

(3-456.)

DEPOSITION *H*Case of *James W. Pinckney*, No. *390,650*

On this *7th* day of *September*, 188*7*, at
Baltimore, County of _____
 State of *Maryland*, before me, *Henry C. Reed*, a
 Special Examiner of the Pension Office, personally appeared *Emory*
Stoutts, who, being by me first duly sworn to answer
 truly all interrogatories propounded to him during this Special Examination of afore-
 said pension claim, deposes and says: *My name is Emory*
Stoutts, my age is 71 years, residence and
post office address 315 McKelvey Wharf,
Baltimore, Maryland and I am
a blacksmith. I have resided in the
City about 56 years. I became acquainted
with James W. Pinckney, the claimant,
at this City some 30 odd years ago and
have since known him. From my
first acquaintance with him up to
the commencement of the war I
resided in the same part of the City
and saw him every Sunday as both
us were then engaged in Sunday School
work. He was then in good health
and did not complain of diseases
in the head or a pain or pains in
his back and spine. I saw claimant
in a month or such a matter after his
return from the army. I met him in
Sunday School and talked with him.
He then complained of a misery in
his back and head. That was all
he complained of. I have seen him
almost every week each year since,
at Church and Sunday School
at such times as he was there, but
there were sometimes that he was not