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I have made an affidavit in this case.

Q You have made the statement read how do you explain discrepancies between said statement and what you now say?

A The only explanation I can make is that I never told Joseph Gray who wrote out that affidavit that I knew any thing about said soldier being injured at West Point, for I did not even know if he was there, and can not imagine how Gray wrote out & inserted such a thing in my affidavit, and this affidavit I do not was read to me by Mr. Hughes before I signed it, but I did not notice that clause in it.

I have comprehended your questions and my answers are correctly recorded in this deposition.

Attest.

John L. Gale
(R. P. Fletcher)

John L. Gale
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Deponent.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of December, 1889, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

R. P. Fletcher
Special Examiner.