

National Guard Muster Roll Abstract for World War I. Volume 38, Section A: Alston, Benjamin

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AGE	DATE OF COMMISSION OR ENLISTMENT IN STATE SERVICE					MUSTERED				
	WHEN			HOME STATE OR COMPANY REGIMENT/CO.	WHEN			Class.	R	S
YEAR	DAY	MONTH	YEAR		DAY	MONTH	YEAR			
	2	Aug		1916	N.Y. City Provincetown	25	July	1917	Regt d	54
DATE OF APPEARING.										
	15	July		1917		12	March	1918		
LEFT THE ORGANIZATION.										
HOW	WHEN			IN WHAT GRADE	EXPLANATION					
	DAY	MONTH	YEAR							
Transf.				191	Ret. to N.Y. Co. this Regt.					
H. Disch.	21	July		1918	on demobilization					
REMARKS: Corp. Feb. 1919. Served overseas Dec. 1917 to June 1919. Promoted Captain in action Sept. 1918. Served overseas Dec. 1917 - Jan. 1919. Awarded French Croix de Guerre.										
Age ²⁰ years; height _____ feet _____ inches; complexion _____; eyes _____; hair _____; born _____; occupation _____; residence 439 W. 13 St. _____ married or single; name and address of wife or (if single) of parent or guardian _____; relationship _____.										

The individual abstracts for each enlisted man provide the following data: name; U.S. Army serial number; date and place of commission or enlistment in state service; date of appearance for duty; dates of muster into service (N.Y. and U.S. with rank, company and regiment); date and rank at time of leaving service; and reason for leaving service (type of discharge or transfer). Following these data are "remarks" which sometimes give additional details. At the bottom of the form is space to record personal information however this space is often left blank. Manuscript (handwritten) data on printed form.

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