

stand the case and the best route to bring the applicant here, if admitted.

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The following section of law creating the Michigan Soldiers' Home is appended to show the conditions of admissibility:

"All honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines, who have served in the army or navy of the United States in the late war of the Rebellion, or in the Mexican war, or in the late war with Spain, and who are disabled by disease, wounds or otherwise, and who have no adequate means of support, and by reason of such disability are incapable of earning their living, and who would be otherwise dependent upon public or private charity, shall be entitled to be admitted to said Home, subject to the rules and regulations that shall be adopted by the Board of Managers to govern the admission of applicants to said Home: Provided, That no applicant shall be admitted to said Home who has not been a resident of the State of Michigan for one year next preceding the passage of this act, unless he served in a Michigan regiment or was accredited to the State of Michigan."

Every pensioner residing in this Home and accepting its benefits must turn over to the Commandant his quarterly pension check upon receipt of the same. The Commandant shall send to the dependent relatives of the pensioner such sums as the pensioner may direct. (A dependent relative is understood to be a parent, wife or child.) The balance shall be given to the pensioner in such amounts as the Commandant shall deem advisable: Provided, That when the pensioner shall take his discharge from the Home, all money on deposit to his credit shall be paid over to him.

The Attorney General of Michigan has decided that the inmates of the different National Homes are in the enjoyment of adequate means of support, and they are therefore ineligible to admission, so that no application from any of this class will be considered.

Honorable discharge from the service is indispensable. No deserter need apply, for they will not be admitted.

Persons of unsound mind cannot be received. The proper