

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

NOTE.—Write the affidavit just as you would write a letter, stating all the facts, circumstances, dates and places, as near as you can remember, according to the requirements in the case in which your testimony is to be used; also state *how* you know what you say to be true; whether from personal observation or otherwise.

STATE OF Massachusetts }
COUNTY OF Suffolk } ss.

No. 388.505

In the matter of the claim for invalid pension
of George H. Moulton
late of Company "I", Thirty-eighth Regiment, Infantry, Massachusetts Volunteers,
Personally came before me, a Justice of the Peace George S. Frost in and for aforesaid County
and State, George S. Frost, aged forty-six years,
and George S. Frost, aged forty-six years,
a resident of the City of Newton, in the County of Middlesex in said State of

who being duly sworn, declare I in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:
that I reside on Pleasant Street, Newton Centre, in said Newton:
am engaged in, and connected with several manufacturing enterprises, having
an office at No. 3 Studio Building, Tremont Street, Boston, Mass.: have
been acquainted with said Moulton since about the year 1861, — for some time
prior to his enlistment: at that time he was in apparent sound health,
and was a remarkably well developed and athletic young man:
that from a short time after his discharge — I should say the early part
of 1866 — up to the Spring of 1868, I was frequently brought in contact
with him: from the Spring of 1868, to the early part of 1872, I saw him
five or six times a year, at irregular intervals: that at the time I
first saw him after he came home from the army — about the early part
of 1866 — and afterwards, his condition was as follows: — when I first
saw him he complained of a weakness of his back and kidneys, with frequent
desire to void urine. I remember distinctly of his description of this weakness,
that if he was in a stooping position, it was with difficulty that he could
resume an erect position, his strength appearing to give way entirely: he was
also very nervous and excitable, suffered much from head-ache and had
a tremulous motion to his head, which I never noticed prior to his enlist-
ment: he told me that his troubles resulted from sun-stroke and some
chronic disease, and that his head had always troubled him since he
had the sun-stroke: he also stated that at that time he was under
the treatment of a Dr. Holmes: that shortly after this I noticed that he
had trouble with one of his eyes, which at times forced him to wear a
shade: that in 1866 or shortly thereafter I noticed in conversation with him
that he would act in an absent-minded manner, and would appear to forget what
he was talking about: this was very slight at first but it increased very notably:
that I called his attention to the way in which he wandered from this subject
but this seemed to annoy him: he ascribed this also to his head trouble from sun-stroke:
that he suffered from these troubles and symptoms in every year and continuously from
the time that I first noted them to 1872: that I often urged him to apply for pension.

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

Affiant's Signature,

P. O. Address,

Affiant's Signature,

P. O. Address,

Attest—when any affiant signs BY MARK 2 persons sign here.

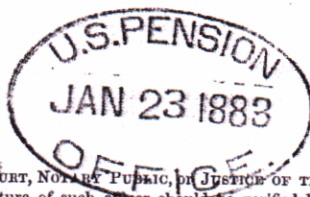
Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant ; and I certify that I read said
~~affidavit~~ to said affiant ~~was~~ and acquainted — with its contents before he executed the same: that said
affiant is personally known to me; that he is a credible person and so reputed in the community in
which he reside g . I further certify that the words were added
were erased, and the words before execution, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Witness my hand ~~and seal~~ this ninth day of January 1888.

~~ADD SEAL HERE~~

{ Any erasures or inter-
lineations in the foregoing
affidavit should be cer-
tified by the Magistrate, in
his jurat, as having been
made before execution. }

Elmer B. Loring
Magistrate's Signature.
Justice of the Peace
Official Character.
Certificate on file



NOTE.—This may be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC, or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If sworn before
a NOTARY or JUSTICE, then the official character and signature of such officer should be verified by certificate of the Clerk of
Court, on the form which follows:

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

Clerk.

[L.S.]

Additional Evidence	
Nature of Claim,	Original Inward.
No.	385,505
Claimant,	George C. Moulton
Late Corp'l Co. I " 38 th Reg't,	
Eng'rs,	Massachusetts Vols.
AFFIDAVIT OF	
George C. Moulton	
22 North 1st St. Boston, Mass.	
FILED BY	
G. J. Macdowell,	
29 School St.	
Boston, Mass.	