

Also personally appeared Joseph Shipley, Jr. residing at 1417 N. Mount St. Baltimore, Md. and Emma Shipley residing at 226 W. Biddle St. Baltimore, Md. persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who being by me duly sworn, say that they were present and saw Mrs. Shipley (Name of Claimant.) claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from the appearance of said claimant and their acquaintance with him of life years and over 40 years, respectively, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Joseph Shipley, Jr.  
Emma Shipley  
(If affiants sign by mark, two persons who write sign here.) (Signature of Affiants.)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14 day of July A. D. 1909, and I do hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words

erased, and the words added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.



Validity accepted  
S. A. Cuddy,  
Chief, Law Division  
per P IUL : 09

Henry L. Lloyd  
(Official Signature)  
NOTARY PUBLIC  
227 ST. PAUL ST.  
BALTIMORE, MD.  
My Commission Expires May 2, 1910

To be executed before a Court of Record or some officer thereof having custody of its seal, a Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk of a Court of Record or a City or County Clerk, unless such certificate is already on file in Pension Office, when such fact should be stated.

Act of February 6, 1907

**SOLDIER'S APPLICATION**

Mrs. Shipley  
Emma Shipley  
Service: Co. A 9th US Col.

Address: 226 W. Biddle St.  
Baltimore, Md.

FILED BY A. P. LLOYD  
Baltimore, Md.  
RECORDED  
JUL 16 1909

Date of Execution  
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