

he has talked much about the war, has seen things with a distorted vision at times, and mixes events wonderfully, but I believe he tries to tell the truth,

Deposition C, pages 34 & 35 John H. Cole, aged 42 years swears James Cole, who was a soldier in Co "A" 30 Col Troops was his brother, about ten years older than he, was claimant's husband, and lived with her as such until he entered the U.S. Army after being drafted, describes the soldier as a chestnut brown colour, about six foot tall, short black hair and black eyes, Ben Bush received notice of draft on him in the Spring of 1864, After soldier had gone from home some time, Abraham Fabb, father of William Fabb need a letter from said son saying that soldier was very ill, and wrote again in a short time saying he was dead, Did not know what Co he was in until said William Fabb came home learned then that he was in Co "A" 30 U.S. Col Troops, afterwards had his statement verified at Annapolis, "Fabb told me that my brother died of congestive chill, did not say he saw him die, he told me that Thomas Norris a comrade who lived about four miles from Townsboro knew all about his death, I saw Norris, who told me he helped to bury my said brother, said he was sent back to pick him and others up that had struggled on the road, and that he

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