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men bathing in any river as alleged by the claimant, by orders issued by the officers, until the regiment reached Magnolia Texas, during the summer of 1864.

I have no recollection of his having a hemorrhage while on drill, or at any other time.

I do remember that he had a very bad attack of diarrhea also that he had a very bad cough while in the service.

The first I noticed that he was afflicted with diarrhea and the cough was soon after our enlistment before we left Benedict Mo. I was with him all through our term of service until discharged, and he continued to have said cough, but he did not have the diarrhea all the time.

I remember that I first said that I did not know of any diseases he contracted in the service, or that the reading of his allegations had refreshed my memory, but, since I have been thinking the matter over, I do recollect his having the cough and diarrhea.

I have understood the questions asked, and my answers have been correctly recorded.

G. W. Clarkson

Deponent.

I sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of April, 1890, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

W. C. Gapp
Special Examiner.