

State of Maryland, City of Baltimore SS:

In the matter of the claim of Edward Parker late private Co. F. 39th U. S. Colored Troops - N^o 335,807
Personally came before me a Notary Public in and for aforesaid City and State, William Henry Gittings citizen of Baltimore City, State of Maryland well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

Am 33 years of age and reside at N^o 168 N. Spring Street Baltimore City Md and was a Corporal of Co. F. 39th U. S. C. T. and by reason thereof was well acquainted with Edward Parker of said Co. and Regt. Deponent further declares that he was engaged in the Pioneer Corps and while the said Regt. was storming the Battery at Sugar Loaf Mountain N. C. on or about 11th Feby 1865, while engaged in line of battle the claimant Edward Parker was wounded and was immediately carried to the rear - and deponent afterwards discovered that said Parker was wounded in the elbow of the left arm and in the neck.

Deponent further declares that he has no interest in said case and is not concerned in its prosecution.

Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of March 1871.
William Henry Gittings
Notary Public

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in no wise interested