

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of

New York

County of

Cattaraugus

In the matter of

Claim No. 216, 219 of Big and Johnson
Case A. 154 Reg. M. Tol. Sec.

Personally came before me, a

in and for aforesaid County

and State,

By me A. Johnston

, aged 65

years

and

, aged

years

citizen of the Town of

Beersville

County of

Cattaraugus

, State of

New York

Post-Office address.

, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,

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

The disability for remuneration was contracted in
the accidents by December 1864 - an old
man or from Alluvia & Thompson &
and was caused by lying on the ground
in the water and mud and with
limbs or none of us had limbs and
was not allowed to leave any except
head quarters limbs.

I had charge of the Pioneer Corps
building roads and bridges and was
aligned & work in the water and mud
against deep of the limbs.

The names of the names is the most
excellent of the names

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of New York, County of Cattaraugus, ss:

In the matter of the claim of Bryant Johnson
Co. A. 154 Regt. N.Y. Vol. Inf. 216, 519 -

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid County
and State, Bryant Johnson, aged 60 years
and years

citizen of the Town of Getzville, County of Cattaraugus, State of
New York
Post-Office address.

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

That he is the claimant above named
and that in the month of December 1864
he was on the march from Atlanta to
Lawson's Co. he was in charge of the "Person
Corps" and worked building roads being
often in the swamps and water.

My inflammation was contracted on the
march, and was caused by exposure, the
lying on my side on wet ground at
night, and being in the water building
roads & bridges during the day.

From Lawson's & Washington was
transferred to

At Aspers Ferry in Sumner N. C. we were
crossing the river into South Carolina, I was
wounded in the thigh and neck during
bridge and Ordinary roads for eight days and
as a consequence was very badly wounded
with hemorrhage.

The hemorrhage was continuing was
quenched with permanence in continuing
increasing in severity

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of New York, County of Cattaraugus, ss:

In the matter of Claims for addl. Pension 216, 579 of
Byron A Johnston Co. A. 154 Regt 5th Yal

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid County
and State, Edward Bird, aged 49 years
and Edward Ames, aged 51 years

citizen of the Town of Gettysburg, County of Cattaraugus, State of
New York, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,

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

That they are both married and intentionally acquainted
with a one named claimant, Not said Bird Mar 1874 -
Co. F 154. Regt NY. Inf. Has said Ames was a Private in Co. F 154
Regt NY. Inf., and that they both know of claimant being treated
with Rheumatism in the March from Toronto to
Washington and that they know known him ever since
and that he has ever since that been subject to them.
motion and that he has seen said up his necks as a
time with it.

That in 1877 claimant was at work for the
Officers Bird and that he was later sick and
was laid up for six weeks in bed an account
of Rheumatism and that said Officers Ames
visited claimant when he was sick in bed
at that time

That the reason they do not possess knowledge
of claimant's being afflicted with Rheumatism
is that while in the service is that said claimant
was Captain of their Company (Co. F. 154th Regt -
NY. Inf. and that they saw him daily during
the time.

That they know that claimant is a soldier
disabled and wife for lots of my kind from
the Govt's discharge...

Head Quarters 15th Regt
Logan's Valley Tenn.
Jan'y. 13th 1864

General: I have the honor to apply
for a leave of absence for twenty (20)
days, for the reasons indicated in the
accompanying Surgeons Certificate, to which
you are respectfully referred.
My Post Office Address is Collicottville
Cattaraugus County New York
I am General

Very Resp Yours Capt. S. W. B. B. B.
Wm. A. Johnston
10
Capt. Genl W. A. Whipple
Capt. A. G. G. G.
Dept of the Army

383
 Johnson, Cym A
 Co B F, 154 N. Y. Inf.
 2d Lieut | Captain

CARD NUMBERS.

1	2935136	26	2949567
2	2935239	27	2943615
3	2935340	28	2943662
4	2936549	29	2943708
5	2935531	30	2934359
6	2934417	31	15652-18-86
7	2936896	32	15652-11-86
8	2936997	33	33617189
9	2937092	34	40040059
10	2937187	35	
11	2934340	36	
12	2934646	37	
13	2938048	38	
14	2947047	39	
15	2947134	40	
16	2947221	41	
17	2947302	42	
18	2947382	43	
19	2947460	44	
20	2947534	45	
21	2947599	46	
22	2943753	47	
23	2947719	48	
24	2947957	49	
25	2934653	50	

Book Mark: 15652-18-86
 3942-1881
 86841-RK PROW
 268,614 -R 18-91

See also

(858) Copyist. *Hoyberger*

Book mark: _____

Remarks: *Transferred from Mr. Searcy. The first time and then spent by Administration to Capt. Searcy - 1863*

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for _____

Stoppage, \$ 100 for _____

Present or absent _____

for *Jan & Feb*, 1863.

Company Muster Roll

Appears on _____

Byron A Johnston, Co. A, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

154 | N.Y.

(858) Copyist. *Hoyberger*

Book mark: _____

Remarks: _____

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for _____

Stoppage, \$ 100 for _____

Present or absent _____

for *Mar & Dec*, 1862.

Company Muster Roll

Appears on _____

Byron A Johnston, Co. A, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

154 | N.Y.

(858) Copyist. *Hoyberger*

Book mark: _____

Remarks: _____

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for _____

Stoppage, \$ 100 for _____

Present or absent _____

for *Payment to Oct. 31*, 1862.

Company Muster Roll

Appears on _____

Byron A Johnston, Co. A, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

154 | N.Y.

J. A. Johnston
1574 | N. Y.
1st Lt., Co. 1, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.
Age 35 years.

Appears on

Individual Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated
Berlin, Md. July 16, 1863.
Muster-in to date *May 27, 1863.*
Joined for duty and enrolled:

When *May 27, 1863.*

Where *Stafford Co. Md. Va.*
Period *3* years.

Remarks: *Appointed vice Allan
promoted.*

Book mark:

(888) *James*
Copyist

J.
154 | N. Y.
Raymond H. Johnston
1st Lieut., Co. 1, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *May 27, 1863*
Present
Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

(888) *J. Johnston*
Copyist

J.
154 | N. Y.
Raymond A. Johnston
1st Lt., Co. 1, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *July - Aug. 1863*
Present
Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

*Back pay due as
1st Lt. from April 14 to
May 27/63. Entered
to \$10. for month for
responsibility money for
July + Aug*

Book mark:

(888) *John*
Copyist

(861)

Copyist

Wmmy

Book mark:

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Last settled -----, 186 ; drawn since \$ 100

Clothing account:

Last paid to -----, 186

Muster-out to date -----, 186

Wm. Bradenburgh must. June 1, 1865

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Co. B, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Wm. A. Johnson

154 N. Y.

(858)

Copyist

Wmmy

Book mark:

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Present or absent

for *May 5 June*, 1863

Company Muster Roll

Appears on

Co. B, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Wm. A. Johnson

154 N. Y.

(858)

Copyist

Wmmy

Book mark:

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Present or absent

for *Mar 5 Apr*, 1863

Company Muster Roll

Appears on

Co. B, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Wm. A. Johnson

154 N. Y.

154 | N. Y. | *John A. Johnson*
 Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated *Apr 11, 1863*
Mr. Oberlin W. May
 Muster-out to date *1863*
 Last paid to *1863*
 Clothing account:
 Last settled *1863*; drawn since \$ *100*
 Due soldier \$ *100*; due U. S. \$ *100*
 Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ *100*
 Due U. S. for arms, equipments, etc., \$ *100*
 Bounty paid \$ *93.00*; due \$ *100*
 Remarks: *Transferred to Co. B*
for promotion
 Book mark: *Exchanged to date*
 (861) Copyist: *E. H. Brown*

154 | N. Y. | *John A. Johnson*
 Office Muster-in.
 No original muster-in roll for this officer as of
 the grade named above is on file. Under the
 provisions of law he is considered as commissioned
 to that grade to date from *Jan'y 28, 1863*.
 Book mark *U.S. 3942 (28) 1881*
 (850) Copyist: *York*

154 | N. Y. | *John A. Johnson*
 Appears on *Co. B, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.*
 for *Jan'y 28, 1863*
 Present or absent *Present*
 Stoppage, \$ *100* for *100*
 Due Gov't, \$ *100* for *100*
 Remarks: *Com'd from Sgt. to 2d Lt.*
and assigned to Co. B on the 28th Jan'y
63. Muster-out on 28th Jan'y 1863
and mustered on 28th Jan'y 1863
 Book mark: *Exchanged to date*
 (858) Copyist: *E. H. Brown*

154 N.Y.

John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated
John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Muster-out to date
John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Last paid to
John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Clothing account:

Last settled, 186; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: *Our responsibility*

for
Army, Comdg Co. F, from
Sept. 1/64 to Oct. 13/64

Book mark: *Wm. B. Hall R. & P. B. Co.*

(861) *Johnson*
Copyist.

154 N.Y.

John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on
John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

for *Wm. B. Hall*
Wm. B. Hall
1865

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: *On detached service*

Company King's Revenue

Book mark:

(868) *Johnson*
Copyist.

154 N.Y.

John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on
John A. Johnson
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

for *John A. Johnson*
John A. Johnson
1865

Present or absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: *On detached service*

Company King's Revenue

Book mark:

(869) *Johnson*
Copyist.

Y. *J. Brown & Johnson*
 N.Y. | 1574 | N.Y.
 Appears on
 Co. A, 1574 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Regimental Descriptive Book
 of the regiment named above.

Age 34 years; height 5 feet 9 inches.

Complexion *dark*

Eyes *dark*; hair *black*

Where born *Clintonville, N.Y.*

Occupation *farmer*

When *July 21, 1862*

Where *Clintonville*

By whom *B. K. Saiter*; term 3 yrs.

Remarks:

(3846) *Wm. M. Mearns*
 Copy.

Y. *J. Brown & Johnson*
 1574 | N.Y.
 Appears on
 Co. A, 1574 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

NOTATION.
 Book mark: *R. & P. 86841, 15,652-718-1886*

War Department,
 Record and Pension Division,

Washington, Dec. 18, 1887.

Under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved June 3, 1884, and the acts amendatory thereof, this officer is considered by this Department as commissioned to the grade of *Captain*.

Co. *C*, 1574 Reg't, *N.Y. Inf. 7th*,
 to take effect from *July 9, 1864*,
 vice *John A. Johnson resigned.*

(442) *J. D. & O. O'Neal*
 Copy.

Y. *J. Brown & Johnson*
 1574 | N.Y.
 Appears on
 Co. A, 1574 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

NOTATION.
 R. & P. 268014 mark
 Book mark: *15652 (97) 1886*

War Department,
 Record and Pension Division,

Washington, January 22, 1891.

Under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved June 3, 1884, and the acts amendatory thereof, this officer is considered by this Department as commissioned to the grade of *2nd Lieutenant*.

Co. *B*, 1574 Reg't, *N.Y. Inf. 7th*,
 to take effect from *Jan'y 3, 1863*,
 vice *W. H. Lincoln, discharged.*

(442) *Johnson*
 Copy.

N.Y.

1574

Bayron A. Johnston
Capt. Co. F, 1574 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on an

Individual Muster-out Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated
March 28, 1864
Muster-out to date *Oct 15, 1864*
Last paid to *Aug 31, 1864*

Clothing account:

Last settled \$ 100 ; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100 ; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100 ; due \$ 100

Remarks: *Mustered out to*

date drawn Oct 15, 1864
to a credit of \$1000
on books of 4 down
Reg's

Book mark:

Beards

Copyist

(848)

N.Y.

1574

Bayron A. Johnston
Capt. Co. F, 1574 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Age 37 years.

Appears on

Individual Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated
Atlanta, Geo. Oct 16, 1864
Muster-in to date *Oct 16, 1864*

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When

Oct 16, 1864

Where

Atlanta, Geo.

Period

years. For the unpaid term

Remarks:

promoted in to date

from Oct 16/64 vice Capt.

Geo. E. Hubbard, resigned

and in accordance with Par. I

Articles 75, War Dept. order

2/2/64

Book mark: *Mr. in a Capt. Co. F*

ordered to take effect July 3,

Bayron

Copyist

(886)

N.Y.

154

Bayron A. Johnston
Capt. Co. F, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for *Sept 4 Oct*, 1864
Present or absent *Present*

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: *Drawn from*

of Co. F and mustered

in to date Oct 16/64

Bayron

Copyist

(358)

(861)

Copyist

N.Y. Moore

Book mark:

Remarks: *Discharged to receive
Promotion in Co. F. a
Sept. Oct 1864*

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, etc., \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Last settled, 186; drawn since \$ 100

Clothing account:

Last paid to

Muster-out to date

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

13th January 1865

John A. Johnston, Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

John A. Johnston

John A. Johnston

John A. Johnston

(858)

Copyist

W.F. Moore

Book mark:

Remarks: *Discharged to cash*

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Present or absent

for *Sept 1864*

Company Muster Roll

Appears on

John A. Johnston, Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

John A. Johnston

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John A. Johnston

(858)

Copyist

John A. Johnston

Book mark:

Remarks: *Pay due on Co. Com
Muster from Dec. 31/63
Paid on 1st Sept*

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Present or absent

for *July Aug. 1864*

Company Muster Roll

Appears on

John A. Johnston, Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

John A. Johnston

John A. Johnston

John A. Johnston

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of New York, County of Cattaraugus, ss:

In the matter of The Pension Claim of Byron A. Johnston

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid County

and State Joseph Dyer, aged Sixty years

and Alex. Binford, aged forty seven years

citizen of the Town of Casselman, County of Cattaraugus, State of

New York, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,

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

That they are well and personally acquainted with the claimant Byron A. Johnston and have been for N. and 40 years respectively that they reside in the same place and have personal knowledge of the reputation condition and habits of said Dyer and Binford.

That they have no means of supporting or disproof his claim, and that he has a family dependent upon him for support.

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Certificate No. 216579

Department of the Interior,

Name, *Wm. A. Johnston*

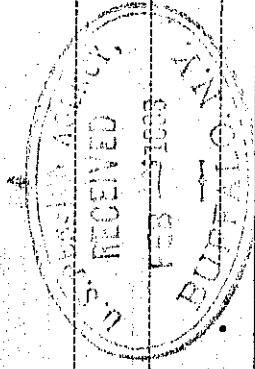
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., January 15, 1898.

SIR:

In forwarding to the pension agent the executed voucher for your next quarterly payment please favor me by returning this circular to him with replies to the questions enumerated below.

Very respectfully,



McChesney
Commissioner of Pensions.

First. Are you married? If so, please state your wife's full name and her maiden name.

Answer. *Conelia Johnston Couche Dills*

Second. When, where, and by whom were you married?

Answer. *fourteenth July 1857 at Elioottville KY*

Third. What record of marriage exists?

Answer. *An affidavit of Mrs Victoria Burdine's wife who was a witness to our Marriage*

Fourth. Were you previously married? If so, please state the name of your former wife and the date and place of her death or divorce.

Answer. *no*

Fifth. Have you any children living? If so, please state their names and the dates of their birth.

Answer. *have one son William B Johnston No 2 Born*

June 14 1856

Wm A Johnston

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 11th Day of December 1879
and I hereby certify that the con-
tents of the above declaration &c
were fully made known and
explained to the applicant and
witnesses before swearing; and
that they have no interest
whatever in the prosecution
of this claim.

A. D. SCOTT
County Judge

of Company "D" of the said 15th
Regiment, and that afterwards
on the 11th of ~~1861~~
of the United States. and. he
therefore makes this declaration
for the purpose of being placed on
the ^{public} pension roll of the United States.
That his Post Office address is
Ellicottville, County of Cattaraugus,
and State of New York.

By Byron A Johnston
Alexander Bird
Alonzo S. Roney

Also personally appeared: Alexan-
der Bird residing at Ellicottville
and: Alonzo S. Roney residing at
Ellicottville aforesaid, persons whom
I certify to be respectable and en-
titled to credit, and who being by
me duly sworn say they were pres-
ent and saw Byron A Johnston
the claimant sign his name to the
foregoing declaration. That they
have every reason from the ap-
pearance of said claimant and
A.

hospital, but obtained a leave of absence and was treated for said disease while absent on said leave.

That he has been employed in the military service of the United States otherwise than as stated above and as follows: He was enrolled in Company "A" of the 37th Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers, and was honorably discharged from the service in January 1862.

That since leaving the service this applicant has resided in the town of Ellenville County of Cattaraugus and State of New York and that his occupation has been that of a Carpenter and joiner. That prior to his entry into the service as aforesaid he was a man of good sound physical health being when enrolled a Carpenter and joiner.

State of New York, } ss
County of Cattaraugus

On this 17th day of December 1879
before me County Judge of the
County of Cattaraugus, and Judge
of the County Court of Cattaraugus
County, a Court of Record in and
for said County and State, person-
ally appeared Byron A. Johnston
aged 52 years, a resident of
the town of Ellicottville, County of
Cattaraugus and State of New York
who being duly sworn according
to Law declares that he is the i-
dentical Byron A. Johnston who
was enrolled on or about the

29th day of January 1863 as 2^d
Lieutenant of "B." Company of the
157th Regiment of New York In-
fantry Volunteers, commanded by
Captain S. V. Pool, and near hon-
orably discharged. Can Captain of
Co. "B." 57th Regt. N. Y. I. A.

of Company "I" of the said 157th
Regiment, and that afterwards
and on the 16th day of October
1864, he was enrolled as Cap-
tain of Company "G" of said 157th
Regiment, from which he was
honorably discharged from the
service as aforesaid.

That while a member of the
organization aforesaid, to-wit:

while 1st Lieutenant of Company
"I" as aforesaid, in the service
and in the line of his duty, on
the march from Chalawoyce to
near Knoxville, to the relief of
General Sumner, he was attacked
with Charrhoea, which became
chronic diarrhoea; that he was
prostrated and rendered unfit
for duty by said disease, and
for a long time suffered acutely
and was completely prostrated
thereby, that he has never, re-
covered from said disease, and
that his constitution and general

154 N. Y.

Byron Johnston

1st Regt Co. A., 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Age *34* years.

Appears on

Company Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Jamestown, N.Y. Sept. 24, 1862

Muster-in to date *Sept. 24, 1862*

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When *July 21st*, 186

Where *Ellicottville*

Period *3* years.

Remarks:

Book mark:

(856)

Hayberger Copyist

3-1081.

PENSIONER DROPPED.

no other claim
United States Pension Agency,

Buffalo, N. Y.

June 29, 1904.

Certificate No.

216569

Class

Civil War. 7495

Pensioner

Byron A. Johnston.

Soldier

Service

Sp. A. 2d Lt. B. 154
NY 79

The Commissioner of Pensions.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the

above-named pensioner ~~who~~ was last paid

at \$ *17*, to *Aug 1903*

has been dropped because of

death
17 Dec 03

Very respectfully,

W. A. M.

United States Pension Agent.

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

ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES.



CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE.

(To be used, in duplicate, in all cases of discharge on account of disability.)

George H. Wainwright
Washington
 Company, (1st) of the
 Regiment of United States
 of Captain *L. G.*

was enlisted by *Col. Wm. B. Army* *Regiment* of *U.S.A.*
 the *1st* Regiment of *U.S.A.* at *Allegany* *W.Va.*

on the *17* day of *May* *1867*, to serve *2* years; he was born
 in *Cattaraugus County* in the State of *New York* is *Thirty four*
 years of age, *5* feet *8 1/2* inches high, *light* complexion, *gray* eyes,
brunet hair, and by occupation when enlisted a *Cavalry* *musician*. During the last two
 months said soldier has been unfit for duty *days*. (Here consult directions on Form 12, p. 263, Medical Dept. Gen. Reg.)

STATION: *Fort Washington Md*
 DATE: *December 28 1868*

L. G. Wainwright
Commanding Company.
Johnston *Capt*

I CERTIFY, that I have carefully examined the said *Wainwright* of
 Captain *L. G. Wainwright's* Company, and find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because
 of (Here consult par. 1134, p. 245, and directions on Form 12, p. 263, Med. Dept. Gen. Reg.)

Chronic inflammation of the kidneys and
general debility therefrom

DISCHARGED, this *nineteenth* day of *January* *1862*, at *Fort Washington, Ind*
Samuel A. Storm, *Surgeon.*

Chas. S. Merchant
Col. W. B. Army *Commanding the Post.*

NOTE 1.—When a probable case for pension, special care must be taken to state the degree of disability.
 NOTE 2.—The place where the soldier desires to be addressed may be here added.

County— State—

334088

ment,

A. STANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, June 23, 1881.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

Sydney A. Johnston, Company C, 157th Regiment

New York Volunteers, was enlisted on the 21st day of

July, 1862, at Ellicottville, and

is reported: Mustered in, 1st Sergh., Sept

24th 1862 - Oct. 31. 62 and Dec 21 1862

Present - Feb. 28 to 1863 Promoted from

1st Sergh. to 2^d Lieut., and transferred by assign-

ment to Capt. S. O. Post Co. "B." Jan. 4 - 1863 - 1863.

"Discharged & date Jan. 27 1863 for

promotion to 2^d Lieut. Co. "B." same Regiment."

S.S.

G. M. Richardson

Assistant Adjutant General.
(2.)

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went for duty; and I further declare my belief that he had no other able to assume the duties in a less period than (20) thirty days and that a greater change than can be obtained in this Department is necessary to prevent permanent disability.

(Signed) W. C. C. Pungwa,
Adj. Surg. 15th Regt. A. U. V.
Exchange Regt.

April 29, 1864: "Present." Return for May 1864.
"Absent since May 29, 1864." June 1864: "on duty,"
"ached, service in Com. of 1st Regt. June 15, 1864 & s.
Roll, July and August 1864. "Present." Return for
July 1864: "absent because of 109 days from July
23, 1864." September, 1864: "Present."

"He was summoned in as Captain Company
F. to date October 16, 1864. Roll dated October 31, 1864.
"Present." Return from November 1864 to May 1865.
"Detached in command of Pioneer & Guard Company
No. 4, 1864."

"He was summoned out with Company
June 11, 1865.
"On receiving a sick report on file, and on
further evidence of disability.

I am, sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

W. C. C. Pungwa
Assistant Adjutant General.

3281 [V.S.] 1871.
mlo.

War

ment,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, July 9th, 1881.

SIR:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your request of April 22nd, 1881, for certain information for use in the consideration of application for pension No. 334,088, and to return it herewith, with the following information from the records of this office:

It appears from the rolls, &c., on file in this office that James O. Johnston was mustered into the service of the United States as Co. 1st Regt. N.Y. Artillery, 15th Regt of New York Volunteers, to date January 28th, 1863, to serve three years or during the war. On the Muster-roll of Company A of that Regiment for the months of April 23rd.

"June 17th, 1863." James O. Johnston Private 1st Regt. N.Y. Artillery.

James O. Johnston was mustered in on 1st Regiment Company I to date May 27, 1863. Roll of Company I dated August 31, 1863. "Present" and returned to duty on 21st January and February 1864. Present about 100. Certificate of disability from the 23rd January to the 28th February 1864.

The following is a copy of the Engineer's Certificate on which he was based:

Headquarters, 15th Regt. P. V. & M.,
Fort Detrick, Va.,
Jan. 13, 1864.

1st Lieut. James O. Johnston Co. I, 15th Regt. P. V. & M., having applied to me for a certificate on which to submit an application for a loan of absence, I do hereby certify that I do not consider fully examined that officer and find that he is suffering from "chronic diarrhoea", attended with pain in the cardiac region, and that his health and vigor for the nine months last

1881 11 11

That he is now wholly 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 application for the purpose of being placed on the invalid pension roll of the United States as a Captain.

He hereby appoints with full power of substitution and revocation, John K. Ward of Ellicottville, N.Y., his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim.

That he has not received nor applied for a pension as a Captain.

That his Post Office address is Ellicottville, Cattaraugus County, State of New York.

Byron A. Johnston

Also personally appeared *Wm. C. Clark* residing at *Salamanca* and *John Markham* residing at *St. Valley* persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw Byron A. Johnston the claimant sign his name 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.

Wm. C. Clark

John Markham

Sworn to and subscribed before me this fourth day of November A.D. 1891, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration &c were fully made known and explained to the applicant and the witnesses before swearing; and that I have no interest in the prosecution of this claim, either direct or indirect.

A. S. Treeland
County Judge

STATE OF NEW YORK)
) SS
CATTARAUGUS COUNTY)

On this ^{16th} day of October, 1891, personally appeared before me the County Judge of the County of Cattaraugus, a court of Record within and for the County and State aforesaid Byron A. Johnston, aged 64 years, a resident of the town of Ellicottville County of Cattaraugus, State of New York, who, being by me duly sworn according to law, says that he is the identical Byron A. Johnston who was promoted to the rank of Captain on the 9th day of July 1864, in Co. F of the 154th Regt. N.Y. Vol. Infantry, date of Commission, Sept. 16, 1864, and was honorably discharged and mustered out of the service with his Company and Regiment, between Bladensburg and Washington, on the 11th day of June, 1864; That his personal description is as follows: Age, 64 years; height 5 feet 10 inches; eyes, black; complexion, light; hair, gray. That while a member of said organization, in the service, and in the line of his duty, and on the march from Atlanta Savannah, in the state of Georgia, and from Savannah to Washington, between the 15th day of November, 1864 and the 15th day of May, 1865, The first trouble I experienced from Rheumatism was at Savannah Ga. in January, 1865, from lying in the water and on the ground and being exposed, as we had no tents after leaving Atlanta, on the march to the sea. The trouble increased from that time and grew worse on the way from Savannah to Washington, and resulted in chronic articular Rheumatism. I was not treated in any hospital, and have not been employed in the military or naval service otherwise than as follows:

I was enlisted as a private, July, 1862, made Sergeant, Sept. 1862, 2d Lieutenant, Jan. 19, 1863, with rank from Oct. 31, 1862; 1st Lieut. May 27, 1863, with rank from April 7, 1863; Captain, Sept. 16, 1864, with

and 1st Lt. By

Head Quarters 154 Regt A. Y. S. Regs

Look Out Valley Tenn

Jan 15th 1864

Pt. Lieut. Byron. A. Johnson Co. S. 154 Regt A. Y. S. Regs

having applied to me for a certificate on which to
ground an application for a leave of absence. I do hereby
certify that I have carefully examined this Officer
and find that he is suffering from Chronic Diarrhoea
attended with pain in the Coccyx region and shortness
of breath and has been for the nine months last past
and for the six weeks last past the same been much
worse than usual. In consequence of which. He is in my
opinion unfit for duty; and I further declare my
belief that he will not be able to resume his duties
in a less period than (20) twenty days and that a greater
change than can be obtained in this department
is necessary to prevent permanent disability

C. C. Ruggs

Asst Surgeon 154 A. Y. S.

In Charge Regt

1059 - 14
Hd Qrs 134 Regt N.Y. Vol
Jan'y 15th 1864
D.C. 1864
Abner A. Byron A. 1st Lt.
134 Regt. N.Y. Vol

Apply for leave of absence
for twenty (20) days on
Surgeon's certificate

Approved and respectfully
forwarded -

Dear Sir
Lt. Col. Amos 134th
Regt. N.Y. Vols.

13) Hd Qrs 1st Brigade
Jan'y 15th 1864
Respectfully referred
to Surg in Chief 1st Brig
a de

By Order of Col
G. M. Mindil
Comd'g 1st Brigade
W. H. Brown
Capt a cad

1059 - 14
Jan 15/64

Office of the
Surgeon in Chief 1st Brigade
2nd Div 11th A.C. Jan'y 15th 1864

Approved after a perso-
nal examination of this
applicant, and respectfully
forwarded

H. H. Sherman
Surg. & 27th Pa. Vols.
Surg. in Chief 1st Brigade

13) Hd Qrs 1st Brigade
Jan'y 15th 1864
Approved and respect-
fully forwarded

G. M. Mindil

Col. Commanding
1st Brigade

W. H. Brown

949
Hd Qrs 3rd Div
January 15th

Respectfully referred
to the Surgeon in Chief
By Order of Col. Penn
Robert E. Beecher

W. H. Brown

Office of Surgeon in Chief
2nd Division N.Y. Vols.
Jan'y 15th 1864

Approved after personal
examination of this
and respectfully forwarded

W. H. Brown
Surgeon in Chief
2nd Division

950
Hd Qrs 3rd Div
January 15th 1864

Approved and
respectfully forwarded

A. B. Beecher
Col. Commanding 3rd Div

J | 154 | N. Y.
Byron A. Johnston
184 Lt., Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for May & June, 1864.

Present or absent not stated

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

Long

J | 154 | N. Y.
Byron A. Johnston
184 Lt., Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Mch & Apl., 1864.

Present or absent present (signs roll)

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

Book mark:

Long

J | 154 | N. Y.
Byron A. Johnston
184 Lt., Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Jan & Feb., 1864.

Present or absent present (signs roll)

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Absent on Surgeons
Certificate of Disability from
Jan. 23rd to Feb. 25th, '64.

Book mark:

Long

J | 154 | N. Y.
Byron A. Johnston
184 Lt., Co. I, 154 Reg't N. Y. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for

Present or absent

Stoppage

Due Gov't

Remarks:

Book mark:

U. S. Military Telegraph.

July 21 1864

By Telegraph from

Warrville 21 1864

To Gen. A. Johnston,
Genl. Co. N. Y.

Apply for leave
absence at least
10 days.

R. M. Sawyer
a day,

I am stopping at the Winchester House

Chattanooga Tenn

July 2nd 1904

Wm McMichael
Wey & A G Lem, O.C

I have the honor to make
Application for a Leave of Absence for (10) Ten days
and the following are my reasons for so doing

I have been in Nashville Tenn for the
last six weeks on duty in the Substance Ordnance
& L.M. Department and were relieved while in
Chattanooga Tenn on business and it is absolutely
necessary for me to return to Nashville Tenn
to close up my connections with these Departments
My forman is in Nashville and it is imperative
that I should desire to obtain his affidavit
which is not to be obtained and my business
not so settled - and immediately will under
me greatly pecuniarily and also involve the
Government

Yours Major

Very respectfully
Wm A. G. Lem, O.C. 152. 8/1/04

W. G. [unclear] 15th [unclear] N. Y. [unclear]
June 2/04

Warner L. D.
Major. County Regt.

Makes statement in regard
to the absence of [unclear]
Byron A. Johnson of his
regt. and asks that he
may be returned to his
regt. in order that the circumstances
attending his absence may be
investigated

Hd Qrs 2nd Div
20 Comp June 2/04
Respectfully forwarded
Approved
P. H. Jones

Col. [unclear]
Cavalry Brigade

Head Quarters 2nd Division
20th [unclear]

June 20/04
Respectfully forwarded
approved.

Geo W. Geary
Regt Gen County

Head Qrs 2nd Div
June 27th 1864

Respectfully forwarded
approved

Joseph [unclear]
Maj. Genl County

Forwarded

Head Quarter
Dept of the Cumberland
New Kennesaw Mountain
Georgia June
Respectfully forwarded
approved

Geo A. [unclear]

Maj Gen
Cavalry

Hd. Qrs. Mil. Div. of the M
Nashville Tenn July 7. 04
Respectfully referred to Col
S. W. Henderson, C. S. at
Nashville Tenn. for his return

This paper to be returned
By order of
Maj. Genl. W. T. Sherman
M. [unclear]
Asst. Adjt. Genl.

(Examined 318)

Head Quarters 164th Regt Misso
On the field June 26th 1864

Colonel.

Allow me to call your attention to the case of 1st Lieut,
Byron A Johnson of this Regt. Who by Special Order
No 78, Head Quarters Military Division of the Mississippi
Dated June 13th 1864, is detailed on duty in the Saboteur
Department at Nashville Tenn.

Ship Officer left his Post
while in face of the enemy, on or about the 29th of May
last, without (as far as my knowledge extends) any authority
whatsoever. He had been for some days complaining of indisposition
and had received from the surgeon, admission, into the Ambulance,
When the Regt. went into position on the 25th, he remained to
the rear, near where the Ambulances were parked, and from there
he left without authority, and was next found from at Nashville
He is reported on the Regimental Records as absent without
leave. Under these circumstances I would respectfully
ask that this Officer be returned to his Regiment, that
his case may be investigated before a proper tribunal.

I am Colonel Henry Peabody
Colonel. N. M. Sawyer. }
A. A. General. Military }
Division of the Mississippi. }
Young Adjutant General
L. D. Harner
Major Com 164th Regt-Misso

W. No (M271) 1864

Nashville June 2/64

Warner Maj. G.D.

Comdg 154th NY Vols

Makes statement in regard to the absence of Lieut. Byron A Johnson of his Regt

RECEIVED GENERAL HEADQUARTERS

File See SO. 101. 1864

Subs Dept.
Nashville July 8/64

Respectfully returned with the information that Capt E. Chalfant C.S. represented to me that Lieut Johnson had been sick in hospital for some time, that his company was reduced to five or six men, and also that there was a commissioned officer with his company at that time. Being in urgent need of officers, to forward cattle to the front, I asked for his detail

Capt W. Rochester
a. a. g.
Military Div
of Va. } D. W. Hudson
Capt R. D.

Head-Quarters A. A. Provost Marshal General,

AND CHIEF MUSTERING & DISBURSING OFFICER,

WESTERN DIVISION OF NEW YORK

ELMIRA N. Y. June 22nd 1865.

Captain B. A. Johnson }
Musty & Diabg. Officer }
Elmira N.Y. }

Captain,

You will not give any certificate to Captain B. A. Johnson, 154th N. Y. Vols. until he has turned over to Capt. J. J. Swell A. G. M. Elmira, a government horse which he has taken without authority, and for which Lieut. W. Clark A. G. M. is responsible.

Very Respectfully
Your obt. Servant.

W. M. Dairman

Major 10th U. S. Inf.

Chief M & D Officer
N. Y.

(L. B. 4-551)

Onica New York

June 22^d 1861

Byron Johnson Capt. Co. F. 114th N. Y. Infy.
being duly sworn before and says that on or
about the 1st of July 1863 he first became
responsible for Anderson and Anderson's duties in
the 114th N. Y. and has been so responsible at
different times until Jan. 1865 at which time
by a legitimate transfer of duty he became
relieved of all responsibility for the same, and
has not since said period been accountable
for Stover in any manner whatever; that he
has never served in any other organization
and that during his term of service he
has to the best of his ability rendered faithful
complete and regular acc'ts to the Secy of
War of all Anderson and Anderson's duties
for which he was in any manner become
responsible whether said paying come into
his possession by Anderson's assignment, let
up. found or references from the enemy
Defendant further says that upon the 27th
1st day of February 1865 he had completed
said returns of all Returns of Anderson

being between you and subject of its contents
near the Soluta River S. C.

Deponent further says that as a
consequence of the above he has not met
in his possession, nor ever he knows how
to obtain any memoranda notes or records
with which to make out true copies of
Return

Shown & before me this

22nd day of June 1868

Jayman A Johnston



Amant Blye

Notary Public for

Cheney County
N.Y.

Capt W. T. 1120 N.Y.C.R.

New York 1120 N.Y.C.R.

Orville New York

June 22 1868

William De Sant 1st Sergeant Co D 1120 N.Y.C.R.

Off being duly sworn before me says that
the contents of the above are true to the
best of his information and belief

files
in the Office
of the Notary
Public
Orville
Cheney

J. P. J. Johnston. Being duly sworn, do
certify that I am not indebted or accountable to the United
States, on account of Comities or Locumins, pay, contingencies,
and or accoutments, ammunition, stores, clothing, camp equip-
age, medicine or medical instruments, hospital board, or on
any other account whatsoever, and have made all required
returns.

By: J. P. J. Johnston
Capt. 15th reg. I. I. V.

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 23 day of June, 1865, at
Albany, New York.

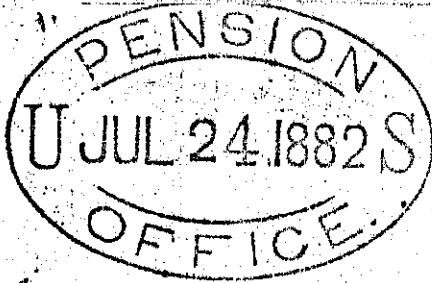
C. W. Johnson Jr.
Deputy Captain

Notary and Deput. Officer,

State of New York }
County of Cattaraugus } ss

On this twenty second day of July
A. D. 1882 before me a Notary Public
in and for the County and State a-
foresaid, personally appeared Byron
A Johnston who being by me duly
sworn according to Law, declares,
that he resides at Ellcattville, Catta-
ragus County in the State of Arkansas
and that he is the identical Byron
A Johnston who was a 1st Lieut in
Co "G", 154th Regt New York Vols, in
the War of 1861, and also named in
Pension Claim No 334,088. Invalid
Pension for which he has applied
. And deponent further says and
declares that he has not seen in the
military service, nor employed in
the military or naval service of the
United States since June 11th 1865

Byron A Johnston



Invalid Pension

Claim No 334.088

Byron A Johnston
Co. A. 154 Regt
N.Y. Vols.

Additional Evidence

Post office
Ellenburgh
N.Y.

Hearst

no sub case

Client's Certificate certifying that
Edwin J. Henry is notary Public and
file in Pension office

and for Cattaraugus County N.Y.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of New York, County of Cattaraugus, #11:

In the matter of The Claim for Surrender of David
Perman of Byron St. Johnston, Cat No 216, 579

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid County

and State, Byron A Johnston, aged 60 years

and _____, aged _____ years

citizen of the Town of Calcuttance, County of Cattaraugus, State of

New York
Post-Office address.

_____, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,

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

That he is the identical Byron A Johnston
who was named defendant in Cat No. 216, 579
Rept. N.Y. Voluntary Infamy

That he is entirely dependent
upon his daily labor for his support
and has no other means of gaining a
living for himself and his family
and he is unable to pay fine

That he is unable by reason of the
distressing illness in the course
of his labor

That he is the claimant as
mentioned and that his name
appears in No. 216, 579

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of New York, County of Cattaraugus, #1:

In the matter of The claim for additional Pension
Claim No 716, 579 of Bernard Johnson Co. A. 154, N.Y. 70

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for aforesaid County
and State, Bernard Johnson, aged 65 years

and _____, aged _____ years
citizen of the Town of Carleton Place, County of Cattaraugus, State of
New York Post-Office address.

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

That he is the claimant above named
for Dr. Wright's Day the Regiment
Army, or here lost known place of residence
was Carl Claire's. Can not be heard from
and that no tidings can be had from him
he has been repeatedly sought for by claimant
that Dr. Forsee should be the true
claimant where he returned from the army
and for a long time thought in mind
that Dr. Johnson's testimony of Dr. A. W.
Johnson has been already filed

In response to Case 11513

possessive nor can he know how to obtain,
any memoranda, notes or records with respect to
make out new copies of Returns.

Enclosed by me are this
22 day of June 1865
Norman Blye
Notary Public for
Chemung County
Pa



Jaynes, A Johnston
Capt Co F 182, a 1846 Regt



Send your files 1820 N.Y.C.
This paper was found in the office
of the Provost Marshal General's Office
with the records received from
Messrs. Miller & Scott June 22 1865.

Miller & Scott, 1st Sergeant Co F 15th Regt N.Y.C.
Info being only upon copies and not the
contents of the others on hand to the best
of his information and belief

Send to before me this) Miller, R. Scott
day of June 1865) 1st Sergeant Co F 15th Regt

Norman Blye
Notary Public for
Chemung County
Pa

Clinton New York
June 28 1865

Byron A Johnson Capt Co J. 13th N.Y. Light
being duly sworn before me says that on or about
the 1st of July 1863 he first became responsible
for Co. C. 5. C. in the 17th N.Y. Cav. he has been so
responsible at different times until Nov. 1864
at which time he was detached as chief of the
Provost Corps of the 2^d Brig 2^d Div for U. S. Cav. has
not since since detachment been on duty with
said Regt nor has he been responsible for any
property whatever; that he has never served in
any other organization than those mentioned; that
during his term of service he was unceremoniously
sentimental complete and regular accoutre to the Gov.
by return of all property in which he ever in
any manner became responsible whether said
property was received by him or by any receipts,
tokens etc. found or captured from the enemy
Inferent further says that upon the 14th
day of February 1865 he had complete entire

U. S. Military Telegraph.

By Telegraph from Rattamung July 20 186

To Col A Wauger 186

I would ask leave of absence
for ten days to go to Charle-
stown & confer with
Commissary & Co M depts
Very Respy from old ones

Wm D Johnston
A Wauger