He further declares that he has been a practitioner of medicine for ..... years, and that he has no interest either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

.....

[Affiant's Signature. Give rank and service, if in the army.]

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ..... day of ..... A. D. 188

and I hereby certify that the affiant is a practising physician in good professional standing; that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known to him 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.

.....

[Official Signature.]

[L. S.] .....

[Official Character.]

I, ..., Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that ....., Esq., who has signed his name to the foregoing declaration and affidavit was at the time of so doing ..... 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 ..... day of ....., 188 .

.....

[L. S.] Clerk of the .....

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 CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character hereon, and not on a separate slip of paper.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE.

AFFIDAVIT OF

CLAIM OF

Amos McIntyre

No. .....

for .....

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PHYSICIAN'S AFFIDAVIT.

TAKE NOTICE.—The affidavit should, if possible be in the handwriting of the affiant; the marginal instructions must be carefully observed before writing out the statement. All the facts in possession of affiant as to the origin and continuance of the disability should be fully set forth, and the dates of treatment should be specifically given. If the affidavit is prepared from memoranda in possession of the physician, that fact should be stated.

State of _____, County of _____, ss.

In the pension Claim No. _____

of Amos McIntyre late of Co "B" 154 Regt N.Y. Vols

(Company and Regiment of service, if in the army; or vessel and rank if in the navy.)

Personally came before me, a _____ in and for the aforesaid County and State, _____ a citizen of _____ whose Post Office address is _____ well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That he is a Practising Physician, and that he has been acquainted with said soldier for about _____ years, and that

[Here embody all the facts known to the affiant in accordance with the marginal instructions. No erasures or interlineations will be permitted unless the magistrate certifies in his jurat that they were made before executing the paper.]

NOTES.

The Physician's Affidavit must show the following facts:

1st. Whether or not he knew the soldier prior to enlistment; the length of time he has known him how intimately and what opportunities he has had of observing his physical condition, whether as his family physician or as a neighbor; and how near he has lived to him. If he knew that the soldier was a sound man at enlistment, he should so state, adding, if true, that had he been unsound, he would have known it.

2d. If he treated claimant while in the service either as his regimental surgeon or while claimant was home on furlough, that fact should be stated. The claimant's physical condition at such times should be clearly shown, as well as the NATURE OF HIS DISABILITY and dates of treatment.

3d. If he has treated soldier since discharge he should so state, giving the date of his first treatment; what his physical condition was at the time, with complete diagnosis of the disability; the period during which he treated him should be stated, with dates, as near as possible, of the prescriptions.

4th. The extent or degree to which claimant has been unable to perform manual labor during each year from discharge to the present time.