

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Pension Office,

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Statement, showing the Service of Thomas Coleman

Duration of the claimant's service.	Rank of the claimant.	Name and Rank of the Company or other organization to which he served.	Name and Rank of the General and Field officers.	Battles in which the applicant was engaged.	Country through which he marched.	Place of abode when he entered the service and age at the present period.	Evidence by which the decision is supported.
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I am respectfully,
 Your obedient servant,
J. L. EDWARDS,
 Commissioner of Pensions.