

SUBSTITUTE

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

CITY OF
TOWN OF

Massachusetts



Lawrence

I, *Petra Alonzo* born in the State *Barcelona in Kingdom*
of *Spain*, aged *twenty six* years, and by
occupation a *Seaman* Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have agreed with

George W. Emerson, Esq., of *Melrose in the*
County of Middlebury + State of Mass.

to become his **SUBSTITUTE** in the Military Service, for a sufficient consideration paid and
delivered to me, on the *nineteenth* day of *August*, 1863;
and having thus agreed with said *Emerson*, I DO HEREBY

ACKNOWLEDGE to have enlisted this *nineteenth* day of *August*,
1863, 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: I do also agree to accept such
bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be, established by law for soldiers. And I do
solemnly swear that I will bear true and faithful allegiance to the **United States of America**;
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 *Lawrence*
this *19th* day of *August* 1863
BEFORE *E. G. Provingham*
Justice of the Peace

Petra Alonzo

We certify, on honor, That we have carefully examined the above-named Volunteer Substitute
agreeably to the Regulations, and that, in our 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; that he was entirely sober
when enlisted; that he is of lawful age, (not under 18 years;) and that, in accepting him as duly qualified to
perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier, and as a Substitute in lieu of *George W. Emerson*
Emerson, drafted in *Lawrence 6th Dist. Mass*
on the 13th day of July, 1863, we have strictly observed the Regulations which govern
in such cases. This soldier has *brown* eyes, *dark* hair, *dark* complexion; is *5* feet *5 1/2*
inches high.

H. H. Merrill
Capt. Provost Marshal.

P. E. Davis
Commissioner of Board.

J. S. Fullerton, Junr
Surgeon of Board.

Board of Enrollment of *6th* Dist. of *Mass.*

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 or Service.	Co.	Records of.	Vol.	Page.	Vol.	Page.
Alonso P. ^{E. J. G. J. G. J.}	P	9	Mass	I	B	C. B. C. P. Mis	21 6 1/2 15 40	1 1 5	4	3

Captured at Bristow Sta Va. Oct. 14, 1863, confined at Richmond, Va., Oct. 23^{Nov 1}, 1863.

Entering July 2, 63

Admitted to Hospital at _____

where he died _____, 186____, of at C. B. Dec 29/63 C. P. Jan 3/64

Paroled at City Point Va. Dec. 27²⁸, 1863; reported at Camp Parole, Md., Jan 4, 1864.

do. Dec 29/63

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