

State of Maryland City of Baltimore
 On this 11th day of April A.D. 1883 personally
 appeared before me a Justice of the Peace of the State &
 City aforesaid B. T. Crane living at No 170 Park
 Avenue and having been sworn says he has known
 George Chambers from the year Eighteen Hundred and
 sixty nine to the present time. In the year 1869 said Cham-
 bers was under me as a waiter at Saratoga Springs
 at the Union Hotel where upon one occasion he had
 to lose a good position on account of the complaints about
 his hearing being deficient and said Chambers ^{was} thereby
 a loser from his deafness, & I notice in my intercourse
 with said Chambers that he is dull or so appears by
 reason of his deafness. And that I have no in-
 terest in said affidavit pecuniarily or otherwise.

B. T. Crane

Sworn to and name written on the above
 date before me.

Geo. W. Mumford J.P.

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