

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.



STATE OF

*Virginia*

TOWN OF

*Wellsburg*

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I,

*Martin B Brown*

born in

*Wellsburg*

in the State of

*Virginia*

aged

*Twenty one* years,

and by occupation a

*Laborer*

DO HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have

volunteered this

*fourteenth*

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, *Martin B Brown* 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

*Wellsburg*

*Martin B Brown*

this

*14<sup>th</sup>*

day of *August 1862*

*Am 18*

BEFORE

*Seis Thomas White*

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.

*John Cupper*  
EXAMINING SURGEON

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, 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 *Dark* eyes, *Dark* hair, *Dark* complexion, is *5* feet *11* inches high.

*12* Regiment of *Pa* Volunteers,

