

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Maryland
 County of Cecil } ss:

In the matter of claim for Lucy J., wid. of John W. Owens

(Character and number of claim.)

G. 4th U. S. C. Inf.

W. O. 865209.

(Full name and relationship of claimant, and name and service of soldier.)

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for

(Justice, Notary, Judge, Clerk, or Deputy Clerk.)

aforesaid County and State, Jonah Neals, aged 70 years,
 residing at Cokebury Cecil Co. Md., County of Cecil, State
 of Maryland, and Daniel Newton, aged
73 years, residing at Cokebury, County of Cecil,
 State of Maryland, who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to the

aforesaid case as follows: That they were well acquainted with the claimant,

Lucy J. Owens, and with the soldier, John W. Owens from the time
that they reached a marriageable age and know positively that
they were not married until they were married to each other in
the fall of 1867.

Cokebury is a small hamlet in Cecil
County near Port Deposit Md. Populated
by colored people. It is about two miles
from Port Deposit Md. & the Post Office
address is Port Deposit Md. P. O. No 1.

Married at Cokebury a small hamlet two miles
from Port Deposit Cecil Co. Md. P. O. address
Port Deposit Md P. O. No 1.

further declare that they have no interest in said case, and are not
 concerned in its prosecution.

If either affiant sign by X mark, two persons who write
 their names MUST sign here as witnesses thereto.

1 Geo. A. Hobbs

(Name of one witness to X mark.)

2 D. H. Intermute

(Name of other witness to X mark.)

Signature of
 Affiant, or of
 each Affiant.

His
Jonah X Neals

Daniel X Newton

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