

and the value of the same and the amount of all property claimed
source and the location of all property

General Affidavit.

STATE OF Maryland, COUNTY OF Talbot, SS:

In claim No. 590569 of Maria Gibson widow of Horace Gibson of Co. B of the 7th Regt. of U.S. Colored Vols. Personally appeared before the undersigned duly au-

thorized to administer oaths within and for said County, Peter Johnson,

aged 67 years, whose P. O. is Junis Mills, County of Talbot

State of Maryland, who being duly sworn, states in relation to said claim as follows to-wit:

and Solomon Shields aged 70 years whose P.O. is Junis Mills County of Talbot State of Maryland who being duly sworn states in relation to said claim as follows to-wit: Said Peter Johnson states that he has known the claimant for forty years and also knew her husband Horace Gibson for more than forty years. I know that they have lived together as husband and wife for more than 25 years and raised a family of children that they were poor people that the said Horace Gibson at his death left a small one story house and a town lot in a place called Copperville in Talbot County Maryland not worth more than one hundred and fifty dollars. That the entire personal estate including household goods is not worth more than fifty dollars. That the said Maria Gibson the claimant has no other property or income of her own and now has to depend upon her own labor for a support. I am also acquainted with their child Greenberry Gibson I remember when he was born it was in the Spring of 1880. I don't remember the date or day of his birth he is now living with his mother. I further state that this affidavit is all written in my presence and is from oral statements made by me on this 21st day of March 1894 at Eastern Maryland and has been carefully read over to me by the Justice before whom it is sworn to that in making this affidavit I was not aided by any printed or written statement nor prompted by any person or persons. and that all the above statements I know to be true of my own personal knowledge.

And affiant further states that he has no interest in this claim.

John B. Fairbank
Geo. A. Phillips

If affiant signs by mark two witnesses sign here

his
Peter Johnson
mark

Affiant's Signature.

SWORN to and subscribed before me on the 21st day of March 1894 and I hereby certify that the contents of this affidavit was fully made known to the affiant before signing and I have no interest in this claim or its prosecution.

L. S.

H. Nichols
Official Signature.
Justice of the Peace