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Date: 1863
Description: Draft for town of Baldwin's Civil War bounty certificates

Town of Baldwin
Decr _____ 1863
in the County of Cumberland

Whereas the Inhabitants of the town of Baldwin ^ at a meeting of the legal voters of said town holden on the tenth day of Decr. A.D. 1863 voted to pay three hundred and fifty dollars to each volunteer who shall ~~enlist~~ be mustered into the United States' service and accredited to said town in filling the quota of said town under the last call of the President of the United States for soldiers_ And also voted to instruct and authorize the Selectmen of said town to hire money for and in behalf and upon the credit of said Inhabitants with which to pay the said bounties to said volunteers _ And whereas we, the subscribers, Selectmen of said town have hired and received of _____ the sum of _____ dollars for the purpose aforesaid _ Therefore we, the Subscribers, Selectmen of the said town, do hereby, for and in behalf and in the name of the Inhabitants of the town of Baldwin aforesaid promise to pay the said _____ or his order, the sum of _____ in _____ years _____

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} Selectmen
} of
} Baldwin
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