MUSTER-OUT ROLL of One Enlisted Man of Co A in the Fifth Regiment of U S Colored Infantry Volunteers, commanded by Colonel Brvt Brig Genl Samuel A Duncan called into the service of the United States by the President at ..... (the place of general rendezvous) on the 20th day of October, 1864, to serve for the term of One Year, from the date of enrollment, unless sooner discharged; from the 21st day of December, 1865 (when Last Paid) to the ..... day of March, 1866, When Mustered out. The Company was organized by Capt. ..... at ....., in the month of ..... 186 , and marched thence to ....., where it arrived the ..... of ....., a distance of ..... miles.

Number of each grade.	Names. Present and absent. (Privates in alphabetical order—the first christian name to be written full length.)	Rank.	Age.	Joined for service and enrolled at general rendezvous—commencement of first payment by time. When.	Where.	By whom.	Period.	Mustered into service. When.	Where.	By whom.	Last paid. By paymaster.	To what time.	Travelling. To place of rendezvous, No. of miles.	From place of discharge house, No. of miles.	Subsistence and forage, furnished by themselves since the muster into service. Subsistence. No. days.	Forage. No. days.	Amount for clothing in kind, or in money advanced. Dolls.	Cts.	Value of equipments, arms, &c., received from the United States, to be paid for if lost or destroyed. Dolls.	Cts.	Valuation, in dollars, of— Horses.	Horse Equipments.
1	Oscar Thomas	Private	30	—	Drafted	—	1 year	Oct 20/1864	Baltimore Md	Lt Comd D Maydeme	Brvt Lt Col Eaton	Dec 31st 1865										

Remarks.

Under the head of Remarks the date of an officer or soldier's joining from any absence; the date of an officer's assuming, or being relieved, from any command or special duty; the description of any special, extra, or daily duty, on which officers or soldiers may be; all changes of rank, by promotion, appointment, or reduction, with date of same; all authorized stoppages, fines, sentences, with No., date, &c., of order, &c.; in case of Absence, its nature and commencement, No., date, &c., of order, and period assigned for same (to be repeated on every roll while it lasts); if wounded in battle, or injured on duty—if sick, or confined, a remark to that effect, &c., &c.—must be carefully stated opposite to the name of the person concerned, with everything else necessary, either to account fully for every substitute of the company—to guide the paymaster—or ensure justice to the soldier, and to the United States.

2. All articles which are to be paid for will be stated by the captain opposite to the name of the soldier.

3. Every man whose name is on previous rolls must be accounted for on this one. The exchange of men by substitution, and the exchanging, swapping, or loaning of horses, after muster into service, are strictly forbidden.

Drafted and failed to report as ordered was assented as a Deserter July 26th 1865 — Dec Dept of Washington Washington D C January 15th 1866 Special orders No 15 Extract 2 — Upon recommendation of the Regimental Commander the Charge of Desertion against the following enlisted man is hereby removed and they are Will be returned to Duty Without Trial

Oscar Thomas Co A 5th U S C Troops

By command of Maj Genl C. C. Auger

(Signed) G. H. Carlton A. A. G.

Official (Signed) Dwallen Lt & adt

Money value of clothing drawn since Drafted $ 40 50/100

Mustered Out by reason of expiration term of service

Recapitulation.		Captains.	1st Lieutenants.	2d Lieutenants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Buglers.	Musicians.	Privates.	Total.	Aggregate.	Total last muster.
Present.	For duty											
	Extra duty											
	Sick											
	In arrest or confinement											
Absent.	Detached service											
	Furlough											
	In arrest or confinement											
	Sick											
	Prisoners of war											

Recapitulation.		Captains.	1st Lieutenants.	2d Lieutenants.	Sergeants.	Corporals.	Buglers.	Musicians.	Privates.	Total.	Aggregate.	Total last muster.
Strength—Present and Absent												
Alterations and Casualties since last Muster.	No. Joined. By Enrollment											
	No. Joined. By Transfer											
	No. Joined. From Desertion											
	No. Discharged. Expiration of service											
	No. Discharged. For Disability											
	No. Transferred											
	No. Died											
	No. of Deserters											

DIRECTIONS TO MUSTERING OFFICERS.

The Mustering Officer will see that five copies of this Roll are made out, four of which he will retain, the fifth will be retained by the Company Commander, or, in case of Field and Staff and Officers and Men mustered out of service separately or in squads, by the Senior Officer, Non-commissioned Officer, or Private standing first on the list of persons so mustered out. The Mustering Officer will dispose of the four copies retained by him, as follows: One will be sent to the Adjutant-General of the Army, and one to the "Bounty Bureau," Washington, D. C., and two to the Paymaster by whom the troops are to be paid.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, that this Muster Roll exhibits the true state of the above named Enlisted Man of Co D of the 5th U S Colored Infantry for the period herein mentioned; that each man answers to his own proper name in person; that the remarks set opposite the name of each officer and soldier are accurate and just, and that the valuation of all horses and horse equipments since the muster into service, was made by disinterested and good judges, and at fair and just rates.

William H Appleton

Brvt Maj Capt 5th U S C T

Commdg Co A

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, that I have at Washington D C, on this 2nd day of March, 1866 carefully examined this Roll, and, as far as practicable, caused the allowances, stoppages, and remarks to be justly and properly stated; and mustered the Man for discharge; and he is hereby *honorably* discharged from the service of the United States.

W A Smith

Brvt Major U S A

Mustering Officer.

Muster.. { Date March 2nd 1866 / Station Washington D C.

[A. G. O. No 22—First.]