

DEPOSITION

Case of Frances Barnes, No. 822.171

On this Mary day of February, 1900, at Centerville County of Frederick State of Md., before me, Frances Barnes, a Special Examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared Frances Barnes, who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to her during this special examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says:

1 I don't know what year Eliza died.
2 I saw her dead body. I was
3 at the house but did not go to
4 the burial. I think she was buried
5 in the Sharp St. Cemetery. After
6 Eliza died he went to board with
7 Amanda Hopkins and then some
8 two or three years before he died
9 he married her. She was living
10 with him at Centerville, Md. at the
11 time he died. They were at father's
12 brother's home James S. Barnes,
13 Centerville, Md. at the time he
14 died. Since his death I under-
15 stand that Amanda has re-
16 turned to Baltimore. Have
17 heard that she lives on Little
18 Church St. between Charles & Light St.

19 My brother George H. was quite small
20 when my father is said to have
21 married Eliza Rich - he was not
22 more than two or three years old.
23 Brother George H. died three years
24 ago last September and at that
25 time was twenty nine years old.
26 Robert Barnes always recognized
27 me as his child, as he also did
28 my brothers John G. and George H.
29 No, he never contributed anything