

Affidavit.

State of Maryland, County of Anne Arundel ss:

In the Claim of Edward alias Geo. F. Tasker
vs H 30 U.S.C. & U.S. "Blow"

ON THIS May day of May, A. D. 1894

before me, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths, personally appeared James Shorter

aged 60 years, a resident of Annapolis, in the County of Anne Arundel, and State of Maryland, whose Post Office address is

30 Aston Lane and John H. Brown

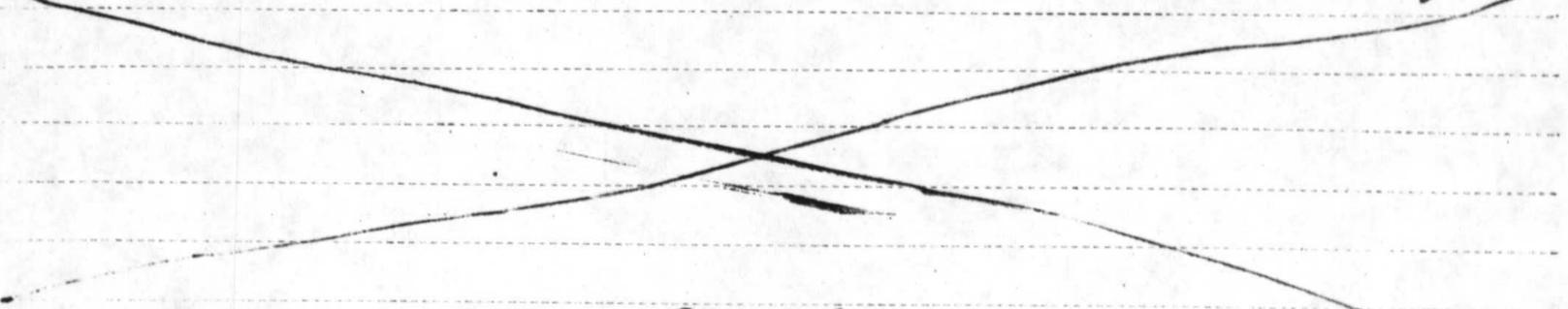
aged 62 years, a resident of Annapolis, in the County of Anne Arundel, and State of Maryland whose Post Office address is

410 Aston Lane, well known to me to be respectable

and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That we have always been well acquainted
Affiants should here state all the facts material to the case known to them, and how their knowledge thereof has been obtained.

with Edward alias George H. Tasker, C. H. 30th U.S.C. & U.S. S. Blow. And that he was disabled from performing manual labor on March 24-1893 and has been so disabled from performing manual labor ever since to a degree of two thirds as he is only able to do very light work, he being in a limping state and his disabilities seem to be permanent. James Shorter can only write his own name, but cannot write an affidavit)



The above testimony was all written by R. E. King state by whom written.

in our presence and from our statements to him then made on the 10 day of May 1894, at or near Annapolis Md, and that we were not prompted by any statement of any other person" so state; but, if so prompted, state that fact and attach such other statement to this affidavit.

We further declare that we have no interest in said claim, and are not concerned in its prosecution.

R. E. King
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If affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.

James Shorter
John H. Brown
Signature of Affiants.