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Case of Moses Shipley Private Co, No. 913.387

On this 10 day of February, 1898, at Salisbury, county of Wicomico State of Md, before me, H H Lockwood, a special examiner of the Bureau of Pensions, personally appeared John Fowler, who, being by me first duly sworn to answer truly all interrogatories propounded to h im during this special examination of aforesaid claim for pension, deposes and says: That h is age is 52 years; post-office address, this place; occupation, Engineer

I enlisted in Co K 9 M S C V. in 1863 late in the fall and served for three years. I was with my company most of the time. I never knew this soldier Joseph Shipley before I went into the service. He had two brothers in the same company by name of Moses and William. dont remember of William being killed. Joseph was 2d Sergt when I first knew him. I think it was about a year before he was made Orderly Sergt of the company. I dont remember if he was in the hospital or not but think he was cant say for how long cant say what he went to hospital for. he never showed any weakness of the mind to me. didnot have any queer actions which would indicate it. so far as I can say he performed his duties up to time of discharge. I went with the regt into Texas. I dont have any knowledge of his going crazy while in the service or after. he never showed any sign of it so far as I ever saw. I have never seen the Soldier since we were discharged in Baltimore.

I am recorded correctly

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John X Fowler
mark
deponent

Chas W Stephens
H H Lockwood
{ No other witness available

Jurat over

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