

SPECIAL FITNESS AND FACILITIES FOR ATTENDING TO GOVERNMENT CLAIMS.

CLAIMANTS WILL PLEASE KEEP ME FROM LOSS IN THE MATTER OF POSTAGE.

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Washington, D. C., March 13, 1899.

Capt. Cyrus H. Walker,
Albany, Oregon.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter relative to another application for pension.

There is no doubt in my mind that your age and physical condition incapacitate§ you in a pensionable degree for manual labor, and I shall be glad to see what I can do for you if you will execute and return to me the enclosed application blank. Be sure to state all your disabilities, and if age be one, give that also.

It is almost certain that there will be an allowance in your pay claim, but I trust you will be patient, as the Auditor's Office has fallen far behind in its work, it having to audit every single military expenditure on account of the late war, and it is, consequently, nearly overwhelmed.

Yours truly,

H. A. Hayward

When you write me again cannot you send me the addresses of some officers, or officers' widows ?