

Personally came before me, a A COMMISSIONER OF DEEDS FOR DISTRICT OF in and for aforesaid County
COLUMBIA, DISTRICT OF MARYLAND, RESIDING
 and State, OF MARYLAND,, aged _____ years
 and _____, aged _____ years
 citizen of the Town of _____, County of _____, State of _____
 Post-Office address.

_____, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who,
 being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

he was treated as said Hospital for some
 time, & also heard that he was sent from there
 to Grace Church Hospital Alexandria Va,
 after the Claimant ~~was~~ sent to said Hospitals
 as aforesaid, Affiant did not see him again until
 he rejoined his Regiment and Company at New
 Berns N.C. Affiant saw him directly on his
 arrival, and the Claimant was changed in look
 suffering with Rheumatism, Heart disease
 Stomach trouble, injury to left side which pain
 ed him very much internally, and complained
 to affiant of his diseases as herein mentioned
 in fact the Claimant was a very sick man,
 unfit for active duty, and was taking med
 icine giving him by the Regimental Doctor,
 and on several occasions the Claimant was
 excused from duty on account of his disease
 and disabilities, that at his discharge the
 Claimant was suffering severely from his
 diseases and disabilities as above mentioned
 and he was very nervous, completely broken
 down in health and body, That since dis
 charge at Fort Federal Hill December 1865
 to the present date 1890, affiant has seen and
 conversed with the Claimant frequently dur
 ing each consecutive year, that during

I further declare that I have no interest in said case, and am not con
 cerned in its prosecution.

1. George Meier John H. Boston
 2. Samuel Burns 1140 Raborg St
 Signature of Affiant Ballo Ma

NOTE.—In the execution of papers and evidence, whenever a person or witness signs by mark, (†) two persons who
 can write must attest the signature by signing their names opposite.
 The official before whom papers are executed is not a competent witness to a mark.