George Doggett Papers

Volunteer Enlistment Form

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF [blank]

TOWN OF [blank]

[image: Eagle with olive branch in between above]

I, George R Doggett born in [blank] in the State of Illinois aged 28 years, and by occupation a Hostler Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have volunteered this 11th Eleventh day of Dec 1863, 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, George R Doggett 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 Indianapolis Ind this 11th day of Dec 1863 BEFORE Lt James [illegible] 39 Ind

George R Doggett

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.

J.B. Newcomer,

EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, George R Doggett 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 blue eyes, brown hair, light complexion, is 5 feet 1 inches high.

[illegible] Lt Col

3rd Regiment of Indiana Volunteers,

RECRUITING OFFICER.

[written on right margin: Mustered into the service of the United States, in Company L, 39 Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, on the 11th of December, 1863, at Indianapolis Ind Alex. Muny Capt. 13th Infy [sic] M and D. Officer]

Declaration of Recruit

[written along left margin: NOTE 1. – This blank will be used for both enlistments and reenlistments – enlistment of veterans, etc., etc., in the volunteer service. They will be made out in duplicate in all cases – one to accompany the recruiting returns of the superintendent (not the recruiting officer) to the Adjutant General, and one to accompany the accounts of the officer who pays bounty, etc. 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, pensions, etc. 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, George R Doggett desiring to VOLUNTEER as a Soldier in the Army of the United States, for the term of THREE YEARS, Do Declare, That I am 28 years and [blank] months [crossed out] 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.

GIVEN at Indianapolis Ind the 11th day of Dec 1863

George R Doggett

Witnesses:

[illegible]

Volunteer Form

No. 415

George R Doggett Volunteered at Indianapolis Dec 11th 1863, By Gen James [illegible] 39 Regiment of Ind Vol

[blank] enlistment; last served in Company () [blank] Reg't [sic] of [blank] Discharged [blank] 18[blank].

Minor Consent Form

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR.

I, [blank], DO CERTIFY, That I am the [blank] of [blank]; that the said [blank] is [blank] 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.

[Witness and Signature lines are blank.]

Company Muster Roll Form for July and August 1864 D 8 Cav. Ind.

George R. Doggett

Sergt [sic], Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for July and Aug, 1864.

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

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

Valuation of horse, \$[blank]

Valuation of horse equipments [sic], \$[blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for May and June 1864

D 8 Cav. Ind.

George R. Doggett [see footnote below]

Sgt, Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry.

Appears on Company Muster Roll for May and June, 1864.

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

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

Valuation of horse, \$[blank]

Valuation of horse equipments [sic], \$[blank]

Remarks: Due [illegible] bounty \$40 Pr. P M C 98

[footnote: Dogget in pres [sic] col]

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for Enlistment through April 1864

D 8 Cav. Ind.

George R. Doggett [see first footnote below]

Sergt [sic], Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry.

Age [blank] years.

Appears on Company Muster Roll [see second footnote below] for enlistment to Apl 30, 1864.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When Dec 11, 1863.

Where Indianapolis

Period 3 years.

Mustered in:

When Dec 11, 1863.

Where Indianapolis

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

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

Valuation of horses, \$[blank]

Valuation of horse equipments [sic], \$[blank]

Remarks: Due 2d [illegible] bounty \$40 per P.M.C. 98 appointed Jan 5/64

[footnote: Dogget in pres. col.]

[footnote: First current roll. No muster-in roll of this company on file.]

Book mark: [blank]

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Muster and Descriptive Roll Form December 1863

D 8 Cav. Ind

George R. Doggett

Appears with rank of Pvt on Muster and Descriptive Roll of a Detachment of U.S. Vols. forwarded for the 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry. Roll dated Indianapolis Ind, Dec 11, 1863

Where born Illinois

Age 28 y'rs. [sic]; occupation Sadler

When enlisted Dec 11, 1863

Where enlisted Indianapolis Ind

For what period enlisted 3 years

Eyes Blue; hair Brown

Complexion Light; height 5 ft. 7 in.

When mustered in Dec 11, 1863

Where mustered in Indianapolis Ind

Bounty paid \$[illegible]0; due \$[blank]

Where credited [blank]

Company to which assigned L

Valuation of horse, \$[blank]

Valuation of horse equipments [sic], \$[blank]

Remarks: 1 Months Adv Pay Paid \$13. [illegible] \$2.

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Descriptive Book Form

D 8 Cav. Ind.

George R Doggett

Sergt [sic], Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry.

Appears on Company Descriptive Book of the organization named above.

DESCRIPTION.

Age 28 years; height 5 feet 7 inches.

Complexion Light

Eyes Blue; hair Brown

Where born Illinois

Occupation Sadler

ENLISTMENT.

When Dec 11, 1863

Where Indianapolis Ind

By whom Lt Col Jones; term 3 y'rs. [sic]

Remarks: Mustered Dec 11/63 by Capt [sic] Muny Killed in action at Pulaski Tenn [sic] Sept 27 1864

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Company Muster-out Roll Form July 1865

D 8 Cav. Ind.

George R. Doggett

Sergt [sic], Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry.

Age 28 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated Lexington N.C. July 20, 1865.

Muster-out to date [blank], 186[blank].

Last paid to: June 30, 1864.

Clothing account:

Last settled Dec 11, 1863; drawn since \$39.39

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 \$140; due \$160

Valuation of horse, \$[blank]

Valuation of horse equipments [sic], \$[blank]

Remarks: Died Sept 27/64 Pulaski Tenn. Killed in action

Book mark: [blank]

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Company Muster Roll Form for September and October 1864

D 8 Cav. Ind.

George R. Dogget [sic]

Sergt [sic], Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Indiana Cavalry.

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

Present or absent [blank]

Stoppage, \$[blank] for [blank]

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

Valuation of horse, \$[blank]

Valuation of horse equipments [sic], %[blank]

Remarks: Killed in action at Pulaski Tenn [sic] Sept 27/64 Recd [sic] 1st, 2d and 3d must

bounty \$140

Book mark: [blank]

Hathaway

Copyist.

Inventory of Effects

Inventory of the effects of George R Doggett late a Sergt. [sic] of Captain A J [illegible] Company L of the 8th Regiment of Ind Cav Volunteers, who was enrolled as a private at Indianapolis in the State of Indiana on the 11 day of December 1864, and mustered into the service of the United States as a private on the 11 day of December 1864, at Indianapolis in Company L, 8 Regiment of Ind Cav Volunteers, to serve three years or during the war; he was born in [blank] in the State of Illinois; he was 28 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, light complexion, Blue eyes, Brown hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Sadler; he died in [crossed out] on the Field, at Pulaski Tenn [sic] on the 27 day of September 1864 by reason of having been killed in action

INVENTORY.

[The information in the table is listed under 2 columns: Articles and No. None of the articles have a number after them.]

Hats
Caps
Forage caps
Great coats
Uniform coats
Uniform jackets
Flannel sack coats
Blouses
Stable frocks
Fatigue overalls
Pairs trowsers [sic]
Pairs flannel drawers
Pairs cotton drawers
Flannel shirts
Cotton shirts
Pairs boots
Pairs shoes
Pairs socks
Blankets
Haversacks
Knapsacks
MONEY. Specie \$[blank]
Notes \$[blank]
I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, that the above inventory comprises all the effects of Sergt [sic] George R Doggett, deceased, and that the effects are in the hands of the enemy at Pulaski Tenn [sic] Has nothing to [crossed out: to be disposed of by a Council of Administration.] dispose of
John L Brown
2nd Lieut [sic]

Commanding the Company.

(DUPLICATES.)

STATION: Camp Webster Ten

DATE: Oct 1864.

Discharge Form

I certify, on honor, that George R Dogget [sic] a Sergt [sic] of Captain A J Frortues [sic] Company (L) of the 8 Regiment of Ind Cav VOLUNTEERS, of the State of Indiana, born in [blank], State of Illinois, aged 28 years; 5 feet 7 inches high; light complexion, Blue eyes, Brown hair, and by occupation a Sadler, having joined the company on its original organization at Indianapolis, and enrolled in it at the muster into the service of the United States at Indianapolis, on the 11 day of December, 1864, (or was mustered in service as a recruit, by Cat Muny, at Inapls [sic], on the 11 day of December 1864, or was drafted and mustered into the service of the United States from the Enrollment District of the State of [blank], at [blank] on the [blank] day of [blank], 186[blank], to serve in the regiment, for the term of Three years; and having served HONESTLY and FAITHFULLY with his Company in the field to the present date, is now entitled to DISCHARGE by reason of bring killed in action before Pulaski September 27 1864.

The said George R Dogget [sic] was last paid by paymaster Maj [illegible] to include the 30 day of June, 1864 and has pay due him from that time to the present date; he is entitled to pay and subsistence for TRAVELING to place of enrollment, and whatever other allowances are authorized to volunteer soldiers, drafted men or militia, so discharged. He has received from the United States CLOTHING amounting to 39.39 dollars, since the [blank] day of Enlistment, 1864, when his clothing account was last settled. He has received from the United States 140.00 dollars advanced BOUNTY.

There is to be stopped from him, on account of the State of [blank], or other authorities, for CLOTHING, etc., received on entering service, [blank] dollars; and for other stoppages, viz: [blank] [blank] dollars.

He has been furnished with TRANSPORTATION in kind from the place of his discharge to [blank]; and he has been SUBSISTED for TRAVELING to his place of enrollment, up to the [blank], 186[blank].

He is indebted to [blank], SUTLER [blank] dollars.

He is indebted to [blank], LAUNDRESS, [blank] dollars.

Given in Duplicate, at Camp Webster Near Nashville this 24 day of October 24, 1864.

John L. Brown

2nd Lieut [sic]

Commanding Company.

Enclosures Form

Dogget [sic] George R.

S. Co. L, 8 Reg't [sic] Ind. Cav.

4 Enclosures.

Bed Cards [blank]

Burial records [blank]

Cert. of Dis. for Discharge [blank]

Descriptive Lists [blank]

Discharge certificates [blank]

Enlistment Papers 1

Final Statements 2

Furloughs or L. of A. [blank]

Med. Certificates [blank]

Med. Des. Lists [blank]

Orders [blank]

Pris. of War Record [blank]

Resignations [blank]

Other papers relating to -

Admission to Hosp'l [sic] [blank]

Casualty Sheet [blank]

Confinement [blank]

Contracts [blank]

Death or Effects 1

Desertion [blank]

Discharge from Hosp'l [sic] [blank]

Discharge from Service [blank]

Duty [blank]

Furlough or L. of A. [blank]

Med. Examination [blank]

Misc. Information [blank]

Pay or Clothing [blank]

Personal Reports [blank]

Rank [blank]

Transfer to Hosp'l [sic] [blank]

Transfer to V.R.C. [blank]

Transportations [blank]

Card Numbers Form

Doggett. George. R.

Co. L, 8 Indiana Cavalry.

Private Sergeant.

CARD NUMBERS.

1 26325093

2 26350998

3 26351102

4 26351206

5 26351375

6 26351825

7 33266375

[lines 8 through 50 are blank]

Number of personal papers herein 4

Book mark: [blank]

See also [blank]

Roster Page

[Only the line that pertains to George Doggett has been transcribed. The titles of the columns are missing.]

Daggett [sic], George R., R, Private, Indiana, 39th, L, 09-27-1864, blank column, blank column, KILLED AT PULASKI, TN ACCORDING TO INDIANA ROSTER