

when he joined the Co.

Answer, I cant say whether he was in good health when he reached the Co in Virginia or not, he was a healthy man to date I joined the Army. The first March he made with us was on the left of Petersburg, moving on to Belle Plains, he was taken sick and fell out of the ranks, near Perrin Hospital, and was left there, I dont know what was the matter with him, he died there in the fence corner that same day, There was a number of white soldiers there looking at him, and pronounced him dead before I left.

Question, Do you ^{know} what date that event happened,

Answer, I cant remember the date but know it was in hot weather,

Question, If he died there as stated by you, why was his death not reported,

Answer, His death was reach out to the Co on the morning report the next day at Belle Plains,

Question, Was he sick in Camp before that day march,

Answer, I dont know whether he was or not,

Question, Did you write to Claimant stating that he was sick,

Answer, I did not, I wrote to my father that he was dead and told him to inform Claimant, my father has since died, I did not write myself, but got another man to write for me,

Question, Was deceased soldier ever in battle to your knowledge,

Answer, I dont think he ever was in battle, he had not been long with the Co before he died as stated,

Question, Are you the identical William Foot who has heretofore testified in behalf of Claimant,

Answer, I am,

Question, Are you aware that you are liable to punishment for perjury, should you testify falsely before me,

Answer, I am.

Question, Has Claimant remarried or lived in Cohabitation with any man since soldiers death,

Answer, She has not, I have been intimate with her since discharge,

Wm Foot

Deponent.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ 188____, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

Special Examiner.

Question, What name was your known by in the Army, Answer, I am William Foot, but my right name is William Foot.