

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 Dyer Post, No. 22 Dept of MO G. A. R.

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

I am 67 years of age, and was born in Butter Co. State
of Pa, now residing at Adair Co.
State of MO, and by occupation a Farmer

I served during the late Rebellion as follows:

First enlisted 2^d 186, as Corporal in Co. 'M'
Regiment Prov. E. Mo. M. for the period of _____ years, and
was discharged therefrom as Sergeant, at Macoupin Mo.
on the _____ day of _____ 186____, by reason of exp. of term of service.
Punished under cert. NO. 880. 563. at \$12. per mo.

~~I also re-enlisted _____ 186____ as _____ in Co. _____
Regiment _____ and was discharged therefrom as _____
at _____ on the _____
day of _____ 186____, 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 never made previous application for membership to the Grand Army of the Republic, and filed the same with _____ Post, No. _____ Department of _____ on the _____ day of _____ 18____

(Signature.) William M. Ransom
Residence Adair Co. Mo. R. Lind Mo.

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

Enclosed is Proposition fee, \$ _____

John W. 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.

[OVER.]

APPLICATION OF

Wm M. Rawson

Rate *Serjt* Co. *M*
Regt *Prov & Mo. M.*

Membership in the Grand Army of the Republic.

Recommended by Committee
John M. Davis

HEADQUARTERS.

Capt. D. Post, No. *22*
Department of *MO. 50. 189*

Received and referred to the Examining Committee.

Post Commander.

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

J. C. Fish
J. A. Zinsman } Committee.

Applicant { Elected *after May 18*..... 1891
 { Mustered *after Aug. 18*..... 1891

No. on Des. Book *293*

J. A. Zinsman
Adjutant.

J. Lockery
J. C. Fish
Zinsman

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.