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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

WASHINGTON, D. C., December 10, 1906.

The Honorable

The Secretary of the Interior.

Mr. Secretary:

I have the honor to transmit herewith the original papers in the claim of Eli Fisher, late of Co. C, 30th United States Colored Volunteer Infantry, certificate No. 647706, together with the original papers in the rejected claim of Annie M. Fisher, as widow of said soldier, original No. 823103, for consideration and reference through the Department of Justice, to the United States District Attorney for the District of Maryland at Baltimore, Md., for consideration as to the propriety of instituting proceedings against William E. Temple, a justice of the peace, of Ridgely, Caroline county, Md., for alleged violation of the provisions of the act of July 7, 1898, 30 S.L., 719, in aiding and assisting in the making, and in causing the presentation of the false, fraudulent and forged voucher for the quarter ending December 4, 1904, the pensioner having died fifteen days prior to the date of the pretended execution of said voucher.