Dear Father and mother

take the upunetey of rite yous a few line Which I ham in a good health And I hope that the letter Will find yous the same, for my part I git a long fust stright I expect to leave this place in a Wek or two and I like to know Jerry Joubert is git a long at the camp

and I like to know when Simon score is coming to Chicago to git his things for they have all _____ And to tell one what you have don with the money that I left you if you bought a coulf with it or not

And I like to know how you git a loung all of yous

And my best respect to all of yous

Your picteley son

Dezire Joubert

Derect your letter this way

Board of Trade battery Capt. James H Stokes

Rite your letter in inglish

No. 214.795

Adjutant General's Office

Washington D.C., April 27 1874

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I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt from your Office of application for Pension No. 214.795 and to return it with such information as is furnished by the files of this Office.
It appears from the Rolls on file in this Office that D Joubert was enrolled on the 22 day of July 1862 at Chicago in Board of Trade Battery of Ill. Lt. Art. Volunteers, to serve 3 years on during the war, and mustered into service as private on the 31 day of July 1862 at Chicago, in Board of Trade Battery of Ill. Lt. Art. Volunteers, to serve 3 years, on during the war. On the muster Roll of that battery for the months of May to June, 1864, he is reported "Wounded in battle of Noon- day June 19, 1864 set to Hosp same date." M.O. roll dated June 30/65, him." Died in Hosp No 4 Nashville, August 2, 1864, of wounds" Mortuary Records report him "Died at Genl. Hospl. No 14. Nashville, Tenn August 2, 1864 because of shell wound of leg followed by gangrene.
I am sir, very respectfully
Your obedient servant,
Assistant Adjutant General
The commissioner of Pensions,
Washington, D.C.