

General Affidavit.

STATE OF Maryland COUNTY OF Baltimore SS:

In claim No 880560 of Florence Scott ^{my} of Co. B of
the 30 Regt. of U.S.C. Vols., Personally appeared before the undersigned duly au-
thorized to administer oaths within and for said County, Bennett J. Hoshall
aged 65 years, whose P. O. is Shamberg, County of Baltimore
State of M. d., who being duly sworn, states in relation to said claim as follows to-wit:

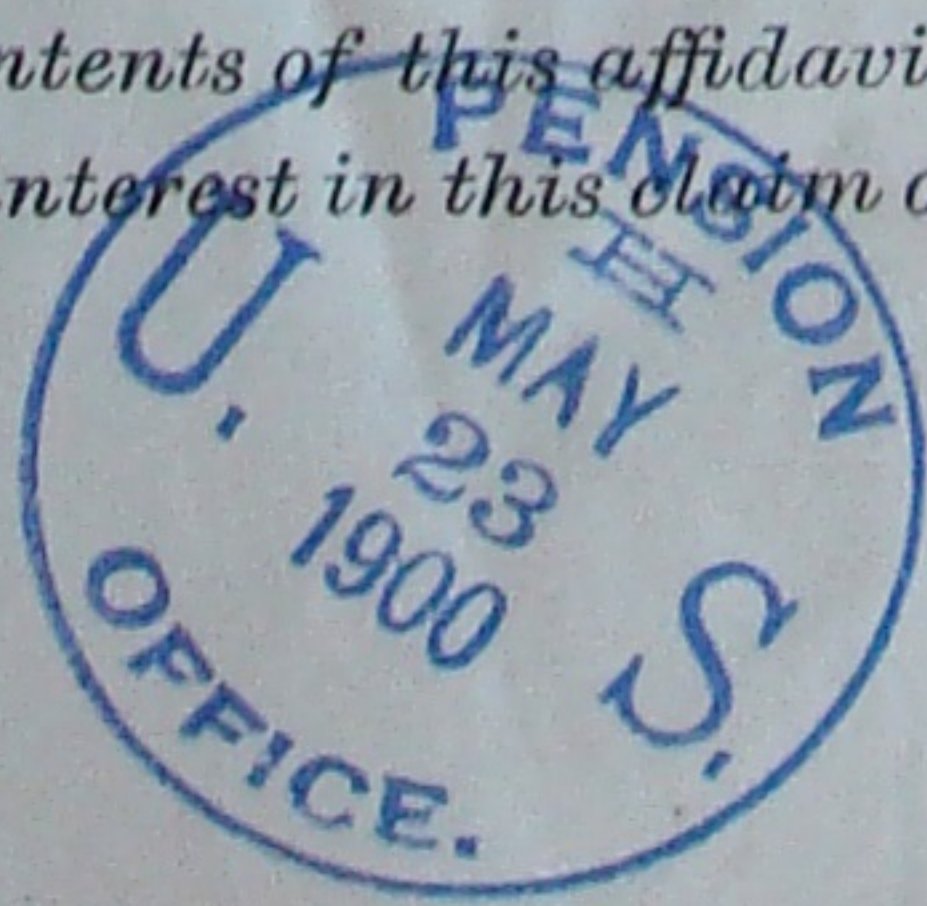
I never knew Philip Scott until he came to
my place about the time he made his first
application for a Pension - some 3 or 4 years
past and asked me to fill out his application
for a pension, which I did, as well as all the
other papers filed in his claim during its
prosecution until his death - during that time
I had a great amount of conversation with him
and from all human appearances an honest
upright man - he often told me about the
hardships experienced in the Army and about
being wounded through the neck at the battle
of Petersburg and showed me the scar. he
also stated that he was overcome by the
heat and since then could not stand the
effects of the sun. I also noticed that he
had a very poor memory and really did
not know what he was in and gave
me so I as his co - but through other sources I
found it was so.

And affiant further states that he has no interest in this claim - except what little I
may receive for my trouble in fixing up his papers - his
widow

If affiant signs by mark two witnesses sign here.

Affiant's Signature.

Sworn to and subscribed before me on the 7th day of May 1900, and I hereby
certify that the contents of this affidavit were fully made known to the witnesses before sign-
ing and I have no interest in this claim or its prosecution.



L.S.

Wm K. B. Keed
Justice of the Peace
Official Signature.