

Joseph Guest Papers

Guest, Joseph

Co. F, 42 Indiana Infantry.

Private Private

CARD NUMBERS.

1 24981050

2 24992526

3 24992631

4 24993478

5 33315994

6 36095288

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Number of Personal Papers Herein 3

Book Mark: [blank]

See Also

G 42 Ind.

Joseph Guest

[blank], Co F, 42 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Descriptive Book

of the organization named above.

DESCRIPTION.

Age 33 years; height 5 feet 10 1/2 inhes.

Complexion fair

Eyes blue; hair light

Where born South Carolina

Occupation farmer

ELISTMENT.

When Aug 27, 1862.

Where Princeton

By whom [perhaps "G"] M Cormick; term war y'rs. ["y'rs" crossed out]

Remarks: Recruit Paid bounty Killed Dec 31/62 at Stone River Tenn in action
(388g)

Troutman

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G 42 Ind.

Joseph Guest

pvt, Co. F, 42 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on Returns as follows:

Jan 1863 Loss Dec 31/62 Stones River Killed in battle at Murfreesboro Tenn Dec 31/62

G 42 Ind.

Joseph Guest

Appears with rank of Pvt on

Muster and Descriptive Roll of a Detachment of U.S. Vols. forwarded
for the 42 Reg't Indiana Infantry. Roll dated

Indianapolis Ind, Sept 6, 1862.

Where born North Carolina

Age 33 years; occupation Farmer

When enlisted Aug 27, 186[blank]

Where enlisted Princeton

For what period enlisted 3 years.

Eyes Blue; hair Light

Complexion Fair; height 5 ft. 10 1/2 in.

When mustered in Sept 6, 1862.

Where mustered in [blank]

Bounty & Premium paid \$28; due \$ [blank]

Where credited [blank]

Company to which assigned [blank]

Remarks: [blank]

Book mark: [blank]

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[illegible]

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G 42 Ind.

Joseph Guest

Pvt, Co. F, 42 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

For Aug 31 to Dec 31, 1862.

Present or absent [blank]

Stoppage \$ [blank] for [blank]

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

Remarks: Killed at Murfreesboro Tenn. Dec 31 '62

Book mark: [blank]

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Piles

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G 42 Ind.

Joseph Guest

Pvt, Co. F, 42 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

For Jan & Feb, 1863.

Present or absent [blank]

Stoppage \$ [blank] for [blank]

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

Remarks: Killed Dec 31, 62 at Stone River

Book mark: [blank]

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Piles

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G 42 Ind.

Joseph Guest

Priv, Co. F, 42 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Age 33 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-Out Roll, dated

Washington DC, June 1, 1865.

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

Last paid to [blank], 186[blank].

Clothing account:

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

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

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

Due U.S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$[blank]

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

Remarks: Killed in Battle at Stone River Tenn Dec 31 1862

Book mark: [blank]

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[illegible letter] P York

Copyist.

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

Indiana

TOWN OF

Princeton

I, Joseph Guest born in [blank] in the State of North Carolina aged Thirty three years, and by occupation a Farmer DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have volunteered this Twenty seventh day of August 1862 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, Joseph Guest 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 Washington Ind

this 27th day of August 1862

Before Lt. O.W. McCormick

Joseph Guest

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.

[Illegible]

EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, Joseph Guest previously to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that to the best of my judgement and belief, he is of lawful age; and that, in accepting him as duly qualified to perform the dutie [sic] of an able-bodied soldier, I have strictly observed the Regulations which govern the recruiting service. This soldier has Blue eyes, Light hair, fair complexion, is 5 feet 10 inches high.

Lieut O.W. McCormick
42nd Regiment of Indiana Volunteers,
RECRUITING OFFICER.

Final Statement of Pay and Clothing account of
Joseph Guest a Private in Co F 42 Ind Vol Enlisted Aug 27 1862 by J.W. McCormick
Killed in Battle Dec 31 1862.

Due the Government on account of Clothing \$25.18

Due the Soldier by the Government for Clothing \$14.46

Balance Due the Government for Clothing \$11.32

Also Received \$25. Bounty

Was last paid to include Sept 27 1862

By paymaster Maj Cumback

Effects left none

I certify the above to be a true transcript of the Record of Co F 42 Regt Ind Vol
Station Camp near Murfreesboro Tenn

Date Jan 22 1863

John C. White

2 Lieut Commanding

Co F 42 Regt Ind Vol

CASUALTY SHEET.

Name: Joseph Guest

Rank: Private

Company: F

Regiment: 42d

Arm: Infantry

State: Ind

Nature of Casualty: Death

CAUSE OF CASUALTY—(NAME OF DISEASE, &c.)

Killed in Battle

DEGREE OF DISABILITY. [blank]

BY WHOM CERTIFIED.

Lt John C White

DATE OF DISCHARGE [crossed out], DEATH, &c.

Died Dec 31-1862

PLACE OF DISCHARGE [crossed out], DEATH, & c.

Not Given

BY WHOM DISCHARGED. [blank]

FROM WHAT SOURCE THIS INFORMATION WAS OBTAINED.

[illegible] 4 Reg of Decd Sol. [illegible letters] 125 1862

REMARKS.

Final statement sent to 2d Auditor Sep 30 1862

No Effects

SM [illegible, perhaps "Brooks"]

Clerk

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FORM FOR EXAMINING A RECRUIT.

(To be filled up according to directions in Tripler's Manual, pages 114, 115, 116, 117.)

RECRUIT Joseph Guest age 32, occupation Farmer born in North Carolina presented by [blank]

1. Have you ever been sick? When and of what disease? Had Typhoid fever nine years ago. Had Rheumatism three years ago.
2. Have you any disease now, and what? No.
3. Have you ever had fits? No.
4. Have you ever received an injury or wound upon the head? No.
5. Have you ever had a fracture, a dislocation, or a sprain? No.
6. Are you in the habit of drinking? No. Or have you ever had the horrors? No.
7. Are you subject to the piles? No.
8. Have you any difficulty in urinating? No.

9. Have you been vaccinated, or had the small pox? Been vaccinated

[Each word below was listed, with the word "Normal." written off the side, indicating that each portion of the soldier's body appeared normal.]

Head

Ears.

Face.

Eyes and Appendages.

Nose.

Organs of Mastication and Voice.

Neck.

Chest.

Abdomen.

Genital and Urinary Organs.

Vertebral Column.

Superior Extremities.

Inferior Extremities.

REMARKS. [blank]

DATE: Sep 3rd 1862.

RENDESVOUS: Indianapolis.

[illegible name]

Inspecting Surgeon.

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Sworn and subscribed to at Washington Ind

this 27th day of Augt [sic] 1862

BEFORE Lt O. W. McCormick

Joseph Guest [signature]

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[illegible initials] Newcomer.

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