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Neither claimant nor soldier were married before their marriage to each other and they lived constantly together as man and wife from the time of their marriage until soldier and I enlisted.

The soldier was in my Co & Regt (Co G. 39. N. D. C.)

I was not present when soldier and claimant were married - but I lived at that time not over a mile apart from them and remember to have heard of their being married.

They were married at the house of her mother (Cassidy) - by a minister a Rev Mr Barton (dead) or Rev Mr Pratt (dead).

After their marriage he made his home with his mother and she made her home with her mother - he visiting her at night sleeping at her mother's. This I think because I often visited Cassidy's at night to see the other girls. I can not remember what year they were married, but 14 or 15 years before he enlisted - and they had several children before he enlisted all of whom died in infancy except Charles who lives in Baltimore.

When I returned here after my discharge she was not here - was in Baltimore I understood had left her while soldier was in the army and had gone to Frisby's father's in Baltimore. Frisby also made his home in Baltimore after his discharge.

I visited them in Baltimore about two years after the war, then visited them