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 State of Maryland, 2^{ss},
 County of Baltimore,

On this 13 day of March, 1873, before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, personally appeared William Mahan, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says that he resides in Baltimore, County of and State of Maryland; that he is a Local Preacher of the Church of the Episcopals, located in in the last named County, and custodian of the records thereof; that the following is a true copy of an extract from the records of of such
 viz:

This is to certify that I, William Mahan, did join in Holy Matrimony James Cole & Annie Fox on the 29 day of December, 1855.

Deponent further says he has no interest in the prosecution of any claim in behalf of Ann Cole, widow of James Cole, deceased, for Pension.

(Signed.) William Mahan.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 13 day of March, 1873, and I certify that affiant is a credible witness, and that I have no interest in the prosecution of any claim in behalf of Ann Cole for arrears of Pay, Bounty, or Pension.

(Signed.) David L. Stade, J.P.

(Certificate of Clerk of Circuit Court of Baltimore Co., Md., as to authority & signature of Justice appended to original.)