

HEADQUARTERS

Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home QUINCY, ILLINOIS

..... January 28th 1915.....
 .. Walter S. Stewart (0) of the town of .. Meredosia .. , in the
 County of .. Morgan .. , and State of .. Illinois .. , formerly a Soldier of the United States
 of America, in the war..... against (1) Spain .. , respectfully asks
 that he be admitted as a member of said Home.

To enable the authorities to determine whether or not he is legally entitled to become a member of said Home, he
 declares and states the facts to be that he is now 59 years old; that he is 5 feet and 5 inches high; that he is
 of .. Sallow .. complexion, .. Blue .. eyes, and .. Gray .. hair; that he was born in the town of
 .. Springfield .. in the .. State .. of .. Ohio .. , on the .. 22^d .. day
 of .. October .. , 1856.; that he has been (2) once enrolled in the U. S. A. service; .. in the
 war against .. Spain .. , and .. in the war of the late Rebellion; and that he has been (3) once honorably
 discharged from the service of the United States. That the following is a true statement of the time... and place...
 of his enrollment... and discharge... from said service, and that the cause of his discharge..., and of his rank at
 the respective date ... thereof namely:

No.	When and where Enrolled	When and where Discharged	Rank	Company and Regiment	Cause of Discharge
1st.	Fairfield Ill June 10. 1898	Amoxa Ga. May 10. 1899	Co. X	Co. C 9 th Regt Ill Inf	Close of war
2nd.				Co. Regt.	
3rd.				Co. Regt.	

That he now receives, on pension certificate number....., a pension of dollars a month,
 payable the..... day of next....., at the..... Pension Office.

That he owns property, real and personal, of the value of dollars, and no more; that he has
 no means of self-support other than the above named; that his trade or occupation is that of a .. Gunton Cutter ..

That he has (4) .. no .. wife; that he has .. 1 .. child now living; ages, respectfully, (5) .. 26 ..
 years. That his postoffice address is .. Meredosia .. , State of Illinois; that his nearest railway station
 is .. Meredosia .. , on the .. Wabash .. Railway, in .. Morgan .. County,
 in said State; that the name and address of the person to whom he desires notice of his illness or death shall be given
 to .. Robert S. Stewart .. , of .. Meredosia .. , County of .. Morgan .. , State
 of .. Illinois .. ; that, in case of his death, he desires all his personal effects to be sent to .. Mrs. Son
 Robert S. Stewart .. Meredosia .. County of .. Morgan .. , State of .. Illinois ..

That he has not heretofore been a member of any Soldiers', Sailors', or other Charitable Home or Institution. ex-
 cepting the (6) .. none ..

That he is now a bona fide resident of the State of Illinois; and has continuously lived and resided in said State
 for the last two years, or has served in an Illinois organization.

That he is so far disabled by (7) .. General Break down ..

as to now be incapable of earning his own living.

That he has at all times, heretofore, supported and adhered to the government of the United States of America, and
 that he has not at any time been engaged in, or countenanced, or aided, or abetted, the cause of the late Rebellion.

That if he shall be admitted to be a member of the said Home, he will, in all things and in every respect, comply
 with and conform to the rules and regulations made, or that shall hereafter be made for the government and discipline
 of the same; and that he will cheerfully do and perform any and all things that shall be required of him by those there
 in authority over him; and that he will promptly, and willingly, obey all lawful orders that he shall receive from any
 officer of the Home, so long as he shall remain a member thereof

In Testimony Whereof, he has set his hand this .. 28th .. day of .. January .. 1915 ..

(9) Robert S. Stewart ..
 Witness.

(8) Walter S. Stewart ..
 Applicant.

STATE OF ILLINOIS

County of

} ss

....., a (10)

to the town of, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the above named applicant, to me personally and well known to be identical person he represents himself to be, this day personally appeared before me, and that I then and there, at his request, plainly read to him his application aforesaid, which he then and there fully understood, and that he was, by me, thereupon duly sworn, and then and there deposed and said that he was the applicant above named, and that he was fully acquainted with matters and things stated and set forth in his said application, and that the same and each of them were true in substance and in fact as he had therein stated.

(11) Affiant.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this.....day of.....A. D. 191 ...

Witness my hand and official seal.

[L. S.] (12)

CERTIFICATE OF IDENTIFICATION

I do hereby certify, upon honor, that I have personally known..... the above Applicant, for, at least, two years last passed; and that to the best of my knowledge and belief, the statements contained in his foregoing application are entirely true, and especially that as to the time of his residence in Illinois, or service in an Illinois organization. And I further state he has no known mental disorder; and that he requires no special attendant and that he can properly be allowed to go at large; and that he can safely be quartered with feeble and helpless men.

Witness my hand, (13)

(14)

CERTIFICATE OF A LOCAL PHYSICIAN

I hereby depose and state that I have carefully examined the above named applicant.....

....., as to his disability, and I now find that he has (15)

to such an extent as to prevent him from earning his own living. And I hereby certify that he has no known, manifest, or discoverable mental disorder; that he has no need of an attendant; that he may be properly allowed to go at large; and that he can safely be quartered with men who are old and feeble.

....., M. D.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this.....day of.....191..... And I certify that I am personally acquainted with said affiant....., and that I know him to be a physician in active practice, and in good repute, and an honest man and a capable physician, in the community and among his fellow physicians where he lives.

..... (16)

CERTIFICATE OF A SOLDIERS' HOME SURGEON

I hereby certify upon honor that I carefully and critically examined Walter S. Stewart the above named applicant, as to his mental and physical condition, at the Hospital of this Institution, on Thurs the 28 day of Jan, 1915; and that I found him to be of a sound mind, and to be incapable of earning his living by reason of his physical disability arising from (17) Lumbago V. Varicose Veins.....

Witness my hand..... C. E. Ellis Home Hospital Surgeon.

OUR AIM
"Community Service"



OUR MOTTO
"America for Americans"

"In Peace As In War We Serve"

The American Legion

Wabash Post No. 423

MT. CARMEL, ILL.

B. J. WALTER,
Department of Military Records
and Graves Registration.


December 6, 1930.

The Adjutant,
Home for Disabled Veterans,
Quincy, Ill.

Dear Sir:

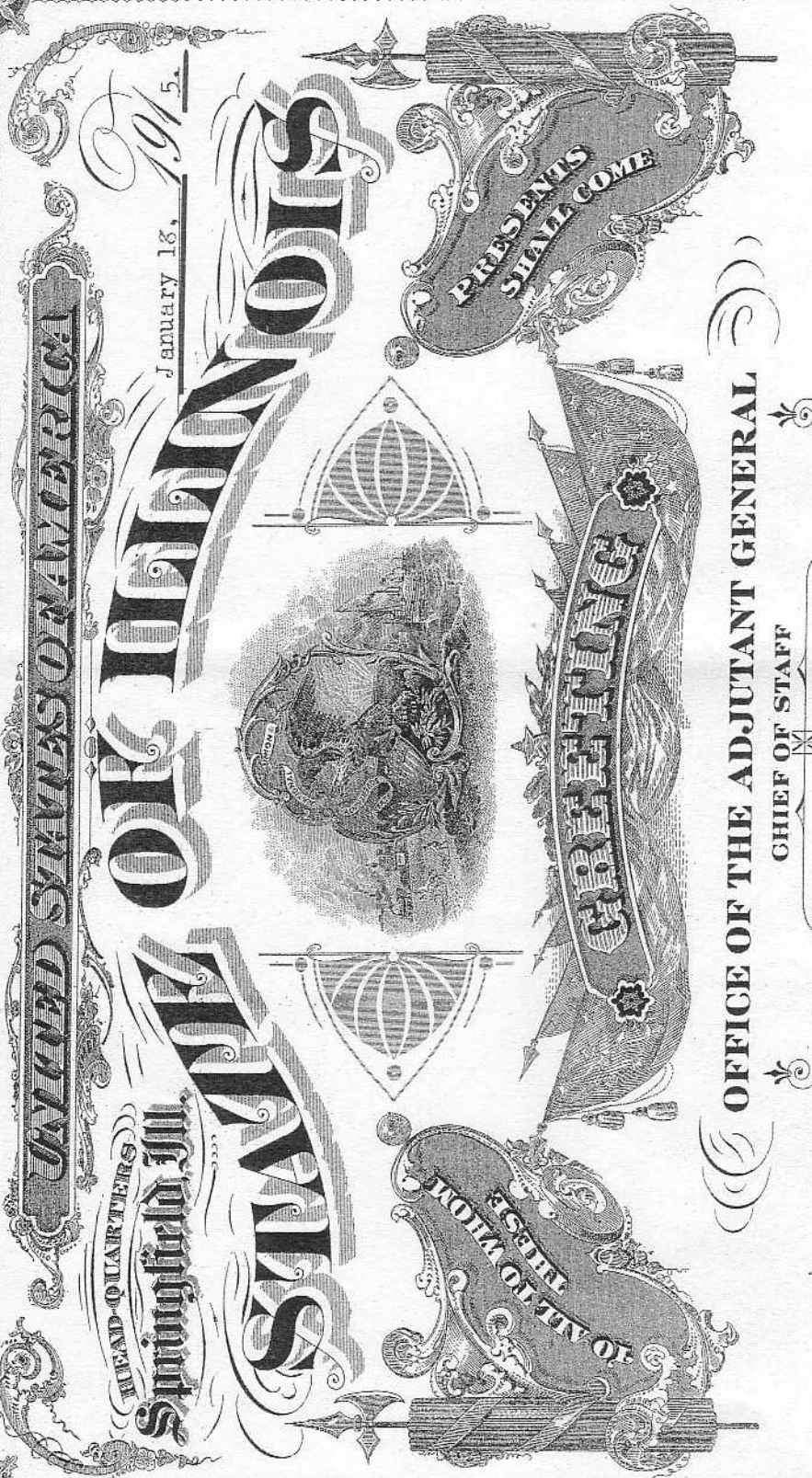
Please furnish us with all the information available of Walter Stewart, veteran of the Spanish-American war, who, I have been advised died at the Home.

Very truly yours,


B. J. Walter,

Dept. of Military Records
and Graves registration.

BJW/RPF



OFFICE OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL
CHIEF OF STAFF

It is hereby Certified, That it appears from the Records of this Office, that

Walter S. Stewart

Enlisted on 28th day of June, 1898 at Fairfield, Illinois
Mustered into the United States Service as a Private
Company H, 9th Regiment, Illinois Volunteer Infantry
Period of two years on 9th day of July 1902

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 Residence when enlisted, Fairfield, Illinois.
 Certificate requested by Mr. Walter S. Stewart, Soldiers' Home, Quincy, Illinois.



1899
 Mustered out May 20, 1898.
 Spanish-American War.



Wilson

*The Adjutant General,
 Chief of Staff,
 State of Illinois.*

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DUPLICATE

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME

Record of Walter Stewart Reg. No. 10548 Co. H Regt. 9 Ill. Inf. State

BAKER-VANTER CO. MANUFACTURERS CHICAGO-INDIANA

MONTH	DATE		Cot No.	PERSON TO BE NOTIFIED IN CASE OF DEATH	P. O. ADDRESS	RELATIONSHIP	REMARKS
	DAY	YEAR					
1	29	15	Hos.	Robert F. Stewart,	Meredosia, Ill.	son	

COTTAGE INVENTORY

B. S. Barnes Sergeant, Cottage No. H

Received the above described personal effects of Walter Stewart

Registry No. 10548

B. S. Barnes Hospital Steward

HOSPITAL RECORD

