

(ORIGINAL)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Amos H. Cole.....

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Banks P.O., in the County of Shelby.....

in said State of Kentucky, and was a soldier from the State of Virginia....., 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. F. Capt. March. Col. Moore. 29th Va. Reg.

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: Lee County Va. 1847. Sep. 29

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

Answer: 1863. Co. F. 29th Va. Reg. Capt. March. Col. Moore. Gen. Jackson. Cons. Davis. Williams. First Lieut.

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

Answer: at time of Lee's surrender - Apr. 1865. at Petersburg Va. on way to Richmond Va. ~~and~~ officers there ordered us to disband. Were you ever in prison? If so, state what prison and when released. ~~It~~ that war had ceased.

Answer: No

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: In Pulaski Co. Va. 1865. about July. It was required by opposing forces, to restore citizenship and rights of suffrage for the State of Va. and the U. S. A.

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

Answer: No. I am engaged in the business of raising and raising -
Garden and field products only

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

Answer: 1. Horse 2. mules cows - 15 head sheep - 2 hogs - worth about
\$128.00

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: wages \$37.00, for myself and son - garden and field products - about \$125.00

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: I came to Ky. 1877. I have been a resident of Letcher Co. since 1882.

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer: Yes

If so, give his name and address?

Answer: R. O. Brashers Whitesburg Ky.

Witness my hand this 15th day of June 1912.

WITNESSES:

J. M. Bently, Physician

Postoffice Address Whitesburg, Ky.

Witness

Postoffice Address

Witness

Postoffice Address

Arch. H. Cole
P. O. Burris Letcher Co. Ky.
Street and No. (if any)
R. F. D. (if any)

STATE OF KENTUCKY

County } I, J. O. Fitzpatrick, 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 1912

J. O. Fitzpatrick Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Letcher County } Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, R. O. Brushers of said County, the above named Arch. H. Cole 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. my com. expires May 22 1914 Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of June, 1912 R. O. Brushers, N.P. L. Co.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Letcher County } Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, R. O. Brushers of said County, the above named Mr. J. M. Bentley 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 Arch. H. Cole the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor. Rumbago prevents him from performing manual labor the greater part of his time and therefore is unable to earn his support. J. M. Bentley (M.D.)

my com. expires May 22 1914 Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of June, 1912 R. O. Brushers, N.P. L. Co.

(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

Letcher County } Personally appeared before me, a Notary Public, R. O. Brushers of said County, the above named and 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 further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the army. State here what witnesses know of their own knowledge.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 21 day of June, 1912 R. O. Brushers, N.P. L. Co.

No. 2598

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

Attest H. W. ...

"G" Co. 29th Regt. ... Sgt.

Filed ... OCT 6 - 1913 ... 22 1913 ...

Allowed ...

Read Specifications on Back.

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Allowed
W. J. Stone Commissioner

All blanks on this filing to be filled by the Pension Board
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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.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

2085725 WASHINGTON, October 21, 1913.

Respectfully returned to the
Examiner, Confederate Pension
Department, Frankfort, Kentucky.

The name Arch H. Cole has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company F, 29th Regiment Virginia Infantry, C. S. A., and no prisoner-of-war record has been found of a man of this name and organization.



The Adjutant General.

Form No. 70, A. G. O.
Ed. May 10-13-75,000.

Indorsement.

PENSION EXAMINER'S OFFICE,

FRANKFORT, KY.

ARCH H. COLE

It is claimed he enlisted in 1863 in Company F, 29th Virginia Infantry and served till the close of the war and was surrendered and paroled at Christiansburg, Va. Proven by certified copy of his war record as contained in the Virginia Military war records.

Indigent.

Approved:

W J Stone

Received A.G.O. OCT 8 1913

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

LETCHER COUNTY.

I, J. D. Fitzpatrick, County Judge do hereby certify taht
the above named witnesses were introduced before me in open Court,
who were duly sworn in relation to the claim of the applicant.

Arch. H. Cole That their statement were duly taken
and recorded as testimony in my presence correctly in answer to
the question of Counsel shown in this case; Nothing to the con-
trary being known or shown on the investigation upon merits. The
proof is considered sufficient to authorize payment of the claim.

Witness my hand, as County Judge, July th., 1912.

J. D. Fitzpatrick J. L. C. C.

No. _____ S. _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

Oct. 6th 1913

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

Dear Sir:

Arch H. Cole

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company "F" - 29th Virginia
Regiment Infantry C. S. A., and to have been

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
W. J. Stone

Examiner.



OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF
CONFEDERATE PENSIONS
J. T. GEORGE, COMMISSIONER
FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY

June 29, 1927

Mrs. Jada Bell Coles,
Banks, Ky

My dear Madam:-

Your letter informing us
of the death of your husband
Arch H. Cole on May, 29, 1927
received. There is due his estate
\$11.60, being accrued pension
from May 1st to May 29th,
1927 inclusive, and I enclose
information, as to how this
amount may be collected

Very Truly, J. T. George

Barkton, Ky.

July 11 1927

Mr. J. W. Gurse

Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Please find copy of
the order appointing
J. H. Campbell, adminis-
trator of the estate of
my deceased husband
Arch + Cole.

There was no attending
physician and I can't
get any certificate of
his death, so I am
submitting you an
affidavit to show
his death and date of
same.

Respt. yours. Julia Bell Cole

State of Ky

Co. of Letcher

The affiant Julia
Riddle states that she
knows Arch + Cole
and knows that he
died on May 29 1927

Julia Riddle

Subscribed and sworn to
before me this July 11 1927

Oro C. Cardell C. J. C.
By J. H. Campbell, D. C.

DR. J. D. FITZPATRICK
Judge Letcher County Court
WHITESBURG, KY.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT CERTIFIED BY COUNTY JUDGE:

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
COUNTY OF LETCHER.

I, J. D. Fitzpatrick, Judge of Letcher County Court do hereby certify that the claimant and witnesses are known to be reliable and trustworthy persons, as shown in the application, for state pension, all of them are known and considered generally as respectable citizens, who appears in open court and make oath as to the claim for service; applicants, citizen-ship, residence and means of support, all of which is taken as true upon merits as stated by said party relative thereto, and that, Post-office address shown in the application are correctly given by the claimant and said witnesses upon the hearing of merits from proof instructed. The court is now of the opinion that the applicants is justly entitled to pay for service shown by provisions of Ky., Pension Laws.

Given under my hand this July 27th. 1912.


-----County Judge.



OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF
CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

J. T. GEORGE, COMMISSIONER
FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY

June, 21, 1927-

Mrs. Juda Belle Coles.
Banks, Ky.

My dear Madam:

Your favor of June 19th just received.
and, I am mailing you application blanks for Confed-
erate pension, as the widow of Arch ~~W~~ Coles, you can
carry your application to your County Judge, he will
prepare your applications and give you other necessary
instructions. You will please notify this office
of the date of your husband's death in order that we
may calculate the amount due him at the time of his
death,

Very Respectfully,

J. T. George
Comm.

*My husband died May 29 1927
and was holder of pension Certificate
No. 2598*

*I am having my application filled
out and will send in as soon as completed*

*Respt yours
Juda Belle Cole.
Widow of Arch W Cole*

Commonwealth of Virginia

DEPARTMENT CONFEDERATE MILITARY RECORDS

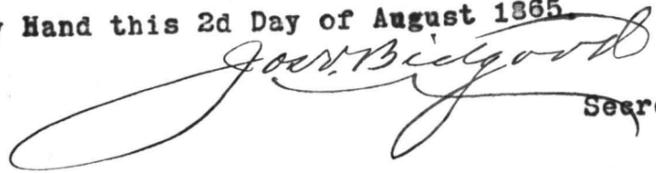
JOS. V. BIDGOOD, SECRETARY
W. SAM BURNLEY, ASST. SEC'Y

RICHMOND, VA., August 2d 1912

Arch: H. Cole

This is to certify that the Records in this office, show that Arch H. Cole enlisted in Company F, 29th Regiment Virginia Infantry, in Pulaski County, 1863; served until the Regiment was disbanded at Christiansburg 1865.

Given under my Hand this 2d Day of August 1865


Secretary