

Claim No. 639.478 Of *Adeline widow of John Kinney* Co. B 7th Regiment, *U.S.C.T.*

On this day and date below written, personally appeared the affiant whose signature is hereto affixed and who being duly sworn according to law testified as follows:

"My name is *Thomas Scott*, I am *56* years old, and I reside in Baltimore, Md., at No. *588* *or* *Preston* Street.

no for my client in 1869 death first wife identity

I knew *John C. Kinney* from his boyhood to his death was raised with him - he also went by the name of *Conyer* before the war was called that by some - I know he is the same man who was married to this claimant in *1872* under the name of *Conyer* though his right name was *Kinney* - I know it was the same man who was in *Co B 7th U.S.C.T.* for I saw him while in service - I was in *Co H 39th U.S.C.T.* and our Regiments were camped together at *Chapins Farm* & I visited his Regt there and saw him. I knew his first wife *Henrietta Kemp* she died in *Sarah Ann St* between *Pearl* and *Burr Sts* several years before he married this claimant I forget the exact date but think it was in *1869* - I know it was more than *25* years ago I knew claimant a long time before she married *John C. Kinney* she was never married she married him she was only a young girl then. I know *Henrietta Kinney* died as stated for I saw her body after death & saw her carried out to be buried. These statements are made orally to *F. E. Newton* who wrote same in my presence at *Baltimore* Oct 8/96 and in making same I was not aided or guided by any statement prepared or dictated by any other person

"I have no interest in this claim."
Frank E. Newton
W. B. Hammond
(If witness signs by mark, two persons who can write sign here.)

Thomas *his* *Scott*
x *mark*

STATE OF MARYLAND, CITY OF BALTIMORE, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that said affidavit was read to said affiant, including the words *him* erased, and the words *he* added and acquainted *him* with its contents before *he* executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant *is I believe* credible person, this *8* day of *Octo* 189 *6*

W. B. Hammond
(Official Signature.)
Justice of the Peace.

If witness is personally known to the Magistrate as a credible person he should so testify in his own handwriting.
INSTRUCTIONS—Read Carefully.—Under the order of the Commissioner of Pensions number 229 in the preparation of testimony in support of claim in pension cases, all statements affecting the particular case and not merely formal, must be written or prepared to be type-written in the presence of the witness, and from his oral declarations then made to the person who then reduces the testimony to writing or then prepares the same to be type-written. And such testimony must embody a statement by the witness that such testimony was all written or prepared for type-writing (as the case may be) in his presence, and only from his oral statements then made; stating also the time, place, and person, when, where and to whom he made such oral statements, and that in making the same he did not use, and was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital, prepared or dictated by any other person; and not attached as an exhibit to his testimony.