

# Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Geo. W. Walker

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Providence in the County of Webster

in said State of Kentucky, and was a soldier from the State of Kentucky, 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 10th Kentucky Regiment Company C

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 Smith County State Tennessee year 1833 Apr 14

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

Answer Enlisted in August 1862 Captain Long's command  
Regimental Officer, Adam Johnson Company commander,  
Captain Long

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

Answer Honorably discharged at Catoosa Springs Hospital, Ga. Aug. 20, 1863.

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

Answer Yes On Johnson Island Sandusky Ohio Released Apr 1863.

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 September 1863 at Henderson, Ky.

Filed second day of April term April 16, 1912  
J. M. Sutton, Jr., C. C.

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

Answer *Nothing at all*

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

Answer *None*

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

Answer *Nothing*

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 *Nothing*

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 *79 years*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *Yes*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *J. Cannady Providence, Ky.*

Witness my hand this *14* day of *April*, 191*2*

WITNESSES:

*J. B. Wallau*, Physician P. O. *Providence Ky.*

Postoffice Address *Providence Ky.* Street and No. (if any)

*Geo. W. Walker*, Witness R. F. D. (if any)

Postoffice Address *Providence Ky.*

*James F. Rudy*, Witness

Postoffice Address *Providence Ky.*

STATE OF KENTUCKY

*Webster* County } I, *B. M. Sutton* Judge of said County,

certify that *Geo. W. Walker* and his wife *\_\_\_\_\_* are

assessed with *none* acres, valued at \$ *none*, and with \$ *none* of personal property.

Witness my hand this *20* day of *May*, 191*2*

*B. M. Sutton* Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Webster County } Personally appeared before me J. C. Cannaday  
a Notary Public of said County, the above named Geo. W. Walker  
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 16 day of April, 1912

My commission expires Jan 11-1916 J. C. Cannaday Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Webster County } Personally appeared before me J. C. Cannaday  
a Notary Public of said County, the above named J. B. Wallace  
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 Geo. W. Walker  
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Neuritis. Intermitting heart. Almost blind and  
Deafness

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 16 day of April, 1912

My commission expires Jan 11-1916 J. C. Cannaday Notary Public

(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

Webster County } Personally appeared before me J. C. Cannaday  
a Notary Public of said County, the above named A. J. Walker  
and James B. Rudy, 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 state-  
ments made in this application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no in-  
terest in this claim, and that said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And they  
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.

That they saw the applicant in Captain Long's command  
in 1862 and knew him to be a soldier of said command  
and that A. J. Walker was in friendly with applicant.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 16 day of April, 1912

J. C. Cannaday Notary Public  
My commission expires Jan 11-1916

No. 423

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

*Geo. W. Walker*

Co. *D-10<sup>th</sup> Ky-Inf* - *Bar* - Rgt.

Filed **MAY 25 1912**

Allowed .....

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

- 1.....
- 2.....
- 3.....
- 4.....
- 5.....

*Approved -*  
*Dr. J. Stone* Examiner  
 Commissioner

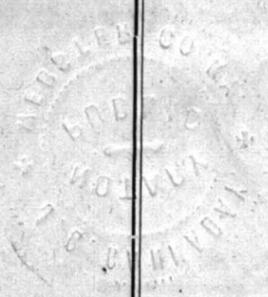
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To Applicants for Pension

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.



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
MAY 27 1912  
1916701  
WAR DEPARTMENT

Address: "The Adjutant General,  
War Department, Washington, D. C."

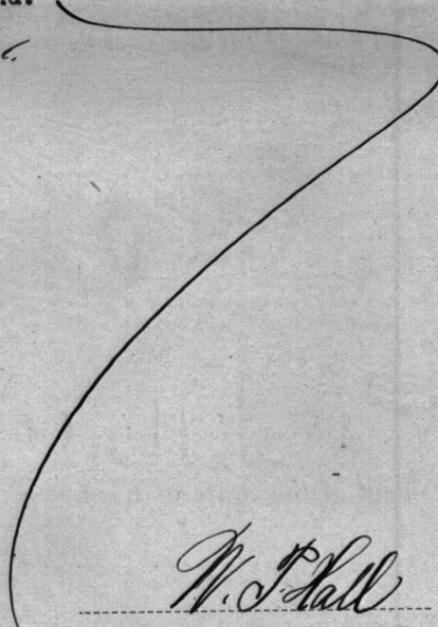
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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, May 29, 1912.

*Respectfully returned to the*

Examiner,  
Confederate Pension Department,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that G. W. Walker (name not found as Geo. W. Walker), private, Troop C, 10th (Johnson's) Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted August 23, 1862; that he was captured November 22, 1862, in Union County, Kentucky, and that he was sent to Washington, March 23, 1863. No later record of him has been found.



*W. S. Hall*

The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

Per *6*

GEORGE W. WALKER.

Enlisted Aug. 23, 1862, Co. C, 10th Kentucky Cav., and he was discharged Aug. 20, 1863 on surgeon's certificate of disability.

Proven by the records.

Indigent.

W J S

*I recommend  
that this claim  
be allowed*

*J. P. Davis*

*Adjutant  
General*

*Approved  
J. P. Davis*

No. \_\_\_\_\_ S. \_\_\_\_\_

HEADQUARTERS

# Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

*May 25* 191 *2*

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

Dear Sir:

*Geo. W. Walker*

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims  
to have been a member of Company *C-10<sup>th</sup> Ky.*

Regiment \_\_\_\_\_ C. S. A., and to have been

*Captain Long's Emmaud*  
*Reg-Officer - Adair Johnson*

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

*W. J. Stone*  
Examiner.

*Approved by State  
Pension Board  
James B. McKinstry  
Chairman  
Committee of  
Pension Law  
Frankfort, Ky.*

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AND HISTORICAL SOCIETY

OF THE STATE OF KENTUCKY

AND

WEST VIRGINIA

GEORGE A. AVITRE

To all whom it may Concern

Know Ye That George M Walker a  
Private of Captain Long's Company (B)  
of the 10<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Kentucky Cavalry  
who was enlisted the 13<sup>th</sup> day of  
August One Thousand eight Hundred and  
Sixty two to serve for the period of three  
Years or the war is hereby Honorably  
discharged from the Army of the Confed-  
erate States,

Said G. M. Walker was born in Smith  
County in the State of Tennessee is 31  
years of age 6 feet high, fair complexion,  
low light hair, gray eyes, and by occu-  
pation when enlisted a Farmer  
Given at Catross Springs Hospital  
Catross County Ga

This 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1863

Wm C. Foster

Surg. Pa. ca. in chg.  
& Comdg. Post

Transportation furnished in kind from Ringgold  
Ga to Lynchburg Va Aug 21 1863  
A. P. Barry  
Capt Agm

Webster County Court.

Regular May term 1912 Held May 20-1912

B. M. Sutton County Judge Presiding  
C. W. Bennett County Attorney Present

In Re.

Geo. W. Walker application for  
pension, application filed in  
duplicate at April term April 15th  
1912 and ordered to lay over to  
May term of Court 1912 for proof.

Comes said Geo. W. Walker with  
his witnesses James F. Rudy  
and Dr. J. B. Wallace after  
hearing their testimonies the court  
finds that said Geo. W. Walker is

unable to earn a support by  
manual labor, he owns no  
property, and a citizen of the state  
of Kentucky, resides in Providence

Webster County Ky. has so resided  
there for the past 51 years his  
annual income is less than  
\$200.00. I recommend the

granting of him a pension on  
the merits of his claim.

B. M. Sutton

Judge Webster County Court.

A brief substance of evidence  
James F. Rudy and Dr. J. B. Wallace

whose Post office address is Providence  
Ky. each testify I am personally  
acquainted with Geo. W. Walker  
have known him 50 and 30 years  
respectively and know him to be a  
citizen of the state of Kentucky and  
resides in Providence Webster County Ky.  
has so resided there for 50 years, he  
has no property and is unable  
to earn a support by manual  
labor; In our judgment his  
annual income will not exceed  
\$75.00 Our knowledge of these  
facts is from our personal  
acquaintance and seeing him  
often.

Attest B. M. Sutton, Jr., C. C.