

The State of Ohio - Hancock County, S.S.

In the matter of the Increase Spurgeon
claim of Isaac Cusac Capt Co "G" 21st
O. V. I. Certificate No 207, 417.

On this 18th day of May 1897, personally
appeared before me, the undersigned auth-
ority, duly authorized, and Commissioned
to administer oaths, Robert B. Mitchell
aged 64 years who lives in, and his
Post office address is McComb Hancock County
Ohio, to me well known, to be reputable, and
entitled to credit, who bring by me duly
sworn, according to Law, declares and says
that he is well acquainted, with the said
Isaac Cusac. ~~Knows him~~ before the war
of the rebellion of 1861, 1865, and that prior to
said war, said Cusac was a man of good
sound physical health, that at the battle
of Chancellorsville Va. in Sept. 1863, said Cusac
was captured, and held by the enemy for
a long time. That when affiant first saw
said Cusac after his release from prison,
he was in an awful condition, being weak,
eyes swollen, haggard look, great loss of
flesh, and fever, and complained of kidney
trouble and rheumatism. Affiant says, that