

DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

KNOW YE, THAT

John W. Hibbs, Army Serial No. 611643 a Private of Second Army Artillery Headquarters Troop, Coast Artillery Corps, United States Army, who was inducted on the eighteenth day of February, one thousand nine hundred and eighteen, at Decatur, Illinois, to serve for the period of the emergency was honorably discharged from the service of the United States on the seventh day of February one thousand nine hundred and nineteen, by reason of convenience of the Government.

This Certificate is given under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved July 1, 1902, "to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish certificates in lieu of lost or destroyed discharges" to

honorably discharged officers or enlisted men or their widows, upon evidence that the original discharge certificate has been lost or destroyed, and upon the condition imposed by said Act that this certificate "shall not be accepted as a voucher for the payment of

any claim against the United States for pay, bounty, or other allowance, or as evidence in any other case."

Given at the War Department, Washington D. C., this twenty-third day of September, one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one

By authority of the Secretary of War:

Andrew J. White

Adjutant General.

TRANSCRIPT FROM RECORD OF SERVICE

Prior Service: None

Battles, engagements, expeditions None

Wounds received in action None

Decorations, service medals, citations, awarded None

Service overseas France

Sailed from U. S. October 26, 1918

Arrived at port on return to U. S. January 21, 1919

Character given on discharge Excellent

Certificate in lieu of lost or Destroyed Discharged Certificate

previously issued in this case None

Remarks None