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**JAMES E. BUCKLIN  
LETTER, 28 SEPTEMBER 1864**

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**BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH**

James (Jimmy) E. Bucklin was born around 1838 in Princeton, IN. He enlisted on the 31<sup>st</sup> of July 1861 to fight for the Union Army as a private. He served until he was mustered out on the 15<sup>th</sup> of November 1865. He died on the 11<sup>th</sup> of April 1914 at the U.S. National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers. He is buried at the VA Medical Center in Danville, IL.

**Sources:**

Ancestry: Library Edition, < <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>>.

**SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE**

This collection contains one letter written by James Bucklin to his "pa" on the 28<sup>th</sup> of September 1864. At that time James Bucklin was serving as a private for the 24 Indiana Infantry. In this letter he writes about the draft, some friends, and Mary Ann (his mother).

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