

Page 6 until we were married to each other.

My husband was cured by Ramsey Hunter at the time I was married to him. But Ramsey Hunter is still living. We were married at the residence of a sister of mine who is now somewhere in the West, but who at that time lived in Hagerstown.

We were married by Savage Hammer then pastor of the Bethel A. M. E. church of Hagerstown. Pastor Hammer died during the period of the late war and I do not believe there was any record of my marriage to the records made.

I have enquired at the church and there is no record of it there, and colored people did not have to get a license in order to get married before the war - so that there is no record of it at the court house.

My husband worked as a farm hand and some times as a waiter before he was in the army, but Ramsey Hunter continued to be his owner until he enlisted.

My husband had no sickness before he enlisted while I had knowledge of him and I never heard him complain until after he came home from the army.

He and I always lived together as husband and wife from the time he came home from the army until the time of his death. But since his death I have not remarried nor cohabited with any other man, but have remained and am still his widow.

I had one child born to me before I was married and of which my husband was not the father.

I have had 9 children altogether by the records, 6 of whom are still living, and 4 of whom were still under 16 years of age when I made my claim for pension.

The family bible gives the dates of births of all my children and is as follows:

John Chester "Moley" born August 27, 1855 (illegitimate)
William Allen Moley " May 2 1860 +