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APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

— TO THE —

Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home

— AT QUINCY —

TRUSTEES:

DANIEL DUSTIN, Sycamore, DeKalb County, Ill.
L. T. DICKASON, Danville, Vermillion County, Ill.
THOMAS W. MACFALL, Quincy, Adams County, Ill.

OFFICERS:

J. G. ROWLAND, Superintendent.
S. B. SHERER, Secretary and Adjutant.
R. H. CARNAHAN, Quartermaster and Commissary.
R. W. McMAHAN, Surgeon.
JAMES D. MORGAN, Treasurer.

STATE OF Illinois)
COUNTY OF Dewitt) ss.

On this fourth day of April A. D. 1889, personally appeared before me
(1) a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid,
(2) James Bellbee aged 45 years, height 5 feet 10 inches,
complexion fair, eyes brown, hair brown, a resident of (2) Waynesville
County of Dewitt State of Illinois, who being duly sworn, deposes and says, that he was born in
(4) Roanoke County Virginia and has been enlisted in the service of the United States
(5) one times during the (4) Civil
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. 1	<u>August 12 1862</u> <u>Private</u>	<u>Peoria Illinois</u>	Co. <u>76</u> Regt. <u>108 Ill</u>	<u>August 11 1865</u> <u>Peoria Ill</u> <u>Principal Musician</u>	<u>time expired</u>
2d.	_____ 18	_____	Co. _____ Regt. _____	_____ 18	_____
3d.	_____ 18	_____	Co. _____ Regt. _____	_____ 18	_____
4th.	_____ 18	_____	Co. _____ Regt. _____	_____ 18	_____

That he is disabled as follows: (7) Disease of the eyes which prevents him from performing manual labor

and has been receiving Eight Dollars per month, pension, on Certificate No. 327752 payable at Chicago Agency, from June 2nd 1885, having no other 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 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 past. 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,

(8) James Bellbee

Post Office Address, Waynesville Ill.

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 James Bellbee before he executed it.

(11) John D. Slack
Notary Public

Read? yes Write? yes
Occupation, day laborer
Married or Single, Married
[If a Widower so state.]
Children under 16 years, one

NAME AND ADDRESS OF NEAREST RELATIVE.

(Name) Anna B. Bellbee (Relation) Wife
(Address) Waynesville Illinois

CERTIFICATE OF IDENTIFICATION.

(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 James Bellbee for the last two years past, and that I believe the declaration signed by him to be true.

(9) John D. Slack
(Give Official Title) Notary Public

SURGEON'S CERTIFICATE.

I certify that I have carefully examined (2) James Bellbee
Co. H. 108 Regt. Ill Volunteers, and that he is (10) permanently temporarily disabled as follows:

Date of Injury or Disease about the last day June 1865
Place of Montgomery, Ala. State of Alabama
Character of Disability, Sore eyes
Complications, _____
Present Condition of Applicant, such that he cannot work out of doors

(10) S. A. Graham M.D. SURGEON.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this sixth day of April A. D. 1889, and I hereby certify that the said S. A. Graham is known to me as a Surgeon in actual practice and reputable in his profession.

(11) John D. Slack
Notary Public

ORDER FOR ADMISSION.

The above application is hereby approved, and (2) James Bellbee April 23, 1889
Co., H Regt. 108 Ill Vols., will be admitted to the Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home at Quincy.

J. R. Runkel
Superintendent Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.

*Sent mail to Com
4/13/89*

~~Do~~ (Do not fill out this blank).

Register No. 1188

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION
To the
Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home
— of —

James Sellner

H Co. 108 Reg't Ill. Inf Vols.

_____ Co. _____ Reg't _____ Vols.

_____ Co. _____ Reg't _____ Vols.

Admitted April 23rd 1889.

APPROVED BY

[Signature]

Superintendent.

No. 1188

Received April 9 1889

Notice of approval sent April 9 1889

Waynesville Ills Aft 6-89

To The Officers of Soldiers
Home Landing Ills.

We the undersigned
Recommend the Applicant
James Sellbee to admission
to Soldiers Home. from the
fact that he is an old
Soldier and a Member
of our Post (No 298). and
we think it would be doing
a kindness to his family
and to his Soldiers Contracts
and further we think that
his Physical Condition is
such that he should be
Admitted as soon as possible

we would recommend him
to your earliest consideration
yours in F C + L

Comdr } William H. Bartlett
Ady } Linus G. Richards
Post 218

M 88

Swiney Ill
Nov 8th / 91

Mr. J. J. Roland
sir as this is the first
Entry duty ever
enjoined upon me
I am feeling very
bad over it and do
not wish it to be
known to my family
I know I have done
wrong in leading the
life I have and have
singed my self +
family By so doing
and I pray you will
pardon me from
the sentence you gave
me + I will lead

A more sober and
moral life with all
due respect to you
I sign

James-Willie
I will keep my promise

Illinois Soldiers' & Sailors' Home

Surgeon's Office, Apr 23 1889.

Respectfully returned to ~~Jed G. Ben. W. E. E. E.~~
PINCOTT, Superintendent.

I have carefully examined

James Sellbee
late Co. ~~H~~ 108 Reg't Ill. Inf'ty
late Co. Reg't.

and find him disabled by dis-

ease of eyes. The
eyes are weak &
irritable, ocular
conjunctivae red.

On exposure to cold
wind he suffers from
pain in the eye balls,
as he alleges, & the appear-
ance of the eyes would
tend to confirm the
statement. The disability
entitles him to admis-
sion to the Home tem-
porarily at least.

A. W. Morison
Surgeon.

Register No. 1188

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME
QUINCY, ILLINOIS

James Selbee Selbee^{alias}
Waynesville, Illinois
Co. 108th REG'T Ill. Inf.
.....CO.....REG'T.....
.....CO.....REG'T.....

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Application Rec'd 4/19/89
Discharged O.R. 3/30/92