

On this 23 day of Sept A. D. 1890, before me, a JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
in and for the State and City aforesaid, personally appeared Arthur Barker
residing at No. 530 Beadle St. City of Baltimore,
State of Maryland, to me well known, and whom I certify to be respectable and intelligent, and
entitled to full credit and belief, and who being duly sworn according to law and thus deposeth:
My age is 43 years and I reside as above stated. I know while in

Co. H. 9 U. S. C. T. my comrade John H. Davenport
contracted blindness from exposure to heat
& improper water between Brownsville &
Corpus Christi, Texas, about 74 and about same time
was struck causing oppression of
eyes making them weak & tearing
& was treated by regt Surgeon, and
know that his disability has increased
ever since the war, which as rendered
him unable for manual labor
I know that half his time he is hindered
from work.

[Handwritten marks]

and I have no interest in the above designated claim.

Test:

Arthur Barker
Sign Here.

[When witnesses sign by mark, two persons who can write must sign here.]

Signature of Witness.

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME, this 23 day of Sept A. D. 1890, and I hereby
certify that the contents of the above declaration or statement were fully made known and explained to the
affiant before making oath thereto, (including the words
erased, and the words added,) and that I have no interest,
direct or indirect in the prosecution of this claim.

E. D. Warner
[Official Signature.]