and is unable to toil and labour for the support of a large family; as he formerly did; he therefore prays for such relief as your Honor; may in Justice think he is Entitled to; and he will Ever pray;

George P. Barber

State of Maryland ss:

On the 14th Day of May 1832 Personally appeared Joseph Sands aged about 64 years; before me the subscriber a Justice of the peace in and for Anne Arundel County, and makes oath on the holy Evangely of Almighty God, that he has been intimatly acquainted with George P. Barber of the City of Annapolis, (who signs the above petition) from his boyhood up to the present time, that he has himself always resided in the City of Annapolis and well recollects of the said P. Barber being one of the Crew of the schooner "Dolphin" Commanded by Capt. William Middleton during the Revolutionary war and that the said George P. Barber was captured in the said schooner Commanded by the said Wm. Middleton and Carried prisioner to England and Confined in Jail about 18 months to the best of his knowledge and belief

Sworn and subscribed before me

William McKeh