

SECOND AUDITOR'S OFFICE,

Jan. 6th, 1875.

Sir:

Please furnish this Office with the date of the Enrolment, Muster-in, and Death of Geo. H. Miller, late Reg't Co. Dth, 30 Reg't Cold Volunteers, claimed to have died on the 27 day of May, 1863. Is it of record that the soldier was not a freeman on or before April 19, 1861? If evidence of slavery is taken from anything other than his military record as above, please note the fact, and state the source from whence it is derived.

I am, respectfully, your obedient servant,

Brig. Gen. E. D. Townsend,
Adjutant General, U. S. A.

E. B. French
Second Auditor.

Room No. 74

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[FORM NO. 1, BUREAU C. T.]

[REPLY.]

Adjutant General's Office,

Washington, March 27th, 1875

Sir:

It appears from the rolls on file in this Office that George H. Miller was enrolled on the 23rd day of July, 1864, and mustered into service on the 28th day of July, 1864, a Priv in Co. "N", 30th Regiment U. S. C. Troops Volunteers, to serve 3 years or during the war. On the muster-rolls of said company for the months of from Organization to June 30th, 1864, he is reported "Present for duty", from June 30th to June 30th 1865 "Absent Gen. Hoop's wounded since July 30th 1864" see for July & Aug "mustered out per Gen. G. O. 77. A. G. O. Apr 28th 1865. May 27th 1865" (from Louverture Hoop's Alexandria, Va. at Washington, D.C.) and so accounted for on the muster out roll of company, and on a detachment muster out roll on file in this office

There is no "evidence" on muster-rolls, or of record, on file in this Office, (including records of the Military Commissioners—officers charged with organization of colored troops—and Commissions appointed under Congressional acts approved February 24, 1864, and July 23, 1866,) that _____, late _____, Co. _____, Regiment _____, U. S. C., was a slave on or before April 19, 1861; but the Bounty column of said Company's muster-out roll indicates that he was not a freeman, as no bounty is thereon noted as due. (See letter from Adjutant General's Office, dated October 12, 1868.)

I am, respectfully, your obedient servant,

Thomas M. French

Assistant Adjutant General.

To Hon. E. B. French,

Second Auditor.

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