

# 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 Capt Dix Post, No. 22 Dep't of Mo G. A. R.

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

basing my application on the following facts:

I am 79 years of age, and was born in Laurieburg State  
of Ind, now residing at Luptala  
State of Mo, and by occupation a Farmer

I served during the late Rebellion as follows:

First enlisted Aug 5 1862 as Private in Co. B  
Regiment Enrolled Me for the period of 3 years, and  
was discharged therefrom as serg Private, at Macou City  
on the 16 day of Aug 1864, by reason of reinstatement  
in U. S. Service

I also re-enlisted 186, as in Co. in  
Regiment and was discharged therefrom as  
at on the  
day of 186, by reason of in

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

I have By application made previous application for membership to the Grand Army of the  
Republic, and filed the same with from Col James Post, No. 25 Department  
of Mo on the 25 day of Mar 1866  
(Signature) W J Saltmarsh  
Residence No. Luptala Mo

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

Enclosed is Proposition fee, \$ 1.00

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(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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APPLICATION OF

*W. J. Salton arch*

Late *Private* Co. *B*

Enrolled *S. M.* for

Membership in the Grand Army of the Republic.

Recommended by Comrade

*J. D. West*

HEADQUARTERS.

*Capt. Dix* Post, No. *22*

Department of *M. G. May, 1914*

Received and referred to the Examining Committee.

*J. D. West*

Post Commander.

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The undersigned Examining Committee respectfully report..... favorably upon the within application.

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Applicant { Elected.....1  
Mustered.....1

No. on Des. Book .....

Adjutant.

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 (Inftry, 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.