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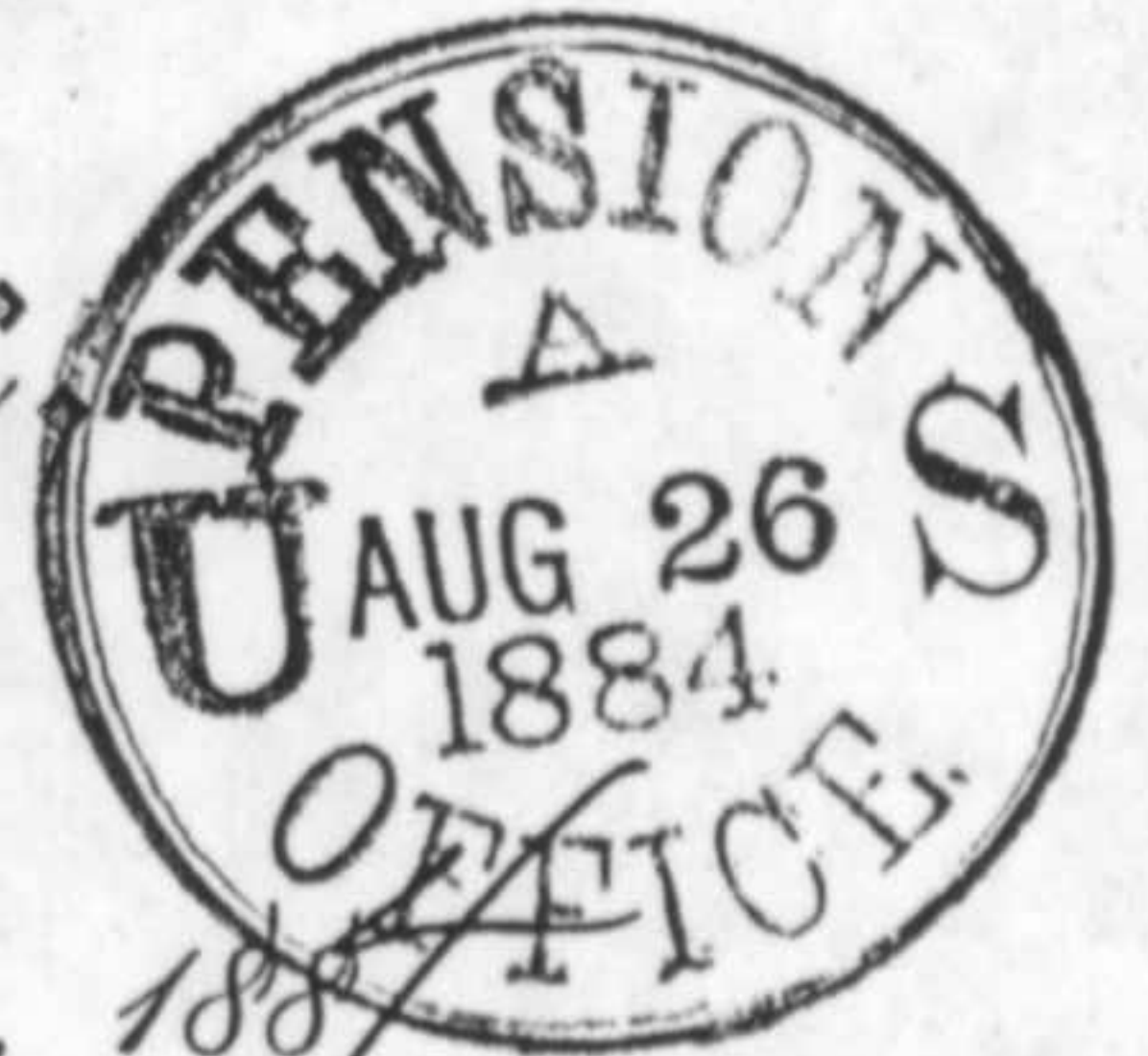
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Department of the Interior

PENSION OFFICE,

Washington, D. C., Aug 21, 1887

Sir:

Please be so kind as to inform this Office, BY INDORSEMENT
 ON THE BACK OF THIS LETTER, as to the standing in the community,
 and the general reputation for truth, of
Benjamin F. Malone & John L. Brown
of Eckles Mill, Md., affiant in Invalid
pension claim No 349127, of Joseph Cole
of Co. F, 2 Reg't U S 67

Your early reply will be thankfully received as substan-
 tial assistance to this Office in arriving at the truth and
 justice of the case.

Very respectfully,

Wm. Dudley
 Commissioner.

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