## Franklin Walker Discharge Paper

Discharge Form

[image: Eagle with a flag, stars and an olive branch]

To all whom it may Concern.

Know ye, That Franklin Walker a Private of Captain James A Rice Company, (K",) 73rd Regiment of Ills Vol Inf. VOLUNTEERS, who was enrolled on the First day of August one thousand eight hundred and Sixty-two to serve Three years or [illegible] the war, is hereby Discharged from the service of the United States this 23rd day of May, 1865, at Murfreesboro Tenn [sic] by reason of being mustered out in accordance with [illegible] in telegram per War Dept dated May 3d 1863

(No objection to his being re-enlisted is known to exist.)

Said Franklin Walker was born in Summer County in the State of Pennsylvania, is 35 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high, Dark complexion, Black eyes, Black hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Carpenter

Given at Murfreesboro Tenn [sic] this 23d day of May 1865

J W [illegible]

Cap 88 Ills V

[Commanding the Regt. is crossed out]

And Asst Com 2 Div [sic] [illegible]

[footnote: This sentence will be erased should there be anything in the conduct or physical condition of the soldier rendering him unfit for the Army.]

## OATH OF IDENTITY.

[blank] of the Town of [blank] County of [blank] in the State of [blank]

On this [blank] day of [blank] in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty [blank] personally appeared before me the undersigned, a Justice of the Peace for the County and [blank] above mentioned; [blank] who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical [blank] who was a [blank] in the Company commanded by Captain [blank] in the Regiment [blank] commanded by [blank] that he enlisted on the [blank] day of [blank] for the term of [blank] and was discharged at [blank] on the [blank] day of [blank] by reason of [blank] sworn to and subscribed to before me the day and year above written.

I certify that [blank] before whom the above affidavit purports to have been made, is a Justice of the Peace duly authorized to administer oaths, and that the above is his signature.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, this [blank] day of [blank] in the year [blank] at [blank] in the State of [blank]

Clerk of the [missing]

[stamp: ILLINOIS CENTRAL R.R. MAY 29 1865 ODIN]