

TO THE OFFICERS AND MEMBERS

OF

Capt Chas Epy Post No *153*

Dep't of Pennsylvania, G. A. R.

I have the honor to make application for membership in *Capt Chas Epy* Post No. *153*
of *Pa* Grand Army of the Republic, basing my application on the following facts:

I am *39* years of age, and was born in *Germany* State of
, now residing at *Mansfield*
State of *Penn'a*, am by occupation a *Miner*

I served in the late rebellion as follows:

First enlisted *July 14th* 1862, as *private* in Co. *A*, *1st W Va light*
Regiment for the period of *three* years, and
was discharged therefrom as *Private*, at *Wheeling W Va*
on the *twenty first* day of *July*, 1865, by reason of *Instructions*
from War Dept, Close of war

¹ 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 by
Court-Martial of Desertion, nor of any other infamous crime.

I have *never* ² 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 _____
(Signature), *Michael Helm*

Residence, No. _____ Street.

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

Enclosed is proposition fee, \$ _____

Thomas B. Rold
(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.

1. If other enlistments, they are to be added.

2. If this is the first application, write the word "not" in this space.