

SPECIAL EXAMINATION DIVISION.

Cy. No. 913,387

3-594.

Claimant Joseph Shipley Department of the Interior,  
Soldier Department of the Interior,  
Co. K 9<sup>th</sup> Reg't U.S.C. Vol. Inf. BUREAU OF PENSIONS,  
Enlisted Nov. 24, 18.63  
Discharged Nov. 26, 18.66 Washington, D. C., Mar. 23, 1898

Mr. Horace Price  
731 Chestnut St., Camden N.J.  
Philadelphia, Pa.

SIR:

To aid this Bureau in the settlement of the above-described claim for pension, you are requested to answer the questions noted below.

You will please fill out, sign, and **return** this circular, **even though you do not remember the soldier** or that he was wounded, disabled, or diseased in the service.

The enclosed official envelope for your reply **requires no stamp.**

Very respectfully,

*McKay Brand*  
Commissioner.

Q. Do you remember the soldier, Joseph Shipley  
as a member of your company?

Ans. I do, was orderly sergeant of said company

Q. Do you remember that he suffered with any wound, injury, or disease while in service?

Ans. Yes I know of him complaining always of his head

Q. If you do remember any such wound, injury, or disease, state the nature of same.

Ans. No I don't know of any wounds. The last I  
seen of him, he was in the insane asylum in West  
Baltimore that is on & about 25 yrs ago. He was then out  
of his mind.

(Signature:) Horace Price Co K. 9<sup>th</sup> U.S.C.

(Address:) 777 Mt. Vernon Street.  
(In cities, street and number.)

Camden, N.J.