

Know ye, that Joseph S. Hutchings
 a Private of Capt F. C. Dress' Company
 the 2^d Regt of Maine vol who was
 enrolled on the 2^d day of ~~July~~ April
 1861 to serve three years is hereby discharged
 from the service of the United States
 this nineteenth of July 1862 at
 Philadelphia by reason of surgeons
 Certificate of disability
 * (No ^{objection} to being re-enlisted is known to
 exist)

Said J. S. Hutchings was born in
 Milford in the State of Maine is
 34 years of age Five feet five inches
 high Fairish complexion Hazel eyes
 Brown hair and by occupation when
 enrolled a Labourer

Given at Philadelphia this 19th
 day of July 1862

By Order of Brig. Gen Montgomery
 Comd'g Post
 G. R. Dress
 Asst. Adj't Gen.

* The above sentence not correct

The said sketching is physically
fit for the service to all appearance

I send this copy for reference
hereafter

H Blackmer