

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 Post No. 22 Dep't of MO G. A. R.

I have the honor to make application for membership in Corpl Fish Post No. 22 Department of MO Grand Army of the Republic, basing my application on the following facts:

I am 47 years of age, and was born in \_\_\_\_\_ State of N. J., now residing at Kirksville State of Missouri, am by occupation a Plasterer

I served during the late rebellion as follows:

First enlisted Aug 11<sup>th</sup> 1862 as private in Co. B 109 Regiment N. J. Infy for the period of 3 years, and was discharged therefrom as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut., at the Fourth day of June 1865, by reason of expiration of time

I also re-enlisted \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_, as \_\_\_\_\_ in Co. \_\_\_\_\_ Regiment \_\_\_\_\_ and was discharged therefrom as \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_\_ on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_, by reason of \_\_\_\_\_

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

I have \_\_\_\_\_<sup>2</sup> made previous application for membership to the Grand Army of the Republic and filed the same with Patterson Post No. 242 Department of MO on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 18 \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature) J. Cory Fish  
Residence, No. Kirksville MO Street.

I on honor recommend J. Cory Fish 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.

APPLICATION OF

*Henry Fish*  
Late *1st Lt* Co. *5*  
*109th* Reg't *N.Y.* for

Membership in the Grand Army of the Republic.

Recommended by Comrade

*J M Davis*

HEADQUARTERS

*corporal* Post No. *22*

Department of *Massachusetts* 1892

Received and referred to the Examining Committee.

*W H Chadway*  
Post Commander.

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

*Jay H Pope*  
*Peter Fleming* } Committee

Applicant { Elected *Nov 2nd* 1892  
Mustered 18

No. on Des. Book  
*J. Walker* *Pao Lew*  
Adjutant.

*5411*  
*44*  
*8681*

To be Filled by, or for, the Post Surgeon, on or before the Night of muster of this Applicant.

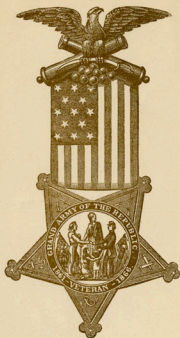
- No. on Des. Book \_\_\_\_\_ 2. Name \_\_\_\_\_
- Where born \_\_\_\_\_ 4. Color \_\_\_\_\_
- Regiment or Vessel serving in when wounded \_\_\_\_\_
- What Army or Squadron?  
(As Army of the Potomac, Mississippi Squadron, etc., etc.)
- Branch of service, (Inf., Art., Cav., Marine, Sailor, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_
- How many times wounded? \_\_\_\_\_ 9. Ages when wounded? \_\_\_\_\_
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 \_\_\_\_\_



# Grand Army of the Republic

Department of *Mo*

Headquarters *Pattonburg* Post No. *242*

**TO ANY Post of the GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC, Greeting:**

This Certifies that Comrade *J. C. Fish* is a member in good standing of this Post, and having paid all dues, we have granted him this **TRANSFER CARD** and recommend him for admission into any Post of our Order.

If at the expiration of One Year from date hereof he has not been admitted to membership in any Post this Transfer Card shall be void, and the holder be considered as honorably discharged from the Order.

Offices held by him in the G. A. R.

*1st Officer*  
*39, 2, 24*  
*3 Comdr*  
*4 O. G.*

### THE FOLLOWING IS A CORRECT TRANSCRIPT FROM THE RECORDS OF THE POST:

Comrade *J. C. Fish* is *47* years of age, was born in *Ny*  
State of *N. Y.* and is by occupation a *Plasterer* entered the service on the  
*11<sup>th</sup>* day of *Aug* 1862 as a *Priv* Co. *9* Regt. *109 Ny Vol.*  
and was finally discharged on the *4* day of *June* 1865 as *Sgt* Co. *9*  
Regt. *109 Ny Vol.* by reason of *Expiration of Time*  
having served *2 7/8* years *9* months. Joined this Post by *charter membership*

Dated at *Pattonburg* this *30* day of *Sept* 1892

*Paul Royston*  
Adjutant.

*A. H. Curtis*  
Post Commander.

J. C. Fish

109<sup>th</sup> NY

1892  
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1845

J. C. Fish

Elected Nov 2<sup>nd</sup> 1892