

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF



TOWN OF

New York

Ellicottville

I, *Baker L. Saxton* born in *Ellicottville*
in the State of *New York* aged *thirty nine* years,
and by occupation a *Blacksmith*. Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have
volunteered this *Second* day of *March* 1864,
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, *Baker L. Saxton* 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 *Ellicottville*
this *4th* day of *March* 1864 } *Baker L. Saxton*
BEFORE *Charles L. Lamp* }
Judge of the peace

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.

H. W. Giddens
EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, *Baker L. Saxton*
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 *Black* eyes, *Dark* hair, *Dark* complexion, is *5'*
feet *10* inches high.

William Bird Jr
Lieut *179* Regiment of *NY* Volunteers,
RECRUITING OFFICER.

(A. G. O. No. 74 & 76.)

Mustered into the service of the United States, for three years or during the war, from date of enlistment in Company
179th Regiment of *New York* Volunteers, on the *2nd* day of *March*, 1864, at *Ellicottville*

Charles L. Lamp
William Bird Jr
Recpt of Co. Recy
Ellicottville