

(3-446.)

DEPOSITION 0

Case of Alex. Duncan, No. 573997

On this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1895, at  
 \_\_\_\_\_, County of \_\_\_\_\_

State of \_\_\_\_\_, before me \_\_\_\_\_, a

Special Examiner of the Pension Office, personally appeared Augustus  
 Gosweller M.D., who, being by me first duly sworn to answer  
 truly all interrogatories propounded to him during this Special Examination of aforesaid  
 pension claim, deposes and says: a short time before his  
 death.

Q From your knowledge of the  
 case is it your opinion that  
 kidney disease, diabetes, rupture  
 or consumption could have been  
 due to army service?

A The rupture may have been,  
 but I don't think that the  
 diabetes or kidney disease, <sup>or consumption</sup> the  
 latter being, in my opinion,  
 the principal factor in his  
 case, could have had its  
 origin in the Army, and when  
 disease superseded consump-  
 tion, which he died.

I have made affidavits in  
 this case before but have  
 no interest in it.

My answers are correctly  
 recorded in this deposition.

Aug. V. Gosweller M.D.  
 Deposition

Sworn to and subscribed before  
 me this 13<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1895 and  
 I certify that the contents were  
 fully made known to deponent  
 before signing \_\_\_\_\_  
 Special Examiner