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HEADQUARTERS

E.D. BAKER
DEPARTMENT

POST NO. 80.
OF IOWA.



GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC

PERSONAL WAR SKETCH
OF

Comrade Eliss W. Benson

Who was born the 17th day of January A.D. 18 34 in
Lincoln Trop County of _____ State of Ohio

I entered the service at Madison, Wis. In 1865 as a Corporal of Co. A. 49th Wis. Inf. And was discharged in Nov. 1865 as a corporal, at Madison, at close of war. I was in no battles.

Was in hospital at St. Louis.

My intimate comrades were Ephraim Smith and Melanthon Carr, E.B. Miller.

I was sick with Typhoid Fever in the Fall of 1865, and was taken home by my wife and staid at home until called to Madison to muster out.

I certify that Sketch of my War Service as above written is true as I verily believe

Date _____ Signed _____

We certify that Comrade _____ Joined _____

Post No. _____ Department of _____ 18 _____

Held Offices of _____

Adjutant.

Commander.