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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION TO

# THE ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME, AT QUINCY.

TRUSTEES: { GENERAL DANIEL DUSTIN, Sycamore, DeKalb County, Ill.  
COLONEL L. T. DICKASON, Danville, Vermillion County, Ill.  
MAJOR J. G. ROWLAND, Quincy, Ill.

GENERAL C. E. LIPPINCOTT, Superintendent.  
COLONEL L. W. SHEPHERD, Secretary and Treasurer.

STATE OF Illinois  
COUNTY OF Madison } ss:

On this 9th day of March A. D., 1887, personally appeared before me

(1) George A. Bates, Public within and for the County and State aforesaid

(2) William Williams aged 64 years; height 5 feet 6 1/2 inches;

complexion, Dark a resident of (<sup>3</sup>) Paris, Kansas County of Madison

State of Illinois who, being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he was born in (<sup>4</sup>) Utica

and has been enlisted in the service of the United States

(<sup>5</sup>) One times during the (<sup>6</sup>) 1861 & 5 Late War 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>Enlisted as Private June 20th 1861</u>	<u>Boston, Mass.</u>	<u>Co. Boone's The 1st Mass. Cavalry</u>	<u>Philadelphia Pa. July 20th 1864</u>	<u>End of Enlistment</u>
2d.				<u>Private Officer July 2nd 1864</u>	
3d.					
4th.					

That he is disabled as follows: (<sup>7</sup>) at Private Illinois July 31st 1866 by his foot slipping and falling on the edge of a U. S. Gun while going from work on Grade to Boarding house

and has been receiving No Pension 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,

The said applicant further swears, that he has not been engaged in, or aided or abetted the late rebellion in the United States; and that he has never been a member of either of the Branches of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers. 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.

WITNESS  
Joseph Gunn  
P. A. Wakely } (8) William Williams

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 William Williams before he executed it.

(11) David M. Williams  
Notary Public

### CERTIFICATE OF IDENTIFICATION.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I have every reason to believe, after an examination of his ~~discharge~~ papers, that Williams is the identical person described therein, and that the above declaration signed by him is true.

(9) David M. Williams  
Notary Public

### SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

I certify that I have carefully examined, (2) Wm Williams - Naval Service on the Sonoma, Sabine, Niagara & Albatross during the War of the rebellion, and that he is (10) permanently disabled for obtaining his subsistence by manual labor.

Date of Injury or Disease, Thirty-first day, August 1886

Place of injury, Prentice State of Illinois

Character of Disability, injury to Spine

Complications, \_\_\_\_\_

Present condition of Applicant, He is unable to to maintain himself and has been an inmate of the Morgan Co Poor House

since Sept 6, 1886. Antero-posterior curvature of the spine with the convexity looking backward. It is very stiff & the heart acts with a slow deliberate stroke. The pulse rate being only 36 to the minute. SURGEON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of March A. D. 1887 and I hereby certify that the

said P. A. Wakely M.D. is known to me as a Surgeon in actual practice, and reputable in his profession.

(11) David M. Williams  
Notary Public

Occupation, Labourer  
Married or Single, No.  
Children under 16 years, None

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST RELATIVE.

Elias Bean (Bro-in-law)

Edwin Mcbride

ORDER FOR ADMISSION.

March 17, 1887.

The above application is hereby approved, and (\*)

Wm. Williams

On the Sonoma, Sabine, Niagara & Glauco.

\_\_\_\_ Co., \_\_\_\_\_ Reg't \_\_\_\_\_ Vols., will be admitted to the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home at Quincy.

C. E. Vippincott  
SUPERINTENDENT ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME.

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, 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 others papers, to the Superintendent, whose name is printed on the first page of this sheet, giving Post-Office address nearest railroad station; and if application is approved, transportation will be forwarded without charge.

Register No. 58

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION**

TO THE

**ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME**

OF

William Williams

Co.            Reg't            Vols:           

Co. Searns - Du Souchet Reg't            Vols:           

Co.            Reg't            Vols:           

Admitted March 28<sup>th</sup> 1887

APPROVED BY

C. P. Dickinson

SUPERINTENDENT

ORDER FOR ADMISSION

The above application is hereby approved and (2) William Williams is hereby admitted to the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home.

March 28, 1887

Approved, transmitted and filed with the proper authorities and a copy of this application and certificate of admission is to be sent to the Home when the applicant is admitted to the Home and a copy of this certificate is to be retained in the Home.

The Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home is a charitable institution for the relief and support of the disabled and wounded soldiers and sailors of the United States Army and Navy. It is located at the corner of Madison Street and Adams Street, Chicago, Illinois.

This application is subject to the approval of the Board of Directors of the Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home. The Board of Directors is composed of the Superintendent, the Board of Trustees, and the Board of Officers.

The Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home was established in 1883 and has since that time provided a home for the disabled and wounded soldiers and sailors of the United States Army and Navy. The Home is a charitable institution for the relief and support of the disabled and wounded soldiers and sailors of the United States Army and Navy.

# Navy Department,

## BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT AND RECRUITING,

No. 9334. D.C.M. Washington, January 27<sup>th</sup>, 1887.

Sir:

In accordance with <sup>his</sup> request of the - William  
the Bureau furnishes the following certificate of the naval service of William  
Williams, viz:

He was enlisted 20<sup>th</sup> day of June, 1862 at Portsmouth  
Mass, for 2 years, as a Seaman; place of birth,  
Wrentham, Mass; age at shipment, 36 years; occupa-  
tion, Wine; color of eyes, Gray; color of hair Black  
complexion Light; height, 5 feet 7 1/4 inches; permanent marks  
and scars None reported about person when enlisted,

served in the following vessels, viz:  
Sloop-of-war Sabine Master  
and was discharged from the U. S. S. Junius, 23<sup>rd</sup> day of  
July, 1864

His address is as follows, viz:

Very respectfully, &c.,

H. A. Schley

Chief of Bureau.

Genl. C. E. Sigsbee

Governor and Superintendent, Ill. State Home, for S.O.S.  
Quincy, Ills.

This certificate is only intended for the purpose of obtaining admission to a SAILOR'S HOME, and is not to be used, nor will it be recognized, as evidence in the prosecution of any claim against the Government.

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Jacksonville, Ill.

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