

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.

(3-456.)

DEPOSITION A

Case of James Taylor, C. I. No. 887349.

On this 17th day of July, 1896, at 38 Centreville, County of Queen Anne State of Maryland, before me, P. M. Harrington, a Special Examiner of the Pension Office, personally appeared the claimant James Taylor—, 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: Age about 58. Occupation Laborer. P.O. and Residence, Centreville Md.

I was a private in Co. K. 37. Mass. from about March 1864, and was discharged about Dec. 1865.

This is all the service I ever rendered the United States Government.

I am now receiving a pension under the New Law of \$6⁰⁰ payable at the Washington Agency.

No Sir. I did not know that I had a Claim pending under the Old Law.

I first made application for pension 4 or 5 years ago.

I then claimed for Rupture and Rheumatism.

There was the only disability I had in the army. Other than the Rhei. and Rupture, I was a sound man when I was discharged from the army.

Yes, I was sunstruck while in the Army and I applied for pension on account of it, but the effects of it worn off and I do not claim for it any longer.