

(Claim of Harris E. Pitman)
(Tigerville, S. C.)
(File No. 385 L/C.)

Wrapper Indorsement.

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War Dept., Office of the Director of the Real Estate Service, Munitions Bldg.,
Washington, D. C. December 6, 1919 - To Director of Finance, Attention Major
Hartley.

1. Synopsis made of the claim of Harris E. Pitman, Tigerville, S. C.
File No. 385 L/C.
2. In order that our files may be completed, it is requested that you
advise this office when payment is made of this claim.

By authority of the Director, Real Estate Service:

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J. C. WHITAKER,
Lt. Col., Q.M.C.,
Fiscal Assistant.

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MUNITIONS BLDG., 19TH & B STS.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

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War Department Board of Appraisers, Purchase, Storage & Traffic Division,
General Staff, Munitions Building, Washington, D. C., December 2, 1919.
To the Director of Finance (Through the Director of Real Estate Service).

1. The attached claim is being forwarded for the action of the
Director of Finance, in compliance with Paragraph 3, General Orders
No. 102, War Department, 1919.

2. The report of the Board of Appraisers and the records in the
claim are herewith inclosed.

3. The report of the Board of Appraisers recommends that an
award in the sum of \$37.50 issue in favor of the claimant, Harris E.
Pitman, Tigerville, S.C., in full settlement for all claims for loss
or damage of the said claimant arising under said claim.

WAR DEPARTMENT BOARD OF APPRAISERS,

By F. M. CALDWELL,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Chairman.

Incls.

WAR DEPARTMENT BOARD OF APPRAISERS,
 Munitions Bldg., 19th & B Sts.,
 WASHINGTON, D. C.

File No. 585 1/G.
 Case under C.O. 102, W.D. 1919.

November 17, 1919.

In the matter of the claim of)
 Harris E. Pitman, Tigerville,) R E P O R T.
 S. C., for damage to buildings.)

This is a claim of one Harris E. Pitman, in the amount of \$50.00, on account of damage to buildings located on his tract of 157 acres, leased to the Chamber of Commerce, Spartanburg, S. C., and leased by the said Chamber of Commerce to the United States, under blanket lease, for the purpose of an Artillery and Small Arms Target Range, which land is more particularly described as being in Glassy Mountain Township, Greenville County, S. C., adjoining lands of S. R. Pruitt on the North, G. A. Pitman on the East, Hamp Bates on the South and Lou Pitman, Lane Pitman and others on the West.

This claim was considered by a Board of Officers convened pursuant to paragraph 9, Special Orders No. 22, Headquarters, Camp Wadsworth, S. C., dated January 22nd, 1919.

The Board made a physical examination of claimant's land and buildings, and thereby ascertained that the land of claimant was used as a part of the Infantry Rifle Range, and from the testimony it was shown that the damage claimed by Mr. Pitman was done during the occupancy of the land by troops.

From certificate of Major E. C. Johnson, attached to the proceedings of the Local Board, of which he was president, the damage to buildings is shown to have been estimated as \$37.50, as follows:

320 feet lumber @ 2.50 per C	\$8.00
Floor and inside ceiling,	
2 Shutters to window, @ 1.00	2.00
Carpenter, 2 days @ 3.50	7.00
Rebuilding on chimney partially broken down,	
Labor only, Mason 3 days, @ \$5.00	15.00
Fixing Fire place,	
Labor and material and mortar, part of day	5.50
	<u>\$37.50</u>

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November 17, 1919.

Claimant has agreed in writing to accept \$37.50 as against his claim for \$50.00, in full and complete satisfaction of all damage to his land, buildings and appurtenances, on account of the occupancy of the same by troops, or any other act of the Government.

The above adjustment, suggested by the local board, appears to the writer to be fair and equitable, and I therefore recommend that an award issue in favor of this claimant in the sum of \$37.50, in full and complete satisfaction of his claim.

W. S. VALENTINE,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Member.

WV/csf.

Adopted November 28, 1919.
WAR DEPARTMENT BOARD OF APPRAISERS.

By F. M. CALDWELL,
Colonel, Cavalry,
Chairman.

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