

(3-469.)

Bureau of Pensions.

D, S. E. Cor. St. Paul & Saratoga Sts., Baltimore, Md.

Joseph Ross Co. 1st 30 Regiment, U. S. A.
 Itten, personally appeared the affiant whose signature is hereto affixed
 testified as follows:

Application No. 659012

Joseph Ross, I am ^{about 56} years old, and
 220 Stockton Street.

Certificate No.

NAME OF SOLDIER,

Joseph Ross
 Co. 1st, 30 Reg't U. S. A.

INFORMATION DESIRED.

Waiver of
 Tax Collector
 affidavit is
 requested on the
 ground evidence
 shows claimant
 not possessed of

interest in this case.

property whatsoever.

with securities of

but am wholly

upon my own

for support. I

a cook in private

I cannot furnish

act age of my

Rebecca Ross

~~of my own~~ ask that that
 part of my claim be waived

I have no interest in this claim."

Theod. Lyman
 Wm. B. Hammond

(If witness signs by mark, two persons who can write sign here.)

Eliza Ross
 mark

STATE OF MARYLAND, CITY OF BALTIMORE, ss:

Wm. B. Hammond

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above-named affiant, and I certify that said affidavit was read to said
 affiant, including the words

and acquainted with its contents before executed the same. I further certify that I am in
 nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is I believe a

credible person, this 9 day of August 189

Wm. B. Hammond

(Official Signature.)

Justice of the Peace.

If witness is personally known to the Magistrate as a credible person he should so testify in his own handwriting.

INSTRUCTIONS—Read Carefully.—Under the order of the Commissioner of Pensions number 229 in the preparation of testimony in support of claim in
 pension cases, all statements affecting the particular case and not merely formal, must be written or prepared to be type-written in the presence of the witness,
 and from his oral declarations then made to the person who then reduces the testimony to writing or then prepares the same to be type-written. And such testi-
 mony must embody a statement by the witness that such testimony was all written or prepared for type-writing (as the case may be) in his presence, and only
 from his oral statements then made; stating also the time, place, and person, when, where and to whom he made such oral statements, and that in making the
 same he did not use, and was not aided or prompted by any written or printed statement or recital, prepared or dictated by any other person; and not attached
 as an exhibit to his testimony.