

Obadiah Green

Infantry: 172nd Ohio, Co. E, Sept. 3rd-May 14th, 1864



Obadiah Green was a soldier in the Civil War who fought for the union. He was a part of the 172nd Ohio, Company E regiment in the Infantry Branch. He enlisted in the army on April 27th, 1864, and fought all the way until his regiment disbanded on September 3rd, 1864.

Obadiah was 30 years old at the time of his enlistment. He enlisted in a regiment named the 172nd Ohio. The regiment was organized in Cambridge, Ohio, and mustered on May 14th, 1865. His regiment never saw the battlefield in the civil war. Their regiment was specially designed to be placed into “safe” areas and have to protect railroads and supply points. His regiment was under the command of Colonel John Ferguson. The group spend their whole military time in the town called Gallipolis in Ohio. The regiment lost 12 men during the duration of the civil war, all due to disease, none due to battle action.

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