

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, 1831, and April 9th, 1835, 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.

No Corporal Dix Post, No. 22 Dep't of Missouri G. A. R.

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

I am 71 years of age, and was born in Macon Co State
 of Missouri, now residing at Gaplata Mo
 State of Missouri, and by occupation a Farmer

I served during the late Rebellion as follows:

First enlisted August 8 1862, as Private in Co. B
50th Regiment MO Inf for the period of one years, and
 was discharged therefrom as October at Edina Mo
 on the _____ day of _____ 1862, by reason of expiration of
Service

I also re-enlisted July 10 1863, as Edina in Co. B
50th Regiment MO Inf and was discharged therefrom as Sgt
Nov at Edina Mo on the 10
 day of November 1863, by reason of expiration of
Service

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

I have _____ made previous application for membership to the Grand Army of the Republic, and filed the same with Col. Herbs Post, No. 82 Department of Missouri on the _____ day of _____ 1

(Signature.)

W. P. Bowen
 Residence No. Gaplata Mo

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

Enclosed is Proposition fee, \$ 1.00

J. E. Pierce
 (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

W Bowen

Late Private Co. B

60th Regt. M.S. Light

Membership in the Grand Army of the Republic

Recommended by Comrade

J. E. Pierce

HEADQUARTERS.

Captain Post, No. 22

Department of Missouri 1916

Received and referred to the Examining Committee.

J. E. Pierce acting Post Commander.

April 6 - 1916

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

B. Evans, Q. Ammerman, John McChase Committee.

Applicant Elected April 6 1916 Mustered April 6 1916

No. on Des. Book

W. Rathburn Adjutant.

Cornet Reports favorable

Handwritten notes and signatures in the left margin.

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?... 7. Branch of service... 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... 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.

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