

(ORIGINAL)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, James Southerland

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Rooney in the County of Garrett

in said State of Kentucky, and was a soldier from the State of Va, in the war between

the United States and the Confederate States and I do hereby apply for aid under the Act of the General Assembly of

Kentucky, entitled "An Act granting pension to disabled and indigent Confederate soldiers." And I do solemnly swear

that I was a member of Co. G 22nd Va Cav Regt

in the service of the Confederate States, and that by reason of disability and indigence I am now entitled to receive the benefit of this Act. I further swear that I do not receive aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, and that I am not an inmate of any soldier's home, and that I am unable to earn a reasonable support for myself and family. I do further solemnly swear that the answers given to the following questions are true:

In what County, State and year were you born?

Answer 1st Patrick Co. Va 3rd 10th day of June 1836

When did you enlist and in what command? Give the names of the regimental and company officers under whom you served?

Answer 1st on the 12th day of May 1862, 2^d Co. Colver, 3rd Regt. Geny. Bourne, Capt. Abel More, Lieutenant, Lockett, 1st Sergeant - Gussowick

How did you get out of the army, when and where?

Answer I was captured on the 12th day of July 1864 near New London Va

Were you ever in prison? If so, state what prison and when released.

Answer Yes, Camp Chase Ohio, 3rd on the 10th day of May 1865

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer No

Did you take the oath of allegiance to the United States Government?

Answer Yes

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer Yes on the 10th day of May 1865, that was the way I got out of prison

In what business are you now engaged, if any, and what do you earn?

Answer I am farming, about \$100 a year

What estate have you in your own right, real and personal, and what is its actual cash value?

Answer ~~None~~ one mule, one cow, worth \$150

What estate has your wife in her own right, real and personal, and what is its actual cash value?

Answer None

State the net income of yourself and your wife from all sources for the past year. This must include all money received either from wages, rents or interest on loaned money, if any.

Answer None

Do you use intoxicants to any extent?

Answer No

How long and since when have you been an actual resident of the State of Kentucky?

Answer 33 years, 1879

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer No

If so, give his name and address?

Answer

Witness my hand this 8th day of May 1917

WITNESSES: W. G. Duncan, Physician; J. Annis Southland

Postoffice Address Carter Ky; Street and No. (if any)

W. G. Duncan, Witness; R. F. D. (if any)

Postoffice Address Armstrong Ky

W. G. Duncan, Witness

Postoffice Address Carter Ky

STATE OF KENTUCKY

County } I, Judge of said County,

certify that and his wife are

assessed with acres, valued at \$, and with \$ of personal property.

Witness my hand this day of 1917 R. A. Carpenter Judge County Court.

If applicant and his wife have no property, the Judge must so certify.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Barren County } Personally appeared before me, W.K. Hatchiff, a Notary Public of said County, the above named James Southland the applicant, with whom I am personally acquainted, and having the application read and fully explained to him, as well as the statements and answers therein made, made oath that the said statements and answers are true.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 8th day of May, 1914. my commission expires Feb 14th 1914 W.K. Hatchiff Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Cartersville County } Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public of said County, the above named J.M. Fulton one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing application, and who is a physician of good standing, and being duly sworn says that he has carefully and thoroughly examined James Southland the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

I have examined said claimant and find him suffering from chronic rheumatism manifested by lumbago, sciatica, and stiffness of left elbow joint. He is not able to perform manual labor. I have treated him formerly for the sciatica and lumbago. J.M. Fulton

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(If possible, the two witnesses as to character should have served with the applicant in the army, and if so, let them, or either, state it in their oath; also any other information regarding applicant's army service.)

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Barren County } Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public of said County, the above named Larkin Nelson and William L. Duncan, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing application, with whom I am personally acquainted, and known to me to be citizens of veracity and standing in this community, and who make oath that they are personally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in this application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim, and that said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And Larkin Nelson further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate army.

State here what witnesses know of their own knowledge.

He says he knows of his own knowledge that the applicant is the identical man he represents himself to be. Says he was with him in the Army, was in different Regiments but was together a great deal of the time, he was a good soldier, was always ready and willing to do duty. His habits was good as a soldier and a citizen. I don't think he is able to make a living by manual labor.

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STATE OF KENTUCKY

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James Southland

Co. G. 22nd Va. Caval. Rgt.

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Allowed

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Approved
W. J. Stone
Commissioner

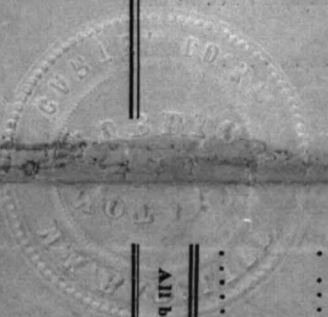
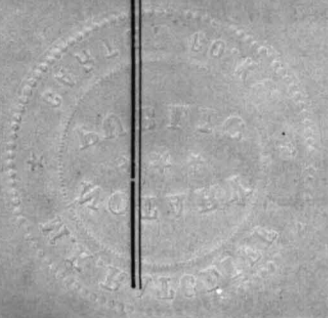
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To Applicants for Pension

The material facts to be proven in the pension claim, under the laws of the State of Kentucky, are as follows:

- 1. Service in army.
- 2. Present Disability.
- 3. Indigency.
- 4. How you got out of the Army.
- 5. Character as a Soldier and Citizen.
- 6. Applications will not be filed unless certificates of Doctor and County Judge are filled out.

- 1. May be proven by officers or comrades.
- 2. May be proven by physician's certificate.
- 3. May be proven by neighbors and by certificate of County Judge.
- 4. May be proven by filing parole or discharge, or in case these have been lost or destroyed, by officers or comrades who know the facts.
- 5. May be proven by comrades and citizens.



Indorsement.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
FRANKFORT, KY..

JAMES SOUTHERLAND.

Enlisted Aug. 1st, 1863 in
Co. G- 22nd Va. Cav., and was
released at Camp Chase, O. May
15th, 1865. Proven by the
records and comrades.

Indigent.

W J S

I recommend that this claim
be allowed.

J. Handy Ellis
Adjutant General.

*Approved by State
Pension Board*

James B. McHenry
Chairman

(A. G. O. 35.)

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HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

June 14th, 1912

GEN. W. P. HALL,
Adjutant General, U. S. A.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dear Sir:

James Southerland,

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company "G" - 22nd Virginia
Regiment Cav. Vols. C. S. A., and to have been

Was captured on the 12th day of July 1864
near London, Va. In prison at Camp Chase, O.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, June 19, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that James Southerland, Company G, 22d Virginia Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted August 1, 1863. The roll for November and December, 1864 (last on file), reports him "Absent, prisoner of war." Other records show him confined at military prison, Whelling, Va., having been arrested by General Crooks, at Lynchburg, Virginia, June 16, 1864, and sent to Camp Chase, Ohio, July 11, 1864, where released on taking the oath of allegiance to the United States May 15, 1865.

Henry P. McLean
Adjutant General.

(A.G.O. 74)

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CARTER COUNTY COURT,

REGULAR JUNE TERM, 1912.

State of Kentucky,

County of Carter,

By an Act of the General Assembly of the State of Kentucky granting to all indigent Confederate Soldiers a Pension, approved March the TWELFTH, 1912.

In the matter of the Pension Claim of James Southland whose Post-Office Address is Rooney Carter County, Kentucky, personally appeared before me, J. E. McGlone of Gouydon Ky, and W. K. Ratcliff both citizens and residents of Carter County, and known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit states in relation to the above claim as follows, to-wit:-

I know the applicant, James Southland and know him to be a citizen of Kentucky, and a bona-fide resident since 1907: and has been continuously so since 1907: Know that he is not able to earn his support by manual labor, skill or profession, art or craft: and that he does not possess a net income to exceed THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS per year.

COUNTY JUDGES' RECOMMENDATION.

From the evidence above I approve the merits of this claim.

R. A. Carpenter

Judge of Carter County.

State of Kentucky
County of Carter

Personally appeared before me a Justice
of the Peace in and for the County and
State aforesaid one John H. Watson
who by me being duly sworn
states he is Eighty Six years old
that his Post Office Address is
Rorney Carter County Ky that
he is acquainted with James
Southernland, ^{the claimant} and him and
James Southernland Enlisted in
the Confederate Army on May 12
1863 at Wytheville, with Co D
and I served with him ^{about} one year
and on July-13-1864 he was captured
near New London, Va. by the Union
Army, and I did not know anything
of him until some time in the fall
of 1867 and I have been acquainted
with him ever since that time
attest-

John H. ^{his} Watson
mark

Jack Watson

Sisile Watson

Subscribed and Sworn to before me
John H. Watson this May-4-1912

S. E. Kibbey

Justice of the Peace
of Carter Co Ky

Attest
John H. Watson

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