



To all whom it may concern  
Adjt Genl's Office U.S. Army  
Holmes P.M.U.  
28th July 1865



Bounty \$100 paid Augt 9/66

By Holmes Paymaster

Know ye, That John Matalata

Private of Captain 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut J. McLean  
Company, (C) Regiment of Indian Home Guards  
VOLUNTEERS who was enrolled on the sixth day of July  
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 thirty-first day of May, 1865, at Fort Gibson  
Cherokee Nation by reason of Master Outfit \$0.90 due him Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1863  
(No objection to his being re-enlisted is known to exist.)

Said John Matalata was born in Cherokee Nation  
in the State of , is thirty-three years of age,  
five feet six inches high, dark complexion, black eyes,  
dark hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Farmer

Given at Fort Gibson this thirty-first day of  
May 1865.

J. S. Phillips

1<sup>st</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> Regt Indian Home Guards

Commanding the Regt

Maj. Com. Muster Indian Bn.

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

[A. G. O. No. 90.]

W. McLean P. M. S.  
Comdg Co A 2<sup>nd</sup> Regt  
Indian Home Guards