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Bishop Charles A.

Co. D, 16 Connecticut Inf.

Private Private

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Ed Safford Esq

ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES

CERTIFICATE

OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE.



Private Charles A. Bishop of Captain E. H. Mox Company, (B) of the Fifteenth Regiment of United States Army was enlisted by Capt J. H. Juss of the Sixteenth Regiment of Army at Wentworth Conn on the _____ day of _____ 1863, to serve Three years; he was born in Guilford in the State of Conn, is Eighteen years of age, Six feet _____ inches high, Dark complexion, Blue eyes, Brown hair, and by occupation when enlisted a Farmer. During the last two months said soldier has been unfit for duty _____ days.*

STATION: Camp Banks
 DATE: Dec 25th 1863

 Commanding Company.

I CERTIFY, that I have carefully examined the said Charles A. Bishop of Captain Mox Company, and find him incapable of performing the duties of a soldier because of Organic disease of the heart contracted in the service & disability

 Surgeon.

DISCHARGED, this Twentieth day of January 1863, at Camp Banks
Alex Va

Gabriel de M. ...
Col 28th Regt V.P.
 Commanding the Reg't

The soldier desires to be addressed at
 Town _____ County _____ State _____ Post _____

* See Note 1 on the back of this. † See Note 2 on the back of this.

NOTE 1.

company commander will here add a statement of facts known to him concerning the disease or wound, of disability of the soldier; the time, place, manner all the circumstances under which the injury, or disease originated or appeared; the duty, or situation of the soldier at the time the injury received or disease contracted, stating particularly the injury was received or the disease contracted in the performance of his duty; and whatever other facts may aid in determining the cause, immediate or remote, of the injury, and the circumstances attending it.

If the facts are not known to the company commander, the certificate of any officer, or affidavit of other person having such knowledge, will be appended—as the case may be, if the soldier is in a hospital, the officer commanding the hospital, and the officer commanding the company of recruits, &c., &c.

NOTE 2.

In a probable case for pension, special care must be taken to state the degree of disability—as to the nature, and the extent to which it deprives him of the use of any limb, or affects his health, strength, activity, constitution, or capacity to labor or earn his subsistence. The company commander will add, from his knowledge of the facts and circumstances, and from the evidence in the case, his professional opinion of the cause or origin of the disability. In all cases of discharges by Medical Inspectors, the last paragraph of the certificate will state that the discharge was given by consent of the soldier, after a personal examination, and for the nature, degree, and origin of which are correctly stated in the certificate.

Regulations, Edit. 1861. Medical officers, in giving certificates of disability, are to exercise particular care in all cases that have not been under medical charge; and especially in epilepsy, convulsions, rheumatism, derangement of the urinary organs, paralysis, ulcers, or any obscure disease liable to be feigned or purposely produced; and in no case shall such a certificate be given until after sufficient time and examination to detect any attempt at deception.

DIRECTIONS.

The certificate will be made out in duplicate by the soldier's company commander, or other officer commanding the separate detachment to which he belongs and sent by him to the surgeon who has charge of the hospital where the soldier is sick. The surgeon will fill out and sign the surgeon's certificate, and forward these papers to the regimental, detachment, or post commander, who will forward them with his action endorsed thereon, through the proper channel, to his division commander; or, if the troops are not attached to a division, to his corps, department, or other commander or officer in whose authority to discharge enlisted men may be specially vested.

The certificates, after having received the action of the highest authority to which they are required to be sent, will be returned through the same channel to the regimental, post, or detachment commander, who will, if the discharge is authorized by the endorsement of the proper authority, sign the soldier's discharge, and the last paragraph on this paper; see that the soldier is furnished with the final statements in duplicate, and forward BOTH of these certificates direct to the Adjutant General United States Army, at Washington, D. C.; they will not under any circumstances be given into the hands of the soldier.

CERTIFICATE OF DISABILITY FOR DISCHARGE

B. 1852 of 1863
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IN THE CASE OF

Charles A. Bishop
Private Co. B
Sixteenth Reg't of Connecticut

APPROVED
[Signature]
Surgeon U.S.A. & Med. Director

Duplicate sent the Division Office
Feb. 13 1863

HEAD QUARTERS
DEPARTMENT OF WASHINGTON
Jan 15 1863
Major General of Brig. Gen.

Received (A. G. Office) 1863

[Signature]
[Signature]

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

TOWN OF

CONNECTICUT.



Hartford

I, *Charles Bishop* born in *Hamilton* in the State of *Connecticut* aged *Eighteen* years, and by occupation *Farmer*

Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have voluntarily enlisted this *fourth* day of *July* 1862, as a **Soldier** in a Volunteer Regiment of Connecticut, to serve the **UNITED STATES FOR THREE YEARS, OR DURING THE WAR** with persons owning allegiance to and in open rebellion to the United States Government, unless sooner discharged by proper authority; and to be subject to orders from the Federal Government; do also agree to accept such bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be established by law.

And I, *Charles Bishop* 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 for the government of the armies of the United States.

Sworn and subscribed to, at *Hartford* this *24* day of *July* 1862. *Charles Bishop*

BEFORE *J. J. Jones* Notary Public

I CERTIFY ON HONOR, That I have carefully examined the above named Recruit, 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.

I CERTIFY ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Recruit *Charles Bishop* 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 *Grey* eyes, *Brown* hair, *Flawed* complexion, is *5* feet *6* inches high.

J. J. Jones Recruiting Officer.

DIRECTIONS.—This enlistment must be signed and acknowledged in triplicates, one copy to be sent to the Adjutant-General; one to the United States Mustering Officer, and one copy to be retained by the Recruiting Officer; the copy to the Adjutant-General must be sent immediately after being signed; the oath must be sworn and subscribed to before a Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Mustered by me *J. W. Burnham* Mustering Officer

Bishop Charles A.
Reg't Co. B, 16 Reg't *Cann. Inf.*

3 Enclosures.

Bed Cards	Final Statements
Burial Records	Furloughs or L. of A.
Certs. of Dis. for Discharge. /	Med. Certificates
C. M. Charges	Med. Des. Lists
Descriptive Lists	Orders
Discharge Certificates	Pris. of War Record. /
Enlistment Papers /	Resignations

Other papers relating to—

Admission to Hosp'l	Furlough or L. of A.
Casualty Sheet	Med. Examination
Confinement	Misc. Information
Contracts	Pay or Clothing
Death or Effects	Personal Reports
Desertion	Rank
Discharge from Hosp'l	Transfer to Hosp'l
Discharge from Service	Transfer to V. R. C.
Duty	Transportation
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B. | 16. | Conn

Charles A. Bishop

, Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Vol.

NOTATION.

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War Department,

Adjutant General's Office,

Washington, May 23, 1877.

On May 7, 1877, in a printed circular, the Adjutant General of the State of Connecticut reported this man's discharge certificate on file in his office.

A. M. M.

B

16

Conn.

Charles A. Bishop

Priv., Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Descriptive Book

of the organization named above.

DESCRIPTION.

Age 18 years; height 6 feet inches.

Complexion florid

Eyes gray; hair brown.

Where born Guilford, Conn.

Occupation Farmer

ENLISTMENT.

When July 24, 1862.

Where Hartford

By whom J. S. Ives; term 3 y'rs.

Remarks:

[Empty lines for remarks]

Metcalf

B

16

Conn

Charles Bishop

Pat., Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn.

Appears on

Hospital Muster Roll

of U. S. A. Hospital,

at Camp Banks, near Alexandria, Va.,

for dated Feb 28, 1863.

Attached to Hospital:

When Nov 25, 1862.

How employed Patient

Last paid by Maj.

to , 186 .

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Present or absent

Remarks: Discharged and final statement given Jan 20/63

[Empty lines for remarks]

Book mark:

Bushman

B. | 16 | Conn.

Charles A. Bishop

Private, Co. B, 16 Reg't Connecticut Inf.

Appears on Returns as follows:

Oct-Dec 1862 Absent sick from Antietam

Sept 18

Jan 1863 Absent sick from Antietam

Feb 1863 Discharged for disability

Book mark:

(546)

James

Copyist.

B | 16 | Conn.

Charles A. Bishop

Private, Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Infantry.

Age 18 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Newborn N.C., June 21, 1865.

Muster-out to date _____, 186

Last paid to _____, 186

Clothing account:

Last settled _____, 186 ; drawn since \$ _____

Due soldier \$ _____; due U. S. \$ _____

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ _____

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ _____

Bounty paid \$ _____; due \$ _____

Remarks: Discharged Jan 15, 1863. Surgeon's Certificate

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Smith

Copyist.

B. | 16 | Conn.

Charles A. Bishop

Private, Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Jan & Feb, 1863

Present or absent _____

Stoppage, \$ _____ for _____

Due Gov't, \$ _____

Remarks: Discharged Jan 15th 1863.

Book mark:

(858)

Marrason

Copyist

B. | 16 | Conn.

Chas. A. Bishop
Pvt., Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Nov & Dec, 1862

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Sick and absent in Hospitals.

Book mark:

MAN Watson

B. | 16 | Conn.

Chas. A. Bishop
Pvt., Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Aug 24 to Nov 1, 1862

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't, \$ 100 for

Remarks: Sick and in hospital.

Book mark:

MAN Watson

B. | 16 | Conn.

Charles A. Bishop
Pvt., Co. B, 16 Reg't Conn. Infantry.
Age 18 years.

Appears on

Company Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

at Williams Hartford Ct. Aug 24 1862

Muster-in to date Aug 24, 1862

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When July 24, 1862

Where Hartford

Period 3 years.

Bounty paid \$ 25⁰⁰/₁₀₀; due \$ 100

Remarks:

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MAN Watson

MEMORANDUM FROM PRISONER OF WAR RECORDS.

No. _____

(This blank to be used only in the arrangement of said records.)

NAME.	RANK.	ORGANIZATION.				INFORMATION OBTAINED FROM--				
		No. of Reg't.	State.	Arm of Service.	Co.	Records of--	Vol.	Page.	Vol.	Page.
<i>Bishop Charles A.</i>	-	16	<i>Conn.</i>	-	<i>B</i>	<i>C. P. Md.</i>	26	5		

Captured at _____, 186____, confined at Richmond, Va., _____, 186____,

Admitted to Hospital at _____

where he died _____, 186____, of _____, 186____

Paroled at _____, 186____; reported at Camp Parole, Md., _____, 186____.

Discharged Jan'y 20/63. on Surg's C. P. at Camp Banks Va.

Copied by *C. B. B.*

