

# RULES AND REGULATIONS, G. A. R.

## ARTICLE IV.—CHAPTER I.

**Eligibility to Membership**—Soldiers and Sailors of the United States Army, Navy or Marine Corps, who served between April 12th, 1861, and April 9th, 1865, in the war for the suppression of the Rebellion, and those having been honorably discharged therefrom after such service, and of such State regiments as were called into active service and subject to the orders of U. S. General Officers, between the dates mentioned, shall be eligible to membership in the Grand Army of the Republic. No person shall be eligible to membership, who has, at any time, borne arms against the United States.

To Corporal D. J. Post, No. 22 Dept of Mo. G. A. R.

I have the honor to make application for membership in Corpl D. J.  
Post, No. 22 Department of Mo. Grand Army of the Republic,

basing my application on the following facts:

I am 65 years of age, and was born in Madison County State of Ohio, now residing at Adair Co State of Missouri, and by occupation a Farmer.

I served during the late Rebellion as follows:

First enlisted Feb 20 June 1863, as Corporal in Co. "B" 86<sup>th</sup> Regiment Ohio Infy Vol for the period of 4 months and was discharged therefrom as Corporal, at Camp Cleveland Ohio, on the Tenth day of Feb 1864, by reason of Expiration of term of enlistment.

I also re-enlisted Feb 18<sup>th</sup> 1864, as Private in Co. "B" 2<sup>d</sup> Regiment O. Cav. V. and was discharged therefrom as Private at Benton Barrack Mo, on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of September 1865, by reason of G.O. No. 94. G.S. 1865: War Dept.

I have never borne arms against the United States, and have never been convicted of Desertion, nor of any other infamous crime.

I have never made previous application for membership to the Grand Army of the Republic, and fit the same with Post, No. Department of on the day of 18

(Signature) Solomon Morris  
Residence Adair Co. Mo. Kirksville, P.O.

I, on honor, recommend Solomon Morris to the favorable consideration of the Post, believing the foregoing statements to be true in every respect.

Enclosed is Proposition fee, \$ John M Davis  
(To be signed by a Comrade of the Post.)

NOTE.—If any details herein required are omitted, they must be furnished before being reported on by the Committee. Any failure to report all the facts required by this application may render the muster-in null and void.  
1 Other enlistments are to be added.  
2 If this is the first application, write the word "not" in this space.  
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*Dockery  
Snyder  
Burtis*

APPLICATION OF

*Solomon Morris*  
Late *Capt & Lieut* Co. *B. & C.*  
*86th ILL. Cav.* Regt. *O. V.* for

Membership in the Grand Army of the Republic.

Recommended by Course  
*John M Davis*

HEADQUARTERS.

*Capt D. J.* Post, No. *22*  
Department of *Mo.* *1902*

Received and referred to the Examining  
Committee.

*J. C. Fish*  
Post Commander.

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The undersigned Examining Committee re-  
spectfully report..... favorably upon the  
within application.

*O. C. Snyder*  
*S. C. Sanders*  
*J. A. Timmon*  
Committee.

Applicant { Elected..... 189  
                  { Mustered..... 189

No. on Des. Book .....

Adjutant.

*Notified*

To Be Filled By, Or For, the Post Surgeon, On Or Before the Night of Muster of This Applicant.

1. No. on Des. Book.....
2. Name.....
3. Where born.....
4. Color.....
5. Regiment or Vessel serving in when wounded.....
6. What Army or Squadron?.....  
(As Army of the Potomac, Mississippi Squadron, etc., etc.)
7. Branch of service (Inf'try, Cav., Marine, Sailor).....
8. How many times wounded?.....
9. Ages when wounded?.....
10. 11. Dates when wounded and names of Engagements.....
12. Parts of the body wounded or disabled.....
13. State Results of wounds. If amputation, what member? If paralysis, loss of sight, or any other disability followed, give full particulars.....
14. Kind of Missile.....
15. Rank when wounded.....

NOTE.—If not wounded or disabled, so state distinctly.

Entered on Medical Description Book No. ....

Reported to Department Headquarters.....

Post Surgeon.