

State of Maryland
COUNTY OF Baltimore } SS.

In the matter of claim for Pensions of an Invalid Josiah Cornish
of Private

of Company "D", Regiment 4 Maryland Vols.

Personally came before me, a Clerk of Court in and for
aforesaid County and State, George W. Cager & Charles J. Jackson
citizen of the County of Baltimore State of Maryland reputable
and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid claim, as follows:

That they were acquainted with
said Soldier, for they enlisted about the
same time in the above named Company
and Regiment in the United States service
and know that the said Josiah Cornish
was healthy and able bodied Man
when he entered the services of the
United States. They further declare on
or about the 4 day of May, 1866 while
they were at Fort Totten near Washington
engaged in dismounting cannon with
said Josiah Cornish he slipped and
the Cannon fell against the breast
of said Josiah Cornish crushing him
between the Cannon and carriage
Wheels, he was then removed to his Quarters
was reduced by hemorrhages produced
by said hurt, had Doctors Allen and
Mitchell both in attendance about
a month thereafter, We know that he
has been troubled with weakness
of the breast ever since causing him
much suffering and disabling him from
any laborious work.

We further declare that we have no interest in said claim, and are not concerned in its
prosecution.

Attest—when any affiant signs by mark, (2 persons.)

J. B. Gaither
J. F. Dempsey

Signature
of
Affiants.

George W. Cager
Charles J. Jackson
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