

Proof of Birth.

State of *Maryland*, County of *Baltimore* ss:

In the Pension Claim of *Bessie Anderson* widow of *John W Anderson* late of Co. *F*, *7*" Reg't., *U. S. C. S.* Vols.

Before me, a *Dr. J. A. Catlin*, in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

That I was present in the capacity of *Physician* at the birth of *Margnetta Ellen Anderson*

on the *30<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 18 *93*, and that said child is the legitimate child of the above named soldier and his wife *Bessie Anderson*



I am enabled to testify to the exact date of birth of the child by reason of *my records*

I further declare that I has no interest, either direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim, and that my residence and Post Office address is *now 246 N. Linnale St Baltimore*

*Dr. J. A. Catlin*  
Affiant sign here.

If affiant signs by mark, two persons who can write must sign here.