

# For Officer's or Comrade's Testimony.

Officer's, Surgeon's or Comrade's Post Office address.

I, Jesse Heays a resident of Cambridge in the County of Dorchester State of Maryland

private of Company C of the 7th Regiment of U.S.C.

Here state condition of soldier's health at time of enlistment.

on oath, depose and say, that I was well acquainted with William Smith late a private in Company B of the 7th Regiment of U.S.C. of the war of 1861; that at the time of his enlistment, said William Smith was at the time of enlistment a sound and healthy man

and while in the military service of the United States, in the line of his duty, and without fault or impropriety of his own, on or about the 13th day of October 1861 at Indianola in the State of Texas

State time and place of disability, and if by wound in battle, state name of battle; if by accident, state the circumstances; and if by sickness, state the cause and nature of the disease.

was taken sick and not able for duty and sent to the hospital, but do not know how long he remained there and never came back into service, and never saw any thing more of him until I came home and found Mr. Smith in this town and he complained of cough and pain in his side, and died of Dropsy a few years since.

State your source of information

I know these facts from my intimate acquaintance with him and I have no interest whatever in the prosecution of this claim for pension.

Two Witnesses when signed by mark:

Thomas W. Flint  
Jas. M. Waddell

Jesse Heays  
mark

### NOTE.

Execute this before a Clerk of the Court if possible. When executed before a Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, a certificate from the Clerk of the Court should be attached, certifying that the Notary or Justice had authority to act as such.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of September 1881 at Cambridge in the County of Dorchester State of Maryland.

I certify that I am disinterested, that the affiant is to me well known, and is respectable, and worthy of full credit as a witness, and that the contents of the affidavit were made known to him before execution

Thomas W. Flint  
Justice of the Peace