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Illinois Soldiers' and Sailors' Home

QUINCY, ILLINOIS.

Resident Member

Macomb Macomb Co. Ill

D Co. *9th* Reg't *Ill. Inf. Reg't*

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Mr Henry Wehle

Prairie Town
Ill

When sending articles
write to Prairie Town

Madison A Mc

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Prairie Town
2, 10, '88-

Mr Mooney:

A letter

Rec'd the 9 of 2 month, and
by it learning that some
of Mr Weber's articles are there.
I am willing to pay express
charges providing it is
worthy express.

So please ship to Garpenter

Ill.

Wishing very much to
know what decess he died
of and what his last words
were

Yours Respectfully

Hospital Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.

Quincy, Ill., Feb. 4th 1905

TO THE ADJUTANT:

This is to Certify, That Benedict Weber Reg. No. 4458

late of Co. _____ Reg't, _____

died in Hospital Jan 9th 1905 Cause of Death Carcinoma Pylorus

age 71

Geo E Rosenihal
Surgeon.

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS HOME.

Quincy, Ill., Jan 15th 1905

To the Adjutant:

Benedict Weber A Co. 9th Ill Inf. Regt.

died in Hospital at 11:30 P.M., aged 71 years.

Names and address of Relatives or Friends _____ Cause of Death Carcinoma of

Pylorus

Reg. No. 4458

Geo E Rosenihal
asst surg. Hospital Steward.

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS HOME, QUINCY, ILL.

IN THE NAME OF GOD, AMEN,

I, Rene dit Weber of Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home, in the County of Adams and State of Illinois, being of sound mind and memory, and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life, do, therefore, make, ordain, publish and declare, this to be my last Will and Testament.

First. I order and direct that my Executor hereinafter named, pay all my just debts and funeral expenses as soon after my decease as conveniently may be.

Second. After the payment of such funeral expenses and debts, I give, devise and bequeath all worldly goods of which I may die possessed,

to Mervyn MacHe


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Lastly, I make, constitute and appoint Capt Wm Amersville Rugh or his successor in office to be Executor of this my last Will and Testament, hereby revoking all former Wills by me made.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal, the 20 day of July in the year of our Lord One Thousand ~~Nine~~ Eight Hundred 98

Signed Rene dit Weber 

This instrument was, on the day of the date thereof, signed, published and declared by the said testator Rene dit Weber to be his last Will and Testament, in the presence of us, who at his request have subscribed our names hereto as witnesses in his presence, and in the presence of each other.

Signed W. M. Whittington

Signed J. E. Weinger

INVENTORY of the Effects of Benedict Weber No. 4458
 late D Co. 9 Reg't Ill. Inf. Vols., who died
 on the 9th day of Jan. 1905, at Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.

ARTICLES.	VALUE.		HOW DISPOSED OF.
	Dolls.	Cts.	
1 valise. ^{.10} 2 Coats. ^{1.00} 2 vests. ^{.20}	1	30	
2 pr. pants. ^{.50} 2 shirts. ^{.20} 1 undershirt ^{.10}		80	
1 H. K. ^{.05} 1 woollen jacket ^{.25}		30	
1 match safe. 1 pr. spectacles ^{.10}		10	
1 skull cap. 1 G. A. R. Badge. 2 pipes		00	
1 pr. scissors. ^{.05} 1 pr. pinchers. ^{.05}		10	
1 pr. shoes. ^{.25} 1 hat. ^{.05} 1 knife ^{.05}		35	
1 screw driver. ^{.05} 1 comb.		15	
1 pr. socks. ^{.05}		05	
		<u>3.05</u>	

Expensed to Henry Moehle, Carpenter Ill 2/14 05

We certify that the above Inventory is correct, and that we have, this 5 day
 of Jan. 1905, carefully examined each of the articles therein named, and have written
 opposite each our estimate of its value, and what disposition should, in our opinion, be made of it.

APPROVED: S. P. Mooney }
J. W. Hays } Board of Appraisers.
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 Superintendent. _____ }

No. 4458

INVENTORY

OF THE EFFECTS OF

Benedict Probst

LATE

D Co. 9 Regt 1 Ill. Inf.

WHO DIED OR LIES

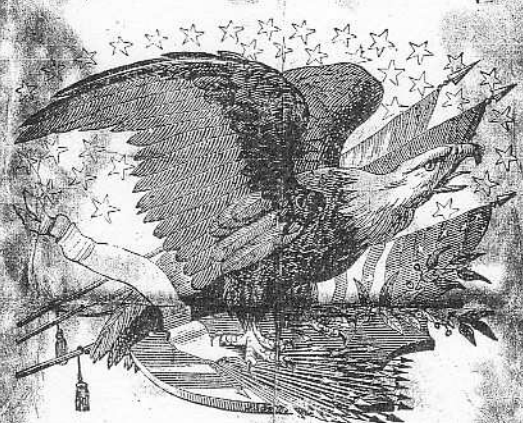
James G. 1905

AT

ILLINOIS SOLDIERS AND SAILORS HOME.

Best Copy Possible

Go all whom it may Concern



Know ye, That Benedict Weber a
 Private of Captain Frank J. Wagner's
 Company, "D" 9th Regt of Ill. Vol. Inf. M^o
 VOLUNTEERS who was enrolled on the third day of February
 one thousand eight hundred and sixty four was thirteen years or
 during the war, is hereby **Discharged** from the service of the United States,
 this Ninth day of July, 1865, at Louisville
Kentucky by reason of Ins. Tension, finally G. O. Orders
 (No objection to his being re-enlisted is known to exist.)

Said Benedict Weber was born in
 in the State of Germany 20 years of age
5 feet 7 1/2 inches high. Dark complexion, Dark eyes,
Brown hair, and by occupation, when enrolled, a Farmer

Given at Louisville this Ninth day of
July 1865.



* 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.]

Frank J. Wagner Capt. 9th Regt. Ill. Vol. Inf.
James M. Roberts Capt. 9th Regt. Ill. Vol. Inf.
 Commanding the Reg't.
J. A. C.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

State of Illinois.



Jersey County, ss.

This day personally appeared in open Court Benedict Weber and it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the said Benedict Weber came to the United States a minor under the age of 18 years with one thousand eight hundred and ~~ninety~~ ^{did on the} ~~and~~ ^{day of} ~~appear~~ ^{thereof} the intention for the last 3 years of becoming a citizen, and declare on oath, that it was bona fide his intention to become a CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the Government of Switzerland and it being proven to the satisfaction of the Court, by competent testimony, that the said Benedict Weber has resided in the United States for more that FIVE YEARS, continuously previous hereto, and for more than ONE YEAR in the State of Illinois, immediately preceding this application, and that during that time the said Benedict Weber has demeaned himself as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED BY THE COURT, that the said Benedict Weber be permitted, in pursuance of the laws of the United States, to take the OATH OF ALLEGIANCE.

Whereupon the said Benedict Weber took and subscribed the following oath, to-wit:
I, Benedict Weber, do solemnly swear, that I will support the Constitution of the United States, and that I do, absolutely and entirely, renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty, whatsoever, and particularly to the Government of Switzerland

It is Therefore Ordered, to be certified to ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, that the said Benedict Weber be, and he is hereby entitled to all the rights and privileges of a native born citizen of the United States of America.

Nov 4, 1874

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF JERSEY. } ss.

I, John C. McGrath, Clerk of the County Court of the said State and County, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of the Records from said Court.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the Seal of the said Couft is hereto affixed at the Clerk's office in the City of Jerseyville, this 9th day of October A. D. 1874 and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-fifth.

By order of the Court
ATTEST: John C. McGrath
Clerk of the County Court of Jersey County.

By J. R. Steaus, Secy

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Box.....

NATURALIZATION.

FINAL CERTIFICATE.

JERSEY COUNTY COUNTY COURT.

TERM, 18.....

Daniel M. Moran

DEMOCHAF Trial, Jerseyville, Ill.

Taken out by Rep.
On Com Oct 1900

HEADQUARTERS

Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home,

QUINCY, ILLINOIS.

Stamton July 12 1895

Benedict Weber (1) of the Town of Stamton, 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 44 years old; that he is 5 feet and 7 1/2 inches high; that he is of light complexion, blue eyes, and black hair; that he was born in the town of Genoa in the Kenton Bern of Germany on the 2nd day of February, 1834; that he has been (2) enrolled in the U. S. A. service; in the war against Mexico, and one in the war of the late Rebellion; and that he has been (3) one 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 of the cause of his discharge, and of his rank at the respective date thereof, namely:

Table with 5 columns: No., When and Where Enrolled, When and Where Discharged, Rank, Company and Regiment, Cause of Discharge. Row 1: 1st, entered 1864, Fort Leavenworth, Louisiana, July 9 1865, Co. D Regt. 9th Ill, Honorably discharged. Row 2: 2d, went to Springfield, Co. Regt. Row 3: 3d, Co. Regt.

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

That he owns property, real and personal, of the value of none 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 Miller.

That he has (4) no wife; that he has no children now living; ages, respectively, (5) years. That his postoffice address is Stamton, State of Illinois; that his nearest railway station is Stamton, on the St. Louis Railway, in Macoupin 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 Henry Mochle of Stamton, County of Macoupin, State of Illinois; that, in case of his death, he desires all his personal effects to be sent to Henry Mochle at Stamton, County of Macoupin, State of Illinois.

That he has not heretofore been a member of any Soldiers', Sailors', or other Charitable Home or Institution, excepting the 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) I can not stand work I am to old 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 12 day of July 1895

(8) A. L. Fisher Witness. (9) Louis Mochle Applicant.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF Macoupin } ss. J. N. A. Fischer a (10) Notary Public

of the town of St. Louis, in and for said County, do hereby certify that the above named Applicant, to me personally and well known to be the 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) L. S. Weber Affiant.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of July, A. D. 1898. Witness my hand and official seal. L. S. Henry A. Fischer (12) Notary Public

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 that 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) Chas. Dickerson
(14) Justice of the Peace

CERTIFICATE OF A LOCAL PHYSICIAN.

I hereby depose and state that I have carefully examined the above named Applicant, Benedict Weber, as to his disability, and I now find that he has (15) disabled left leg caused from fracture of tibia & dislocation of knee joint. Also imperfectly mended Callus bone 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.

David L. Riley M. D.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12th day of July, 1898. 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, as an honest man and a capable physician, in the community and among his fellow physicians where he lives. Henry A. Fischer (16) Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF SOLDIERS HOME SURGEON.

I hereby certify upon honor that I carefully and critically examined Benedict Weber the above named Applicant, as to his mental and physical condition, at the Hospital of this Institution, on Tuesday the 19th day of July, 1898; and that I then found him to be of.....sound mind, and to be.....in capable of earning his living by reason of his physical disability arising from (17).....Injury to ankle bone & Callus bone & General debility

Witness my hand..... R. H. Jones
Home Hospital Surgeon.

ORDER ADMITTING APPLICANT.

The application of the said Benedit Weber, together with the said several certificates, signatures, and jurats, having been found to be duly and formally made, and the Superintendent being satisfied that the applicant has shown himself to be lawfully entitled to admission to the Home, it is hereby ordered that he be now duly admitted as a member thereof, this 19 day of July.

W. Somerville
Superintendent.

HOW TO FILL APPLICATION BLANKS.

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 0. Give full name of the Applicant. 1. Either "Mexico or the late Rebellion." 2. Here say once, twice, or three times. 3. Here say once, twice, or three times. 4. Here say a wife, or no wife. 5. Here give their ages, from youngest to oldest. 6. Here give the name of any Home or other Institution of which he has been a member. 7. Here state, <i>in his own words</i>, what it is that ails or disables him. 8. Here Applicant will sign his full name, or make his mark. 9. Here the witness will sign <i>his</i> name. 10. Here write "Notary Public," "Justice of the Peace," or "Clerk of Court." | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 11. Here Applicant will sign his <i>full name</i>, or make his mark. 12. Signature and title of the Justice or Notary. 13. To be made and signed by any Judge of any County or State Court, by any Mayor, County or Circuit Clerk, Justice of the Peace, Police Magistrate, or Adjutant or Commander of any G. A. R. Post. 14. Here write official title. 15. The physician will here state tersely, but fully, as far as he can learn, <i>every</i> cause or disorder that tends in any degree to render the Applicant <i>incapable of earning his own living</i>. 16. Name and official title of Notary or Justice. 17. Here state <i>minutely</i> what disorder, ailment, disease, or cause, it is that, in your judgment, <i>disables the Applicant and renders him incapable of earning his own living</i>. |
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SPECIAL INFORMATION FOR APPLICANT.

READ THIS CAREFULLY. For it will *avail you nothing*, when you come before the Superintendent for examination on the facts alleged by you in your application, to say you are ignorant of what is *here* and *herein* plainly and explicitly set forth for your information:

- 1. Have some capable person, *who writes a fair hand*, fill all the blanks in your application.
- 2. Have every blank in the application properly filled, and every Certificate, except that of the Surgeon of the Home, duly made and signed, and every jurat duly executed, signed and sealed by the Clerk, Notary or Justice of the Peace making the same.
- 3. Send your application, so prepared, by mail or otherwise, *with your last discharge and all your pension papers*, to the Superintendent of the Home.
- 4. On his receipt of your application, and your last discharge, and all your pension papers, all in due form, transportation will be sent you, and you will be ordered to report at the Home for *examination by the Home Surgeon as to your disability*, and for examination by the Superintendent *as to the allegations of fact made by you in your application for admission*.
- 5. If all your statements are found to be true, and the Surgeon finds you to be *so far disabled as to render you incapable of earning your own living*, you will then be admitted to the home, and not otherwise.
- 6. If, for any reason, you are found *not to be eligible* for admission, *you will not be admitted to the Home*.
- 7. If you fail to be admitted, no transportation to your home will be furnished you. *Therefore, you should bring sufficient money to pay your return fare*.
- 8. When permitted to leave the Home on Furlough, or on Pass of two or more days' duration, *you will be required to wear your citizen's clothing. You will not be allowed to wear Home or State clothing, when so absent*.

TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION.

- 1. The law requires that you shall have served in the U. S. A. service, in the army or navy, in the war with Mexico, or in the late Rebellion.
- 2. That you shall have been honorably discharged from that service.
- 3. That you shall have lived and resided, CONTINUOUSLY and in good faith, FOR THE LAST TWO YEARS, in the State of Illinois, or served in an Illinois organization.
- 4. That you shall have been rendered INCAPABLE OF EARNING YOUR OWN LIVING, AND SHALL NOW BE INCAPABLE OF EARNING YOUR OWN LIVING, through the exigencies of your military service, by reason of old age, or by means of some other PRESENT DISABILITY.
- 5. That you shall have NO PROPERTY OR OTHER SUFFICIENT MEANS OF LIVING.
- 6. That you shall be of sane mind; that you shall not be in need of an attendant; that you shall be capable of ministering to your own personal wants; that you shall have NO CONTAGIOUS OR INFECTIOUS DISEASE that would render your residence in the Home DANGEROUS to others; that you may SAFELY be quartered with men who are feeble and incapable of self-defence.
- 7. NO INSANE OR DEMENTED PERSON CAN BE RECEIVED OR CARED FOR AT THIS INSTITUTION. The State has elsewhere provided for the care and treatment of such persons.

W. Somerville
Superintendent.

Register No. 11458

David Weber

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION

TO THE

Illinois Soldiers and Sailors Home.

Application Approved by

W. S. McNeill

Superintendent.

Admission Granted JUL 19 1898 18

Benedict Weber

M 4th Div
2^d Regt - 4458

Buried where Jas. a Smith's
body was taken from.