys. requested to furnish Fenby's ddd — ejp
Nov. 16. 1904. Agt. to again mail to Walterboro. S. C. — ejp

Refer to Record

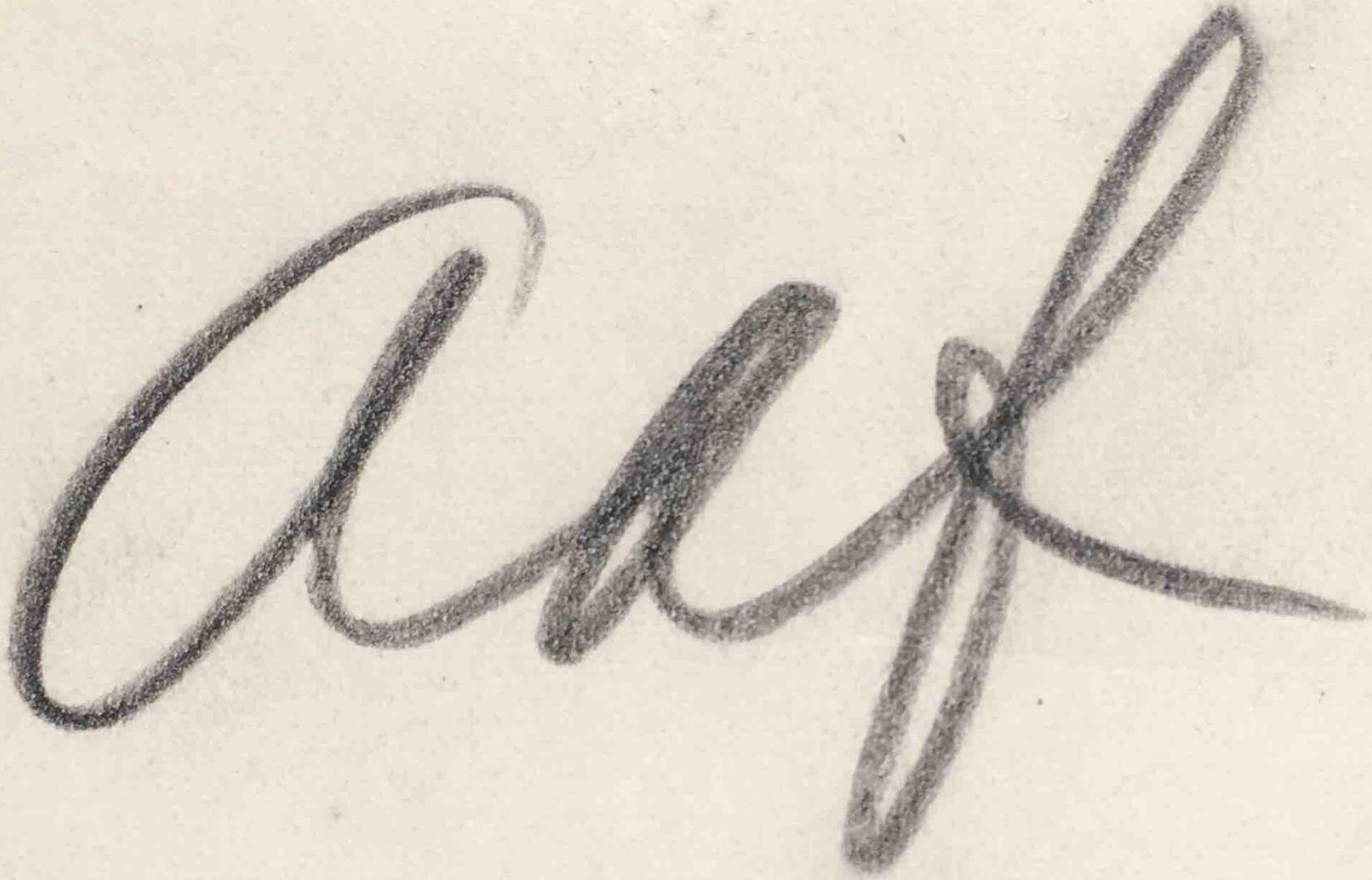
If you are unable to furnish any of the evidence indicated, you should state that fact, and the reasons why you are unable to furnish it, under oath.

Please return this letter with your reply.

Very respectfully,

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Commissioner.



Inv. Cert. No. 819345.
Frank Verdier,
Co. C, 21st U.S.C.Inf.
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Criminal Section,
LAW DIVISION,
July 24, 1914.

Respectfully referred to Chief Board of Review, inviting attention to the enclosed report of special examiner C. M. Lane, showing that this pensioner is now known under the name of Frank Washington. In connection with this case attention is also invited to the case of Thomas Sparing of said regiment, Orig. No. 1410433, and the separate slip accompanying same.

No further action is deemed necessary in this Division.

Acting Chief Law Division.

FEP/EOA

ACT OF MAY 11, 1912

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CIVIL WAR

"G"

FILES SLIP.

Orig. _____

Ind. Cert. 819345

Name:

Frank Verdier now

Frank Washington

[Post-office address.]

C 21 U. S. C. Inf

[Service.]

Submitted to the Board of Review for

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_____

_____, *Examiner.*

_____

To Medical Div. _____

_____, *Examiner.*

To Record Div. Order 51 Aug 12 1914

H. S. Smith, *Examiner.*

To Law Div. _____

_____, *Examiner.*

To S. E. Div. _____

_____, *Examiner.*

To _____ *Div.* _____

_____, *Examiner.*

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Keep on outside of case until final action is taken.

C L E A R A N C E S E C T I O N.

Invalid: Orig.....

Widow : Ctf. 819345

Name. Verdier

Pending.

	Check.
Act May 11, 1912	
Act Apl. 19, 1908	
General Laws	
Other Acts	

In case of error, bring papers to Clearance Desk.

Don't Cancel Pending Case

LAW DIVISION

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF PENSIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C. April 9, 1913.

Mr. Frank Verdier,
145 Calhoun St.,
Charleston, S. C.

Sir:

Referring to a declaration for pension under the Act of May 11, 1912, filed in this Bureau on the 3rd. inst. in your behalf as of Co. C, 21, U. S. C. I., Invalid Ctf. No. 819,345, you are advised that as you failed to sign your name thereto, there should be filed in this Bureau your own sworn statement together with a certificate over the signature and seal of Martin Caulfield notary public, showing that you appeared before him on or about April 1st., 1913, and were duly sworn to the statement contained in said declaration if such is the fact.

Your full name, service and certificate number should be given in each instance and this letter should be returned with your reply.

Respectfully,

J. L. Davenport,

Commissioner.

LAW DIV APR 24 1913 REC'D

PENSION OFFICE U. S. APR 24 1913

UNDER LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS

3—289.
(Old No. 3—446.)

OF FEBRUARY 2 1901

DEPOSITION

RELATIVE TO SOUTH CAROLINA CASES

Case of Frank Verdier, No. 819.345

On this 22 day of April, 1901, at Walterboro, county of Colleton, State of S. C., before me, P K Doc, a special examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared Pensioner, who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to him during this special examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says:

I live about 12 miles from Walterboro S.C. & I am a farmer. I was born where I am living now about 55 or 60 years ago. Samuel Verdier owned me. My father was March Mahoney owned by the same man.

I only go by the name of Frank Verdier or Frank Mahoney.

Yes Sir! I also go by the name of Frank Washington. I used to court a girl and changed my name for that reason. No Sir: I never went by any other name. I never went by the name of Frank Simmons.

I enlisted at 18 years of age at Hilton Head in Co C - 21 U.S.C. Vol. Inf.

I volunteered. Capt Sharpe sworn me in.

I enlisted in the Spring. Could not tell year or month. I was discharged during cold weather, could not tell month or year. I was discharged at Morris Island I served three years and one month.

I had no other service, military or naval, federal or confederate.

I was never on detached service.

I was in hospital at Morris Island just before Charleston was taken. I had the typhoid fever. I was in hospital about two months. Dr Hoch treated me. That was the only time I was in hospital except the first year of my enlistment when I was in Reg't hospital for Small Pox at Hilton Head

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My post battle was at Aluastee, Fla. (Cannot recall the casualties)
" Next " " James Island, S.C. (" " " ")
That was the only fight I was in.
We remained about 6 months at Hilton Head, then we went to Jacksonville, Fla for 2-3 Months, then we went to Morris Island where we remained until Charleston was evacuated, when we went to Charleston where we remained until we were sent to Morris Island to be mustered out.
I have lived right where I live now ever since my discharge.
My officers were Col Bennett, Lt. Col. (Cannot recall) Major Willoughby, Capt Henry Shark & Sharpe. 1st Lt Reed, 2d Lt (Cannot recall) Ord. Sgt Paul Manigo.
My tentmate were none. I was 2d Sgt and had my own tent.
I lost my discharge papers.
I served under the name of Frank Verdier.
Personal description of Pensioner:
Complexion black, eyes black, hair grayish. height 5'5", occupation farming. I was shot in the left Knee at the riflepit at Morris Island.
I worked for the Quartermaster Dept. for 4 months before I enlisted, I had no uniform on and were not in any Co. I was feeding the Crews.
From Ctf 819.345 — Act June 27, 1890.
6th ~~Dec~~ Dec 15, 1891, for "Gunshot wound of left Knee".
Ctf issued Nov 2, 1892.
I was in hospital at Morris Island for that Gunshot wound of left Knee. I was there for about 2 months. Dr Hoch treated me.

Attest:
Reed Harris

Frank his X mark Verdier
Deponent.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this.....day of.....,
190---, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

.....
Special Examiner.

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3—289.
(Old No. 3—446.)

DEPOSITION a

Case of Frank Verdin, No. 819.345

On this 22 day of April, 1901, at
Centum, county of
State of , before me, , a
special examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared
Pensacola, who, being by me first duly sworn to
answer truly all interrogatories propounded to h during this special
examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says:

My witness was Joe Pinkney & Chas Washington
I testified for them. We did not pay each other.
They witnessed to the injury to my Knee.
I cannot recall what I testified for them.
I was last examined by the board at Beaufort
9 years ago.
Geo Lemon was my Wash. D.C. attorney.
Chas Tamm was my lawyer here. I do not
know what I paid Lemon. I had been
paying Tamm for making out my papers
right along so he made them out and
I paid him 10.00 when I got the pension.
I put in for an increase about Jan. 1901. I
have not heard from it yet. It is an increase
under the new law. Pinion is my attorney.
I have made no agreement with him.
Capt Shafer executes my voucher on the 4th
day of each quarter. now before. He swears
me and I touch the pen twice. He has my
Ctf. for safekeeping.
I never pawn my Ctf.
I have only been married once.
I married my present wife Nov 2d year
after I came out of the army. I married her
right whom we now live. She was a girl.
Elder Archie Ford married us.
I have no children under 16 years of age.
I have understood all questions and
am correctly recorded

Page Deposition

Attest
Reed Hanna.

Frank X his Verdin
mark
witness

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MAY 2 1901
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

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UNDER LETTER OF INSTRUCTIONS
OF FEBRUARY 12 1901
RELATIVE TO SOUTH CAROLINA CASES

Deponent.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22 *day of* April, *190*4, *and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.*

Special Examiner.

See if
May 11-claim
filed.

HBS.



When desk
reaches cure
point should
be referred to
Savoir.

Mrs
Lea
4/25/13

Hoyt,
' '

B.E.S.

September 6, 1911.

The Auditor for

The War Department.

Sir:

In response to your call of the 1st instant, received the 5th (D. A. C. 320, 466,999), you are advised that Frank Verdier is now a pensioner by Ctf. No. 819,345, based upon service as a private, Co. C, 21st U. S. C. Inf., and his address, April 3, 1907, was Waterboro, Colleton Co., S. C.

Very respectfully,

Commissioner.

No. 66.

Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

(UNDER ANY LAW.)

State of South Carolina County of Colleton ss:

On the date hereinafter mentioned, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public
Title of Magistrate.

within and for the County and State aforesaid Frank Gerdier

aged 64 years, a resident of Walterboro County of Colleton State

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

United States under New Law enrolled at the Pension Agency at
State under what law.

the rate of 6 Dollars per month, Certificate No. 819345 by reason of

Gun shot wound in knee

That he served as a Sergeant Co. C. 21 Regiment U. S. colored
State Rank, company and regiment, if in the army; or the name of the vessel if in the navy.

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of *too low rating for his present degree of disability* as above

Important

Do not fill in the opposite space if you are now pensioned under the General Law.

☞ ***If you are now pensioned under the Act of June 27, 1890, and amendments,*** here name or describe every disability from which you are materially disabled for manual labor and on which you claim an increase of pension:

That said disabilities are not due to vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent. He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution, MILO B. STEVENS & CO., of Washington, D. C. their successors and legal representatives, his true and lawful attorneys, to present and prosecute his claim, requesting that, in the event of the allowance of the same, his said attorneys be paid the fee now provided by law.

His Post-office address is Walterboro, S. C.
Give street and number if in city or town.

Frank his X Gerdier
mark
Signature of Claimant

Also personally appeared W. F. Warren residing at Walterboro S. C., and A. F. Henderson residing at Walterboro S. C., persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Frank Gerdier, the claimant, sign his name [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.

W. F. Warren

A. F. Henderson

If witnesses sign by mark two persons who can write must sign here. Signature of witnesses.

SEE OTHER SIDE.

PENSION OFFICE U. S. FEB 1904

ATTY FILED

INVALID

Claim for Pension

INCREASE.

Frank Verdier Applicant

Co. G 2d Regt.

U. S. C. Inf. Vols.

Ctf. No. 819,343 Act 1890

G 3 S.C. Inf.

FEB 23 1904

FILED BY

MILO B. STEVENS & CO.,

Solicitors of Claims and Patents.

RECORD FEB 23 1904 DIVISION

An Increase of Pension

MAY BE SECURED

1st. When the disability for which pension is drawn has ratably increased since the pensioner was last before Pension Examining Surgeons,

2nd. When the disability for which pension is drawn has ratably increased since the rate of pension was last increased;

3rd. When the disability for which pension is drawn has ratably increased since the pension was originally granted;

4th. When the disability for which pension is drawn has resulted in some other ratably pensionable disability not mentioned in the pensioner's certificate;

5th. When the rate of pension at the original allowance was fixed too low in proportion to the degree of disability (in many such cases a re-rating as well as an increase can be secured); and,

6th. Also, in cases under the act of June 27, 1890, as amended by the act of May 9, 1900, when additional ratable disability of permanent character, not due to vicious habits, has been incurred since last medical examination.

FROM THE OTHER SIDE.

Subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me this 16th day of Feb 190 4, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration and power of attorney were fully and truly made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing to the same; and that Frank Verdier acknowledged the signing and sealing of the power of attorney to be his free act and deed for the purposes herein named. I further certify that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

Power of Attorney not filed to cover date.
Notified Feb. 16. 1904
Record Division.

C. M. Green
Signature of Magistrate.

Not. Pub.
Official title of Magistrate.

NOTE ☞This paper may be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. Certificate of Clerk of Court need NOT be attached but will be procured when called for. In numerous instances the official character of the Notary of Magistrate is already officially known at the Pension Bureau, and in that case the fact should be stated.

[1-20-1904-10M]

Filed from Jan 11, 1901 during pleasure of Court
SSA

(EXAMINING SURGEON'S VOUCHER.)

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TO THE EXAMINING SURGEON.

The claimant named on the outside of this circular has been directed to report himself to you for examination within three months of the date hereof, when the validity of the order will cease.

Should he present himself, please examine him and make your report to this Bureau at once, in accordance with the instructions of the pamphlet already transmitted to you.

(1) Orders for examination are issued in duplicate, one to the claimant and one to the examining surgeon, or board of examining surgeons. These orders should be carefully compared before an examination is made, as certificates of examination made upon orders issued to other boards or surgeons will not be accepted or paid for, except in cases in which this Bureau may direct such action by special instructions.

Any order received by a surgeon which is intended for another should be immediately remailed to this Bureau in a separate envelope, together with the envelope in which it was received.

(2) If the order to a surgeon fails to reach him, and the applicant presents himself with *his* order, the examination should be made; or, if the claimant presents himself without an order, and the surgeon has one in his possession authorizing the examination, it should be made.

(3) Orders for examination received by the surgeons should be carefully filed, and at the expiration of three months from their respective dates, if the claimants have not reported, they must be returned and each order of this character must be indorsed "*Claimant* failed to appear within the specified time."

Whenever a claimant shall have been ordered before a board of examining surgeons, and shall appear for examination, all the members of said board shall participate in said examination; nor will any certificate be accepted from such board which fails to show that all the members of the board participated therein, save only and except that in case the claimant, on appearing, shall find a less number of surgeons than the full board, the examination may proceed with the consent of the claimant expressed in writing on the certificate reciting such fact, and agreeing nevertheless that the examination shall proceed; and in that case such claimant shall be held to have waived the privilege of the statute relative to examination by a full board. (See forms on back of Medical Certificate.)

This Circular **must be returned to this Bureau with your certificate of examination,** accompanied by your daily account, or in the event of the person named in it failing to report within the specified time, return it indorsed as required by paragraph 3 of the instructions quoted above.

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Inc
Act June 27–1890
South Div

Navy

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Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., AUG 10 1905, 190

Dr A. C. McClennan, Secretary,
Charleston
Co. Charleston, S.C.
(State.)

Sir:

Mr. Frank Verdier
P. O. Neyles
Co. Colleton, S.C.
(State.)
late a Private
Co. C 21 Regiment U.S.C.H.A.
(State.)
an applicant for increase
Invalid Pension No. 819,345

has been directed to report himself to you for examination on account of disability from
Gun Shot Wound of left Knee
Rheumatism
Disease of Heart and
Eyes-
Age-

Are there any other disabilities?

Are there evidences of vicious habits?

Very respectfully,

V. Warner
Commissioner.

PENSION OFFICE. U.S. OCT 31 1905

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Cert. War Division

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Washington, D. C. Aug 12, 1914

No. Claim,

Cert. No. 819.345

Claimant, Frank Verdier now known as

Soldier, Frank Washington

Co. 6, 24 Reg't U. S. C. Inf.

Respectfully, referred to the Chief of the Record Division, under Order 51, for compliance with the slip of the Chief of the Board of Review herewith dated Aug 3. 1914 relative to soldiers name

John T. Tucker

Chief of Cert. War Division.

H. S. Smith

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BOARD OF REVIEW.

R. H. Alexander

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Washington, D. C., Aug 3, 1914

No. Claim,

Cert. No. 819,345 - Approved

Claimant,

Soldier, Frank Verdier

Co. C, 21" *Reg't.* U.S.C. Inf.

Respectfully, returned to the Chief of the Civil War Division, inviting attention to slips of Chief of Law Division and Reports of Special Examiner Lyon.

The identity of Verdier with the soldier of record appears established. He is now known as Frank Washington. Please have papers referred to the Record Division for correction of name, and then re-submit to this Board on proper brief for

Chief, Board of Review.

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RECORD DIVISION

Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Briefed by J. H. W.

Claim No. ----------

Certificate No. 819,345

Claimant Frank Verdier ~~Wordier~~ Now Frank Washington

Known as Soldier Frank Washington

Service C 3 S. C. Inf

Additional Service C 21 U. S. C. Inf

No Other *claim, State records* 8/12, 1914

No claim, combination records ----------, 191

REMARKS:

Records O.K.

Chief Division.

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Reed

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Ex'r.

Inv Ord No. 439,992

4/10 Act of June 27, 1890. 1/139

Now Known as Frank Washington

Frank ~~W~~ Wordier

P. O. Walterboro ~~Wordier~~ Alias Wordier

Colleton Co. S. C.

Service: Pvt. Co. 21. N&B. Inf.

C 3 S. C Inf

8/12/14 J.H.W.

Enlisted: , 1863.

Discharged: , 1866.

Application filed: Dec. 15 , 1891.

Alleges:

2/1926

Any other Claim filed: Yes,

Numerical No. 166,806 ~~1926~~

Attorney: G. E. Lemon

P. O. City.

BOARD OF REVIEW OCT 6 1892

Recognized. Contract.

Cert. of Dis. Searched for , 18 .

(4476—50,000.)

DELIVERED

Notf 1—6—92 J.C.

Jan. 19-92. Ord. med ex-at Beaufort S.C J.C.

MD.

VA.

W. VA.

N. C.

S. C.

FLA.

GA.

ALA.

MISS.

LA.

TEX.

KY.

TENN.

MO.

ARK.

D. C.

U.S.C.T.

No.

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BOARD OF REVIEW.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS.

Washington, D. C., ..., *191*

No. Claim, ...

Cert. No. .....

Claimant, ...

Soldier, ...

Co. ....., ... *Reg't.* .....

Respectfully, Ret a reissue
of Certificate may
be made to show
name,
Frank Verdier
now known as Frank
Washington
This Case is ac-
companied by that
of Thomas Sparing
(Rejected) which
may be separated
from the Verdier Case
and returned to the
rejected files – Nothing
pending in it and no
further action by the
Case Div

Chief, Board of Review.

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W. A. Paul
Rec'r

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Claim of Frank Verdier, now known as Frank Washington, *No.* 819,345

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Inv.Ctf.No.819,345
Frank Verdier,now known as Frank Washington,
Co.C 21 U.S.C.Vol.Inf.
Address:- #19 Pearlstine Alley,Charleston,S.C.

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Charleston, S.C.July 15,1914.

Sir:

Report in above-entitled pension case is respectfully forwarded along with report and papers in case of Thomas Sparing,No.1410433, alleged service,same as above. The man above named is a pensioner under name of Frank Verdier,as of service stated. I saw his certificate. Name of Frank Washington does not appear thereon.

Sparing Case
War Dept.report (BJ 3) states that the name Frank Verdier is not found on rolls of regiment above emntioned. Undoubtedly an error.

This pensioner most surely served as he alleges;he recalls all the main events connected with his service. There is not a member of his company in or near Charleston. Charles Washington of Walterboro,S.C.was a member of the company named and is a pensioner according to the roster of pensioners in several of the counties in this section of the state prepared several years ago for use of special examiners. The roster is now in the office here.

It is recommended that this report be referred to the Board of Review for consideration.

Very respectfully,

O M Lane
Special Examiner.

Hon.Commissioner of Pensions,

Washington,D.C.

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DEPOSITION a

Case of Frank Verdier, *No.* 819,345

On this 15 *day of* July, *1914, at* Charleston, *county of* Charleston *State of* S.C., *before me,* C.M.Lane *a Special Examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared* Frank Washington alias Frank Verdier, *who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to* him *during this special examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says:*

I am about 71 years of age,occupation,nothing now but used to be a farmer and my P.O.address is #19 Pearlstine Alley,Charleston,S.C. I am a pensioner of the U.S.under the name of Frank Verdier at $24.00 per month on account of services in Co.C 21st U.S.C.Vol.Inf.and I now show you my pension certificate bearing out my statement. I enlisted at Hilton Head,S.C.and was discharged at Morris Island,S.C.but I do not know the dates of my enlistment and discharge but I served about three years or a little more and I was a corp.and Sgt.in said company. I was born and raised at Walterboro,S.C.slave of Samuel Verdier my father's name being March Mahoney. As soon as I came out of the army I assumed the name of Frank Washington,for no particular purpose but because I fancied the name and I have been known as Frank Washington ever since the war and have done all my business under that name except pension business. As soon as discharged I went back to Hilton Head,S.C. and was married to Maria Bolton. That was pretty soon after muster out but I cannot give the date. I married her under the name of Frank Washington by preacher Abraham Murchison. Maria and I separated,I came back here to Charleston. She died in Savannah,so my comrade of Co.I said regiment,told me, Samuel McPherson who was Samuel Fraser in the army,and she died before I married again. My second wife was Binah Middleton to whom I was married at Neills Crossing 9 miles from Walterboro,S.C.,I,going back to my old home soon after coming here from Hilton Head,S.C. I lived with Binah until she died and she died at Neills Crossing in March but I cannot give the year although she has been dead 11 or 12 years. My third and last wife was Charlotte Gibbs and I was married to her near Adams Run,Charleston Co.S.C.by preacher Toby Green about four years ago. She is still living with me and we have never

been divorced. Charlotte had been married once only before she married me and that was to Moses Gibbs with whom I was acquainted and who died in May and close to Adams Run,S.C.but I do not know the date but she lived with him until he died and was married to me about two years after his death. My Col.was Bennett, Capt.Henry Sharp,Lieutenants Read and Milz,who both became captains,however,and my Ord·Sgt.was Paul Manigault. I am about 5ft·6 in·in height,have dark brown color and dark eyes and hair . Have no marks or scars on face or hands. I enlisted at Hilton Head,S.C. where we staid a good while,then we went by boat to Jacksonville,Fla·and down there we were in the Battles of Jacksonville and Olustee,Fla.,came to Morris Islan,S.C.,then over in to town here and remained awhile,went to Mt.Pleasant,S.C.for awhile,but we had had a battle on James Island,just off Charleston,where we lost some of the regiment but none of my company. From Mt.Pleasant we went to Hilton Head again supposedly to be mustered out but for some reason we were not but came back to Morris Island where we were mustered out. Every time I was married it was under the name of Frank Washington and my neighbors over about Walterboro and Neills Cross Road where I lived all time after discharge until about 3 or 4 years ago when I came here knew me as Frank Washington, All my business has been carried on under the name of Frank Washington since the war except pensinn business. I can name a lot of men of my company but they are about all dead. Chas.Washington of Walterboro,S.C. There were three Seabrooks,all brothers,in the company,one being named Isaac but they are dead,Sam Kirk, Samuel Fields, Boney Bolton,were members of my Co. Chas.Washignton aforesaid knew me in slave time and Samuel McPherson who was in Co.I said regiment knew me from the time he came into the army,and in fact at Hilton Head before he enlisted. I enlisted before he did,and he has known me about Walterboro and here since discharge. I lost my discharge certificate. I have heard this deposition read,understood questions asked,my answers are correctly recorded.

"Frank Washington"interlined before signing.

his
Frank X Verdier, now known as Frank Washington
mark

Deponent.

Witnesses to mark.
John L. Heidtman
Rev Samuel McPherson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th *day of* July *1914, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.*

M Lane
Special Examiner.

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DEPOSITION B

Case of Frank Verdier, *No.* 819,345

On this 15th *day of* July, *1914, at* Charleston, *county of* Charleston *State of* S.C., *before me,* C.M.Lane *a Special Examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared* Samuel McPherson, *who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to him during this special examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says:*

I am about 71 years of age, occupation, retired minister of the Gospel, and my P.O. address is #24 Lucas St. Charleston, S.C. I was a member of Co. I 21st U.S.C.Vol.Inf. in the Civil War enlisting at Hilton Head, S.C. latter part of 1863 or early part of 1864 but my discharge certificate which I now show you shows that I enlisted Sept.10th 1864 and was discharged April 25, 1866. I was really in service at Hilton Head before Sept.10, 1864, however, the 3rd and 4th S.C. going together to make the 21st. I served under the name of Samuel Fraser and am now drawing a pension of $16.50 per month and now exhibit to you my pension certificate which bears out my statement. I met Frank Washington who is now in my presence, in Hilton Head, S.C. before he enlisted in the army and before I enlisted. I had come down from Providence and was at Hilton Head waiting on Col. Charles R. Brayton and this Washington whom I knew then as Frank Verdier, was then working in the QM Dept. at Hilton Head, and my father was a cooper there in the Commisary Dept. where Verdier worked and I got well acquainted with Verdier. I saw him every day in service after I enlisted. He was in Co. C under Capt. Henry Sharp. I know that this Frank Verdier has been known as Frank Washington ever since our discharge from the army for I have been with him since then about Walterboro, S.C. working with him over there and also knowing him well in this city since he came here. I was acquainted with all three of his wives, Maria Bolton whom he married at Hilton Head, or at Mitchellville near there, and who died in Savannah, Ga. I was in Savannah when she died but did not see her corpse or attend her burial. She died there about 1876 or '77 and it was before he married Binah Middleton who died at Neills Cross Roads about 1899; I was preaching all through that neighborhood then. His third and last wife was Charlotte was Charlotte Gibbs

who is now living with him now. I am not related to Verdier now known as Washington and have no interest in this matter.

I have heard this deposition read, understood questions asked, my answers are correctly recorded.

Rev Samuel McAdkerson

Deponent.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th *day of* July *1914, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.*

O M Lane

Special Examiner.

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S. E. D.

RECEIVED JUL 18 1914 U.S.

No. 819,345

Claimant: Frank Washington

Soldier: Frank Verdier

P. O. address: Charleston

County: Charleston State: S.C.

Recommendation: Board of Review.

C.M.Lane,

Special Examiner.

REFERENCE.

JUL 20 1914, 19....

Respectfully referred to Chief of Law Division for consideration in connection with J. O. 7410,433 T. Sparing.

John W. Hall

Chief S. E. Division.

RECOMMENDATION.

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Reviewer.

ACTION.

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Commissioner.

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Reissue to correct name

ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

Cert. No. 819.345

ACT OF ~~MARCH~~ 4, 1913.

Claimant, Frank Verdier now known as Frank Washington

P. O., ~~#45 Calhoun Street~~ #19 Pearl Pine alley, Charleston

County, Charleston

State, South Carolina

Rank, Private

Service, Co. C 21 U.S.C. Inf.

Rate, $ 18 per month, commencing April 3, 1913.

$24 from May 11, 1913

$30 from May 11, 1918

ATTORNEY OR STATE REPRESENTATIVE.

(Order April 25, 1907.)

Name, ____ | Fee, $____; Agent to pay.

P. O., ____ | Articles filed ____, 19

APPROVAL.

Submitted for Comation, name, Aug 13, 1914, H. S. Smith, Examiner.

Approved for admission Rate $ 18. per month; age 69 years.

Reissue to correct name as above

Length of pensionable service: 2 years, 11 months, 15 days.

No Deductions in service from any cause: ____ years, ____ months, ____ days,

on account of ____

Aug 14, 1914, W. A. Paul, Legal Reviewer. August 17, 1914, W. R. H. Alexander, Re-Reviewer.

Enlisted May 11, 1863; honorably discharged April 25, 1866

Enlisted ____, 18 ; honorably discharged ____, 18

Enlisted ____, 18 ; honorably discharged ____, 18

Length of pensionable service: 2 years, 11 months, 15 days.

Pensioned at $ 24 per month, under Act May 11, 1912.

PRESENT CLAIM, ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

Declaration filed April 3, 1913

Age shown by evidence 69 years; date of birth ~~alleged~~ May 11, 1843

Claimant does not write.

No, M. C.

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Civil War Division.

3—463.

BUREAU OF PENSIONS

June 24, 1913

Cert. No. 819,345

Soldier, Frank Vardier

Co. C, 21 Reg't USC Inf

When Certificate is issued, return papers to Chief Civil Div

Division for action on rejection of claim based on age, 70 years.

Hall

Reviewer.

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C. W. DALTON
CHIEF BOARD OF REVIEW

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Revised

ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

Amended by Act of March 4, 1913.

Cert. No. 812345

Claimant, Frank Ugrdier.

P. O., 145 Calhoun Street. Charleston.

County, Charleston.

State, South Carolina.

Rank, Private

Service, Co C. 21 U S C Inf

Rate, $ 18 per month, commencing April 3. 1913.

~~$ 24~~ commencing May 11, 1913

~~$ 30~~ commencing May 11, 1918.

ATTORNEY OR STATE REPRESENTATIVE.

(Order April 25, 1907.)

Name, None

P. O.,

Fee, $...; Agent to pay.

Articles filed ..., 19

APPROVAL.

Submitted for Adm., May 20, 1913, W. W. Gilmore, Examiner.

Approved for admission. Rate $ 18 per month; age 69 years.

Revises from Act of June 27. 1890.
Date of birth, May 11. 1843.

Length of pensionable service: 2 years, 11 months, 15 days.

Deductions in service from any cause: none, years, months, days,

on account of

June 24, 1913, E. H. Hall, Legal Reviewer. June 30, 1913, W. W. Andrews, Re-Reviewer.

Enlisted May 11, 1863; honorably discharged April 25, 1866

Enlisted ..., 18 ; honorably discharged ..., 18

Enlisted ..., 18 ; honorably discharged ..., 18

Length of pensionable service: 2 years, 11 months, 15 days.

Pensioned at $ 12 per month, under Act of June 27. 1890

PRESENT CLAIM, ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

Declaration filed April 3, 1913

Age shown by evidence 69 years; ~~date~~ of birth ~~alleged~~ May 11, 1843, 18

Claimant does not write.

..., M. C.

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ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

DECLARATION FOR PENSION.

☞ *The Pension Certificate should not be forwarded with the application.* ☜

State of S. C. **County of** Charleston **ss:**

ON THIS 1st day of April A. D. one thousand nine hundred and 13,

personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the County

and State aforesaid, Frank Verdier, who, being duly sworn according to law,

declares that he is 70 years of age, and a resident of Charleston

County of Charleston, State of S. C.; and that he is the

identical person who was ENROLLED at Hilton Head, S. C. under the name of

Frank Verdier, on the day of , 1863,

as a Sergeant, in Co. C 21 U. S. C. V.

(Here state rank, and company and regiment in the Army, or vessels if in the Navy.)

in the service of the United States, in the Civil War, and was **HONORABLY DISCHARGED**

(State name of war, Civil or Mexican,)

at Charleston S. C. on the day of , 1866

That he also served from No 186 to 186 in Co. Regt. Vols.

(Here give a complete statement of all other services, if any.)

That he was not employed in the military or naval service of the United States otherwise than as stated above. That his personal description at enlistment was as follows: Height, 5 feet 7 inches; complexion, Black; color of eyes, Black; color of hair, Black; that his occupation was ;

that he was born , 1843 at Walterboro, Colleton County S. C.

That his several places of residence since leaving the service have been as follows: Colleton and Charleston Counties, S. C.

(State the date of each change as nearly as possible.)

That he is a pensioner under certificate No. 19345 at the rate of $ 12 per month.

That he has applied for pension under original No.

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States, under the provisions of the Act of May 11, 1912.

~~That he hereby appoints Wm. FLETCHER & CO., his attorneys in this case.~~

That his Post-Office address is 145 Calhoun St, Charleston, County of Charleston,

State of S. C.

ATTEST:

1. Lieut. H. Bennett

2. Wm. Fletcher

(Two witnesses who can write must sign here)

RECEIVED H APR 3 1913 U. S. PENSION OFFICE.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of April, A. D. 1913

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

[L. S.] words erased,

and the words added;

and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Martin Lauchfield

(Signature.)

NOTARY PUBLIC CHARLESTON, S. C.

Official character.

IF A PENSIONER, DO NOT FAIL TO GIVE CERTIFICATE NUMBER.

ACT APPROVED MAY 11, 1912.

That any person who served ninety days or more in the military or naval service of the United State during the late Civil War, who has been honorably discharged therefrom, and who has reached the age of sixty-two years or over, shall, upon making proof of such facts, according to such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may provide, be placed upon the pension roll and be entitled to receive a pension as follows: In case such person has reached the age of sixty years and served ninety days, thirteen dollars per month; six months, thirteen dollars and fifty cents per month; one year, fourteen dollars per month; one and a half years, fourteen dollars and fifty cents per month; two years, fifteen dollars per month; two and a half years, fifteen dollars and fifty cents per month; three years or over, sixteen dollars per month. In case such person has reached the age of sixty-six years and served ninety days, fifteen dollars per month; six months, fifteen dollars and fifty cents per month; one year, sixteen dollars per month; one and a half years, sixteen dollars and fifty cents per month; two years, seventeen dollars per month; two and a half years, eighteen dollars per month; three years or over, nineteen dollars per month. In case such person has reached the age of seventy years and served ninety days, eighteen dollars per month; six months, nineteen dollars per month; one year, twenty dollars per month; one and a half years, twenty-one dollars and fifty cents per month; two years, twenty-three dollars per month; two and a half years, twenty-four dollars per month; three years or over, twenty-five dollars per month. In case such person has reached the age of seventy-five years and served ninety days, twenty-one dollars per month; six months, twenty-two dollars and fifty cents per month; one year, twenty-four dollars per month; one and a half years, twenty-seven dollars per month; two years or over, thirty dollars per month. That any person who served in the military or naval service of the Unidte States during the Civil War and received an honorable discharge, and who was wounded in battle or in line of duty and is now unfit for manual labor by reason thereof, or who from disease or other causes incurred in line of duty resulting in his disability is now unable to perform manual labor, shall be paid the maximum pension under this Act, to wit, thirty dollars per month, without regard to length of service or age.

That any person who has served sixty days or more in the military or naval service of the United States in the War with Mexico and has been honorably discharged therefrom, shall, upon making like proof of such service, be entitled to receive a pension of thirty dollars per month.

All of the aforesaid pensions shall commence from the date of filing of the applications in the Bureau of Pensions after the passage and approval of this Act: *Provided,* That pensioners who are sixty-two years of age or over, and who are now receiving pensions under existing laws, or whose claims are pending in the Bureau of Pensions, may, by application to the Commissioner of Pensions, in such form as he may prescribe, receive the benefits of this Act; and nothing herein contained shall prevent any pensioner or person entitled to a pension from prosecuting his claim and receiving a pension under any other general or special Act: *Provided,* That no person shall receive a pension under any other law at the same time or for the same period that he is receiving a pension under the provisions of this Act: *Provided further,* That no person who is now receiving or shall hereafter receive a greater pension, under any other general or special law, than he would be entitled to receive under the provisions herein shall be pensionable under this Act.

SEC. 2. That rank in the service shall not be considered in applications filed hereunder.

SEC. 3. That no pension attorney, claim agent, or other person shall be entitled to receive any compensation for services rendered in presenting any claim to the Bureau of Pensions, or securing any pension, under this Act, except in applications for original pension by persons who have not heretofore received a pension.

SEC. 4. That the benefits of this Act shall include any person who served during the late Civil War, or in the War with Mexico, and who is now or may hereafter become entitled to pension under the Acts of June twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and ninety, February fifteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and the joint resolutions of July first, nineteen hundred and two, and June twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and six, or the Acts of January twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and February seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-seven.

SEC. 5. That it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of Pensions, as each application for pension under this Act is adjudicated, to cause to be kept a record showing the name and length of service of each claimant, the monthly rate of payment granted to or received by him, and the county and State of his residence; and shall at the end of the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen tabulate the record so obtained by States and counties, and shall furnish certified copies thereof upon demand and the payment of such fee therefor as is provided by law for certified copies of records in the executive departments.

PENSION H APR 3 1913 OFFICIAL U. S.
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Act of May 11, 1912,

CLAIM FOR PENSION,

Certificate No. 819345

Name Frank Vrater

Service C 21 Ohio Inf

INSTRUCTIONS.

This form may be used for original pension or increase of pension.

Declaration and testimony in support of same to be executed before some officer of a court of record having custody of its seal, a notary public, justice of the peace, or other officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer is not required by law to have and use a seal, his official character, signature and term of office must be certified by the proper State, county, or city officer under his official seal, unless such certificate has been filed in the Bureau of Pensions for general reference.

FILED BY
Wm. FLETCHER & CO.,
605 F Street, Northwest,
Washington, D. C.
APR 1913

Law Division.

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April 9, 1913.

Mr. Frank Verdier,
145 Calhoun St.,
Charleston, S. C.

Sir:

Referring to a declaration for pension under the Act of May 11, 1912, filed in this Bureau on the 3rd. inst. in your behalf as of Co. C, 21, U. S. C. H/, Invalid Ctf. No. 819,345, you are advised that as you failed to sign your name thereto, there should be filed in this Bureau your own sworn statement together with a certificate over the signature and seal of Martin Caulfield notary public, showing that you appeared before him on or about April 1st., 1913, and were duly sworn to the statement contained in said declaration if such is the fact.

Your full name service and certificate number should be given in each instance and this letter should be returned with your reply.

Respectfully,

J. L. DAVENPORT.
Commissioner.

State of South Carolina,

County of Charleston.

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public, in and for the aforesaid County and State duly authorized to administer oaths, Frank Verdier who being fuly sworn declares that he did appear before Martin Caulfield a Notary Public, in and for the aforesaid County and State and made oath before him on the 1st, day of April 1913. for increase of pension Act May 11th, 1912 as a member of Co. C. 21. U. S. C. V., that he cannot write his name but made his cross mark, and by inadvertancy the name was omitted; that he appeared and intended signing, but in other details the name was omitted.

Witness to x mark

S. W. Bennett

Minnie Binnicker

his
Frank + Verdier
mark

Sworn to and subscribed
before me at Charleston, S. C.
this 21 day of Apr A. D. 1913.

Martin Caulfield

NOTARY PUBLIC
CHARLESTON, S.C.

PENSION OFFICE U. S. APR 24 1913

State of South Carolina,

County of Charleston.

Personally appeared before me a Notary Public,
in and for the aforesaid County and State duly author-
ized to administer oaths, Frank Verdier who being duly
sworn declares that he did appear before Martin Caulfield
a Notary Public, in and for the aforesaid County and State
and made oath before him on the 1st, day of April 1913.
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but made his cross mark, and by inadvertancy the name
was omitted; that he appeared and intended signing, but
in other details the name was omitted.

Witness to x mark

Sworn to and subscribed
before me at Charleston S. C.
this day of A. D. 1913.

OS Honorable

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Cert. No. 819345

ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

Increase

INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, Frank Verdier

P. O. Walterboro

County Colleton

State South Carolina

Rank Private

Company C

Regiment 21 U.S.C. Vol. Inf.

Rate, $ 12 per month, commencing February 20, 1907

Pensioned for Total inability to earn a support by manual labor

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name W. F. Tierney & Co

P. O. Washington DC

Fee, $ 2

Agent to pay.

APPROVALS

Referred Jan 21-07 Mud Ex

Submitted for March 19, 1907, 2nd Ryley, Examiner.

Approved for gun shot wound left knee, rheumatism and disease of heart, (old)

Impaired vision, indigestion, disease urinary organs and general debility, (new) alleged January 9, 1907.

Senile debility under 71.

March 30, 1907, W. F. Schuelke
Legal Reviewer.

Apr. 2", 1907, A. I. Aspinwall
Re-Reviewer.

Approved for rheumatism, disease of heart & stomach, enlarged prostate and senile debility

Aggregate of disabilities shown, permanent in character: $ 12

from February 20, 1907

Paul
Medical Examiner.

April 23, 1907,

Capt
C. F. Palmer
Acting
Medical Reviewer.

Medical Referee.

Enlisted May 11, 1863; honorably discharged April 25, 1865.

Enlisted ____, 186__; honorably discharged ____, 186__

Pensioned at $ 8 per month. Last paid to ____

PRESENT CLAIM, ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

Declaration filed Jany 9, 1907, alleges Increase of Pensioned Cause Indigestion Stoppage of Eyes & Severe Water

Claimant does not write.

Certificate not filed.

G. S. Legare
M. C.

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Declaration for Increase of Pension.

Under the Acts of June 27, 1890, and Amendments thereto.

NOTE—This can be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.

State of South Carolina, County of Colleton, ss:

On this 8th day of December A. D., nineteen hundred and six personally appeared before me a within and for the County and State aforesaid Frank Verdier, aged 62 years, a resident of Walterboro, County of Colleton State of S. C., who being duly sworn according to law, declares he is a pensioner of the United States, enrolled at the Knoxville Pension Agency, at the rate of 8.00 dollars per month, Certificate No. 819345; by reason of disability from general debility, Rheumatism, left foot and ankle often severe indigestion- shortness of breath -

(Here name every disability you may have.)

That he was a private in Co. C. 21st, Reg't U.S.C.Inf., Vols.

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

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on ground that the rate allowed him is too low and not commensurate with the extent of his present disability. He therefore requests that he be favored with another medical examination with the view of determining his right to $12 per month, the full rate allowed under the act of June 27, 1890, as amended by Act of May 9, 1900, **and under the age ruling of the Hon. Commissioner of Pensions if beneficially entitled,**

That said disabilites are not due to his vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent.

He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

M. V. TIERNEY & CO., of Washington, D. C.

his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim.

His Post-Office address is Walterboro - Colleton Co. S.C.

1 A.E. Shaffer

2 E.T. Shaffer Jr.

(Two witnesses who can write sign here.)

his
Frank Verdier
mark

(CLAIMANT SIGN HERE.)

PENSION OFFICE U.S. JAN 9 1907

ATT'Y FILE

Also personally appeared A. C. Shaffer, residing at Hackettstown NJ, and E. H. Shaffer, residing at Hackettstown NJ, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Frank Verdier, the claimant, ~~sign his name~~ (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.

1. A. C. Shaffer

2. E. H. Shaffer

(If affiants sign by mark, two persons who write sign here) (Signature of Witnesses)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1907

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 ..... erased, and the words ..... added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Declaration and power of attorney valid
S. A. Cuddy,
Chief, Law Division
JAN 10 07

W. V. Morrace
(Official Signature.)

Notary Public
(Official Character.)

L. S.

NOTE—This can be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. If such officer uses a seal certificate of Clerk of Court is not necessary. If no seal is used, then such certificate must be attached.

Soldier's Application for INCREASE.

Under the Acts of June 27, 1890, and May 9, 1900.

AND AGE RULING.

Frank Verdier. Applicant

Co C. 21st, Reg't

U. S. C. Inf., Vols

Pension Certificate No. 819,345.

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SOUTH DIV. JAN 10 1907 RECEIVED

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M. V. TIERNEY & CO.,

Attorneys at Law,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

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Ct. No. 819345

ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

Mcnear INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, Frans Verdier

P. O. Neyles

County Calleton

State South Carolina

Rank Private

Company C & G

Regiment 21 - U.S.C. Vol Inf

Rate, $ ---- per month, commencing ----

Pensioned for ---- inability to earn a support by manual labor

Aug 14/05

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

REJECTED

N.M.M.

Name Milo B Stevens & Co

P. O. Washington D.C.

Fee, $ 2.00

Agent to pay.

Refund-Aug-4-05-Med-Ex — APPROVALS. A T Brown Examiner

Submitted for November 7, 1905. N. M. McLaughlin Examiner.

Approved for Gunshot wound of left Knee, rheumatism and disease of heart Old.

Disease of eyes and senility Order 71,

Nov 8, 1905. A E Easley
Legal Reviewer.

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Re-Reviewer.

Approved for Gun shot wound of left knee rheumatism and disease of heart

Aggregate of disabilities shown, permanent in character: $ 6

No increase

Shirley
Medical Examiner.

Nov. 9, 1905. Finley
Medical Reviewer.

Tom Houston
Medical Referee.

Enlisted May 11, 1863; honorably discharged April 25, 1866

Enlisted , 186 ; honorably discharged , 186

Pensioned at $ 8.00 per month. Last paid to

PRESENT CLAIM, ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

Declaration filed June 10, 1905, alleges Mcnear's

Claimant does not write.

Certificate not filed.

No , M. C.

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3—871.
(Old No. 3—51[illegible])

RECORD DIVISION.

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS.

Briefed by H H L

Claim No. ____

Certificate No. 819.345

Claimant Frank Verdier

Soldier alias " Wordier

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Additional Service ____

C 3 S. C. Inf

No other Claim, New Records May 18. 1901
" " " " " " S. C. May 20/01

No Claim, Old Records ____ A.G.O.

REMARKS:

Records Corrected

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Acting Chief Division.

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No. 66.

Declaration for the Increase of an Invalid Pension.

(UNDER ANY LAW.)

State of N. C. County of Columbus ss:

On the date hereinafter mentioned, personally appeared before me, a ..... Title of Magistrate.

within and for the County and State aforesaid Frank Verdier

aged 64 years, a resident of Keyes County of ..... State

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

United States under New Yak enrolled at the ..... Pension Agency at

State under what law.

the rate of 8 Dollars per month, Certificate No. 819345 by reason of

Partial inability to earn a support by manual labor.

That he served as a C. 21 U.S.C. Lgt X

State Rank, company and regiment, if in the army; or the name of the vessel if in the navy.

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of *too low rating for his present degree of disability* as above

That he claims increase of his pension under the act of June 27, 1890, on account of the following disabilities:

(Here name or describe every disability on which you claim increase of pension.)

Important

Do not fill in the opposite space if you are now pensioned under the General Law

That he claims the benefit of Order 78, dated March 15, 1904. *That he was born on the ..... day of 1843* } Do not fill if under 62 years

That said disabilities are not due to vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent. He hereby appoints, with ~~full~~ power of substitution, MILO B. STEVENS & CO., of Washington D.C. their successors and legal representatives, his true and lawful attorneys, to present and prosecute his claim, requesting that, in the event of the allowance of the same, his said attorneys be paid the fee now provided by law.

His Post-office address is Keyes. N.C.

Give street and number if in city or town.

Frank Verdier

Signature of Claimant

Also personally appeared H. T. Warren residing at .....

Walterboro, and J. C. Saunders residing at Walterboro, persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Frank Verdier, the claimant, sign his name [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.

H. T. Warren

J. C. Saunders

If witnesses sign by mark two persons who can write must sign here.

Signature of witnesses.

SEE OTHER SIDE.

ATTY FILED

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INVALID
Claim for Pension
INCREASE

Frank Lenehan Applicant

Co. b 21 Regt.

L. I. C. Smyth Vols.

Ctf. No. 19345

C. S. C. Ky O. V.

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M. B. STEVENS & CO.,

Solicitors of Claims and Patents.

RECEIVED JUN 12 1905

An Increase of Pension

MAY BE SECURED

1st. When, under the terms of Order 78 of the Commissioner of Pensions, dated March 15, 1904, the pensioner's age entitles him to a higher rating than he is receiving;

2nd. When the disability for which pension is drawn has ratably increased since the pensioner was last before Pension Examining Surgeons;

3rd. When the disability for which pension is drawn has ratably increased since the rate of pension was last increased;

4th. When the disability for which pension is drawn has ratably increased since the pension was originally granted;

5th. When the disability for which pension is drawn has resulted in some other ratable pension-able disability not mentioned in the pensioner's certificate;

6th. When the rate of pension at the original allowance was fixed too low in proportion to the degree of disability (in many such cases a re-rating as well as an increase can be secured); and,

7th. Also, in cases under the act of June 27, 1890, as amended by the act of May 9, 1900, when additional ratable disability of permanent character, not due to vicious habits, has been incurred since last medical examination.

FROM THE OTHER SIDE,

Subscribed, sworn to and acknowledged before me this 5th day of June 190 5, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration and power of attorney were fully and truly made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing to the same; and that Frank Verdin acknowledged the signing and sealing of the power of attorney to be his free act and deed for the purposes herein named. I further certify that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

C. M. Shaw
Signature of Magistrate.

Not Pub.
Official title of Magistrate.

Declaration and power of attorney valid. S. A. Cuddy, Chief, Law Division. per W. L. B.

Record Division. Certificate on file covering Jan 11 1901; During pleas of the Gov. C.

NOTE ☞ This paper may be executed before any officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes. Certificate of Clerk of Court need NOT be attached but will be procured when called for. In numerous instances the official character of the Notary or Magistrate is already officially known at the Pension Bureau, and in that case the fact should be stated.

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B. No. 79. B.

MEDICAL AFFIDAVIT.

IMPORTANT.—The affidavit of the Physician must conform to the instructions contained in the margin, or it will not be considered by the Pension Office as satisfactory; therefore he should read said instructions very carefully before undertaking to prepare this Affidavit, and then embody in his statement all the facts known to him. Let the diagnosis be so full and complete that a medical man can at once unmistakably recognize the disease, wounds or injuries, even though they be not technically named. Where the disability is the sequel of a wound received, injuries incurred, or disease contracted in the service, the pathological connection between them must be clearly and fully set forth, together with the reasons upon which his conclusions are based.

INSTRUCTIONS

The affiant should state, in his own handwriting, the facts following:

1. Length of time he has been practicing medicine.

2. State the fact and date of his making a thorough and impartial examination of the soldier, by means of which he arrives at the conclusions set forth herein.

3. Give a full and complete description of the disease or diseases, wound or wounds, which constitute the soldier's present disability. Describe the present physical signs, symptoms and structural changes of disease, in general and in particular. If a wound or wounds, name the part or parts injured and the character and extent of the injury or injuries.

4. Estimate and state the present degree of the soldier's ability to perform continuous manual labor as compared with that of a sound and healthy man.

5. State whether the disease or diseases, wound or wounds, in their present condition are progressive in character, and whether in fact the disability, in his opinion, has increased during the last six months; and whether, too, judging from the present condition, there will probably be a continued increase of disability during the next six months.

State of S C
County of Colleton, 10 years } ss.

In the ..... pension claim of Frank Verdier
[Name of Claimant.]

3 Day of July 1905
[Company and Regiment, or Vessel, or other Organization or Department.]

Personally came before me, a Physician in and for
[Justice of the Peace, Notary Public, or Clerk of Court, as the case may be.]

aforesaid County and State W B Heckman a resident
[Name of Physician or Surgeon.]

of Walterboro of the County of Colleton
[~~City or~~ Village.]

State of S C who being duly sworn, declares in relation to the aforesaid case as follows:

[Here follow closely instructions in the margin. If space should not be sufficient, the Physician should attach a sheet of paper firmly to this blank and continue his statement; not omitting, however, to sign this sheet as well as the one he attaches.]

He was wounded in the left knee causing considerable sloughing and leaving the joint partly stiffened

Almost blind in both eyes and does not see fairly. Has Rheumatism in lower extremities So that he can scarcely walk

He is absolutely unable to do continuous manual labor. He is not as able as a ten year old Boy

As age Grows on he suffers worse each months and I am sure he will never be any better physically

The old man seems very feeble

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and he further declares he has no pecuniary interest in said case, and is not concerned in its prosecution.

W B Heckman MD
[Signature of Physician or Surgeon. If ever in the Army, give rank and service.]

The Physician, in filling out this Blank, should not refer to the marginal instructions by numbers, but should write his statement in narrative form.

SEE OTHER SIDE.

(FROM OTHER SIDE.)

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this day; and I hereby certify that the affiant is a practicing physician in good professional standing; that I am not interested pecuniarily in the successful prosecution of this claim; and that I read the foregoing affidavit to the affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same.

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WITNESS my hand and official seal, this 2nd day of July 1905

[SEAL.]

C. M. Grace
[Signature of Officer.]

Not. Pub.
[Official Title of Officer.]

☞The officer before whom this affidavit is executed must be sure to note in his certificate all erasures and interlineations, as indicated above.

☞If this affidavit is sworn to before a Magistrate or Notary Public, the certificate of the Clerk of a Court of Record need NOT be attached, but will be procured hereafter if required.

B. B.

Claims DIVISION

No. 879,345

MEDICAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

Frank Crosier
Case - 2 1st Page
Encls. Re Duplicate

FOR

Act of June 27 1890
Increase

AFFIDAVIT OF

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P. O. ADDRESS .....

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MILO B. STEVENS & CO.,

Solicitors of Claims and Patents.

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ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

Increase INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, Frank Verdier

P. O. Walterboro

County Colleton

State South Carolina

Rank Private

Company 6

Regiment 21 U.S.C. Vol Inf

Rate, $ 8 per month, commencing July 20, 1904.

Pensioned for partial inability to earn a support by manual labor

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name Milo B Stevenson

P. O. Washington D.C.

Fee, $ 2.00

Agent to pay.

APPROVALS.

Submitted for Aug 26, 1904, J Speed Smith Jr., Examiner.

Approved for Gunshot Wound of left Knee. Old Rheumatism. disease of heart and general debility Order 41.

August 26, 1904, J. A. Roy, Legal Reviewer.

, 190, So. Dkt, Re-Reviewer.

Approved for Gunshot wound of left Knee rheumatism and disease of heart

Aggregate of disabilities shown, permanent in character: $ 8 from July 20. 1904

Hayes, Medical Examiner.

J. Mead, Medical Reviewer.

Aug 27, 1904, Louis A. Fenton, Medical Referee.

Enlisted May 11, 1863; honorably discharged April 25, 1866

Enlisted , 186 ; honorably discharged , 186

Pensioned at $ 6.00 per month. Last paid to

PRESENT CLAIM, ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

Declaration filed Feb 20, 1907, alleges Increase

Claimant does not write.

Certificate not filed.

, M. C.

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Cert. No.

ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

Increase of

INVALID PENSION. 817,845.

Claimant, Frank Verdier

P. O. Keyles

County Calhoun

State South Carolina

Rank Private

Company C.

Regiment 21 U.S.C.T. Vol Inf

Rate, $ per month, commencing

Pensioned for inability to earn a support by manual labor

April 8, 1902

REJECTED

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name Joseph H. Hunter

P. O. Washington D.C.

Fee, $ 2

Agent to pay.

SOUTHERN.

APPROVALS.

Submitted for March 13, 1902, Ett Ripley, Examiner.

Approved for gunshot wound of left knee. (old)

March 26, 1902, John W. Hall
Legal Reviewer.

, 190 , Re-Reviewer.

Approved for Gunshot wound of left Knee

Aggregate of disabilities shown, permanent in character: $ 6

No increase.

Pratt Medical Examiner.

Mch 27, 1902

Stables Medical Reviewer.

F.T. Rhodes Medical Referee.

Enlisted May 11, 1863; honorably discharged April 25, 1866

Enlisted , 186 ; honorably discharged , 186

Pensioned at $ 6 per month. Last paid to

PRESENT CLAIM, ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

Declaration filed Dec 18, 1901, alleges Inc- G.S. wound of left Knee Pension Claim

Claimant does not write.

Certificate not filed.

No, M. C.

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Application for Increase of Pension under Act of June 27, 1890, and as Amended by Act of Congress Approved May 9, 1900.

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NOTICE.—This can be executed before a Notary Public, Justice of the Peace, or any Officer duly qualified to administer oaths.

State of South Carolina, County of Colleton, ss:

On this fifth day of December, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and —

personally appeared before me a Jas. E. Pennifay Notary Public, S. C.
Official title of officer executing application.

within and for the County and State aforesaid Frank Verdier, aged 54
Name of claimant.

years, a resident of the of Neyles, County of Colleton

State of So. Car., who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States under Act of June 27, 1890, Certificate No. 819345, enrolled at the Knoxville, Tenn. Pension Agency at the rate of six dollars per month, by reason of disability from "Gunshot wound of left knee"
Write in here exact words of your Pension Certificate.

That he was a member of Co. C, 21st Reg't United States Colored Infantry Vols.

That he believes himself entitled to a higher rate of pension under the Act of Congress approved June 27, 1890 and amended by Act of Congress approved May 9, 1900, and makes this application for the purpose of having his name placed upon the pension roll under the provision of said acts.

That he is partially unable to earn a support by manual labor by reason of the disabilities above alleged,
Partially or wholly.
which are not due to his vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent.

When ordered for examination he desires to be ordered before the Board of Surgeons at Charleston County of Charleston, State of S. C., and he appoints

JOSEPH H. HUNTER, OF WASHINGTON, D. C.,

his true and lawful attorney, with full power of substitution and revocation to prosecute this his claim, and agrees to allow his said attorney the legal fee when the claim is allowed.

That his Post-Office address is Neyles, County of Colleton

State of South Carolina

Claimant's Signature his Frank x Verdier mark

ATTEST: Charlie F. Rhad
M P Howell

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When executed return to Joseph H. Hunter, Attorney, Washington, D. C.

NOTICE.—This Declaration is for Joseph H. Hunter and should be returned to him.

Also personally appeared Charles J. Rhode, residing at Cottageville
Name of one witness.
S. C., and W. B. Howell,
Name of other witness.
residing at Walterboro, S. C., persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Frank Verdier, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the
Claimant's name.
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.

Charlie J. Rhode

W. B. Howell

[If witnesses sign by mark, two persons who can write must sign here.] [Signatures of witnesses.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this fifth day of December, A. D. 1900

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 —— erased, and the words —— added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

Jas. E. Pennington
Signature.

Notary Public, S. C.
(Official Character.)

NOTICE.—This application may be executed before any officer duly authorized to administer oaths for general purposes.

ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

As amended by Act of Congress approved May 9, 1900.



Frank Verdier, Applicant,

Co. 21st Reg't

U. S. Colored Vols.

Pension Certificate No. 819343

CLAIM FOR INCREASE.

DEC 20 1900

FILED BY

JOSEPH H. HUNTER,
Attorney at Law,
—AND—
Solicitor of Pension and Patent Cases,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890.

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INVALID PENSION.

Claimant, Frank. Verdier

P. O., Walterborough

County, Colleton

State, S. C.

Rank, ~~Private~~ ~~Sergeant~~ Private

Company, C.

Regiment, 21. U. S. C. Vol. Inf

Rate, $ 6, per month, commencing Dec 15, 1891

Disabled by G.S.W. of left knee.

RECOGNIZED ATTORNEY.

Name, Geo. E. Lemon

P. O., City

Fee, $ 10.00 Agent to pay.

Articles filed, Mch 10, 1892

APPROVALS.

Submitted for Ad Oct 4, 1892, Reed, Examiner.

Approved for Admn

Legal Reviewer.

Approved for gun shot wound of left knee #6 no other rotable disability shown Venreal disease eliminated in the above approval J. J. Graham

Medical Referee.

Oct 25, 1892

Oct 24 1892

Not now pensioned under other laws. Last paid to ....., 18....., at $.....

Pensioned from ....., 18....., at $....., for .....

SERVICE SHOWN BY RECORD.

Enlisted May 11, 1863 and honorably discharged Apr 25, 1866

Re-enlisted ....., 18....., ... honorably discharged ....., 18.....

Declaration filed Dec 15, 1891, alleges permanent disability, not due to vicious habits, from Wound in left knee

Does not write

No M. C.

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DECLARATION FOR ORIGINAL INVALID PENSION.

UNDER AN ACT GRANTING PENSIONS TO SOLDIERS AND SAILORS WHO ARE INCAPACITATED FOR THE PERFORMANCE OF MANUAL LABOR AND PROVIDING FOR PENSIONS TO WIDOWS, MINOR CHILDREN, AND DEPENDENT PARENTS.

This Blank is prepared by GEORGE E. LEMON, of Washington, D. C., and is exclusively for his Use.

State of South Carolina }
County of Colleton } ss:

On this 9th day of December, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, personally appeared before me, Charles N. Hammer, a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, Frank Verdier (Name of claimant.), aged 48 years, a resident of Ashepoo Fraser Township, County of Colleton, State of S. C. (Give Town, County, and State; and if you reside in a city where streets are named and houses are numbered, give name of street and number of house. If you reside in the country, state about how many miles from nearest Postoffice.), who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Frank Verdier (Name of claimant.), who entered service during the War of the Rebellion under the name of Frank Verdier (Name under which enlisted.) on or about the Spring ~~day~~ of ..... , 1863, as Pvt (Give rank.) in company "C" (Or vessel, if in the Navy.) of the 21" regiment of U.S.C.T. commanded by Capt. Henry Shark (Name of company's commander. If upon any General's Staff, state that fact.), and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Morris Island S.C., on or about the Spring ~~day~~ of ....., 1866, by reason general order ; that his personal description is as follows: Age, 45 years; height, 5 feet 5 inches; complexion, dark; hair, dark; eyes, dark. That he is now suffering from a wound in the Left- (Here state the name and nature of any disease, wound or injury which in any manner disqualifies you for performing full manual labor, no matter when the same originated or developed.) Knee of the Left Leg received during the late Rebellion -

and that the said disability is of a permanent character, and is not the result of vicious habits, and that it incapacitates him from the performance of manual labor in such a degree as to render him unable to earn a support, and that this declaration is made for the purpose of being placed upon the pension roll, under the provisions of the Act of June 27, 1890. That he has not been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated above ..... (Here state what the service was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above, and the dates at which it began and ended.)

That since the Spring ~~day~~ of ....., A. D. 1866, he has not been employed in the military or naval service of the United States. (Give date of last discharge from the service.)

He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

GEORGE E. LEMON,

OF WASHINGTON, D. C., his true and lawful Attorney, to prosecute his claim; and in consideration of services done, and to be done, in the premises, he hereby agrees to allow his said Attorney, George E. Lemon, a fee of ten dollars, payable only in the event of the allowance of the claim by the Commissioner of Pensions. That he has ..... ~~received~~ ..... applied for (If previous application has been made, give number of claim, if possible; if a pensioner, state rate and number of certificate.) a pension clm #

That his Postoffice address is Walterboro, County of Colleton, State of S. C.

his
Frank X Verdier
mark
(Claimant's signature.)

Two witnesses to claimant's signature sign here:

(1) J. B. Dunwody Jr.

(2) C. P. Fishburne

This Blank is prepared by GEORGE E. LEMON, of Washington, D. C., and is exclusively for his Use.

Also personally appeared J. B. Dunwody Jr., residing at Walterboro S.C., and C. P. Fishburne, residing at Walterboro S.C., persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw Frank Vendine (Name of claimant.) the claimant Enby (Sign his name or make his mark.) his X 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. B. Dunwody Jr.
C. P. Fishburne
(Signatures of witnesses to identity of applicant.)

Two witnesses to signatures of identifying witnesses sign here, when either of them signs by mark:

(1) .....

(2) .....

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 9th day of December A. D. 189 /, 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 thereto, including the words .....
(If any words have been erased in the application, enter them here.)

[L. S.] ....., erased, and the words .....
(If any words have been added in place of any erased, enter them here.)
added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in this claim, and am not concerned in its prosecution.

N. P. Filed Mch 30/89 for life OMR

Charles St. Sumner (L. S.)
(Signature.)
Not. Pub. for S.C.
(Official character.)

☞ The officer before whom this declaration is executed must be sure and note in his certificate all erasures and interlineations, as indicated above.

Certificate on file in Dept.

☞ As this may reach the hands of some persons unacquainted with this House, I append hereto, as specimens of the testimonials in my possession, copies of letters from gentlemen of political and military distinction and widely known throughout the United States:

U. S. SENATE, COMMITTEE ON THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 12, 1890.
GEORGE E. LEMON, Esq., of this city, to those having professional business, as a reliable and responsible attorney of high character and superior attainments.
Respectfully,
JOHN J. INGALLS, U. S. S.

U. S. SENATE CHAMBER,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

GEORGE E. LEMON, Esq., Washington, D. C.
MY DEAR SIR: Before leaving for home I desire to express to you my high appreciation of the methods used in your business office, resulting as they do in a degree of efficiency that gives as personal interests. This is due to the and successful management of their prescu many excellent qualities that distinguish you as a man, and I am glad of the opportunity to assure you of my high esteem.
Very truly, yours,
CHARLES F. MANDERSON, U. S. S.

U. S. SENATE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 12, 1890.
I take pleasure in recommending GEORGE E. LEMON, Esq., of Washington City, as a reliable and able attorney who is in every way worthy to be entrusted with the confidence of those who desire his services in the line of his profession.
Very truly,
G. C. MOODY, U. S. S.

U. S. SENATE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 16, 1890.
I regard GEORGE E. LEMON as one of the most thoroughly reliable and competent attorneys in Washington.
GILBERT A. PIERCE, U. S. S.

U. S. SENATE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7, 1890.
I take pleasure in recommending GEO. E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney, and entirely responsible for all his contracts.
Respectfully,
S. M. CULLOM, U. S. S.

We take pleasure in recommending GEORGE E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney.
C. K. DAVIS, U. S. S.
PHILETUS SAWYER, U. S. S.
A. S. PADDOCK, U. S. S.
W. D. WASHBURN, U. S. S.

U. S. SENATE,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7, 1890.
I take pleasure in recommending GEORGE E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney, and worthy of confidence.
J. G. CARLISLE, U. S. S.
WATSON C. SQUIRE, U. S. S.
H. M. TELLER, U. S. S.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
I take pleasure in recommending GEORGE E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney, to whom claimants can entrust their business with assurances that it will be well and honestly attended to.
L. E. ATKINSON, M. C., 18th Pa. District.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6, 1890.
I take pleasure in recommending GEO. E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney, and worthy of confidence.
S. M. STEPHENSON, M. C., 1st Dist., Mich.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6, 1890.
I take pleasure in recommending GEO. E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney. I have had occasion for years to carefully observe his treatment of soldiers' claims intrusted to him, and have never yet heard one complaint from his clients. I also personally know of his doing many acts of kindness for soldiers without charge.
Very respectfully,
D. B. HENDERSON, 3d Dist. Iowa.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6, 1890.
I take pleasure in recommending GEORGE E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable and diligent in looking after the claims of his clients.
JAMES O'DONNELL, 3d Dist., Mich.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7, 1890.
We take pleasure in recommending GEO. E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney.
H. J. SPOONER, 1st Dist., R. I.
EDWARD P. ALLEN, 2d Dist., Mich.
J. LOGAN CHIPMAN, 1st Dist., Mich.
E. H. FUNSTON, 2d Dist., Kan.
B. W. PERKINS, 3d Dist., Kan.
J. H. KETCHAM, 10th Dist., N. Y.
JNO. G. SAWYER, 31st Dist., N. Y.
CHAS. S. BAKER, 30th Dist., N. Y.
H. TOWNSEND, 1st Dist., Colo.
FREDERICK MILES, 4th Dist., Conn.
WM. W. MORROW, 4th Dist., Cal.
JOSEPH R. REED, 9th Dist., Iowa.
C. A. HILL, 8th Dist., Ill.
J. H. SWENEY, 4th Dist., Iowa.
ABNER TAYLOR, 1st Dist., Ill.
G. W. ATKINSON, 1st Dist., W. Va.
CHAS. O'NEILL, 2d Dist., Pa.
O. S. GIFFORD, Rep.-at-large, S. D.
BENJ. BUTTERWORTH, 1st Dist., O.
E. H. CONGER, 7th Dist., Iowa
and others.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
WASHINGTON, D. C., June 7, 1890.
We take pleasure in recommending GEO. E. LEMON, of this city, as a reliable attorney.
WM. MCKINLEY, Jr., 18th Dist., O.
E. N. MORRILL, 1st Dist., Kan.
S. L. MILLIKEN, 3d Dist., Me.
P. S. POST, 10th Dist., Ill.
L. E. PAYSON, 9th Dist., Ill.
THOS. J. HENDERSON, 7th Dist., Ill.
WM. E. MASON, 3d Dist., Ill.
FRANK LAWLER, 2d Dist., Ill.
W. G. LAIDLAW, 34th Dist., N. Y.
I. S. STRUBLE, 11th Dist., Iowa.
W. G. STAHLNECKER, 14th Dist., N. Y.
J. M. WILEY, 33d Dist., N. Y.
JOHN F. LACEY, 6th Dist., Iowa.
SERENO E. PAYNE, 27th Dist., N. Y.
J. H. MCCARTHY, 8th Dist., N. Y.
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CLAIM FOR PENSION.

ACT JUNE 27, 1890.

Frank Vendine, Applicant,
Pvt. Co. 21 Reg't,
U.S. Colored Cav. Vols.
Enlisted Sept. 1863.
Discharged " , 1865.

FILED BY

GEORGE E. LEMON,
Attorney and Counsellor at Law,
1729 New York Avenue Northwest,
(LEMON BUILDING,)
P. O. DRAWER 325. WASHINGTON, D. C.

Claimant

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

This Blank is prepared by GEORGE E. LEMON, of Washington, D. C., and is Exclusively for his Use.

State of South Carolina
County of Colleton } ss:

In the matter of claim for Inv Pen Ar 439992
(Character and number of claim.)
Frank Verdier Co C 21 Inf
(Full name and relationship of claimant, and name and service of soldier.)

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for
(Justice, Notary, Judge, Clerk or Deputy Clerk.)
aforesaid County and State, Frank Verdier the
(Here write the name of affiant, or of each affiant, together with *Age*, *Residence* and *Post-Office* address.)
aforesaid Claimant aged (49) years
residing near Walterboro' Colleton County S.C.
a person of lawful age, who, being duly sworn, declare S in relation to the aforesaid case as follows:

My full and correct name has
allways been Frank Verdier, and I
Volunteed in the U.S. Army under the
said name of Frank Verdin - My
my name has been signed Frank
Wardin on original declaration by x mark
& filed Feby 14" 1882, it is spelled wrong
by the person who wrote same for me.
The name Verdin is sume time written
here & spelt with a "W" but it is incorrect
and should be spelt with a "V" -
I can accunt for it in no other way
than Mr. Webb who rote it spelled
it diffuently to the way I have al-
-ways signed to all papers prisus or
signed by me - Therefor, my Correct
name is Frank V. Verdin instead
of Frank Wardier -

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

If either affiant sign by X mark, two persons who write their names MUST sign here as witnesses thereto.

1 C Bellinger
(Name of one witness to X mark.)

2 M P Hiott
(Name of other witness to X mark.)

Signature of Affiant, or of each Affiant. his
Frank x Verdier
mark

Courtesy file ms dept.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me this 19th day of June 1892; and I hereby certify that the contents of the foregoing affidavit were fully made known and explained to the affiant before swearing thereto, including the words _____

(If any words have been erased in this affidavit, enter them here.)

_____ in lines _____, erased, and the words

(If any words have been added in place of any erased, enter them here.)

_____ in lines _____, added, that the affiant is to me well known and is respectable and worthy of full credit; and I further certify that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

Charles H. Tanner L.S.

(Name of officer before whom executed.)

Not. Pub. for D.C.

(State whether Justice, Notary, Clerk, or Deputy Clerk.)

☞ **THE OFFICER BEFORE WHOM THIS AFFIDAVIT IS EXECUTED MUST BE SURE AND NOTE IN HIS CERTIFICATE ALL ERASURES AND INTERLINEATIONS AS INDICATED ABOVE.**

READ.—It is preferable that this instrument should be executed before a Clerk of Court. The seal should be impressed on the original paper, either direct or through the paper on which the jurat is made, if that be a separate paper. When executed before a Justice of the Peace or Notary Public, a certificate from the Clerk of the Court must be attached, certifying that the Justice of the Peace or Notary Public had authority to act as such, except in cases where the Justice of the Peace or Notary Public has filed his commission, or certified copy thereof, in the Office of the Commissioner of Pensions.

I certify that _____, before whom the above

(Justice or Notary's name.)

affidavit was made, is a _____ duly authorized to administer oaths

(Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.)

and that the above is his signature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and official seal this _____ day of _____, 18__.

[L. S.]

_____

(Name of the Clerk or Deputy Clerk.)

Clerk of the _____

(Name of Court.)

Rec'd June 27. 92 _____ DIVISION.

Additional Evidence.

No. 430,992

CASE OF

Frank Verdier

Carriage

FOR

Myself

FILED BY

GEORGE E. LEMON,

Attorney and Counsellor at Law,

C Lock Box 385

WASHINGTON, D. C.

OFFICE OF EXAMINER OF AFFIDAVIT OF PENSION JUN 24 1892

DECLARATION FOR AN ORIGINAL INVALID PENSION.

This must be Executed before a Court of Record or some Officer thereof having Custody of the Seal.

State of South Carolina, County of Colleton } ss.

On this ..... day of ..... A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty two

personally appeared before me Clerk ..... of the ..... a **Court of Record** within and for the county and State aforesaid Frank Nardin

aged 36 years, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical Frank Nardin who was **ENROLLED** on the ..... day of

....., 1863, in company C of the 21 regiment of N.S. Col Vols

commanded by Benj Stark and was honorably **DISCHARGED** at

.....on the ..... day of ....., 1866; That his personal description is as follows: Age 36 years; height 5 feet 5 inches; complexion Black hair, Black; eyes Black That while a member of the organization aforesaid, in the service and in the line of his duty at James Island in the State of South Carolina on or about the ..... day of ....., 1865 he received a

Here state name or nature of disease, or the location of wound or injury. If disabled by disease, state fully its cause; if by wound or injury, the precise manner in which received.

Gun shot wound in the Knee while on Picket duty in the Rifle Pit at James Island Charleston Harbor and he has been Rifflud and greatly suffered ever since from the effects of said Wound, that Ruffured in 1865 just before the evacuation of Charleston S.C.

That he was treated in hospitals as follows: at the Regimental Hospital at Morris Island and at Charleston South Carolina

Here state the names or numbers, and the localities of all hospitals in which treated, and the dates of treatment.

That he has Not been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as stated above Except as above stated

Here state what the service was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above, and the dates at which it began and ended.

That since leaving the service this applicant has resided in the County of Colleton in the State of South Carolina and his occupation has been that of a Farmer

That prior to his entry into the service above named he was a man of good, sound, physical health; being when enrolled a Slave That he is now totally disabled from obtaining his subsistence by manual labor by reason of his injuries, above described, received in the service of the United States; and he therefore makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the invalid pension roll of the United States. He hereby appoints with full power of substitution and revocation

H. F. BUNGARDT, of Kansas City, Mo.,

his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim. That he has not received not applied for a pension; that his residence is No. ..... street .....

Colleton C South Carolina and that his post office address is

Jenkinsboro South Carolina

W Henry Miller

E W Fraser

[Two attesting witnesses who can write their names.]

his
Frank X Nardin
mark

(Signature of Claimant.)

Also personally appeared W H Miller residing at No. Hallerbro 56 in Main street, in ~~~~~ . and W M P Hoats residing at No. N near ~~street in~~ Hallerbro persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw Frank Hardin 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.

W. H. Miller
W. M. P. Hoats.

[If witnesses sign by mark two persons who can write sign here.]

Frank his x Hardin mark

[Signatures of Witnesses.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of February A. D. 1882

and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained

[L. S.] to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words .....

..... erased, and the words .....

added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

E W Fraser
[Signature.]

Clerk Circuit Court
[Official character.]

NOTES.

All the blanks in this form should be carefully filled and the requirements of the notes strictly observed.

Declarations of claimants for original pension must be made before a Court of Record, or before some officer thereof having custody of its seal; said officer being fully authorized and empowered to administer and certify any oath or affirmation relating to any pension or application therefor.

The claimant's identity 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 or her identity 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.

All facts, testimony of which is required to establish a claim, must be proven by the affidavits of two or more credible witnesses, unless other evidence is specified.

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.

To facilitate the adjudication of claims all the requisite evidence that is available should be forwarded with the application.

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CLAIM FOR PENSION.

ORIGINAL.

Frank Hardin *Applicant,*

Co. G *Reg't* 2d

M S Cav *Vols.*

Enlisted 1863

Discharged 1866

U.S. PENSION OFFICE FEB 14 1882

Filed by

H. F. BUNGARDT,

Kansas City, - - - Missouri.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of South Carolina County of Colleton ss.

In the matter of Frank Warlier 'C' 21

NS Cal Org Dur. # 439992

ON THIS Dec. 30th day of A. D. 1885; personally appeared before me a

in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths

aged years, a resident of

in the County of and State of

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

[Note.—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

I have Bin give this statement already and Bin examined Before Doctor Cregley (Cockelly) in the City of Charleston S.C. The accident was Hapen on Jamesisland at the Riffle Pit. Shot in the Left knee. the older I get the More I Feel ih. doctor Hawk was the Regiminh doctor at that time, hold the Hospital on the Field on that Time. Date of time I am Not inable to gave the date time Was as long I forget. Witness that Was at Present. whome I no. Charles Washington & Joe Pinckney formerly your Very Respectfully Frank Warlier Rev F.J. Cunningham

H Post Office address is Walterboro S.C.

further declare that no interest in said case and not concerned in its prosecution.

Geo R Bazen

F.F. Gray

[If Affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.]

his
Frank X Warlier
Mark

[Signature of Affiants.]

STATE OF South Carolina COUNTY OF Colleton ss.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named Affiant , and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant , including the words ..... erased and the words ..... added and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I futher certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me and that is a credible person.

[L. S.]

January 28th 1886.

A. C. Shafer
(Official Signature.)

Notary Public
(Official Character.)

I, R. Allen Willis, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that A. C. Shafer, Esq., who hath signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing a Notary Public in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 27th day of January, 1886.

R. Willis

[L. S.] Clerk of the Circuit Court Colleton Co. S.C.

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE or NOTARY, then the CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

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ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM OF

Frank Thrasher

Ap. 21, 1880

Can. # 439,992

AFFIDAVIT OF

Claimant

Witness

PENSION
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Filed by

H. F. BUNGARDT,

ATTORNEY.

KANSAS CITY, - - MISSOURI.

If you need more Blanks for affidavits send Postage Stamps and state how many and what kind you require and I will forward them by return of mail.

[C. T.]

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, May 16th, 1883.

SIR:

Your inquiry of Janu 18th, 1883, in Pension Claim No. 439.992, is herewith returned, with the following information:

Frank Wardier was enrolled on the 11th day of May, 1863, at Hilton Head S. C., as a Sergt. in Co. "C", 21st Regiment of U. S. Colored Troops, to serve 3 years.

He is reported on Muster Roll from Organ. to Feb. 28. 66 present for duty. He was mustered out of service with Co. Apr. 25. 1866, at Charleston, S. C. a Private.

No morning reports subsequent to Apl. 65, No old morning reports, Hosp. register and Casualty report not on file.

The alleged wound is not of record in this office.

I am, sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

A. Baker.

Assistant Adjutant General.

The Commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D. C.

by Wm J Thompson

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90 Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

January 18th 1883.

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT GENERAL U. S. A. a report of service and disability in the case No. 439992, *of* Frank Wardier, Private Co. C, 21st U.S.C.T.

Disabled by Gun shot wound, in knee, at James Island Charleston Harbor, SC

in ——————, 1865.

Discharged ——————, 1866;

Wm. W. Dudley

Commissioner.

PENSION OFFICE MAY 18 1883 U S

(3—060.)

Southern Div.

Ky Cav, Ex'r.

No. 439,992.

Frank Wrenden

"E" 21st Ill. Inf.

Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

March 13th, 1884.

SIR:

I have the honor to request that you will furnish from the records of the War Department a full report as to the service, disability, and hospital treatment of Frank Wrenden, who, it is claimed, enlisted May 11th, 1863, and served as Sergt. in Co. "E", 21st Reg't Ill. Inf.; also in Co. ....,

and was discharged at Charleston Ill., April 25th, 1864.

While serving in Co. "E", 21st Reg't Ill. Inf., he was disabled by Gun Shot wound to left knee and injury to right by a fall

also

and was treated in hospitals of which the names, location, and dates of treatment are as follows: Mounds Bland and Charleston Ill.

Very respectfully,

John C. Black.

Commissioner.

The Adjutant General, U. S. Army.

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Southern Div.

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No. 439,992.

Frank Wrandier

"C" 21st Ill. Inf.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

SURGEON GENERAL'S OFFICE,

RECORD AND PENSION DIVISION,

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Washington, D. C., Dec. 21. *,* 1886

To the Adjutant General, U. S. Army.

Sir: I have the honor to return herewith the papers received from your office in pension claim No. 439992, with the information that the name of the soldier in question does not appear on the following named records on file in this office:

Morris Island. S.C. July 25. 1863 to April 6. 1865
and of Charleston. S.C. Feb. 21. 1865 to April 25. 1866
only records on file bearing on the case

The following named records are not on file in this office:

Remarks:

By order of the Surgeon General:

J. C. Ainsworth
Asst. *Surgeon, U. S. Army.*

No. 423170

per JSB

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[C. T.]

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Dec. 23 ~, 1886.

SIR:

Your inquiry of March 13, 1886, in Pension Claim No. 439992, is herewith returned, with the following information:

Frank Wardier was enrolled on the ____ day of ____, 186 , at ____, as a Private in Co. C, 21st Regiment of U. S. Colored Troops, to serve ~ years.

~~He is reported on Muster Roll~~ Regtl Hospl Registers which show (incompletely) treatment from Oct. 22'63 to Aug 16'65, report him Feby 2'65, admitted complaint not stated; Mch. 23'65, returned to duty. 2nd Mch 3'65, int. fever; Mch 5'65, returned to duty.

Regtl Prese. Books, covering (incompletely) Nov 1'63 to Aug 18'65 and Nov-65 to April-66, show him treated Feb. 2 to 5'65, complaint, diarrhoea; Feb 9 to 25, ulc. throat; Feb. 26 to Mch 22, convalescent; Mch. 23'65 returned to quarters. *

Records on file do not show wound or injury alleged nor furnish any additional information as to disabilities during service.

Co. Morning Reports cover May 9'63 to Apl. 30'65 and Feb. 26'66 to muster out, and Returns, July '63 to Feb. 1866, except Aug.'63, Feb. '64, Jany '65 and Jany 1866.

I am, sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

W. C. Crane
~~Assistant~~ Adjutant General.

The Commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D. C.

STEREO'S

* Amended in R. & P.O., Feb. 5, 1896. See new report. 464 1/548

[C. T.]

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

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I am, sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

E. D. Townsend
~~Assistant~~ Adjutant General.

The Commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D. C.

STEREO'S

* Amended in R. & P.O., Feb. 5, 1896. See new report. 464 548

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N.C. Southern Division.

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C. Feb 3, 1896

Respectfully referred to the Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, requesting a full military and medical history

(Descriptive list.)

of the soldier.

Please examine all records likely to afford any information as to diseases, wounds, or injuries incurred by him while in the service.

No other report on file

Claim No. Ctf. 819.345

Name Frank Wardier (?) Wordier

Co. C, 21 *Reg't.* U. S. C. Vol. Inf.

W^m Lochren

Commissioner.

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Address: "Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, Washington, D. C."

FEB 5 1896 RECORD & PENSION OFFICE

Record and Pension Office,

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, FEB 5 1896

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,

with the information that in Case of the within named Soldier. the Rolls & records furnish nothing additional to that contained in report dated May 6, 1883.

The Medical records show him treated as follows: as Frank Wordier, Pvt. Co. C. 21. U.S. Colrd. Inf. Feb 2 to Mch 23 65 (No diagnosis) returned to duty: as Jr. Wordier, Sr. rank—Co C &c Feb 2 to 11 65 (No diagnosis) Feb 12 to 25 65 (Sclo throat: as Frank Wordier rank. —Co—21 U.S.C.I. Feb 26 to March 4. 65. Convl: as Frank Wordier, Pvt. Co C, &c. Mch 1 to 23, 65, Convalescent returned to duty. The Medical records also show Pvt Wordier, Co C 21 U.S. Colrd Inf treated Mch 3. to 5. 66. Dat fever returned to duty.

The were 2, men named Wordier in Co. C. 21 U.S. Colrd Inf it cannot be determined to which of them this record refers. Nothing additional found

The above is in lieu of the medical record furnished in report of Dec. 23, 1886, hereinth, which has been amended by striking out the transcript from Regtl. Hosp. Records.

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

J. C. Ainsworth

Colonel, U. S. Army, Chief of Office.

Per m.

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So Div., SMS, Ex'r.

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C. May 13, 1901

Respectfully referred to the Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, requesting a full military and medical history of the soldier with personal description and name of former owner.

RECEIVED MAY 15 1901

No other report on file.

C. F. No. C 19 345

Name, Frank Verdier

Co. C, 21 *Reg't* U.S.C.Inf.

A. Clay Evans

Commissioner.

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☞ Address: "Chief of the Record and Pension Office, War Department, Washington, D. C."

Record and Pension Office,

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, MAY 14 1901

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,

with the information that in the case of

Frank Wordier Co. C 3 S.C. Inf. designation changed to Co. C, 21 U.S.C. Inf. Mch. or April 1864 personal description follows: Age 20 years Height 5 ft. 5 1/2 in. Colored complexion. Black eyes and hair. Born in Waterbury S.C. A laborer. Name of owner not found. Military records furnish nothing additional to report dated May 16. 1883. Name Frank Verdier not found on rolls of the Co. named above.

The medical records show him treated as follows

No records found additional to that furnished in report dated Feby. 5. 96 herewith.

PENSION OFFICE U. S. MAY 15 1901

BY AUTHORITY OF THE SECRETARY OF WAR:

F. C. Armstrong

Chief, Record and Pension Office.

Per

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EXAMINING SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL APPLICANT.

No. 439992

Name of claimant, Frank Wardier

Rank, Private

Company, C

Regiment, 21st S. C. C Vol's

State, South Carolina

EXAMINING SURGEON'S ADDRESS:

Post office, Charleston

County, Charleston

State, South Carolina

Date of examination, October 4th, 1882.

I **hereby certify** That I have carefully examined this applicant, who claims that while in the service of the United States, at or near a place named James' Island, and while in line of duty,

Cause of disability and the degree.

on or about the ..... day of ....., 1863, he incurred a gunshot wound of left Knee, and that in consequence thereof he is ..... disabled for earning his subsistence by manual labor.

Particular description.

He states that he is 38 years of age, that he weighs 135 pounds, and that he is 5 feet 5 inches in height.

His pulse-rate per minute is 78, his respiration 22, and his temperature 98.

Give the rational and physical signs so fully that *how* and *why* and *how much* the claimant is disabled shall clearly appear. When there are neither structural changes nor physical nor rational signs in support of the claim, that fact should be stated. The rating should be made in compliance with the "Instructions."

The examination reveals the following facts:

He was Struck on the external & upper part of the tibia, about two inches below the Knee joint; & glancing upwards came out on same side at the joint of left leg. The two scars are plainly visible. There does not appear to be but very little stiffness of the Knee joint, nor is there much lameness.

He States that he suffers more with the other, or right Knee joint, caused from falling off a riffle pit, & producing inflammation of the joint; &c. He limps more on the right leg, than the left; and says it pains him more while walking.

It must be borne in mind that the duty of the Surgeon is to give an opinion as to the proportionate degree of disability, as ¼, ½, total, &c., through the grades, *without any regard to dollars and cents*, and to make such a full particular description as will afford to this Office the ground for intelligent opinion and action in rating.

From the condition and history of the claimant, it is my opinion the disability was ..... incurred in the service as claimed, and that it is not aggravated or protracted by vicious habits.

I find the disability as above described to entitle him to One half of Total rating.

H. M. Buckley

Examining Surgeon.

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

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Frank Wardein

Co. C, 21 Reg't S.C.C. Vols

Application for Pension

No. 439,992

Date of Examination: October 4th

1882

H. M. Buckley

Examining Surgeon.

Post Office, Jacksonboro

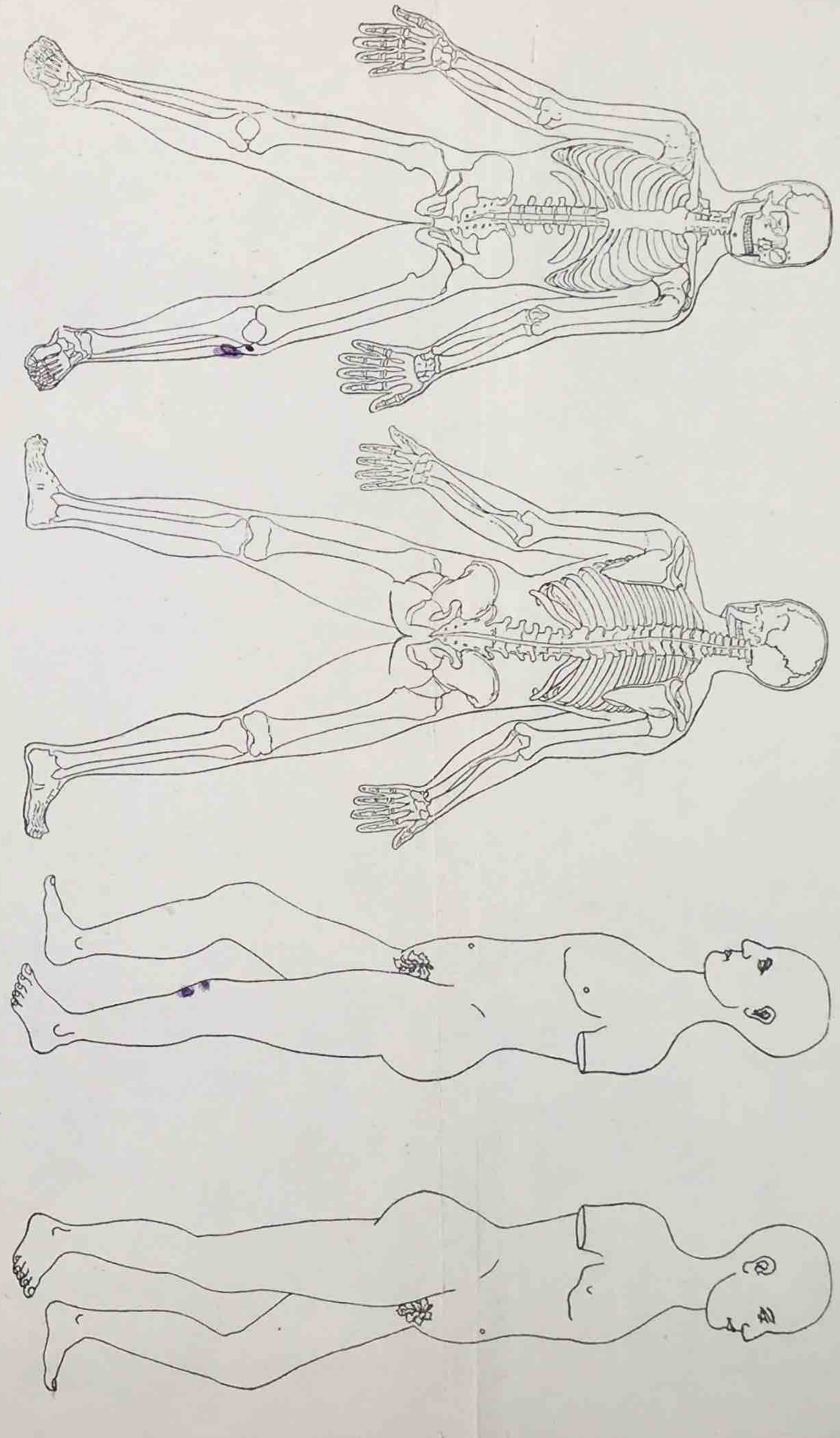
County, Colleton

State, South Carolina

P. S.—Write Post Office address plain and in full.

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No. 1. (3—108 A.) No. 1.

ORIGINAL.

(FOR A SINGLE SURGEON.)

Claim No. 439.992

Name of the claimant, Frank Wardier

Rank, Private

Company, C

Regiment, 21st U.S.C. Inf'y

Post-office address, Ashepoo, S.C.

ADDRESS OF THE SURGEON:

Post office, Charleston

County, "

State, South Carolina

Date of examination, June 9, 1886

I HEREBY CERTIFY that in compliance with the requirements of the law* I have carefully examined this applicant, who claims that while in the service of the United States at or near a place named James Island, and that while in line of duty, on or about the

Cause of disability. day of May, 1864, he incurred Gun shot wound of the left Knee

Degree of disability. and that in consequence thereof he is partly disabled for earning his subsistence by manual labor.

His pulse-rate is 72 per minute; his respiration 16; his temperature normal; his height is 5 feet and 6 1/2 inches; he weighs 145 pounds, and states that he is 40 years of age.

Here give the statement of the claimant fully, but as compactly as possible.

Touching the cause and degree of the disability for which he claims a pension, he makes the following statement: That he was in the rifle pits when the wound occured, It entered above the knee and passed out a little below the knee—on the outside of the left knee. He suffers from stiffness in the joint. In cloudy weather it pains him more. The wound was made by a minnie ball. He was confined to the regimental hospital for some weeks, recovered and was discharged honorably. General health is good. Is a farmer and has a family. Right knee does not pain him much. Had an abscess on the knee pan of the left knee, but it is now healed.

SUBJECTIVE SYMPTOMS.

Here give a full symptom picture of the case, embracing all the physical and rational signs, but confining it to the *present* condition of the claimant.

The examination reveals the following objective facts in support of his statements: Flesh wound of the left Knee, on the outer side of the knee joint: the ball striking the long head of the biceps muscle, passing downward, with its exit below the head of the fibula. Cicatrices healthy. There is a scar on the patella which may have been produced by an abscess. He has small varicose ulcers on that leg, and the veins and cellular tissue seem to be edematous. There is no injury of the right knee. He is healthy otherwise. The wound is calculated to produce some stiffness when walking or at work.

OBJECTIVE SYMPTOMS.

Here give the rating for *each* cause of disability, and state the aggregate.

From the existing condition and the history of this claimant, as stated by himself, it is, in my judgment, it is probable that the disability was incurred in the service as he claims, and that it has not been aggravated or prolonged by vicious habits. He is, in my opinion, entitled to a 1/4 rating for the disability caused by Gun shot wound of the left Knee, for that caused by, and for that caused by, the sum of which aggregates 1/4

* See the back.

E. H. Kellers,

Examining Surgeon.

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

(FOR A SINGLE SURGEON)

IN CASE OF

Frank Wardier

Co. 6 21, Reg't U.S.C.I.

Application for Pension.

No. 439.992

Date of examination:

June 9. 1886

E. H. Kellers,

Examining Surgeon.

Post office, Charleston,

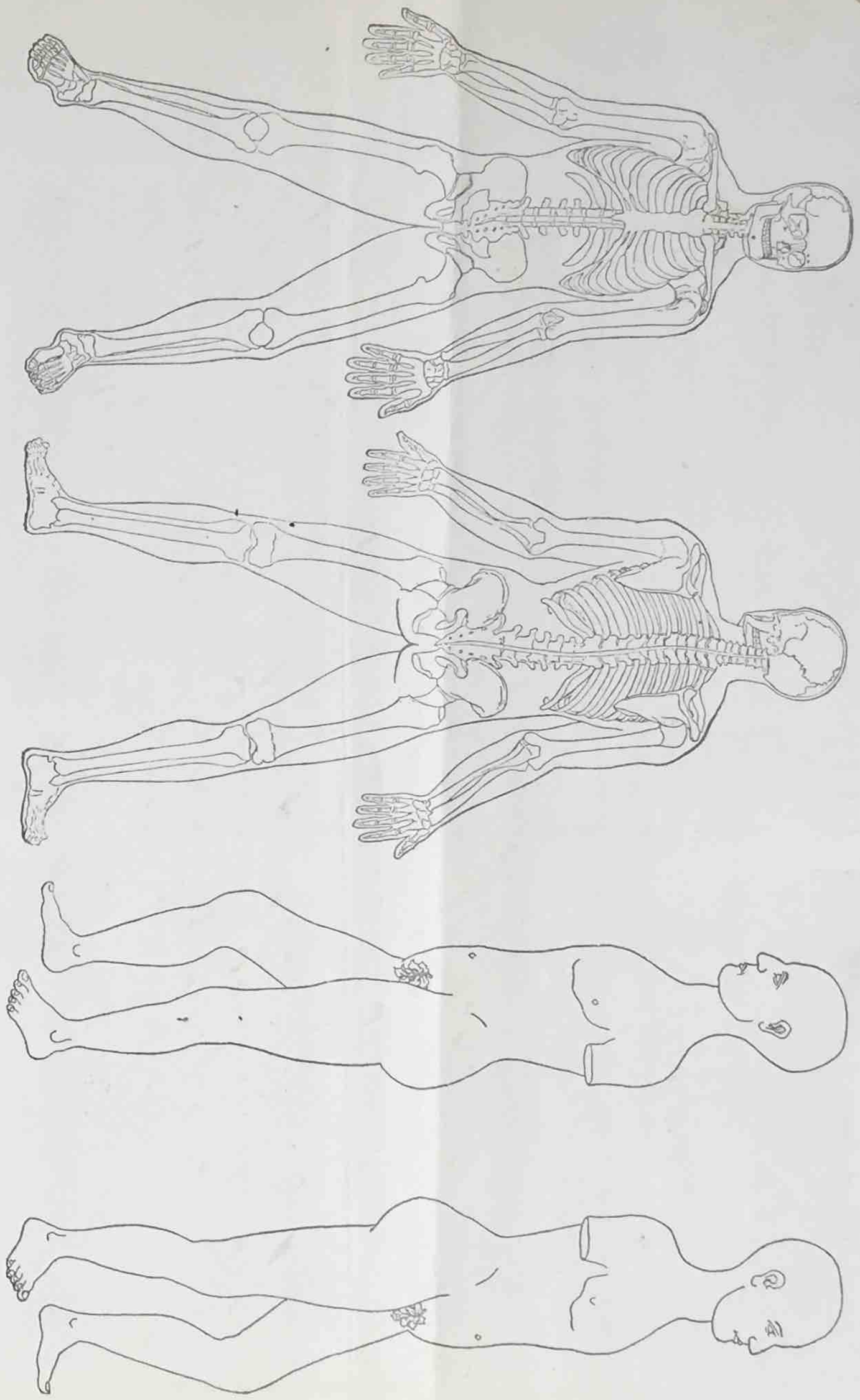
County, "

State, South Carolina

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PROVIDED FURTHER, That all examinations shall be thorough and searching, and the certificate contain a full description of the physical condition of the claimant at the time, which shall include all the physical and rational signs and a statement of all the structural changes. [*Extract from Section 4, Act of Congress approved July 25, 1882.*]

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☞ 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 Pension Claim No. H 3 9 9 9 2
[State above whether for original, increase, or restoration.]

Name and rank of claimant. Frank Verdier, Rank, Private

Company E, 21 Reg't U S C Inf | Beaufort S-C State,
[Post-office address of the Board.]

Claimant's post-office address. Waterboro Colleton Co S-C | F Feb 90, 1892
[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: Wound in leg & knee

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line. and that he receives a pension of — — 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. That he was wounded in the Knee during the war and also suffers in consequence there of having an Eruption of the skin

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 68; respiration, 18; temperature, 98½; height, 5 feet 6 inches; weight, 135 pounds; age, 49 years. There is discoverable no pathological

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of Instructions. lesions of heart & lungs He is suffering with a Gunshot wound of the left knee the ball Entered over the outer tuberosity of the femur glanced out & struck the leg two & one half inches below. The bones were not injured the wounds were flesh wounds the scars are adherent neither tender nor dragging He complains of pain & lameness at the knee joint As a result of the rate these wounds at Six Eighteenths There is an Extensive scar on glans penis near frenum a portion of the tissue being destroyed the prepuce is Enlarged indurated & ulcerated there are also ulcers on the body on buttocks & one on outer aspect of left leg there is an Eruption of the skin which we consider Venereal Except as a bove no disability is found to Exist

_____. He is, in our opinion, entitled to a 6/18

Rate for *EACH* cause of disability. rating for the disability caused by Gunshot wounds, — for that caused by —, and — for that caused by —

W H Ellis, Pres. N Kennedy, Sec'y. A P Poulson, Treas.

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

Continue record of examination here.

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Frank Vertuer

Co. L, 21 Reg't Mass Vols

Applicant for Original

No. 439992

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

Feb 11, 1892

We, Wm Bell, Pres.,
Frank Mallory, Sec'y,
Lauriston Clark, Treas.,
Board.

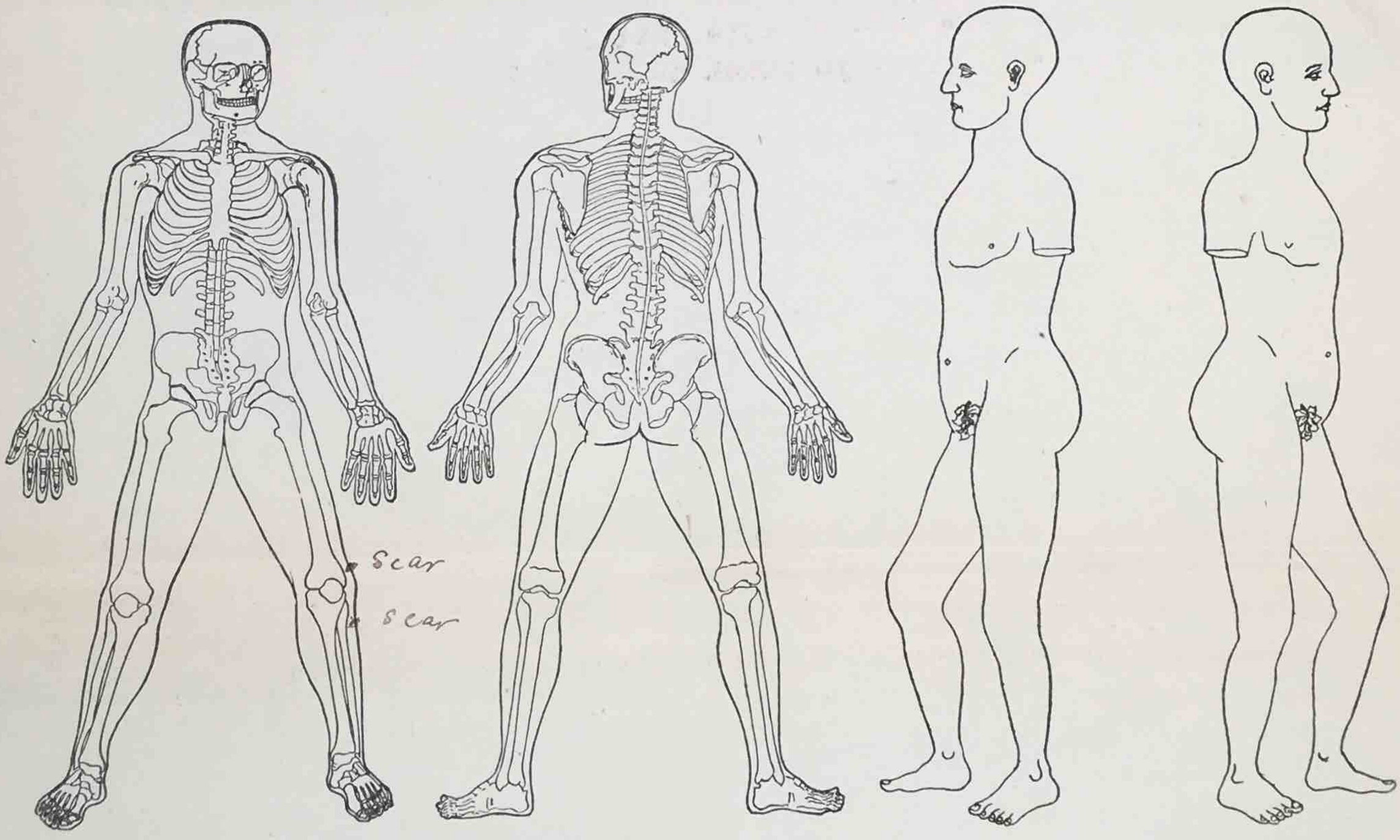
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State, Mass

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PROVIDED FURTHER, That all examinations shall be thorough and searching, and the certificate contain a full description of the physical condition of the claimant at the time, which shall include all the physical and rational signs and a statement of all the structural changes. [*Extract from Section 4, Act of Congress approved July 25, 1882.*]

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

Insert character and number of claim. Increase Pension Claim No. 819345

Name of claimant. Frank Dorricott

Company C & Reg't 11th S.C.V.

Claimant's post-office address. Meyers S.C.

Address of Board. Charleston P. O. S C State.

August 21, 1901
[Date of examination.]

Cause of disability. Gun shot knee.

He receives a pension of $6, dollars per month.

Here give the claimant's statement (as briefly and as compactly as possible) in regard to the origin of his disabilities and date when first discovered by him: He says that gun shot left knee affects him very much.

The outlines of the human skeleton and figure upon the back of this certificate should be used to indicate precisely the location of a disease or injury, the entrance and exit of a missile, an amputation, etc.

Birthplace, South Carolina; age, ____ years; height, ____; weight, ____ pounds; complexion, black; color of eyes, black; color of hair, Mixed Gray; occupation, farmer; permanent marks and scars other than those described below, None

We hereby certify that upon examination we find the following objective conditions:

Pulse rate, 79 81 87 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; respiration, 15 17 21 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; temperature, 98.4;

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of Instructions.

He has gun shot wound of left knee. The wound is on outer side of middle of leg below the knee. It is a fleash wound. No point of exit. The scar is tender.-- The heart is normal in its action. Apex impulse beat evident to inspection and palpation. Impulse beat two inches below nipple of left mammary and between 5th, and 6th, ribs.------ Cardiac dullness between right border of sternum and vertical line drawn through nipple of left mammary andbetween 3rd, and 6th, ribs.--- No hypertrophy, dilatation, dyspnoea, cyanosis or oedema.

He has no disease of lungs. Chest measurement at ~~rest~~ 31 inches--- full inspiration 33 inches--- full expiration ~~30~~ 30-1/2 inches---- He has no disease of kidneys. Urine examined Spec. Grav. 1020 reaction acid. Color amber. No albumen- nitric acid test. No sugar picric acid test.

Facts within the knowledge of the Board, or any member thereof, relative to the cause of any disability found should be stated. Whenever a disability is shown or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated.

We find that the aggregate permanent disability for earning a support by manual labor is due to gunshot wound of left knee- not due to vicious habits and warrants a rate of $6.

No other disability.

When rates are recommended solely on subjective evidence the strongest reasons must be given therefor.

F. W. Robitt, Pres. Alex Chisolm, Sec'y. J. S. Burd, Treas.

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☞(This certificate to be filled in and signed by the secretary when the full board is present.)

"I hereby certify that Dr. J. N. Roberts, Dr. A. C. W. Coleman, and Dr. J. S. Bunt, were personally present and actually participated in the examination of Frank Henderson, the claimant in this case, on 21 day of August, 190/."

(*Signature.*) A. C. W. Coleman M.D.

(This certificate to be filled in by the member of the board acting as secretary, and signed by the applicant, when a full board is not present.)

"I, _____, the applicant for (increase or original) pension referred to in this medical certificate, hereby consent to be examined by Dr. _____ and Dr. _____, the examining surgeons here present (waiving examination by full board), on this _____ day of _____, 190 ."

(*Signature.*) _____

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Frank Henderson

Co. C, 11 Reg't Mich Cav

APPLICANT FOR Increase

No. 519345

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

August 21st, 190/

J. N. Roberts, *Pres.*,
A. C. W. Coleman, *Sec'y*,
J. S. Bunt, *Treas.*,
} BOARD.

Post office, Charlotte

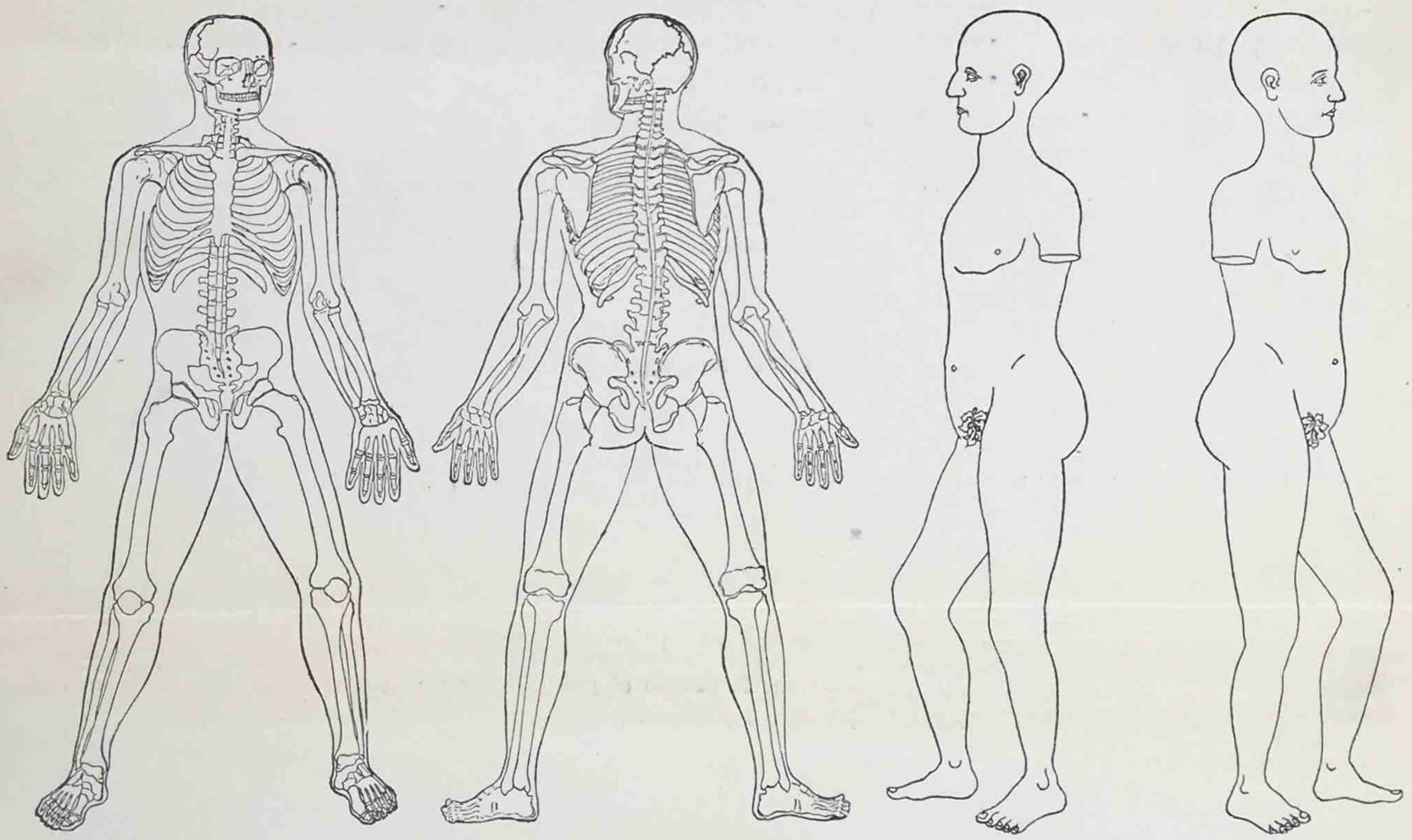
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State, Mich

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

Insert character and number of claim. Invalid Pension Claim No. 819,343

Name of claimant. Frank Gerdine

Claimant's post-office address. Company G, 21 Reg't U. S. C. Inf. Walterboro Colleton Co S.C.

Address of Board. Beaufort P. O. South Carolina State.

[Date of examination.] July 28, 1904

Names of disabilities. Gunshot wound left knee.

He receives a pension of $12 dollars per month.

Here give the claimant's statement (as briefly and as compactly as possible) in regard to the date of origin and cause of his disabilities and the manner in which they affect him.

He makes the following statement in regard to the origin of his disabilities and date when first discovered by him: That he suffers with the above named disabilities and that he does not remember the date of contraction

Birthplace, Colleton Co S.C; age, 66 years; height, 5.7; weight, 135 pounds; complexion, black; color of eyes, black; color of hair, gray; occupation, farmer; permanent marks and scars other than those described below,

We hereby certify that upon examination we find the following objective conditions:

Pulse rate, 68, 74, 86 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; respiration, 18, 18, 18 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; temperature, normal;

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of instructions, and make a separate paragraph for each disability.

Auscultation percussion palpation and inspection reveal no disease of lungs.

Upon examination of the heart there is intermission of the second sound there are no murmurs or other evidences of valvular disease there is no hypertrophy dyspnoea oedema or cyanosis

He sustained a gunshot wound of the left Knee on the outer aspect of the limb it was a flesh wound the scar is linear in character about one inch long and transverse it is neither tender or dragging and the joint was not injured

He complains of general rheumatism in all of the joints there is soreness stiffness thickening of fibrous structures and limitation of motion equal to 1/4 There is no contraction of muscles or tendons joints not mentioned are not affected

There is a scar on glonas penis and one in each groin but there are no nodes on long or flat bones no evidence in throat hair skin or nasal passages nor is there any enlargement of glandular systems.

He suffers with general debility due to age and disabilities enumerated above.

We find that the aggregate permanent disability for earning a support by manual is due to heart disease Gunshot wound rheumatism & general debility not due to vicious habits and warrant a rate of ten dollars a month

Facts within the knowledge of the Board, or any member thereof, relative to the cause of any disability found should be stated.

Whenever a disability is shown or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated.

When rates are recommended solely on subjective evidence the strongest reasons must be given therefor.

H M Blanck Pres. M. J. Kennedy Sec'y. Lewis Murphy, Treas.

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☞(This certificate to be filled in and signed by the secretary when the full board is present.)

"I hereby certify that Dr. H M Shuck, Dr. E M Griffin, and Dr. W J Kennedy, were personally present and actually participated in the examination of Frank Verdier, the claimant in this case, on 20 day of July, 190 4."

(*Signature.*) W J Kennedy

(This certificate to be filled in by the member of the board acting as secretary, and signed by the applicant, when a full board is not present.)

"I, _____, the applicant for (increase or original) pension referred to in this medical certificate, hereby consent to be examined by Dr. _____ and Dr. _____, the examining surgeons here present (waiving examination by full board), on this _____ day of _____, 190 ."

Witnesses to mark. _____ _____

(*Signature of Applicant.*) _____

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Frank Verdier

Co. E, 21 Reg't U S C Inf

APPLICANT FOR Invalid

No. $17345

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

July 20, 190 4

H M Shuck, Pres.,
W J Kennedy, Sec'y,
E M Griffin, Treas.,
BOARD.

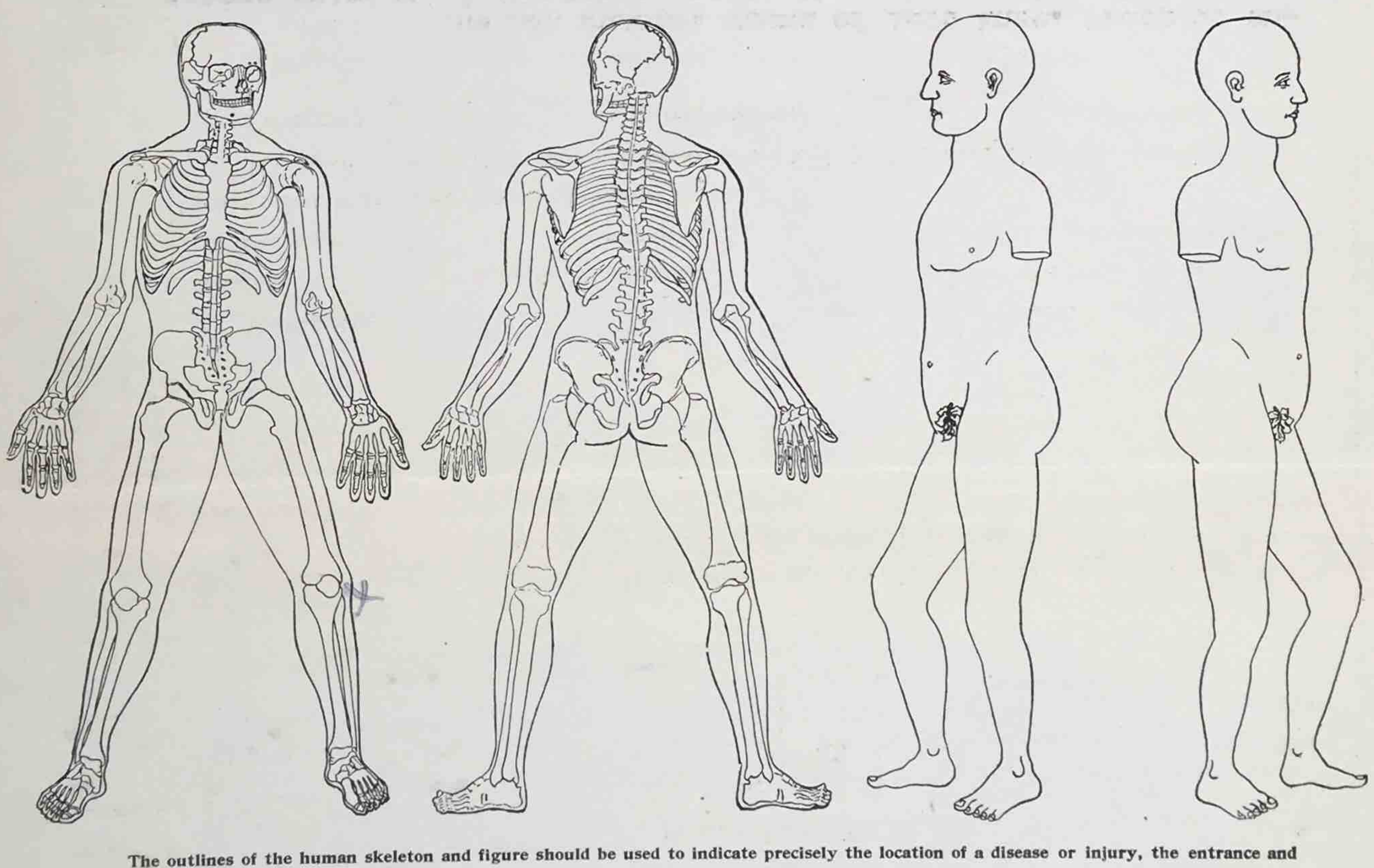
Examining Surgeons

Post office, Beaver Falls

County, Beaver

State, Pa.

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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

Insert character and number of claim. Increase Pension Claim No. 819345

Name of claimant. Frank Vernier

Company C 21 Reg't USC Inf

Claimant's post-office address. Keyes c S. C.

Address of Board. Charleston P. O. S. C. State.

Oct. 25th, 1905 [Date of examination.]

Names of disabilities. Gunshot wound of left knee rheumatism disease of heart eyes and age

He receives a pension of Eight dollars per month.

Here give the claimant's statement (as briefly and as compactly as possible) in regard to the date of origin and cause of his disabilities and the manner in which they affect him.

He makes the following statement in regard to the origin of his disabilities and date when first discovered by him: He states that he is physically weak

Birthplace, Colleton Co S.C.; age, 62 years; height, 5ft 2in; weight, 140 pounds; complexion, Black; color of eyes, Brown; color of hair, Blackand Gray; occupation, Laborer; permanent marks and scars other than those described below, None

We hereby certify that upon examination we find the following objective conditions:

Pulse rate, 73 74 95 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; respiration, 17 19 24 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; temperature, 98 1/5;

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of instructions, and make a separate paragraph for each disability.

He has gunshot wound of left knee. Place of entrance outside of leg three inches above knee joint. Place of exit inner border of patella- upper portion. Scars are small, not adherent or dragging or tender. No ankylosis of joint.

Has chronic rheumatism- myalgia- Joints are stiff and painful when flexed or twisted. No swelling or enlargement of joints, muscles and tendons. No atrophy or contraction of muscles due to rheumatism. Limiration of motion I/2 degree.

No disease of heart. Impulse beat two inches below nipple of left mammary and between 5th, and 6th, ribs. Cardiac dullness is between right border of sternum and vertical line drawn through nipple of left mammary and between 3rd, and 6th, ribs. No hypertrophy- dilatation, dyspnoea, or cyanosis or odema.

Facts within the knowledge of the Board, or any member thereof, relative to the cause of any disability found should be stated.

Whenever a disability is shown or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated.

He has defective eyes. Arcus senilis. Pupils normal and respond to action of light- R/V/ 10/20 X. 4. D.- 14/20 L/V- 4/D- 12/20. Presp yopia due to age.

He has age. His hair is blanching. Loss and decay of many teeth. Muscles flabby, joints stiff (degeneration) and loss of power of locomotion I/2 degree.

No disease of lungs.. Chest measurement at rest 33 inches, full inspiration 35 inches, full expiration 32-I/2 inches.

No disease of kidneys. Spec. Grav. 1020 reaction acid. Color amber. No albumen- nitric acid test. No sugar, Fehling.

We find the aggregate permanent disability for earning a support by manulal labor is due to gun shot wound of left knee, rheumatism, disease of eyes and age- not due to vicoius habits and warrants a rate of $8.00- No increase of rate recommended.

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L. N. Roberts, Pres. H. W. Glennan, Sec'y. J. S. Rust, Treas.

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☞(This certificate to be filled in and signed by the secretary when the full board is present.)

"I hereby certify that Dr. J. M. Roberts, Dr. H Ed Newman, and Dr. J S Burris, were personally present and actually participated in the examination of Frank Vordier, the claimant in this case, on 20th day of October, 190 5.

(*Signature.*) H Ed Newman MD

(This certificate to be filled in by the member of the board acting as secretary, and signed by the applicant, when a full board is not present.)

"I, _____, the applicant for (increase or original) pension referred to in this medical certificate, hereby consent to be examined by Dr. _____ and Dr. _____, the examining surgeons here present (waiving examination by full board), on this _____ day of _____, 190 ."

Witnesses to mark. _____ _____

(*Signature of Applicant.*) _____

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Frank Vordier

Co. C, 2d Reg't Minn Vols

APPLICANT FOR Increase

No. 619,345

DATE OF EXAMINATION: October 20th, 1905

Adolph Schmidt, Pres.,
H Ed Newman, Sec'y,
J S Burris, Treas.,
BOARD.

Chas Lee
Surgeon

Post office, Duluth

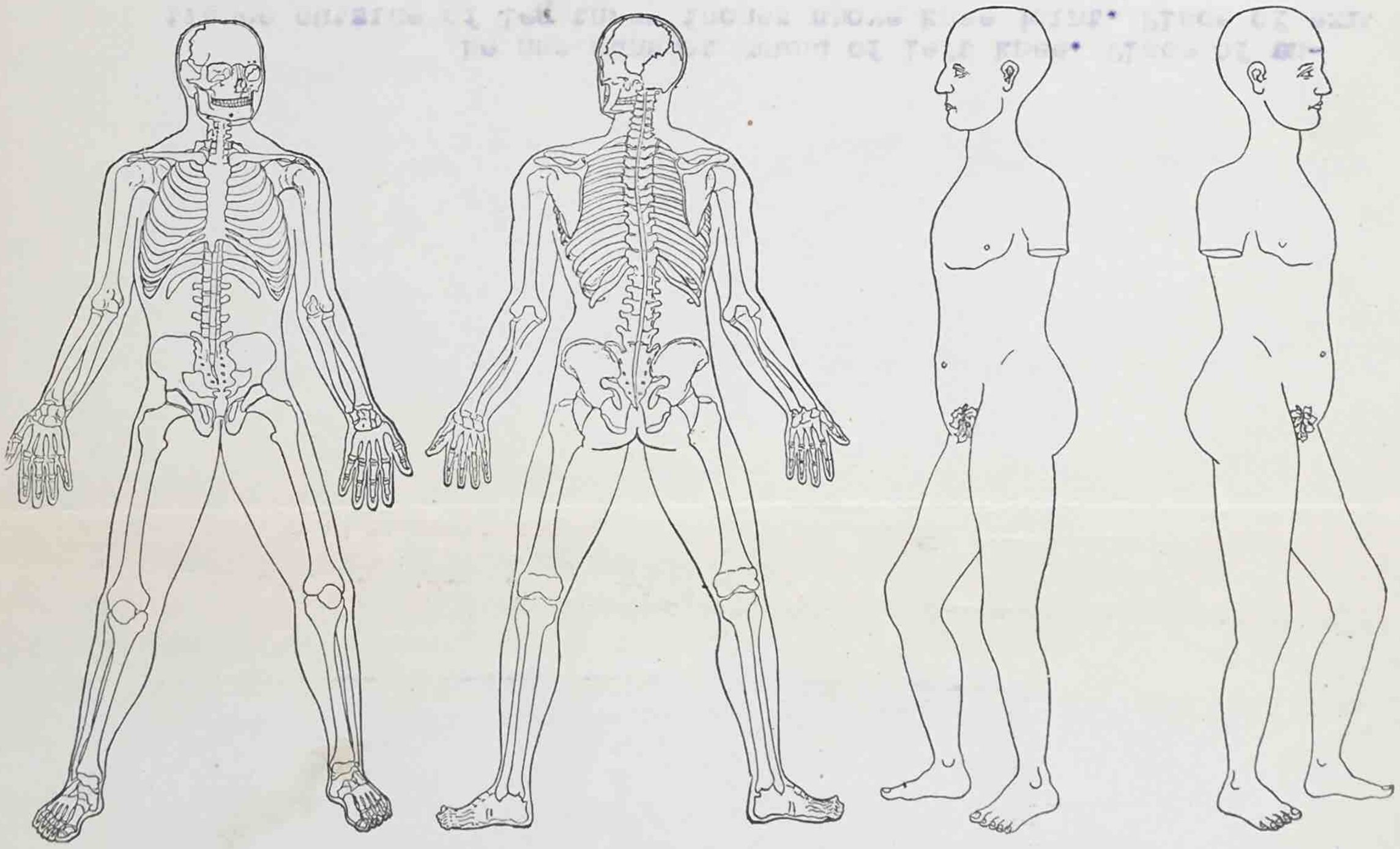
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SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

Insert character and number of claim. Increase Pension Claim No. 819,345

Name of claimant. Frank Verdier

Company C 21 Reg't U.S.C.V. Inf.

Claimant's post-office address. Hallboro Colleton Co S.C.

Address of Board. Beaufort P.O. S.C. State.

Feb 20, 1907 [Date of examination.]

Names of disabilities. Gunshot wound of left knee rheumatism disease of heart and eyes indigestion disease of urinary organs etc[illegible] of water and age. He receives a pension of Eight dollars per month.

Here give the claimant's statement (as briefly and as compactly as possible) in regard to the date of origin and cause of his disabilities and the manner in which they affect him. He makes the following statement in regard to the origin of his disabilities and date when first discovered by him: That he suffers with the above mentioned disabilities and that he does not remember the date of contraction

Birthplace, Colleton Co S.C.; age, 68 years; height, 5'6; weight, 135 pounds; complexion, black; color of eyes, black; color of hair, gray; occupation, farmer; permanent marks and scars other than those described below,

We hereby certify that upon examination we find the following objective conditions:

Pulse rate, 78, 80, 82 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; respiration, 18, 18, 18 [Sitting, standing, after exercise.]; temperature, normal;

Here give a full description of the disabilities, in accordance with Book of instructions, and make a separate paragraph for each disability. Auscultation percussion palpation and inspection reveal no disease of lungs

Upon examination of the heart the action is increased in force and frequency there is a murmur heard best at the apex and heard also between the 3rd and 4th ribs on the right side there is a history of dyspnoea and palpitation but no oedema or cyanosis

Facts within the knowledge of the Board, or any member thereof, relative to the cause of any disability found should be stated. He complains of a gunshot wound of the left knee there is a small scar just below the patella on the external surface of the left knee the scar is about the size of a ten cent piece neither tender or dragging it seems it have been a flesh wound the bone dont seem to have been affected

He complains of rheumatism affecting the shoulders hips and ankles there is common stiffness wasting of muscles in gluteal region pain and tenderness across the loins and limitation of motion equal to 1/4 there is crepitus upon enforced motion of shoulders There is no contraction of muscles or tendons joints not mentioned are not affected

He complains of indigestion there is distress after eating accompanied with pyrosis and eructations the liver and spleen are enlarged and the tongue is coated.

An examination of the eyes reveal senile changes well marked in both eyes there is no evidence of disease of deeper structures of the eyes test shows vision in each eye approximately equal to 1/20 There is some impairment due to age

Whenever a disability is shown or is believed to be due to or aggravated by vicious habits the opinion of the board must be stated. When not due to such habits this fact must be stated. He complains of disease of urinary organs He is suffering with enlargement of the prostate gland and consequent retention of urine there is no other evidence of disease of urinary organs urinalysis is as follows color yellow reaction acid specific gravity 1020 no albumen or sugar

He suffers with general and senile debility

When rates are recommended solely on subjective evidence the strongest reasons must be given therefor. It is found that the aggregate permanent disability for earning a support by manual labor is due to heart disease gunshot wound of left knee rheumatism indigestion impaired vision enlarged prostate and general and senile debility not due to vicious habits and warrants a rate of twelve dollars a month

A M Stuart, Pres. W J Kennedy, Sec'y. [illegible], Treas.

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☞(This certificate to be filled in and signed by the secretary when the full board is present.)

"I hereby certify that Dr. H M Shuart, Dr. C M Griffin, and Dr. W J Kennedy, were personally present and actually participated in the examination of Fraucild Verdier, the claimant in this case, on 20 day of Feb., 190 7." (*Signature.*) W J Kennedy

(This certificate to be filled in by the member of the board acting as secretary, and signed by the applicant, when a full board is not present.)

"I, _____, the applicant for (increase or original) pension referred to in this medical certificate, hereby consent to be examined by Dr. _____ and Dr. _____, the examining surgeons here present (waiving examination by full board), on this _____ day of _____, 190 ."

Witnesses to mark. _____ _____ (*Signature of Applicant.*) _____

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE

IN CASE OF

Fraucild Verdier

Co. C 21 Reg't 2d U S C V Inf

APPLICANT FOR Increase

No. 611734

DATE OF EXAMINATION:

Feb 20, 190 7

A G Shuart, Pres.,
W J Kennedy, See'y,
Colin Griffin, Treas.,
BOARD.

Post office, Beaverdale

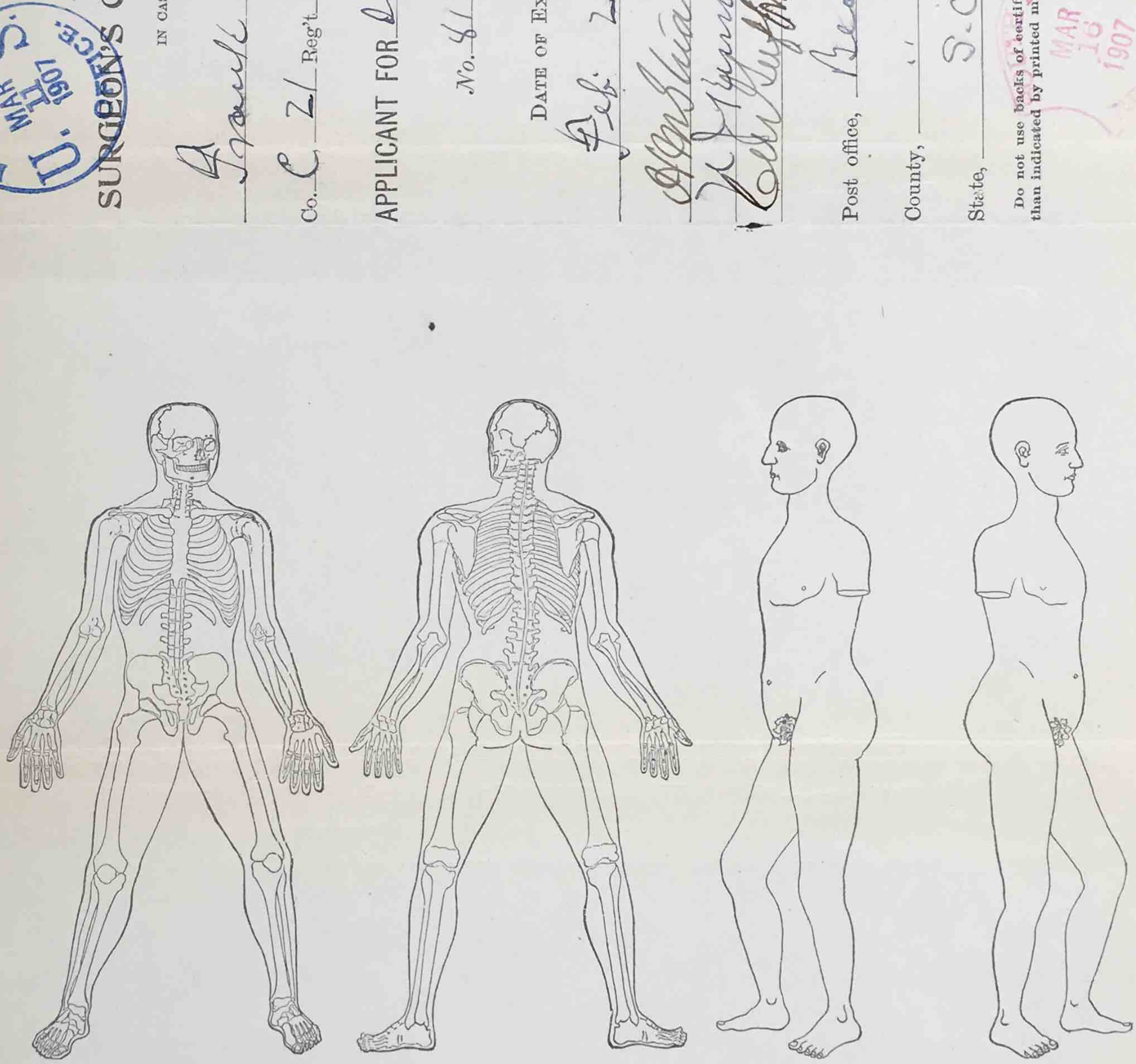
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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

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MAR 27 1916, 191

Certificate No. 819.345

Class ACT OF MAY 11, 1912

Pensioner

Soldier Frank Washington

Service C- 21 U. S. C. I.

The Commissioner of Pensions.

Sir:

I have the honor to report that the name of the above-described pensioner who was last paid at $24, *to* Nov 4, 1915 *has this day been dropped from the roll because of* death - date unknown

(See Cer 15-)

Very respectfully,

W. H. Campbell

Chief, Finance Division.

NOTE.—Every name dropped to be thus reported at once, and when cause of dropping is death, state date of death when known. 6—2249

24 - NOV 4 1915

MAR 24 1916

To the Chief, Finance Division:

You are hereby notified that check # 9923478 for $ 72 =

dated FEB 4 1916, in favor of
post-office
Certificate #

FRANK WASHINGTON
CHARLESTON S C
819345 ACT MAY
145 CALHOUN ST

Class Act May 11, 1912

Section 4, has been returned to this office by the Postmaster with the information that the pensioner died (date unknown see cer. K. herewith) and said check has this day been canceled.

Very respectfully,
GUY O. TAYLOR,
Disbursing Clerk.

(D-3)

MAR 24 1916 M. M.

PLATE DESTROYED

MAR 8 1916
FEB 12 1916

K Clerk C Sacramento S.C. 3/20

SECTION
RECEIVED
FEB 12 1916
FOUR

3-1661

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,
OFFICE OF THE DISBURSING CLERK,
WASHINGTON, D. C.
RETURN IF NOT DELIVERED IN TEN DAYS.

RETURNED TO WRITER
UNCLAIMED.
FROM CHARLESTON, S. C.

9923478

WASHINGTON, D.C. FEB 3 3-PM 1916

CHARLESTON S.C. FEB 2 1916

OFFICIAL BUSINESS PENALTY FOR PRIVATE USE $300

said to have died in County where he resided or near

TO THE POSTMASTER:

The Act of August 17, 1912, prohibits the delivery of this letter to any person if the addressee has died or removed, or, being a widow, is believed to have remarried; and requires its return forthwith, in any such case, with a statement of the reasons for so doing, and if on account of death or remarriage, the date thereof if known.

Where born Near Walterboro, S. C.

Age at enlistment About 18

Name under which served Frank Verdier

Date of enlistment Don't remember dates of enlistment & discharge

Date of discharge Served 3 yrs & 1 month

Any prior or sub. service None

Any Confederate service None

Battles. Hospital Regt. hosp. on Morris Island S. C.

Name of Captain, Lieut and Sgt Capt. Henry Sharp. Lieut Reed " Mills 1st Sgt Paul Manego

Name of wife. Undivorced Charlotte

Any prior marriage Binah 1st wife dead

Name comrades Jerry Holmes (2nd Sgt.) Jos. Grant (Corp) Jason Cornkney

Personal description See above

Signature Frank his X mark Verdier Witness

Height 5 Ft. 7 In. Com. cold

Hair black Eyes black

I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE THIS DAY PERSONALLY INTERVIEWED THE ABOVE NAMED PENSIONER, AND I AM SATISFIED THAT HE IS THE SOLDIER AND PENSIONER THAT HE PRESENTS HIMSELF TO BE.

Frederick Frye
Special Examiner.

Date Feb 12, 1912

3—1089.

Roll No.

Name: ACT JUNE 27, 1890

Verdier Frank

Certificate No. 819345 ok

Disability:

Pvt. Co. C, 21 U.S.C. Vol. Inf.

Rank, Co., and Regiment:

Certificate exhibited

Rate and commencement of Pension:

Class of Certificate:

AGENCY - INQUIRIES
FEB 13 1912
U. S. BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Date of Certificate:

5 Apr 1907 ok

Remarks:

P. O. Address:

Charleston Tenn.

45 Calhoun St

KNOXVILLE, TENN.

6—293

9923478

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
Office of the Disbursing Clerk,
Washington, D. C.,

February 12, 1916.

Postmaster,

Charleston, S. C.

Sir:

Letter from this office addressed to.....

Frank Washington, of 145 Calhoun St.,

Certificate No. 819345 Section No. Four

has been returned by you with the information that the addressee is "dead."

I will greatly appreciate it if you will note on this letter the exact date of death and return it to me.

Very respectfully,

GUY O. TAYLOR,
Disbursing Clerk.

SECTION RECEIVED MAR 20 1916 FOUR

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The above named pensioner died.....

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Postmaster.

DISBURSING OFFICE RECEIVED MAR 18 1916

(K)

I note your statement that he "died in the country" etc.

He died in Jacksonboro S. C. No one here able to give the desired information therefore return this as requested.

Postmaster S.

I sent to P.M. at Jacksonboro, S.C. on 3/20

U. S. PENSION OFFICE.
MAR 18 1916

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
Office of the Disbursing Clerk,
Washington, D. C.,

March 20, 1916.

Postmaster,

Jacksonboro, S. C.

Sir:

Letter from this office addressed to

Frank Washington, at Charleston, S. C.

Certificate No. 819345 Section No. Four

has been returned by ~~you~~ P.M. with the information that the addressee is "dead," having died at Jacksonboro, S.C.

I will greatly appreciate it if you will note on this letter the exact date of death and return it to me.

Very respectfully,

GUY O. TAYLOR,
Disbursing Clerk.

Cannot get any information about 3/22 1916

The above named pensioner died

S. Edith Goodman
Postmaster.

(K)

I shall be obliged if you can send me this date.

DISBURSING OFFICE RECEIVED MAR 24 1916 BUREAU OF PENSIONS

SECTION RECEIVED MAR 24 1916 FOUR

Bt Charleston S C 8 Jan 07

Beaufort, S. C.

JAN 25 1907