

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:



Know ye, That David Benedict
a Private of Captain Nelsons Company. (7) 154¹⁵
Regiment of New York VOLUNTEERS, who was enrolled on the fourth
day of August one thousand eight hundred and Sixty two to serve three years or during the war,
is hereby **DISCHARGED** from the service of the United States this 31 day of January
1863, at Philadelphia Penn. by reason of Surgeons Certificate of Disability
Rheumatism.

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

Said David Benedict was born in Hoopland in the
State of New York is forty two years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, light
complexion, blue eyes, gray hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a farmer.

GIVEN at Philadelphia Pa this thirty first day of January 1863

J. P. Greese
Capt of Regt
Commanding the Regiment.

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

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