

Affidavit.



State of Maryland, County of Anne Arundel ss:

In the Claim of

Edward ^{alias} Geo. H. Tasker,
les. "Hb" 30" U. S. L. T. and U. S. S. "Clover"

ON THIS October day of October, A. D. 1894.

before me, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the aforesaid County,

duly authorized to administer oaths, personally appeared John H. Brown

aged 53 years, a resident of Annapolis, in the County of

Anne Arundel, and State of Maryland, whose Post Office address is

4111 Stoner Lane and

aged years, a resident of , in the County of

 , and State of whose Post Office address is

 , well known to me to be respectable

and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case as follows:

I have been well acquainted with Edward Tasker a lifelong life or from boyhood. That he is now sick and has been sick and in a lingering condition prior to March 1893 complaining with asthma and rheumatism and his disable to earn support by manual to degree of two thirds

The above testimony was all written by R. E. King

State by whom written.

in my presence and from my oral statement

If "your presence," so state. If from your "oral statements," so state.

to him then made on the 15 day of

October 1894, at or near Annapolis MD, and that we was not prompted

Town or City and State.

If "not prompted by any printed or

by any written or printed statement or recital whatever

written statement of any other person" so state; but, if so prompted, state that fact, and attach such other statement to this affidavit.

and not attached as an exhibit to my testimony

We further declare that we have no interest in said claim, and are not concerned in its prosecution.

R. E. King

John H. Brown

Edw. H. Gamble

If affiants sign by mark, two persons who can write sign here.

Signature of affiants.