

Law Division.

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9-26-07

October 3, 1907.

The Auditor

for the War Department.

Sir:-

In response to your call of the 24th ult., received the 26th ult. (H2W.326-321,173), relative to the case of Stephen Perkins, late of Co. B, 7th U. S. C. Infantry, Cert. No. 747,052, you are advised as follows:

John Hopkins and William Johnson, of Baltimore, Maryland, testified, October 18, 1906, that they have known Stephen Perkins for 40 and 30 years, respectively, and have every reason to believe from the appearance of said pensioner and their acquaintance with him that he is the identical person he alleges himself to be.

Alexander Thomas and Daniel B. Moore, of Baltimore, Maryland, testified, July 17, 1890, that they have known Stephen Perkins for 49 and -- years, respectively, and believe him to be the identical person he alleges himself to be.

According to a report from the War Department, the personal description of Stephen Perkins, Co. B, 7th U. S. Infantry, is given as follows: Age 20 years, height 5 feet, 9 inches, complexion griff; eyes brown, hair curly; place of birth, Talbert, Maryland; occupation farmer.

In a certificate of medical examination had November 17, 1906, the pensioner's personal description is given as follows: