

HEADQUARTERS

Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home

QUINCY, ILLINOIS

Samuel Smith, (0) of the town of *Bunker Hill*, in the County of *Macoupin*, and State of *Illinois*, formerly a Soldier of the United States of America, in the war against (1) *Late Rebellion*, 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 *74* years old; that he is *5* feet and *11* inches high; that he is of *Light* complexion, *gray* eyes, and *gray* hair; that he was born in the town of *Fitchburg* in the State of *Massachusetts*, on the *9* day of *June* *1837*, 1.....; that he has been (2) *Once* enrolled in the U. S. A. service;..... in the war against....., 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: *Expiration of Time a private*

No.	When and where Enrolled.	When and where Discharged.	Rank.	Company and Regiment.	Cause of Discharge.
1st.	<i>Bunker Hill Ill</i>	<i>Chattanooga Tenn</i>	<i>P</i>	<i>Co. F Regt. 7 Illnow</i>	<i>Exp of time</i>
2nd.	<i>July 11 1861</i>	<i>July 25 1864</i>		<i>Co. Regt. Ind</i>	
3rd.		<i>36</i>		<i>Co. Regt.</i>	

That he now receives, on pension certificate number *573812*, a pension of *15* dollars a month, payable the *4th* day of next *April*, at the *Chicago* Pension Office.

That he owns property, real and personal, of the value of *4000* dollars, that he has no means of self-support other than the above named; that his trade or occupation is that of a *Mason*.

That he has (4) *no* wife; that he has *4* children now living; ages, respectfully, (5) *27-38-43-46* years. That his postoffice address is *Jacksonville Ill* State of Illinois; that his nearest railway station is *Caru-Nabarr*, on the *Jacksonville Ill* 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 is *John John*, of *Bunker Hill*, County of *Macoupin*, State of *Ill*; that, in case of his death, he desires all his personal effects to be sent to *John*, at *Bunker Hill* County of *Macoupin*, State of *Ill*.

That he has not heretofore been a member of any Soldiers', Sailors', or other Charitable Home or Institution, excepting the (6) *Jacksonville State Hospital*.

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) *old age - Varicose veins of left leg - and debility in walking on account of old fracture of right femur* 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 *17* day of *April*, 191*2*.

(9) *J. Buchanan* Witness. (8) *Samuel Smith* Applicant.

*Can Samuel
3-15-1912
Ill & Washington*

A.S.CUTHBERTSON
ATTORNEY AT LAW
BUNKER HILL, ILL.

March 14th., 1912.

Supt., Ill., Soldiers Home,
Quincy Ill.

Dear Sir:-

I wrote you some days ago about the prospective application of Mr., Samuel Smith, for whom I am conservator. He desires to go to your home, on his discharge from the Illinois Hospital for the Insane at Jacksonville, which will be in the near future. He has lost his discharge and I have written to the Adjutant's General's Office Washington for a duplicate thereof. I am advised this day that they do not issue duplicates but you write the War Department and they furnish you with the War Record of the applicant in case of the loss of the "Discharge". I wish you would do this now so as not to cause delay when we get things in shape to take him to your institution and advise me that you have received the same. The party is Samuel Smith Private Co., F 7th., Regt., Ill., Vol. I will say that the application will show that he has a pension of \$15.00 besides about \$2000.00 worth of property. The property will not support him however. I wish you would advise me whether or not such a party can get into your home. If he cannot I do not want to spend the time and money in trying. You know whether, every thing else being equal, he will be received and I wish you would advise me frankly about the matter and if he cannot I will take the matter up in other ways. He is very anxious to go to the Quincy and if there is any way to get him to your Home I want to do so.

I will thank you for an early reply and that you may write for his war record.

Yours truly,



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THE ILLINOIS SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' HOME

QUINCY Mar - 23 - 1912

A. S. Cuthbertson

Dear Sir -

We sent you Certificate of service
for Samuel Smith
which we received this
morning. He may come at
any time.

Respt

J. M. Elder
adpt.

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THE ILLINOIS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS HOME

QUINCY April 6-1912.

Mr. Samuel Smith.

H. B. Carriel, Supt.,
Jacksonville State Hospital,
Jacksonville, Ill.

Dear Sir:

I have received your letter of the 5th inst. containing application of Mr. Samuel Smith for admission to this Home. His application seems to be all right and proper and upon receipt of his Army Discharge (or a certified copy thereof) which his conservator undoubtedly has, he will be received into this Home. However, if said conservator should not have his Army Discharge, if he will send his Pension Certificate that will be sufficient to admit him. If he has never been an inmate of this Home, I can upon receipt of his Army Discharge as aforesaid, forward transportation to this place.

Yours very truly,

Superintendent.

JOA/MS.

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JACKSONVILLE STATE HOSPITAL

JACKSONVILLE April 8th. 1912.

Mr. A. S. Cuthbertson,
Bunker Hill, Illinois.

Dear Sir:

I am enclosing a letter from Mr. J. O. Anderson, Superintendent of the Soldiers' & Sailors' Home, Quincy.

Mr. Smith filled out the blank application sent him and sent it to the Home; I was there one day last week and took the matter up with Mr. Anderson and he has sent me the enclosed letter.

You will note by this, he accepts Mr. Smith's application but requests that, in the absence of his army discharge, or a certified copy thereof, that if you will send his pension certificate, Mr. Smith will be accepted.

If Mr. Smith will do as well there as he has here, recently, I think there will be no trouble about his getting along.

Please return Mr. Anderson's letter after you have read same.

Yours very truly,

H. B. Carriel

Superintendent.

(Enclosure)