

Socrates Carver Military Records and Pension

Card Numbers Form

Carver Socrates

Co. C B, 37 Indiana Infantry.

Sergeant Captain

CARD NUMBERS.

[Note: Lines 1-25 are under Sergeant and lines 26-39 are under Captain.]

1 24968301

2 24968403

3 24968504

4 24968609

5 24968706

6 24968799

7 24968896

8 24968992

9 24969088

10 24969183

11 24969276

12 24969364

13 24969444

14 24969584

15 24961874

16 24969523

17 24969590

18 24969654

19 24969718

20 24969781

21 24962724

22 24969850

23 24969913

24 24967709

25 24967786

26 24967885

27 24962824

28 24961875

29 24967984

30 24968087

31 24968188

32 12647-VS-1886

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34 12647-VS-1886

35 33311885

36 42857434

37 42857439

38 42857451

39 36089832

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Number of personal papers herein 0

Book Mark: 9856 V.S. 87

12647-VS-1886

See also [blank]

Company Muster Roll Form for October 28-31 1861

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Oct 28 to Oct 31, 1861.

Present or absent not stated [see footnote below]

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

[footnote: Recapitulation shows him present for duty]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for March and April 1862

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Mch [sic] and Apr, 1862.

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for January and February 1862

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Jan and Feb, 1862.

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for November and December 1861
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Nov and Dec, 1861.

Present or absent not stated [see footnote below]

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Pay due from Sept 2nd to Sept 18th 1861

[footnote: Recapitulation shows him present for duty]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for November and December 1862
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Nov. and Dec., 1862.

Present or absent Not stated

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for September and October 1862
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Sept. and Oct., 1862

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for July and August 1862
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for July and Aug., 1862.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for January and February 1863
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

1st Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Jan and Feb, 1863.

Present or absent Not stated

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Promoted to 1st Sergt [sic] vice John S. Henry promoted

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for March and April 1863

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

1st Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Mch [sic] and Apl, 1863.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Special Muster Roll Form for April 1863

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

1st Sergt, [sic] Co. B, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Special Muster Roll for Apl 10, 1863.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Absent on 20 days furlough

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for May and June 1863
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

1st Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for May and June, 1863.

Present or absent [blank]

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Discharged June 5/63 to accept promotion as 2d Lieut [sic]

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Company Muster Roll Form for July and August 1863
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2d Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for July and Augt, [sic] 1863.

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Company Muster Roll Form for January and February 1864
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2d Lieut, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Jan and Feb., 1864.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Detailed as Acting Q.M. 37 Ind. Vols.

[stamp]: Next roll on file June. 1864.

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Detachment Muster Roll Form for January and February 1864

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2 Lt, Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on a Detachment Muster Roll of the organization named above, for Jany [sic] and Feby, 1864. Dated April 16, 64

Station Indianapolis, Ind

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Detailed on recruiting service by order of Maj. Genl. Thomas Special Field order No. 70 dated March 10, '64 Placed on duty by order of Col. Conrad Baker A.A.P.M.G. and Supt. Vol. Rectg. [sic] service Special Order No. 488 dated March 19, '64.

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Company Muster Roll Form for May and June 1864

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2d Lieut, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for May and June 1864.

Present or absent not present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Company Muster Roll Form for January and February 1865
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver,

2 Lt., Co. B, Detachment 37 Indiana Inf.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Jan. and Feb., 1865.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for November and December 1864
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2 Lt., Co. B, Detachment 37 Indiana Inf.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Nov. and Dec., 1864.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster-out Roll Form for July 1865
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Capt., Co. B, Detachment 37 Ind. Inf.

Age 28 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated Louisville, Ky. July 24, 1865.

Muster-out to date July 24, 1865.

Last paid to Apr. 30, 1865.

Clothing account:

Last settled [blank], 186[blank]; drawn since \$[blank]

Due soldier \$[blank]; due U.S. \$[blank]

Am't [sic] for cloth'g [sic] in kind or money adv'd [sic] \$[blank]

Due U.S. for arms equipments [sic], etc., \$[blank]

Bounty paid \$[blank]; due \$[blank]

Remarks: Mustered out [crossed out: G O 26 Almy Tenn., July 3/65 [see footnote below]

[footnote: As appears on Roll]

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Company Muster Roll Form for May and June 1865
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Capt., Co. B, Detachment 37 Indiana Inf.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for May and June, 1865.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for March and April 1865

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Capt., Co. B, Detachment 37 Indiana Inf.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Mar. and Apr., 1865.

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Promoted to fill an original vacancy

Book mark: [blank]

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Return Form for July 1864

C 37 Ind.

L. [sic] Carver

2 Lieut. 37 Regt. Ind. Vols.

Return of the 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 14th Army Corps, for the month of July, 1864, dated July 31, 1864., shows the following with regard to the officer named above:

Post or station In the field – Ga.

Remarks: Aid de camp to Col. Comd'g. [sic] 3 Brig. 1 D. 14 A.C.

Book mark: [blank]

I.A. Boyd

Copyist.

Notation Form March 1889
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2nd Lieut., Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Ind. Vols.

NOTATION.

Book mark: 12647 VS-86

9856-VS-87 with

War Department,

Adjutant General's Office,

Washington, March 7, 1889.

Under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved June 3, 1884, and the acts amendatory thereof, this officer is considered by this department as commissioned to the grade of 2nd lieut. Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Ind. Vols. to take effect from April 19, 1863, vice John S. Henry promoted.

W.W. Gibson

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Notation Form March 1889
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Capt., Co. A Residuary Battn [sic], 37 Reg't [sic] Ind. Vols.

NOTATION.

Book mark: 12647 VS-86

9856-VS-87 with

War Department,

Adjutant General's Office,

Washington, March 7, 1889.

Under the provisions of the act of Congress, approved June 3, 1884, and the acts amendatory thereof, this officer is considered by this department as commissioned to the grade of captain Co. A residuary Battn [sic], 37 Reg't [sic] Ind. Vols., to take effect from Sept. 17, 1864, to fill an original vacancy.

W.W. Gibson

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Company Descriptive Book Form
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

[blank], Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Descriptive Book of the organization named above.

DESCRIPTION.

Age 26 years; height 6 feet [blank] inches.

Complexion Light

Eyes Hazel; hair Light

Where born Franklin Tenn.

Occupation Carpenter

ENLISTMENT.

When Sept 18, 186[blank]

Where Camp Dearborn

By whom Thos W Pate; term During the war y'rs. [sic]

Remarks: Promoted to 2d Lieut [sic] June 6/63

A J Anderson

Copyist.

Notation Form April 1910
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt. [sic], Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Ind. Inf.

NOTATION.

Book mark: 12647-VS-86

The Adjutant General's Office.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

Washington, April 8, 1910.

It has this day (April 8, 1910,) been determined by this Department from the records that the above named soldier was enrolled Sept. 1, 1861, at Lawrenceburg, Ind.

W.W. Gibson

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Company Muster Roll Form for September and October 1864
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2 Lt., Co. B, Detachment 37 Indiana Inf.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Sept. and Oct., 1864.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Gone to Nashville for mules by order of Gen'l [sic] Davis

This organization was formed of veterans and recruits of the regiment, per S.F.O. No. 222, dated Hd. Qrs. Dept. of Cumb. [sic], Sept. 14, 1864.

Book mark: [blank]

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[stamp]: APR. 27. 1893.

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[handwritten]: w/in as 2nd Lt. accepted to date April 19/63

Company Muster Roll Form for July and August 1864
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver.

2d Lieut., Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for July and Augt. [sic], 1864.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Detailed by Col Moore Comd'g [sic] 3rd Brig 1st Div. 14th A.C. asst D.C. commencing Augt [sic] 12th and including the 31st of August/64.

Men of this organization transferred to Companies A and B, Detachment 37 Indiana Inf., per S.F.O. No. 254, Dept. Cumberland.

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Return Form September 1864

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2 Lieut. 37 Regt. Ind. V. V. I.

Return of the 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 14th Army Corps, for the month of Sept., 1864, dated Atlanta Ga. Sept. 30, 1864, shows the following with regard to the officer named above:

Post or station Near Atlanta Ga.

Remarks: Relieved as Aid de Camp 3d Brigade 1st Div. 14 A.C. Sept 29, 1864.

Book mark: [blank]

I A Boyd

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Return Form August 1864

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2 Lieut. 37 Regt. Ind. V. V. I.

Return of the 3d Brigade, 1st Division, 14th Army Corps, for the month of Aug., 1864, dated Near Jonesboro Ga. Aug. 31, 1864, shows the following with regard to the officer named above:

Post or station Near Jonesboro, Ga.

Remarks: Aid de Camp 3d Brigade 1st Division 14th A.C.

Book mark: [blank]

I A Boyd

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Company Muster Roll Form for November and December 1863
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2d Lieut., Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Nov. and Dec., 1863.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Detailed to take charge of Supply train by Genl. Order No. 23- 3d Brig 1st Div.
14 A.C.

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Company Muster Roll Form for August 31 through September 30 1863

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver.

2d Lieut., Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Augt. [sic] 31 to Sept 30, 1863.

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Detached with Supply train Oct 20/63 by Order of Col Sirwell

[stamp]: SUPPOSED TO BE MUSTER ROLL FOR OCT. 31, 1863.

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for May and June 1863

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2d Lieut., Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for May and June, 1863.

Present or absent present

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Promoted from Sergt. [sic] to 1st Sergt. [sic] Feb. 25/63 Vice Henry promoted – promoted to 2d Lieut. June 5/63.

Book mark: [blank]

J A [illegible]

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Individual Muster-in Roll Form for June 1863

C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2d Lt, Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Inf.

Age 27 years.

Appears on an Individual Muster-in Roll of the organization named above. Roll dated Murfreesboro, Tenn. June 11th, 1863.

Muster-in to date June 6th, 1863.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When June 6th, 1863.

Where Murfreesboro

Period 3 years.

Bounty paid \$[blank]; due \$[blank]

Remarks: Mustered in to date from June 6th/63. vice Henry Promoted. Was 1st Sergt. [sic] same Co.

Book mark: [89 is crossed out] [see footnote below] 9856-V.S.-87 (even)

[footnote: Corrected by a H Elliott]

Jn. McMurphy

Copyist.

Company Muster-in Roll Form for October 1861
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Age 25 years.

Appears on Company Muster-in Roll of the organization named above. Roll dated Camp
Holman Mouth Salt River Ky, Oct 28, 1861.

Muster-in to date Oct 28, 1861.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When Sept 18, 186[blank].

Where Camp Dearborn

Period During the war years [crossed out]

Bounty paid \$[blank]; due \$[blank]

Remarks: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for December 31, 1861 through May 1862
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt, [sic] Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for Dec 31/61 to May 31, 1862.

Present or absent [see footnote below]

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Color Bearer Sick at Athens Ala.

[footnote: Name in present column canceled by line]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for May and June 1862
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Sergt [sic], Co. C, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for May and June 1862

Present or absent [see footnote below]

Stoppage \$[blank] for [blank]

Due Gov't, \$[blank] for [blank]

Remarks: Sick at Hospital Nashville.

[footnote: Name in Pres. Col. cancelled]

Book mark: [blank]

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Individual Muster-out Roll Form for April 1865
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

2nd Lt, Co. B, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Inf..

Age 27 years.

Appears on an Individual Muster-out Roll of the organization named above. Roll dated
Goldsboro, N.C., Apr. 8, 1865.

Muster-out to date Apr 7, 1865.

Last paid to Dec 31, 1863.

Clothing account:

Last settled [blank], 186[blank]; drawn since \$[blank]

Due soldier \$[blank]; due U.S. \$[blank]

Am't [sic] for cloth'g [sic] in kind or money adv'd [sic] \$[blank]

Due U.S. for arms, equipments [sic], etc., \$[blank]

Bounty paid \$[blank]; due \$[blank]

Remarks: Mustered out Apr 7th 1865 to accept promotion.

Book mark: [blank]

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Returns Form

C. 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Pvt 1st Sgt 2nd Lt Capt., Co. C B., 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Returns as follows:

May 1862. Absent sent to Huntsville May.

June 1862. Absent sent to Shelbyville Hosptl. [sic] in June.

June 1863. (1st Sgt.) Disch'd [sic] June 5/63 Murfreesboro, to accept promotion as 2nd Lt.

June 1863. (2nd Lt.) Present promoted June 6/63 to 2nd Lt.

July to Sept. 1863. Present.

Oct. 1863. Absent detached with Supply Train Oct. 20/63 by order of Col. Sirwell

Nov. 1863. Present.

Dec. 1863. Absent detailed to take charge of Supply Train by G.O. No. 23 3rd Brig. 1st Div. 14th A.C. (over)

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[stamp: MAY. 25. 1895. 36089832]

Jan. 1864. Present.

Feb. 1864. Absent detailed as Q.M. 37th Ind. Vols. now in camp at Chattanooga.

Mar, 1864. Absent, ordered to report to Indianapolis, Ind. with Co. C for furlough as Vet. by S.F.O. No. 70 D.C. 1864.

Apr. and May 1864. – Present.

June 1864. Present comd'g [sic] Pioneer Squad of 37 Ind. Vols. by order of W.D. ward Lt. Col. Comdg [sic] Regt.

July and Aug 1864. Absent, Hd. Qrs. 3rd Brig. 1st Div. 14th A.C. near Atlanta, Ga. July 26/64 G.O. No. 33 announced as A.D.C. on Staff of the Col. comd'g. [sic]

Sept. 1864. (2nd Lt. Co. B. Detchmt. [sic]) Absent detailed as Aid de Camp to Col. Hambright Comd'g [sic] 3rd brig. 1st Div. 14th A.C.

Feb. 1865. Present, comd'g [sic] the Co.

Mar. 1865. Present, comd'g [sic] Co. B. 37 Ind.

Apr. to June 1865. (capt. [sic] Co. B. Detchm't [sic]) Present.

Individual Muster-in Roll for April 1865
C 37 Ind.

Socrates Carver

Cat., Co. B, 37 Reg't [sic] Indiana Inf.

Age 28 years.

Appears on an Individual Muster-in Roll of the organization named above. Roll dated Goldsboro, N.C. Apr. 8th, 1865.

Muster-in to date Apr. 8th, 1865.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When Apr. 8th, 1865.

Where Goldsboro, N.C.

Period 3 years.

Bounty paid \$[blank]; due \$[blank]

Remarks: Mustered in to date Apr. 8th/65 to fill an original vacancy Consolidated Cos. B.C. and K 37th Ind. Assigned to 22nd Ind. (over)

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Jn. McMurphy

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Infy. [sic] by order Bvt. Major Genl. Jeff C. Davis

Mustered out as 2nd Lt. Apr. 7th 1865.

Book mark

In/in as Capt. accepted to date from Sept. 17th/64 as of Co. "A".

Pension Forms

Affidavit of Socrates Carver October 1885

[written along left margin of both pages of document]: The person or persons making this affidavit must fill it up fully, giving a full and complete statement of the facts in the case. State how the disability is and how it has been affecting the applicant while under your observation. Describe as fully and clearly as possible his physical condition then, and state how it has continued while under your observation. If the applicant is disabled from labor, state how much of the time he loses. The officer before whom this affidavit is taken should carefully read over, to each party, the contents of the affidavit and fully explain the matter to them. The affiant should, if practicable, write out the statement; he should also state how they came to know the facts to which they testify.

State of Indiana

County of Jennings SS.

In the matter of Claim Number 535.849 of Socrates Carver Co C. 37. Ind Vols

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, Socrates Carver aged Claimant years, and [blank] aged [blank] years, Citizen of the town of Six Mile County of Jennings State of Indiana well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit [~~and who being duly sworn~~] and who being duly sworn declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows: That at the time of my discharge I lived at Franklin Johnson Co. Ind. and remained there until the spring of 1875. at which time I moved to Six Mile Jennings County Ind. at which place I have remained until the present time. My occupation while in Johnson Co. Ind. was that of a farmer and while in Jennings Co. Ind that of farming and house painting I had the first attack of diarrhea while in camp at Elizabethtown Ky. (was treated in the regiment) – caused by bad diet and exposure. This occurred in the winter of 1861 and 1862.

In February 1862, at Bowling Green Ky. I had another attack. (This [illegible] I guess).

In the Spring of 1862 in camp at Nashville I had another attack – was treated in Camp.

On or about Dec. 2 1862 we marched from Nashville Tenn. to Murfreesboro Tenn. where I suffered severely from Chronic diarrhea. was treated in Camp by regimental Surgeon (Dr. McClune) and ceased for about two months (January Feb. 1863) and then was furloughed home where my father (deceased) treated me. Returned to the regiment at Murfreesboro sometime in April 1863 and was again treated by the Regimental Surgeon. He treated me at intervals from that time until discharged. soon after discharge Dr. Hall of Franklin gave me treatment. Have used home remedies ever since. Have frequently been incapacitated for manual [large blank space here] but cannot now give dates.

In April 1862, while in active duty at Athens Ala. I contracted pneumonia which terminated in right [illegible] and about the last of May or first of June 1862 was sent to Nashville Tenn. – Hospital No 7 where I was treated by Major Thurston for lung trouble and Chronic diarrhea. In July I was at my [illegible] request permitted to return to my regiment. where I was treated at intervals until I was discharged.

[crossed out: and [blank], further say that [blank] knowledge pf the above facts be obtained from the following sources, viz:, [blank] and that he has no interest or concern in this matter.]

Attest – When any Affiant signs BY MARK. (2 Persons.)

[lines are blank]

Signature of Affiants.

Socrates Carver

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to me, that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he resides.

Witness my hand and official seal this 7 day of October, 1885.

Washington M Garrettson

Notary Public

Cert filed

NOTE. – This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT or JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If before a JUSTICE, then CLERK OF COUNTY COURT must add his certificate of character on the back thereof, and not on a separate slip of paper.

State of [blank] County of [blank] SS:

I, [blank], Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that [blank] Esq., who hath signed his name to the foregoing affidavit was at the time of so doing a [blank] in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all of his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this [blank] day of [blank], 188[blank]

Affidavit of William Magill February 1887

Orig [sic], No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CASE OF

Original Claim.

FOR

Socrates Carver

Lieut, [sic] Co. C, 37th Reg't [sic] Ind. Inf.

AFFIDAVIT OF

William C. Magill

Johnson Co. Ind.

[various stamps with various dates are found here]

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Jno. [sic] N. Maring.

Columbus Ind.

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State of Indiana

County of Johnson SS:

In the matter of claim number 535.849 of Socrates Carver, Capt. Co. "B" Residuary Battalion 37 Reg't. [sic] Ind. Vols.

Personally came before me, a Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County and State, William C. Magill,, aged 53 years, a citizen of the town of (P.O. Address.) (Clark Township), County of Johnson State of Indiana, well known too me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares in relation to the aforesaid case, as follows: I have known Capt [sic] Socrates Carver from Boy=hood [sic] and have played with him and have also worked with him frequently and know that he was a stout healthy boy and also a stout healthy man, up to the time he went into the army. I knew him to be at home from the army on furlow [sic] during which time he was sick with the

camp diarrhea [sic] just able to walk, and got some better and returned back to the army and at the close of the war he returned home in bad health unable to work fur [sic] some time. I do not remember how long My Post office is Franklin Johnson County Indiana.

[stamp: US PENSION OFFICE MAR. 15 1887]

and I further says that my knowledge of the above facts is obtained from the following sources, viz: that I lived in the same neighborhood and was well acquainted with him, and saw him frequently before he went to the army and often after he was home and that he has no interest nor concern in this matter.

Attest – When any Affiant signs BY MARK. (2 persons.)

[both lines are blank]

Signature of Affiants.

William C Magill

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to me; that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he resides.

Witness my hand and official seal this 26th day of February, 1887.

(Sign here.) Samuel Harris Clerk JC

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State of [blank] County of [blank] SS:

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Witness my hand and seal of office, this [blank] day of [blank], 188[blank]

Clerk of the [blank]

[stamp: BOARD OF [illegible] [illegible] APR 18 1887]

[stamp: L.S.]

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Partial Affidavit of Socrates Carver January 1887

No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CASE OF

Original Claim

FOR

Socrates Carver

2nd Lieut. Co. "C" 37th Reg't [sic] Indiana Inf.

AFFIDAVIT OF

Claimant

Six Mile Ind.

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Socrates Carver

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Witness my hand and official seal this 12 day of January, 1887.

(Sign here.) J.M. Stephuson

Notary Public

cert. filed

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Clerk of the [blank]

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Handwritten Affidavit of Ethan Day March 1905

Hayden Jennings County Indiana

I Ethan W Day will Say under Oath that I was an Eye witness to the Marriage of Socrates Carver and Mary Day on January 3rd 1866 in Jennings County State of Indiana Dated this 11th day of March 1905

Ethan W Day

State of Indiana

Jennings County

Subscribe and sworn to before me Joseph F. Bernhart a Justice of the Peace in and for said County and State this 11th of March 1905

Joseph F Bernhart P.S.

Justice of the Peace

[stamp: US PENSION OFFICE. MAR 20 1905]

Adjutant General's Form July 1886
535.849.

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, July 23, 1886.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

Socrates Carver, a Sergeant of Company "C", 37th Regiment Ind. Volunteers, was enrolled on the 18th day of September, 1861, at Camp Dearborn Ind. (for 3 years,) and is reported: on Muster in Roll of Co. dated at Camp Holman Mouth Salt River Ky Oct 28th 1861, present. First Roll ending Oct 31.61 and Roll for Nov and Dec/61, without mark as to pensioner absence. Rolls for Jan and Feb, and March and April/62 present. Roll ending May 31/62, Absent "Sick at Athens Ala." Roll for May and June/62 Absent. "Sick at Hospital Nashville." Rolls for July and Aug. and Sept and Oct/62, present. Rolls for Nov and Dec/62 and Jan and Feb/63, without mark as to presence, or absence. Roll for March and to April 10/63. "Absent on 20 days furlough." Roll for March and April/63, present. Discharged as 1st Sergt. [sic] June 5th 1863, to accept promotion to 2d Lieut. same Co. and Regt. (over)

[illegible] in R and P.G Apr. 24, 1902. See new statement.

Thomas Ward

Assistant Adjutant General.

[illegible writing]

[written on back] Returns for Oct and Dec/61. Dec/62 and Jan and Feb/63, do not report him absent. Regimental Hospital records which commence Oct. 27, 61, and terminate Apl. 20.63 show him [crossed out: Dec 16,] to 24.62. Treated for Febris Billiousae [sic] Nature of Sickness except as [illegible] by report from Hospital Records above given, and cause for which furloughed, not stated.

The records of that office furnish no additional information in the case selective to claimant while serving as an enlisted man.

[illegible] in R and P.G. Apr. 24, 1902.

See new statement

Thomas Ward

Assistant Adjutant general.

[illegible writing]

Adjutant General's Form January 1887
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War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Jany [sic] 8, 1887.

SIR:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your request of May 13th, 1886 for certain information for use in the consideration of application for pension No. 535.849, and to return it herewith, with the following information from the records of this office:

It appears from the rolls, etc., on file in this office that Socrates Carver was mustered into the service of the United States as 2nd Lieut. Co. "C" 37th Regiment of Inda vols, to date June 6th, 1863, [crossed out: to serve [blank] years or during the war. On the Muster roll of Company [blank] of that Regiment for the months of] and as Capt. Co. "B" to date April 8th 1865, [crossed out: he is reported] Rolls of Co. "C" for May and June and July and Aug 1863, report him pres [sic] all subsequent rolls to Dec. 31. 1863 absent. – Detached with Supply Train, Jany [sic] and Feby. 1864, absent detailed as 2nd Lt. March and April 1864 not on file. Relieve for March 1864, on Vet. furlough: April 1864 present. May, 1864, assigned to Command of Co. F. June 1864, On daily duty in charge of the [illegible] Pioneers. July and Aug. 1864. Detached duty, A.D.C. Col. Commanding Brig. No later returns on file. Roll of Co. B for Sept. and Oct. 1864 absent. Gone to Nashville for Mules. Subsequent rolls to June 30, 1865: present Regimental hospital records. [illegible] dates subsequent to April 1863 not on file. Other regimental and Co. records furnish no evidence of disability while a Commissioned Officer.

He was Mustered out with Co. "B" July 24, 1865.

Attention is invited to report of Jany [sic] 4. 1887. from the Surg. Genl's Office herewith.

I am, sir, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Thomas Ward

Assistant Adjutant General.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D.C.

General Affidavit Cover Page

No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CASE OF

Original Claim

FOR

Socrates Carver Co. C 37 Ind Vols

[crossed out: AFFIDAVIT OF]

Claimant's Statement

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Columbus Ind

Pensioner Dropped Form April 1905

PENSIONER DROPPED.

No 824.357

United States Pension Agency,

Topeka, Kansas.

APR 10 1905 [crossed out: ,190]

Certificate No. 353.830

Class INVALID

Pensioner Socrates Carver

Soldier [blank]

Service Sgt. C 37 Ind.

The Commissioner of Pensions.

SIR: I have the honor to report that the above-named pensioner who was last paid at \$12, to 4 Feb., 1905, has been dropped because of DEATH, Feb. 22, 1905.

[stamp: Finance Division, BUREAU OF PENSIONS APR 14 1905]

Very respectfully,

[illegible signature]

United States Pension Agent.

NOTE. – Every name dropped to be thus reported at once, and when the cause of dropping is death, state date of death when known.

Affidavit of Socrates Carver

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State of Indiana

County of Bartholomew SS:

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In the matter of Claim No. 535.849 Socrates Carver Capt. Co. C. 87 Reg't. [sic] Indiana vols.

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, Socrates Carver, aged 51 years, a citizen of the town of (P.O. Address.) Six Mile, County of Jennings State of Indiana, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares in relation to the aforesaid case, as follows: I am claimant above named. I cannot furnish medical testimony as to treatment for Chronic diarrhea and disease of lungs from date of discharge to the present, because I have treated myself – buying medicines at drug stores and using domestic remedies.

Cover Page of Affidavit

No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

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Hospital Statement of Claimant

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Affidavit

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State of Indiana

County of Bartholomew SS:

In the matter of Claim No. 535.849 of Socrates Carver Co. C. 37 Ind Vols

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, Socrates Carver aged 49 years, and [blank] aged [blank] years, Citizen of the town of (P.O. Address.) Six Mile County of Jennings State of Indiana well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being [crossed out] duly sworn [crossed out], declares in relation to aforesaid case as follows: That he was treated in the hospital at Nashville Tennessee No. 7. about the latter part of May the month of June and the first part of July in the year 1862.

[crossed out: and [blank] further says that [blank] knowledge of the above facts is obtained from the following sources, viz: [blank] and that he has no interest nor concern in this matter.]

Signature of Affiants.

Socrates Carver

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to me; that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he resides.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 3rd day of November, 1886

(Sign here) Robert H Richardson

Notary Public

certificut [sic] on file

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Affidavit of Dr. Daniel Redlon

Orig. No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CASE OF

Original Claim

FOR

Socrates Carver

[cut off] Lieut [sic] Co. "C" and Capt. Co. "B" 37 Regt. Ind. Vols.

AFFIDAVIT OF

D.D.M. Redlon

[2 illegible words] 37th Ind Vols.

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John N. Maring

Columbus, Ind.

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State of Indiana

County of Ripley SS:

In the matter of Orig. Claim No. 535.849 of Socrates Carver, 2nd Lieut. Co. "C" 37th Reg't. [sic] Ind. Inf.

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, Dr Daniel M Redlon, aged 56 years, a citizen of the town of (P.O. Address.) Pierceville County of Ripley State of Indiana, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declares in relation to the aforesaid case, as follows: I have been a practitioner of medicine for 32 years. was Hospital Steward 37th Reg. Ind. Vols. at Nashville Tenn. in Mar or April 1862 applicant was treated for Diarrhoea [sic] at Athens Ala. he contracted pneumonia for which he was receiving [sic] treatment at Regimental Hospital the last part of April and into May 1862. His lungs remained diseased and he was sent to Genl. Hospital at Nashville Tenn. for treatment in June 1862. I do not

remember when he returned to his company but he was receiving [sic] treatment for disease of Lungs, Chronis Diarrhoea [sic] and disease of rectum. at Murfreesborow [sic] Tenn. in Winter or Spring of 1863 and was furloughed home on account of disabilitys [sic]

Applicant was prominent [sic] in Regiment on account of bravery as color-bearer at battle of Stone [sic]- river for which he was promoted to Lieut.

I have not seen applicant since the war.

and he further says that his knowledge of the above facts is obtained from the following sources, viz: personal observation assisted in treatment and that he has no interest nor concern in this matter.

When any Affiant signs BY MARK. (2 persons.)

[both lines blank]

Signature of Affiants

D. Daniel M Redlon

Hos. Std. 3th Ind.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am I nowise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to me, that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he resides.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 8th day of July, 1885

(Sign here) [illegible] Thomas Clem

Jennings County Ind

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Clerk of the [blank]

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Affidavit of James H Meek
No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CASE OF

Original Claim

FOR

Socrates Carver Co. C. 37, Ind Vols

AFFIDAVIT OF

James H Meek

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County of Jennings SS:

In the matter of Claim No. 535.849 of Socrates Carver Co. C 37. Ind. Vols.

Personally came before me, a Clerk Circuit Court in and for said County and State, James H Meek aged 44 years, and [blank] aged [blank] years, Citizen of the town of (P.O. Address) Vernon County of Jennings State of Indiana well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case as follows: That the above named Socrates Carver was a member of my company – C 37th Indiana Vols. and that at Nashville Tenn [sic] he contracted Chronic diarrhea and he continued to have it up to the battle of Murfreesboro Tenn [sic] and from exposure on the battle field became so bad that after being treated for sometime in camp was furloughed home. also that he continued to have the diarrhea throughout the service. And that from exposure near Athens Ala. [from exposure is crossed out] Contracted pneumonia and was not able to move when we moved from that Camp. I think we left camp at Athens Ala. about the 1st of May 1862.

and he further says that his knowledge of the above facts is obtained from the following sources, viz: personal knowledge and that he has no interest nor concern in this matter.

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Signature of Affiants

James H Meeks

Partial Affidavit of Jesse Heaton

No. 535.849

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

CASE OF

Original Claim

FOR

Socrates Carver Capt. Co. "C" 37th Regt. Ind. Vols.

[stamp: U S PENSION OFFICE JAN 19 1887]

AFFIDAVIT OF

Jesse Heaton

Six Mile Indiana

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Jesse Heaton

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in this case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution, and that said affiant is personally known to me; that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he resides.

Witness my hand and official seal, this 12 day of January, 1887

(Sign here) J Stephenson

Notary Public

cert. filed

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