



Before filling in the blanks read carefully the explanations and directions on the margin, and extracts from the rules on third page.

Army Discharge, or Certificates of Service or Pension Certificate, must be sent with this application, and all the directions carefully complied with, or the application will be returned, and much delay result.

NOTE THE EXPLANATIONS AND DIRECTIONS.

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION
TO THE
ILLINOIS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS HOME,
AT QUINCY.

TRUSTEES.

L. T. DICKASON, Danville, Ill.
THOMAS W. MACFALL, Quincy, Ill.
JAMES I. NEFF, Freeport, Ill.

OFFICERS.

J. G. ROWLAND, Superintendent.
R. H. CARNAHAN, Quartermaster and Commissary.
FRANK F. PEATS, Adjutant.
R. W. McMAHAN, Surgeon.
JAMES D. MORGAN, Treasurer.

DIRECTIONS.

Fill all the blank spaces carefully.

STATE OF ILLINOIS }
COUNTY OF MORGAN. } ss.
On this 8 day of December A. D. 1891, before me
J. L. SIMMS, Notary Public
[Name and Title of Magistrate.] within and for the County and State aforesaid
personally appeared Coleman Orr aged 64 years, height 5 feet 6
[Name of Applicant.] inches, complexion Fair, eyes Gray, hair Gray, a resident of JACKSONVILLE,
County of MORGAN, State of ILLINOIS who being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he was born in
Lincoln Co Ky and has been enlisted in the service of the United States
2 times during the war of 61 & 65
war; and honorably discharged from each enlistment as follows:

State each enlistment separately, and cause of discharge.

No. of Enlistm'ts.	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>Dec 12 1861</u> <u>Pri</u>	<u>Carrollton</u> <u>Illinois</u>	<u>Co. C</u> <u>Regt. 61st Ill</u>	<u>Jan 31 1864</u> <u>Little Rock</u> <u>Pri</u>	<u>W.O. for re-enlist</u>
2nd.	<u>Feb 1st 1864</u> <u>Pri</u>	<u>Little Rock</u> <u>Ark</u>	<u>Co. C</u> <u>Regt. 61st Ill</u>	<u>Sept 5 1865</u> <u>Nashville Tenn</u> <u>Pri</u>	<u>Discharge</u>
3rd.	<u>18</u>		<u>Co.</u> <u>Regt.</u>	<u>18</u>	

The army discharge or certificate of service from LAST enlistment is SPECIALLY required.

Here the applicant should state, in his own way, what his disability is.

That he is disabled as follows: Rheumatism. General debility

If no pension is received, so state.

and has been receiving 10 Dollars per month, pension, on Certificate No. 587.023
payable at Chicago Agency, from Oct 22nd 1889.

The applicant further states that he has no property nor means of support, and being unable, on account of his disability, to earn his living, desires admission to the Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.

The applicant must sign this, and swear to the statement.

The said applicant further swears that he has not been engaged in, aided or abetted the late Rebellion in the United States; and that he was not a member of any Soldiers or Sailors Home, June 15, 1887; and further, that he has been a bona fide resident of the State of Illinois for the last two years. And said applicant further stipulates and agrees that he will abide by, and obey all the rules and regulations made by the Board of Trustees, or by their order; that he will perform all duties required of him and obey all lawful orders of the Officers of the Home.

Have two witnesses sign and fill all the blanks carefully.

WITNESS,
M. H. Lamb
Wm S Spencer

^{His} Coleman X Ohler
JACKSONVILLE, ^{Mark} ^{Wabash}
Nearest R. R. Station, on what R.R.

Post-office Address, JACKSONVILLE, Ill.

To be sworn to before an officer having a seal, or a J. P.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the day and year first above written, and I hereby certify that the foregoing affidavit was read over and fully explained to Coleman Ohler before he executed it.

J. L. Simms, Notary Public
[Name of Magistrate.]

Fill all these blanks carefully.

Read? No Write? No
Occupation Farmer
Married or Single Single
[If a Widower, so state]
Children under 16 years no

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST RELATIVE,
(Name) (Relation) Nephew
(Address)

CERTIFICATE OF IDENTIFICATION.

This is very important. Have it signed as directed.

(The following Certificate must be signed by the Commander or Adjutant of a G. A. R. Post, the Mayor or City Clerk of the city, or by a County officer, or by a Justice of the Peace, and attested by an official seal.)

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have known the above named Coleman Ohler for the last two years past, and that I believe the declaration signed by him to be true, and I further state that he is not mentally afflicted so as to require a special attendant, and can safely be quartered in a sleeping room with others.

John F. Glass
(Give Official Title) Clerk Circuit Court

LOCAL PHYSICIAN'S CERTIFICATE.

This is to be filled out by the applicant's family physician, or one in the neighborhood of the residence of the applicant.

I certify that I have carefully examined Coleman Ohler Company C Regiment 61 Ills Volunteers, and that he is disabled as follows:

Rheumatic affection of right knee joint which measures above, and around joint $\frac{1}{2}$ in more than corresponding measurement of opposite side, with Dec 2 1891 around over knee cap.
Character of Disability Chronic Arterial Rheumatism

Complications
Present Condition of Applicant Appearance of old age stooped & bent in figure, visible

If signed by U. S. Examining Surgeon this need not be sworn to.

I further certify that said applicant is sane and has no spells of mental disturbance, and can safely be assigned quarters with other comrades.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8th day of December, A. D. 1891, and I hereby certify that the said P. C. Thompson is known to me as a Surgeon in actual practice and reputable in his profession.
P. C. Thompson SURGEON.

ORDER FOR ADMISSION.

The above application is hereby approved, and Coleman Ohler Dec. 17th 1891
C. Co. 61 Reg't Ill-Inf Vols., will be admitted to the Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home, at Quincy.

APPROVED,
Superintendent, Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.
J. G. ROWLAND, SUPT.

To all whom it may Concern.



Know ye, That Colman Phler a
Private of Captain Lieut John Cooley's
Company, (C.) 61st Regiment of Missouri Inf^y Veterans
 VOLUNTEERS who was enrolled on the First day of February
 one thousand eight hundred and sixty five to serve Three years or
 during the war, is hereby **Discharged** from the service of the United States,
 this Eight day of September, 1865, at Nashville
Tenn by reason of being Mustered out as a Veteran Soldier
 (No objection to his being re-enlisted is known to exist.) Sept Term Aug 22, 65

Said Colman Phler was born in Princeton County
 in the State of Kentucky, is the first years of age,
Five feet 6 inches high, Fair complexion, Grey eyes,
Dark hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Farmer

Given at Nashville Tenn this Eight day of
September 1865.

John Cooley
 Capt & Co of the 61st Regt
 Commanding the Reg't.

* This sentence will be erased should there be anything in the conduct or physical condition of the soldier rendering him unfit for the Army.

[A. G. O. No 99.]

John Cooley
 Capt & Co of the 61st Regt
 Comdg Co "C"

Woodson. Ills Ap 6th 1894
Superintendent of Soldiers Home
Quincy Ills.

Dear Sir. I have a board
bill against Colman Oler
to the amount of \$6.00 Six dollars
which he contracted with me, on
April 1893. he boarded with
me in Jacksonville. Ills and
left unsuspected and without a
settlement. I have wrote him
about it, but rec'd no answer
I was instructed to take legal
proceedings against him. but
considered the matter and thought
it best to state the case to you
If you can induce him to pay
it, you will greatly oblige me
by doing so, as I need the money
very much. If not I shall
have to collect it by law. as board
bills can be collected.

hoping you will attend to the
matter and oblige

Mrs M A Watson

Woodson

Morgan Co

Ill

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III. Officers & Sailors

Surgeon's Office, Oct. 17th 91

To the Superintendent:

I have carefully examined

Colman Ohler

late Co. C Co. 1 Reg't Ill. Inf.

late Co. _____ Reg't _____

and find him disabled by age
which entitles
him to admis-
sion to the Home

R. W. H. H. H. H.
Surgeon