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DEPOSITION

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Case of Hester A Bowman, No. 358.469

On this 24 day of May, 1899, at Shepherdston, county of Jefferson State of W Va, before me, W B Clapp, a special examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared Henry Turner, who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to him during this special examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says:

I am 78 years of age; my post-office address is Shepherdston W Va muca laborer.

I knew George this claimant's son. His last name was Harris, I saw him several times before his death. He spent one whole summer season here. I heard him call Hester A Bowman mother that is what made me think he was this claimant's son. He was a tall slender man, dark complexion. I did not hear him complain while he was here. He appeared to be in good health as far as I knew. I don't know positively, but as far as I knew or heard he was not a married man at that time.

I don't know whether he did anything towards supporting his mother or not. He lived in Baltimore, and only visited his mother here. I have fully understood and comprehended the questions asked and my answers have been correctly recorded in this deposition.

Henry Turner  
Subscribed before me this 24 day of May 1898, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to defendant before signing.

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W B Clapp