

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 invalid Pension Claim No. 23759  
[State above whether for original, increase, or restoration.]

Name and rank of claimant. John L. Tough, Rank, Priv.

Company, 1st Reg't Pa. Cav., Butter Butter Co. State, Pa.  
[Post-office address of the Board.]

Claimant's post-office address. Leechburg Pa. [Date of examination.] Aug. 24, 1892.

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: Jaundice, Bronchitis and loss of speech.

If a pensioner, fill in the amount; if not, erase the whole line. and that he receives a pension of \_\_\_\_\_ dollars per-month.

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

He makes the following statement upon which he bases his claim for Original [Original, increase, restoration, &c.]  
I contracted jaundice and bronchitis while in the army in 1863. I was in the hospital at Harper's Ferry for two months, I also lost my speech about the same time; when I get cold I can't speak louder than a whisper. I have heart disease. I am ruptured and have sore eyes.

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

Upon examination we find the following objective conditions: Pulse rate, 104; respiration, 18; temperature, 98 1/2; height, 5 feet 4 inches; weight, 122 pounds; age 62 years. Tongue coated. Some increased area of hepatic dullness with tenderness on palpitation over hepatic and gastric regions. No jaundice. Disability - Four eighteenth.  
Also - Respiratory murmur. Feeble throughout both lungs. No rales, crepitation or dullness on percussion. Expansion of chest 1 3/4 inches. Mucous membrane of larynx and vocal cords normal. No hoarseness or loss of speech at present. Disability - Four eighteenth.  
Also - Mucous membrane of pharynx red and congested. Mucous membrane of nasal passages red and congested. Septum slightly deviated to right. Disability - Four eighteenth.  
Also - No evidence of rupture. No pitting. Also - Heart action quick. Beats 104 per minute standing and 124 after a brisk walk. No increased area of cardiac dullness. No valvular murmurs. Five teeth in lower and 5 in upper jaw. Skin thin. Hair gray. Muscles generally flabby. Nutrition poor. Claimant has the appearance of a frozen old man. Disability - Twelve - eighteenth. 32  
No other disability is found to exist.

Rate for EACH cause of disability. He is, in our opinion, entitled to a 4/8 rating for the disability caused by disease of liver, 4/8 for that caused by bronchitis, and 4/8 for that caused by catarrh and 1/8 general debility and 4/8 - disease of eyes - Strabismus, Pres. R. A. Pellow, Sec'y. John E. Byers, Treas.