

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 Thos Espy Post, No. 153 Dept of Pa G. A. R.

I have the honor to make application for membership in Capt Thos Espy
Post, No. 153 Department of Pa Grand Army of the Republic,

basing my application on the following facts:

I am 63 years of age, and was born in Allegheny Pa State
of Pa, now residing at Crofton
State of Pa, and by occupation a Steel Roller

I served during the late Rebellion as follows:

First enlisted July 19 1864 as Private in Co. A
193 Reg't Pa for the period of 4 ^{7/16} years, and
was discharged therefrom as Private at Pittsburg Pa
on the 9th day of Nov 1864, by reason of Exp of Term

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.

Alex. M. Johnston Post. 545 Dept Pa G.M. Milvale Pa ^{disbanded}
I have _____, 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 _____ 1

(Signature.)

Alexander M. Johnston
Residence No 35 Hawthorn ave Crofton Pa

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

Enclosed is Proposition fee, \$ _____

W. M. Lee

(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.

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