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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

TO THE

Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home

AT QUINCY

TRUSTEES.

DANIEL DUSTIN, Sycamore, DeKalb County, Ill.
L. T. DICKASON, Danville, Vermillion County, Ill.
J. G. ROWLAND, Quincy, Ill.

OFFICERS.

C. E. LIPPINCOTT, Superintendent,
S. B. SHERER, Secretary and Acting Adjutant,
H. H. CARNAHAN, Quartermaster and Commissary,
JAMES D. MORGAN, Treasurer.

STATE OF Illinois
COUNTY OF Macoupin

On this 27th day of August A. D. 1887, personally appeared before me

(¹) W. W. Freeman & Volney Parker within and for the County and State aforesaid

(²) George N. Arnold aged 50 years; height 6 feet 8 1/2 inches
complexion fair; eyes dark; hair black, a resident of (³) Leartinsville

County of Macoupin State of Illinois, who, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he was born in

(⁴) Jefferson County Ky. and has been enlisted in the service of the United States

(⁵) seventeen times during the (⁶) war, and honorably discharged from each enlistment, as follows:

No. of Enlistments.	When Enlisted, With Rank.	Where Enlisted, Town and State.	Company and Regiment Mustered in.	Date and Place of Discharge, with Rank.	Cause of Discharge.	
1st.	<u>Oct 27th 1861</u> <u>Private</u>	<u>Leartinsville</u> <u>Illinois</u>	Co. <u>"C"</u> Regt <u>32nd Ill Inf</u>	<u>Jan 10th 1864</u> <u>Leartinsville</u>	<u>Discharged</u> <u>due to wounds</u>	
2d.	<u>Jan 2nd 1864</u> <u>Private</u>	<u>Black Water</u> <u>Miss</u>	Co. <u>"C"</u> Regt <u>32nd Ill Inf</u>	<u>July 15th 1865</u> <u>Leartinsville</u>	<u>Blow of War,</u>	
3d.	<u>18</u>		Co. Regt	<u>18</u>		
4th.	<u>18</u>	<u>10 Months in Leartinsville</u> <u>Prison</u>				

That he is disabled as follows: (⁷) seventeen months of war at Leartinsville and Leartinsville, that he has an application for Pension on file in the proper office at Washington D. C.

and has been receiving _____ Dollars per month Pension, on Certificate No. _____ payable at _____

Agency, from _____, and being unable, on account of his disability, to earn his living by manual labor, desires admission to the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.

Occupation, Seaman
~~Married~~ Single, _____
[if a widower, so state.]
Childless under 16 years, _____

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST RELATIVE,
Mary Arnold (Wife)
Carlinville Ill

ORDER FOR ADMISSION.

Sept 1st, 1887

The above application is hereby approved, and (*) George M. Arnold

4 Co., B 2nd Reg't Ill Inf, Vol's, will be admitted to the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy.

C E Sippincott
Superintendent Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.
D B Shumer

EXPLANATIONS AND DIRECTIONS.

THE FIGURES IN THE BODY OF THIS APPLICATION REFER TO THE DIRECTIONS BELOW, AND MUST BE CAREFULLY OBSERVED IN FILLING THE BLANKS.

1. Name and Title of Magistrate.
2. Applicant's Name.
3. Post Office Address.
4. Town, County, State (or Nation).
5. State the number of times actually mustered into the service of the United States.
6. Give the name of the War (1812, Mexican, or Civil).
7. Here state minutely the cause and nature of the disability; if by wounds state the nature of the wounds, and when and where received; if by disease, state the nature of disease, and when and where contracted.
8. Signature of Applicant. Two witnesses are required if he make his mark.
9. This Certificate must be signed by the Adjutant-General, or Surgeon-General of the State, or by the Mayor or City Clerk of the City, by a County Officer, or some other respectable and responsible citizen of the town in which the applicant resides.
10. If the Certificate of Examination is officially signed by a Surgeon-General of a State, or of a United States Examining Surgeon, or by a Surgeon designated for that purpose by the Superintendent of the Home, it need not be sworn to. One of the words "permanently" or "temporarily" in the certificate must be erased by the Surgeon.
11. Official Signature of Magistrate or Notary.

The soldier or sailor making this application, must forward to the Superintendent his Discharge, or a certified copy thereof from their last enlistment, and Pension Certificate, or receipt therefor, before his application is granted, which papers will be sent to the Home when the applicant is admitted, to be kept there, and returned to him when he is discharged. This rule is adopted to prevent the loss of such papers and certificates, and to hinder fraudulent practices.

After filling out this application and executing it as above directed, forward it with the other papers, to the Superintendent, whose name is printed on the first page of this sheet, giving post office address and nearest railroad station.

Register No. 499

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

TO THE

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME

OF

George H. Arnold

Co. 32nd Reg't Ill. Inf. Vols.

Co. Reg't Vols.

Co. Reg't Vols.

Admitted Sept 5th 1887

APPROVED BY

C. E. Sippincott
SUPERINTENDENT
S 35m

No.

Received August 29th 1887

Notice of approval sent Sept 1st 1887

Register No. 499

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME
QUINCY, ILLINOIS

George W. Arnold
Carlinville, Ill.
C CO. 3rd REG'T Ill. Inf.
CO. REG'T
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Admitted September 5, 1887, 1887

Application Rec'd 8/2/87
Died in Hospital 7/13/1921



POSTAL

GARD.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

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Soldiers Home
Leaving
Houses

Castroville Dec. Aug 15th 1887
Please send me blank copy
specimens for admission of
George W. Arnold, take Co. "C"
No. 10

Yours

W. W. Freeman

Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home

Quincy, Ill.,

July 13 1921

To the Adjutant:

Gen. N. Arnold Co. C. 32 Ill. Regt.

died in Hospital at 2:45 P.M., aged 84 years.

Names and addresses of Relatives and Friends None

Reg No. 499

Gail Webber

Hospital Steward

(1916-1M-4-19)

Hospital Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home

Quincy, Ill.

July 13- 1921

To the Adjutant:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, That

George N. Arnold Reg. No. 499

late of Co. C.

Reg't

32 Ill. Inf.

died in

Hospital at 84

Cause of death

General arterio-sclerosis

R. H. Jacobs

Surgeon

Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.

Soldiers Home Hospital, Ill.,

July 14, 1921

To the Farm Supt: 499

The Funeral of

Geo. N. Arnold "C" 32 Ill. Inf.

will take place at

9 A.M. July 15, 1921

Gail Webber

Hospital Steward.

Illinois Soldiers' & Sailors' Home

Surgeon's Office, Sept 4 1887
Respectfully returned to Gen. C. E. LIP-
PINCOTT, Superintendent.

I have carefully examined

George N. Arnold
late Co. C 32 Reg't Ill. Infy
late Co. _____ Reg't _____

and find him _____ disabled by Scurvy,
hernia, & piles.

His general physical
condition is apparently
good & appearance
healthy. All the teeth
are wanting in both
jaws. There is left in-
guinal hernia. The
anus is relaxed &
ragged & on making a
little straining effort
the lining of the colon
and rectum.

R. W. McMahon
Surgeon.

RULES, REGULATIONS,

AND

BY-LAWS

OF

DAN MESSICK POST,

No. 339,

Department of Illinois, G. A. R.

Adopted Nov. 20, 1883.

DEMOCRAT PRINT,
1884.

BY-LAWS

OF

DAN MESSICK POST, NO. 339.

OBJECTS.

The objects to be accomplished by this organization are as follows:

1. To preserve and strengthen those kind and fraternal feelings which bind together the Soldiers, Sailors, and Marines, who united to suppress the late rebellion.
2. To assist such former Comrades in arms as need help and protection; and to extend needful aid to the widows and orphans of those who have fallen.
3. To maintain true allegiance to the United States of America, based upon a paramount respect for, and fidelity to the National Constitution and the laws; to discountenance whatever tends to weaken loyalty, incites to insurrection and treason or rebellion, or in any manner impairs the efficiency and permanency of our free institutions, and to encourage the spread of universal liberty, equal rights and justice to all men.

ART. I.—ASSEMBLIES.

SEC. 1. This Post shall be known as "DAN MESSICK" Post, No. 339, Department of Illinois, Grand Army of the Republic.

§ 2. Special meetings of the Post may be convened by order of the Post Commander or Vice Commanders on application of three or more members.

ART. II.—ELECTIONS OF OFFICERS AND DELEGATES.

SEC. 1. The officers of this Post shall be: A Post Commander, a Senior Vice Post Commander, a Junior Vice Post Commander, an Adjutant, a Quartermaster, a Surgeon, a Chaplain, a Sergeant Major, a Quartermaster Sergeant, an Officer of the Day, and an Officer of the Guard.

§ 2. No member shall be eligible for office who is in arrears to the Post.

§ 3. A vacancy occurring, from any cause, (except that of Adj't, which shall be filled by appointment by the P. C.) before the expiration of the time for which the officer was elected, shall be filled by election at the next stated meeting after notice of such vacancy has been given.

§ 4. The Adjutant shall be appointed by the P. C. immediately on assuming the

duties of his office, to serve until the appointment of their successors. The P. C. shall appoint an outside Sentinel, whose duty shall be to see that the rooms are opened, lighted and warmed in due season, also attend to the closing of the same. He shall be paid such salary as the Post shall designate.

ART. III.—MEMBERSHIP.

SEC. 1. Any honorably discharged Soldier, Sailor or Marine, who has served faithfully in the suppression of the late Rebellion, shall be eligible to membership in this Post, and no person shall be eligible who has at any time borne arms against the United States.

§ 2. Applications for membership in this Post must be made to conform in all respects to the requirements of the Rules and Regulations of the G. A. R., giving age, place of birth, residence, (street and number,) Company, Regiment, &c., the blank to be filled out in full and written with ink. The report of the Committee also to be written and signed with ink.

§ 3. All applications shall be referred to a Committee of Three, (the comrade or comrades recommending the applicant shall not be eligible to serve on such committee) who shall visit the party making the application, examine discharge papers,

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or otherwise satisfy themselves of his worthiness to become a member; their report to be made at the next subsequent stated meeting of the Post.

§ 4. The admission fee of two dollars must accompany each application; but if the applicant should be rejected the fee shall be returned. A rejected candidate may be again proposed after six months, in the same form and subject to the same condition.

§ 5. Members of the Grand Army, transferred from other Posts may be admitted to membership upon the payment of one dollar, by a two-thirds vote at a regular meeting of the Post.

§ 6. Each applicant, upon election, shall be at once notified in writing, and on presenting himself for membership shall be properly mustered. But unless he presents himself for muster within three months from the date of such notice, his election shall be void, and all moneys which may have been required by the Post to accompany the application shall be forfeited to the Post Treasury.

ART. IV.—LEAVES OF ABSENCE, TRANSFERS AND DISCHARGES.

Sec. 1. Any Comrade applying therefor, shall be granted a leave of absence by the P. C., attested by the Adjutant, for a

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specified time, commending him to the good offices of all Comrades; provided, he has faithfully discharged all duties enjoined upon him, and has paid in advance all dues for the time specified in the furlough.

§ 2. Any comrade, in good standing, and against whom no charges exist, and who has paid all dues, shall receive, on application to the P. C., a transfer paper, attested by the Adjutant, upon the presentation of which he may be received by any other Post in the manner prescribed in Art. III, Sec. 1, Rules and Regulations of the G. A. R. Until his reception by some other Post he shall remain under the jurisdiction of this Post.

§ 3. Any member, in good standing, on application to the P. C. (the application to be read before the Post,) at a regular meeting, shall receive at some subsequent meeting of the Post an honorable discharge, signed by the P. C., and attested by the Adjutant. Provided, that at the time of such application he is in good standing, and there are no charges against him on account of the Post.

ART. V.—DUES, BENEFITS, ETC.

Sec. 1. The P. C. shall, at the commencement of each term, appoint a Relief Committee, to consist of three Comrades, of which Committee the P. C. shall be chairman.

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§ 2. It shall be the duty of this committee, or some one of them, to visit comrades reported sick within twenty-four hours after receiving the information, and to report the result of the same to the Post Commander.

§ 3. One or more of the Visiting Committee shall visit a sick Comrade within twenty-four hours after he has been reported to them, or either of them, and, if necessary, shall select two Comrades each night from the roll of the Post, in rotation, to attend him during his sickness, to administer comfort and assistance.

§ 4. If a member of a distant Post apply to this Post for relief, on presentation of his card, his case shall be referred to the committee on relief to investigate and report his circumstances to the Post, and a sum not exceeding five dollars may be granted to the comrade if he be found worthy. If the case be one of extreme necessity a sum not exceeding five dollars may be granted by the relief committee, before informing the Post, and the amount endorsed on the card of the comrade applying for relief.

§ 5. The General Fund of this Post shall consist of all moneys collected.

§ 6. All moneys received by the Q. M. shall be placed to the account of the

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Post in such bank as the Post, by resolution, may direct.

§ 7. The Adjutant shall, at the close of each term, prepare and have for reading in the Post, the names of all Comrades deceased during the preceding term.

§ 8. Each member of the Post shall pay to the Q. M. two dollars per year as dues, which shall be paid quarterly in advance, on the first meeting night of January, April, July and October.

§ 9. The Q. M. shall notify each member at least one week previous to the time of the collection of such dues.

ART. VI.—COMMITTEES.

Sec. 1. The Committee on Finance shall consist of three Comrades to be appointed at the first regular meeting of each term. It shall be their duty to examine into and report upon the correctness of all claims referred to them; to inspect and audit the accounts of the Q. M., and all other officers or Committees charged with the receipt or expenditure of money; to exercise a general supervision over the financial affairs of the Post, and at the close of their term to make a full report thereof to the Post.

§ 2. No funds of this Post shall be loaned for any purpose whatever.

ART. VII.—EXPENDITURE.

SEC. 1. No expenditure of the funds of this Post shall be made unless authorized by a two-thirds vote of all qualified Comrades present at a regular meeting.

ART. VIII.—ASSESSMENTS.

SEC. 1. Special assessments may be made for any of the objects of the Grand Army of the Republic, by a two-thirds vote of all the members voting at a stated meeting; provided, notice of the same shall have been given at a previous regular meeting.

ART. IX.—FINES AND PENALTIES.

SEC. 1. Any member who shall attend and participate in the business of this Post while under the influence of intoxicating liquors, shall be reprimanded by the P. C., and suspended from Post privileges for the period of one month; and for a second offence shall be court-martialed or expelled by a two-thirds vote of all the members present at a regular meeting.

§ 2. Members are cautioned not to divulge the name of a Comrade who shall think proper to speak or vote against a candidate proposed for membership, or make public any business which should be confined to the Post. Any Comrade who

violates this section shall be tried by court martial, and may be suspended or expelled.

§ 3. Any Comrade who shall be guilty of any improper conduct, in or out of the Post, or who shall maliciously bring charges against a Comrade, which he is unable to substantiate, or shall willfully and knowingly recommend unworthy candidates for membership, shall subject himself to suspension, or expulsion, according to the enormity of his offence.

§ 4. Any Comrade who shall be guilty of habitual drunkenness, or of a heinous offence against the laws of the land, or of feigning sickness with a view to impose upon the benevolent intentions of this Post, shall be dishonorably discharged.

ART. X.—COURT-MARTIALS.

SEC. 1. Court-Martials may be convened at any time by a vote of the Post.

ART. XI.—QUARTERMASTER DEPT.

SEC. 1. The Quartermaster of the Encampment shall be required to give his bond with sufficient security for the faithful performance of his duty, in the names of the P. C., S. V. C., and J. V. C., and their successors in office, in the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) previous to the date of his commission.

§ 2. The Quartermaster shall, in addition to the other duties of his office, keep regular entries in a ledger of all moneys paid by order of the Post, and notify all members of their indebtedness when over three months in arrears.

§ 3. The Q. M. shall report, in detail at each regular meeting, and furnish the Adjutant with a copy of his report, to be incorporated in the minutes of said meeting.

ART. XII.—AMENDMENTS.

SEC. 1. Any amendment, or alteration, to these By-laws, shall be offered in writing, shall be required to lay on the table two weeks, and shall be accepted only by a two-thirds vote of all members present at a regular meeting.

RULES OF ORDER.

The business and debates in this Post shall be conducted according to the following Rules:

RULE 1. No motion shall be considered unless properly seconded, nor open for discussion until stated by the Commander.

2. When a question is before the Post, no motion shall be received, unless it be to lay on the table, the previous question, to refer, or to amend; and they shall have precedence in the order in which they are here arranged, the first two of which shall be considered without debate.

3. Any Comrade, when the sense will admit, may call for a division of the question.

4. After any motion has been decided, any Comrade who voted in the majority may, at that time or at a subsequent meeting, move for a reconsideration thereof; but no discussion shall be allowed unless the question is reconsidered.

5. Any Comrade wishing to speak must rise, salute and address the Commander.

6. After the debate, the Commander shall repeat the motion, and before the question is taken shall ask: "Are you ready for the question?"
7. When two or more Comrades shall rise at the same time, the Commander shall decide who is entitled to the floor.
8. No Comrade shall speak more than once upon a question before all who wish to speak shall have done so; and not more than twice in any case, except for the purpose of making a personal explanation, without permission being granted him by the Post.
9. All resolutions must be reduced to writing if demanded by any member.
10. Any Comrade may appeal from the decision of the Commander upon points and rules of order, and the question then shall be: "Will you sustain the decision of the Commander?"
11. The Commander shall preserve order and decorum, decide questions of order, and appoint all Committees.
12. Every Comrade entitled by the Regulations to vote, shall do so on all occasions, unless he be immediately interested in the question.

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Geo. N. Arnold
Co. B 39 - All Inf
Was carried in
Div 5. Row 8 1/2 Letter V
July 15, 1921
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Ed Dillon

Carlinville Ills May 30th 1889

J. S. Rowland Esq

Superintendent

Illinois Soldiers Saviors Home: My
Furlough will expire on 7th day of June
1889 and I respectfully request that you
give me furlough for 90 days
longer from the last mentioned date

Yours, Respectfully

George W. Arnold

Carlinville,

Mainpin Co

Illinois

Recd
44 to

Sept 7/89

DUPLICATE

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME

Record of Wm M Connell Reg. No. 499 Co. C Regt. 32 Ill Inf State Ill

MADE PERMANENT BY MANUFACTURING COMPANY

DATE			Cot. No.	PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF DEATH	P. O. ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP	REMARKS
MONTH	DAY	YEAR					
<u>July</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>1921</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>Wm Connell</u>		<u>Brother</u>	

COTTAGE INVENTORY	
<u>1 Bag and contents</u>	
<u>1 Small Bureau</u>	

Received the above described personal effects of Walter M Rose Sergeant, Cottage No. 12

Registry No. 499

Hospital Steward

HOSPITAL RECORD

Received the above described personal effects of _____

Marion M. Brock

Sergeant, Cottage No. 12

Registry No. 499

Hospital Steward

HOSPITAL RECORD

HOSPITAL INVENTORY

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct inventory of the personal effects of _____ Decased.

Approved:

Thos. A. Neill Adjutant

Hospital Steward

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

State of Illinois.

Adjutant General's Office,

Springfield, August 30 1887

It is Hereby Certified, That it appears from the Records of this office that
George N. Arnold ENLISTED
on the Twenty-second day of October 1861
at _____ and was MUSTERED into the service
of the UNITED STATES as a private in Company C
Thirty-second Regiment, Illinois Volunteer Infantry
for three years and was DISCHARGED from the _____ (city of)
_____ and his RESIDENCE is stated as

Macoupin Co, Ill
Re-enlisted as a veteran Jan'y 2, 1864. Mustered
out July 15, 1865 as Corporal



This Certificate issued at the request of Gen. C. E. Lippincott
Quincy, Ill

Theo. Ewert
Adj. Gen. and Asst. Adjutant General of Illinois.

STATE OF ILLINOIS,

Adjutant General's Office,

Springfield, Aug. 14, 1883.

It is Hereby Certified, That it appears from the RECORDS of this office that
George A. Arnold ENLISTED
on the twenty-second day of October, 1861
at _____, and was MUSTERED INTO UNITED
STATES service as a private in Company "E"
32nd Regiment ILLINOIS VOLUNTEER Infantry
for three year and was DISCHARGED on the _____ day of
_____, 186-; and his RESIDENCE is stated at
Carlinville, Ill.

"Re-enlisted as Veteran, Jan. 2, 1864.
Mustered out July 15, 1865, as Corporal."

This Certificate issued at the request of
George A. Arnold,

J. A. Elliott

Adjutant General of Illinois.

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Chronic Deafness
Piles + loss of teeth result of surgery

U.S.S.
CERTIFICATE DIVISION.

3-645.

NOTICE OF ISSUE AND FEES.

2m 11 Dan
7/87

Department of the Interior,

BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., Feb. 19th, 1907.

Sir

Herewith is transmitted a certificate, No. 438643, for Increase pension, issued this day in your favor, accompanied by a voucher for the amount now due and payable thereon.

You should execute the voucher in accordance with the printed instructions, and return it to the pension agent at Chicago, who will then send directly to your address a check for the pension due.

Your recognized attorney Joshua R. H. Potts of _____, whose fee is 2 dollars, which is payable by the pension agent.

Very respectfully,

George H. Arnold.

V. Warner
Commissioner
G.M.C.O.

SHORT WILL.

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME, QUINCY, ILL.

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN.

I, George M Arnold of Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home in the County of Adams and State of Illinois, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do, therefore, make, ordain, publish and declare, this to be my last, Will and Testament.

First. I order and direct that my Executor hereafter named, pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

Second. After the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and bequeath all worldly goods of which I may die possessed, to

to Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home
Near Quincy Adams Co Illinois

Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint Wm Somerville, Supt or his
Successor in Office to be Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, the 14 day of March in the year of our Lord One Thousand ~~Five~~ ^{Eight} Hundred Minety Nine

George M Arnold [SEAL]

This instrument was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator George M Arnold to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his last request have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses in his presence, and in the presence of each other.

John M Everts
Abram Smith