Discharge for Richard H. Brown

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To all whom it may Concern:

Know Ye, That Richard H[.] Brown[,] a Private of Captain Wm[.] S[.] [Herd's?] Company, (D) Fifth Regiment of U[.]S[.] Reserve Corps Mo[.] vol[.] who was enrolled on the Fourteenth day of June one thousand eight hundred and Sixty one to serve until Aug[.] 11th 1861--, is hereby Discharged from the service of the United States, this Eleventh day of August--, 1861, at Lexington[,] Missouri by reason of the expiration of his term of Service.-- (No objection to his being re-enlisted is known to exist.)

Said Richard H[.] Brown -- was born in Eighteen Hundred thirty three (1833) in [*text stricken through*] Manchester Englang, is Twenty Eight years of age, five feet eight inches high, Light complexion, blue eyes, Sandy hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Foundry man, & Iron worker.--

Given at Lexington. -- this Eleventh day of August. -- 1861. Cap[.] Wm[.] S[.] [Herd?] Commanding Company.