

State of Maryland.  
Baltimore City to wit.

On this Eighth Day of July 1872 before me Deputy Clerk of Superior Courts personally appeared Vincent Demby formerly Corporal Co. C. Captain Mear attached to the 7th Regiment U. S. A. under Col. Pratt, who being duly sworn according to law, states upon his oath as follows: In obedience to Gen. Curie dated June 24th 1872 he has used all diligent means to ascertain the whereabouts of the Officers of his former Co. D. Regt. but has been unable to do so, as he supposes, by their removal to parts unknown, and offers to the Department the evidence of two credible witnesses, formerly in the Service, one a member of his own Comp. & Regt. and the other, whose Regt. was attached to the same Brigade which he hopes will be sufficient to meet the requirements of the Pension Office as he believes it is the best he can furnish.

R. J. Pringleton  
James Davis

Vincent Demby  
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At the same time and place personally appeared Alexander Brown, Corporal of Co. C. Capt. Mear, attached to 7th Regt. U. S. A. under Col. Pratt, and Nehemiah Demby, Pri. in Co. K. 39th Regt. U. S. A. under Col. G. P. Stearns, War of 1861-62. who being duly sworn declare as follows:-

That they knew the Applicant, Vincent Demby, for many years prior to the War, that they were both in the Service as above stated, and distinctly remember that on or about the 29th Sept. 1864 at the Battle of Fort Gilmore, Va. Vincent Demby was wounded in the right arm by a Mini Ball and lost part of the thumb of his right hand. A. S. Brown was present when