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while we were in Texas, but I am unable to state of what he complained.

Q. What was his appearance at this time?

A. Well he did not have the appearance of a healthy man while in Texas, and up to the time of his discharge.

Q. Where was your company stationed while you were in Texas?

A. At Ponder Horn, Indianola and Port La Baca.

Q. What was the deceased soldier's condition immediately subsequent to discharge?

A. Well he was sickly from the time of his discharge up to the time of his death but I don't know what was the matter with him or of what he died. I never visited at his house but I met him at times on the street, I am unable to state for who he worked I think did shoes and odd jobs about the city.

Q. Can you state the whereabouts of any commissioned officers of Co. 11<sup>th</sup> said Regt.

A. No sir.

Q. Have you testified relative to said claim prior to this?

A. Yes sir. Two or three times I believe.

Q. On those occasions?

Q. When I mention it can you recall to mind whether the deceased soldier had a cough or complained of his lungs while in the service?

A. I am not certain whether he did or not, not being in the same company with him.

Q. Are those your signatures?

A. Yes sir.

Q. Referring to the affidavit of yours executed under date of March 15<sup>th</sup> 1862 you state therein that the deceased soldier while at or near Petersburg Va. about July 1864, was prostrated with a cough, pains in his breast and discharge of lungs and was sent to hospital from which you believe he was discharged; today you state that you can