

N. B.—Examiners should be particular to have affiants sign on the line next below the closing words of their depositions so as to leave little or no space between their signatures and the end of their depositions.

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DEPOSITION A

Case of Mie Lincoln, No. 573997

On this _____ day of _____, 189 _____, at

County of _____

State of _____, before me, S. M. CUTLER, a

Special Examiner of the Pension Office, personally appeared Clara

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who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to her during this Special Examination of aforesaid pension claim, deposes and says: Lloyd's office

I did not take Elsie Wright up there for a witness. but she was along up there with me one day. and Miss Bessie got to questioning her. and used her for a witness. was writing down what she was saying. I don't know as Elsie Wright touched the pen. She wasn't sworn. Miss Bessie said to me we may need you ~~and~~ Elsie evidence. and that she would write it down.

Then Elsie said go before the squires? No. not to be sworn. She was there with me one day. at the squires but not to be sworn. She most always goes with me when I go any where.

They never have asked me for any more witness at Mr Lloyd's office

I have been to the court to look for the record of my marriage. I found where there was a license issued for my marriage to John Lincoln. but no return by the minister.

I think it was about Wednesday two weeks after my husband died that I first went to Mr Lloyd's office to see about making a claim for pension and the first paper was made out.