

Camp In the Field near Hattiesburg La  
Aug 26th 1864

Sir

Yours of the 16th Inst came to hand in reference to Private John Wayne of my command and in Reply would state he left Camp at Penallytown Md Aug 13th 1864 he has been Reported as Absent without Leave. I do not think he intended to Desert from the company he having Two Brothers in the 6th Mass Reg who he was very anxious to see. I have been Informed he had on Grey Pants Kossuth Hat & Blue Flannel Shirt. I should like to have him sent back to his company as soon as convenient and I will make all stoppages which are Required on next Pay Rolls.

Very Respectfully your  
Obedient

W. H. Chapman  
Captain Comdg Co  
28th Mass Vet Coh

To  
Lieut Col. D. C. Pool  
Acting Provost Marshal  
Washington D. C.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Vet. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for July & Aug., 1864.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Veteran In  
confinement at  
Washington, D.C.  
since Aug 11 - 1864

Book mark:

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Tolman  
Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, Batt'n 26 Mass. Vet. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Nov. & Dec., 1864.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Vet. Returned to duty  
Nov. 28/64. Stoppage of  
\$2250 for musket &  
set equipments and  
99¢ for loss canteen &  
Haversack.

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W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, Batt'n 26 Mass. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for dated Oct. 31, 1864.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: In confinement  
at Washington D.C.  
since Aug 11, 1864.

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W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Age 24 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Lowell, Mass., Nov. 7, 1864.

Muster-out to date, 1864.

Last paid to May 1, 1864.

Clothing account:

Last settled, 1864; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 110 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: Transf'd to Batt.  
26 Reg Mass Vet. Res. by  
S.O. no 64 Hd Qrs Des.  
199 C Oct 18 - 1864  
Re-enlisted Veteran

Book mark:

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Tolman  
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W | 6 (3 Months.) | Mass. Mil.  
1861.

John Wayne  
Pvt., Co. E, 6 Reg't Mass. Inf. (3 Mos., 1861).

Age 22 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Boston, Mass., August 2, 1861.

Muster-out to date August 2, 1861.

Last paid to \_\_\_\_\_, 1861.

When enrolled April 15, 1861, for \_\_\_\_\_ \*

Where enrolled Boston \*

Period 3 months.\*

Clothing account:

Last settled \_\_\_\_\_, 1861; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

From Second Auditor's Roll.

\* See enrollment on card from muster-in roll.

Discharges were furnished enlisted men of this regiment at date of final payment.—See 1552 B, 1871.

Book mark: \_\_\_\_\_

(361c) J. L. Storris Copyist.

W | 6 (3 Months.) | Mass. Mil.  
1861.

John Wayne  
Pvt., Capt. Tuttle's Co. (3 Months, 1861).†

Age 22 years.

Appears on

Company Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Washington, D.C., April 22, 1861.

Muster-in to date April 22, 1861.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When April 22, 1861.\*

Where Washington \*

Period 3 months.\*

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

Next Roll on file Muster Out

† This organization subsequently became Co. E, 6 Reg't Mass. Mil. Infantry (3 Months, 1861.)

\* Muster-in roll shows enrollment and muster-in of this company as of same date. See enrollment on subsequent card or cards.

Book mark: \_\_\_\_\_

(356b) J. L. Storris Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
pvt, Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Age 22 years.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll\*

for Oct 18 to Dec 31, 1861.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When Aug 31, 1861.

Where Acton

Period 3 years.

Mustered in:

When Oct 18, 1861.

Where Lowell

Present or absent not stated.

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks:

\* 1st First current roll. No muster-in roll of this company on file.

Book mark:

(358d)

Spusted

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Pvt, Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Nov 1 Dec 31, 1861.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: 5-6 cts to be stopped  
for 1 Havensack

Book mark:

(358)

Tolson

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
pvt, Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Jan 1 Feb 28, 1862.

Present or absent absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Under arrest in  
the parish prison New  
Orleans.

Book mark:

(358)

Spusted

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Pvt, Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Vet. Cav.\*

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Jan 1 Feb 28, 1864.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Veteran Resid no  
bounty or pay as a  
veteran

Book mark:

(358)

Tolson

Copyist.

\*The designation of this organization subsequently became Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Vet. Infantry.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Age 22 years.

Appears on a

## Detachment Muster-out Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Franklin La., Jan 18, 1864.

Muster-out to date

Dec 31, 1863.

Last paid to

Nov 1, 1863.

## Clothing account:

Last settled \_\_\_\_\_, 186 ; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &amp;c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100 100

Remarks: 56¢ to be stopped for Hav'sack  
Rec'd Clothg. from Nov. 1-63 to  
Jan 1-64. \$3.35. Disch'd  
by virtue of reenlist. as  
Vet. Vol. under prov. G.O.  
191, War Dept. Series C & B

Book mark: \_\_\_\_\_

(349)

Fuller

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Appears on

## Muster-in Roll of Veteran Volunteers

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Franklin La. Jan 18, 1864.

Muster-in to date

Jan 1, 1864.

When enlisted

Jan 1, 1864.

Bounty paid, \$ 100; due, \$ 100

Company to which assigned \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: \_\_\_\_\_

Book mark: \_\_\_\_\_

(341b)

Murphy

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Vet. Infantry.

Appears on

## Company Muster Roll

for Dec 31-63 to Apr 3, 1864.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for \_\_\_\_\_

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: Veteran. Rec'd an  
pay or bounty as a  
Veteran

Book mark: \_\_\_\_\_

(358)

Tolman

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Priv., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Vet. Infantry.

Appears on

## Company Muster Roll

for May &amp; June, 1864.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for \_\_\_\_\_

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks: Veteran. Due  
bounty 56¢ for  
Haversack being  
previously stopped  
on pay rolls of Nov &  
Dec 1863 also on rolls  
of March & April 1864

Book mark: \_\_\_\_\_

(358)

Tolman

Copyist.



W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Pvt., Co. E, Batt'n 26 Mass. Infantry.

Age 24 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Savannah Ga, Aug 26, 1865.

Muster-out to date Aug 26, 1865.

Last paid to Apr 30, 1865.

Nothing account:

Last settled Dec 31, 1864; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 3 78 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 210 100; due \$ 190 100

Remarks: Stop \$ 6 for ordnance in  
accordance with G.O. 101 of A.  
2d U. S. C. Veteran

Book mark:

Brand

(861)

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Pvt., Co. E, 26 Reg't Massachusetts Inf.

Appears on Returns as follows:

Aug. 1864 - absent without leave  
since Aug. 13/64.

Oct. 1864 - absent without leave  
since Aug. 13/64. (Batt'n).

Dec. 1864 to March 1865 - Cutting  
wood in wood lot since  
Dec. 16/64.

Book mark:

(546)

Copyist.

W | 26 | Mass.

John Wayne  
Pvt., Co. E, 26 Reg't Mass. Infantry.

Appears on

### Company Descriptive Book

of the organization named above.

#### DESCRIPTION.

Age 22 years; height 5 feet 7 inches.

Complexion Fair

Eyes Grey; hair Lt. Brn.

Where born Lancaster, N. B., B. America

Occupation Farmer

#### ENLISTMENT.

When Aug 31, 1861.

Where Acton

By whom Capt. Chapman; term 3 y'rs.

Remarks: Vet

Mustered Jan 1/64 by Lt.  
Garvin New Iberia, La.

(888g)

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Camp in the Field  
Halltown Va  
August 26 1864

Chapman W. H.  
Capt. Co. E 26 Mass. Inf.

States that Private John  
Wayne of his Co. is not  
considered as a deserter

Oct. 1892. This paper was formerly  
filed with the records of the Provost  
Marshal, Dist. of Columbia, in the En-  
rollment Div. R. & P. O.

W. H. Chapman  
John Wayne  
Mustered

NOTE 1.—This blank will be used for both enlistments and re-enlistments—enlistment of veterans, &c., &c., in the volunteer service. They will be made out in duplicate in all cases—one to accompany the recruiting return of the superintendent (not the recruiting officer) to the Adjutant General, and one to accompany the accounts of the officer who pays bounty, &c. The Regiment and Company in which the soldier last served should be given on the back.

NOTE 2.—An enlistment holds to service. A muster-in must, in all cases, precede payment of pay, bounty, pension, &c. A muster-in roll must, in all cases, be filed in the Adjutant General's Office as evidence of muster-in. The mustering officer, commissary, or assistant commissary of musters, as the case may be, will countersign both enlistments as having mustered the soldier into the service of the United States before either of them is given to the disbursing officer.

DECLARATION OF RECRUIT.

I, John Mayne desiring to VOLUNTEER as a Soldier in the Army of the United States, for the term of THREE YEARS, Do Declare, That I am Twenty four years and months of age; that I have never been discharged from the United States service on account of disability or by sentence of a court-martial, or by order before the expiration of a term of enlistment; and I know of no impediment to my serving honestly and faithfully as a soldier for three years.

Witness:

GIVEN at New Orleans La the fifth day of January 1864.

John Mayne  
Capt

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Volunteered at New Orleans January 1st 1864.  
By \_\_\_\_\_  
Regiment of \_\_\_\_\_  
Discharged January 1st 1864.  
2d Reg't of New York  
(C) enlistment; last served in Company \_\_\_\_\_

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Do CERTIFY, That I am \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age; and I do hereby freely give my consent to his volunteering as a Soldier in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES for the period of THREE YEARS.

GIVEN at \_\_\_\_\_

Witness:

the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

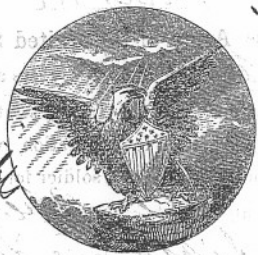
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## VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

*Massachusetts*

TOWN OF

*Aiton*

I, *John Wayne* born in *Leicester*  
in the State of *British America* aged *twenty four* years,  
and by occupation a *farmer* Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have  
volunteered this *first* day of *January* 1864.

to serve as a **Soldier** in the Army of the United States of America, for the  
period of **THREE YEARS** unless sooner discharged by proper authority: Do also  
agree to accept such bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be, established  
by law for volunteers. And I, *John Wayne* do  
solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the **UNITED STATES**  
**OF AMERICA**, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their  
enemies or opposers whomsoever, and that I will observe and obey the orders of the  
President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me,  
according to the Rules and Articles of War.

Sworn and subscribed to, at *New Iberia*  
this *fifth* day of *January* 1864.  
BEFORE *W. H. Chapman*

*John Wayne*

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have carefully examined the above-named Volunteer, agreeably  
to the General Regulations of the Army, and that in my opinion, he is free from all bodily defects and  
mental infirmity, which would in any way disqualify him from performing the duties of a soldier.

MINOR

*J. W. Dradt**Surgeon Thomas*

EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, *John Wayne*  
previously to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best of my  
judgment and belief, he is of lawful age; and that, in accepting him as duly qualified to perform the duties  
of an able-bodied soldier, I have strictly observed the Regulations which govern the recruiting service.  
This soldier has *gray* eyes, *dark brown* hair, *fair* complexion, is *five* feet  
*seven* inches high.

*W. H. Chapman**2d* Regiment of*Mass.*

Volunteers,

RECRUITING OFFICER.

the *1st* day of *January*, 1864 at *New Iberia*

Mustered into the service of the United States, in Company *E*

*21st*

Regiment of

*Irish**Volunteers*, on*19th**Dec**1864**at**New Iberia**La**Volunteers**on**19th**Dec**1864**at**New Iberia**La**Volunteers**on*