

State of Maryland Washington County to wit
 In the matter of Pension Claim No. 368,984 of Mary E. Moxley
 widow of Joseph Moxley late of 1st Brigade Band U. S. C. Troops

On this 17th day of May 1888 personally ap-
 peared before me a Justice of the Peace in and for aforesaid
 County, duly authorized to administer Oaths James A. Thomas
 aged 49 years a Resident of Stagertown in the County of
 Washington, and 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:

That he was well acquainted with Joseph Moxley for
 13 years before his death, That he was a Member of
 "The Laboring sons and Daughters of the beneficial so-
 ciety of Stagertown" of which Society affiant was Sec-
 retary, That said Moxley died on the 1st day of Sept:
 1884 Affiant knows these facts from being present and
 assisting in preparing the body for burial, and that it
 perfectly agrees with the Record of the same in the book of
 Records kept for that purpose in said Society, That his
 Post Office address is as above, and further declares
 that he has no interest in said case and is not concerned in
 its prosecution

Date of
 death

James A. Thomas Deut

State of Maryland County of Washington to wit

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 not interested in said case, nor in its prosecution
 and that said affiant is personally known to me & that he is a credible person

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R. E. Coombs
 Justice of the Peace