

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Maryland, County of Baltimore, ss:
In the matter of Invalid Pension Claim No Cert 174091

of Josiah Connors, late Co D H Regt M.S.C. Troops
Personally came before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for aforesaid County
and State, George W. Cager, aged 47 years
and _____, aged _____ years

citizen of the Town of 518 S. Caroline Street, County of Baltimore, State of
Maryland, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,

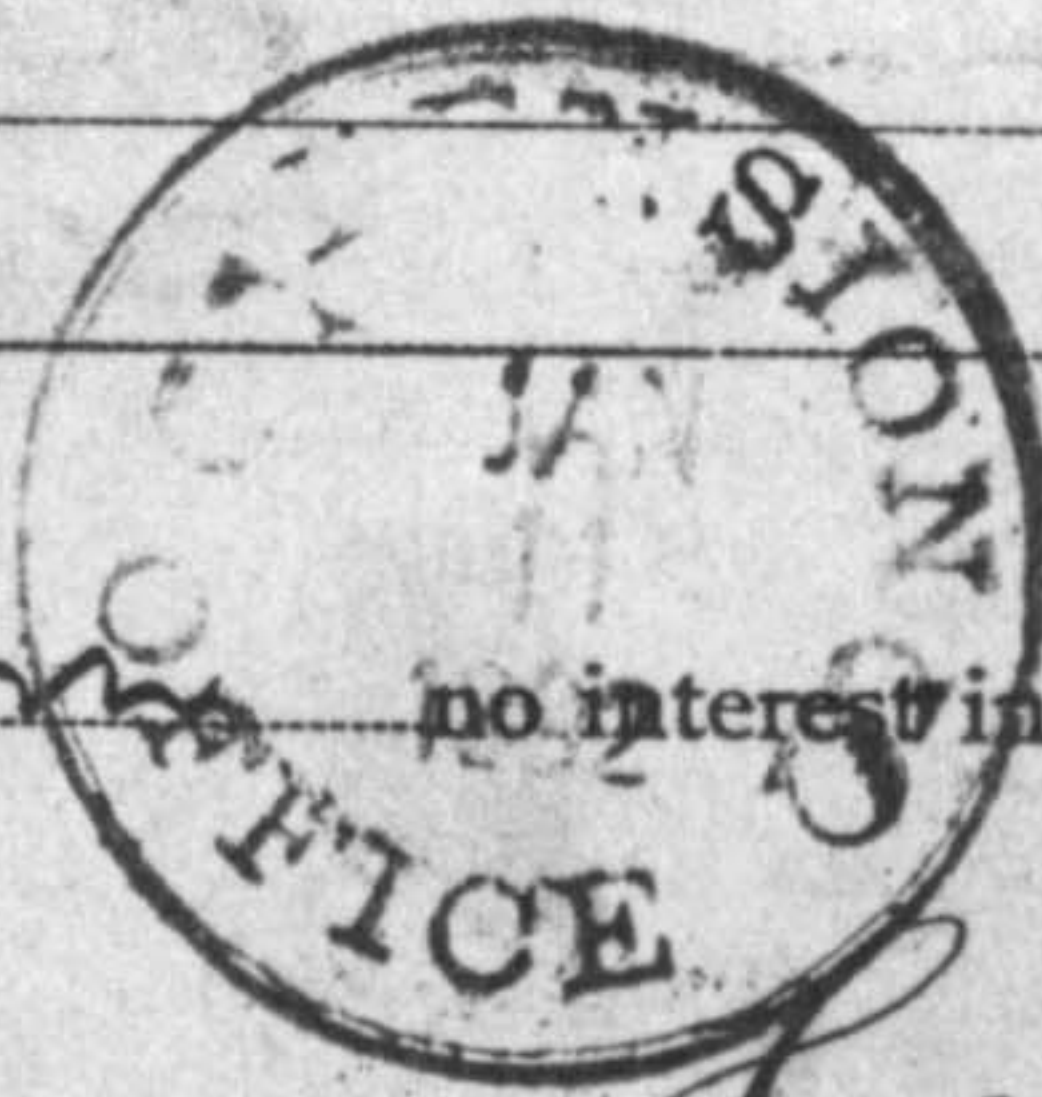
being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

I was a private in Co D H Regt M.S.C. Troops, was present for duty with my Company and Regiment during the Summer of 1864 in front of Petersburg Va. I was intimate with the Claimant who was also present and in line of duty in front of Petersburg Va during the Summer of 1864. When the Claimant had an attack of diarrhoea seeing him making frequent visits to and from the pit which disease brought on piles which I saw and which hung down about an inch and was bleeding he continued to suffer with the piles from 1864 till our discharge in May 1865.

My intimate acquaintance with the Claimant has continued from our discharge in 1865 to the present time. I boarded at his house for over four years. That was from about 1867 till about 1871. I know that he used salves and would pull the parts, on account of the piles and do know of my own personal knowledge and intimate acquaintance and association with the Claimant that he has been a sufferer with the piles from 1864 to the present day. Contracted as above stated and in the line of duty.

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

Frank d Wenzinger



George W. Cager

Signature of Affiants.

NOTE.—In the execution of papers and evidence, whenever a person or witness signs by mark, (t.) two persons who can write must attest the signature by signing their names opposite.
The official before whom papers are executed is not a competent witness to a mark.