

him to be sick to that date, or to date he left Barrill, & on
flog, Has heard Claimant complain of some affection of the
liver since then, but has no positive knowledge as to con-
dition of his health, General reputation of witness is
good,

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John W. Diggs, was an associate with claimant to date
of enlistment, his health was good to that date, Soon after en-
listment Claimant and witness were sent with a recruiting
party under Col Perkins, into W. Va. Missed Claimant some-
where between Harpers Ferry and Winchester, and upon en-
quiring for him learned that he was taken sick and sent
to Hospital, Upon returning to Baltimore learned that Claim-
ant was detailed for duty at Headquarters in the City, left
him there when Regiment went to the front, Dont know
anything of nature of the sickness Claimant had while
on recruiting service, or the nature of it, Never heard him
make any complaint before hearing he had gone to Hospital,
Has heard Claimant complain of general debility &
inability to work since the war, Dont know what has
been the matter with him, Only business deponent has known
him to follow since the war has been driving Cart and
cleaning out cellars, at which he has been helped by
his children, Good reputation of witness is good,