

(ORIGINAL)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Marian Pyles

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at 94 1/2 S 7th St ^{Lainville} in the County of Jefferson 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 The 6th Confederate Battalion Commanded by Col Geo McJesse

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? Franklin County, State of Kentucky April 26th 1846
Answer Franklin County State of Kentucky April 26th 1846

When did you enlist and in what command? Give the names of the regimental and company officers under whom you served. under Col Geo McJesse and served in Jesse's Battalion

x Answer September 1864 - or in the latter part of the summer or early fall 1864 served with the 4th Regt Regiment part of the time

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

x Answer Paroled at Fort Sterling on the 10th day of May 1865

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

Answer No

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

x Answer Yes - May 1st 1865 at Ft Sterling Ky

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

Answer No

If so, when and under what circumstances?

x Answer No

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

Answer Day Laborer when I can secure work \$1.50 per day when I can get work

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 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 From \$150 to \$175

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 All my life

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer No

If so, give his name and address?

Answer No

Witness my hand this 11 day of Aug 1914

WITNESSES:

W. J. Tompkins, Physician

Postoffice Address 904 - 5th St

J. M. Lee, Witness

Postoffice Address Lo Grange Ky

James R. Mitchell, Witness

Postoffice Address Queen Valley Ky

Marion Pyles

P. O. Louisville Ky

Street and No. (if any) 942 South 5th Street

R. F. D. (if any) _____

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Jefferson County } I, Samuel W. Greene Judge of said County,

certify that Marion Pyles and his wife

own no acres of land, valued at \$ _____, and with \$ and no personal property.

Witness my hand this 7th day of November 1914

Samuel W. Greene Judge County Court.

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

no property.
Geo Schlegel, Assessor Jefferson

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Oldham County } Personally appeared before me W.D. Pinkston

Clerk of said County, the above named Marion Pyles 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 11 day of Aug, 1914

Marion Pyles

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Jefferson County } Personally appeared before me D.J. Mitchell of said County, the above named D.J. Mitchell

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 Marion Pyles

the applicant, and finds him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Lumbago Deafness Enlarged Prostate Chronic Catarrhal Glands

Witness my hand seal of office, this 17 day of Aug, 1914

A.B. Ruckey N.P. Jefferson Co. My Commission Expires March 3, 1918

[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

Oldham County } Personally appeared before me W.D. Pinkston Clerk Oldham Co Ct of said County, the above named J.W. Lee

and More R. Mitchell, 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 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.

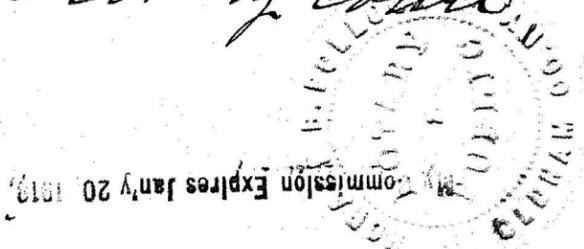
We know that said applicant was in the Confederate Army that we were in some battles with him and that he remained in the service until the close of the war

Witness my hand and seal of office, this Eleventh day of Aug, 1914

W.D. Pinkston Clerk Oldham County Court



Aug 12 14 Horace B. Pallasch Notary Public



No. 3533

STATE OF KENTUCKY
Soldier's Application for Pension

MARION PYTES

Co. _____ Rgt. _____

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Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

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3	_____
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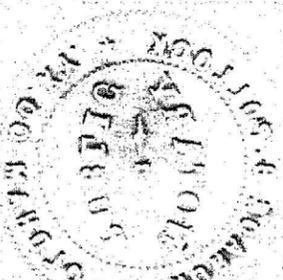
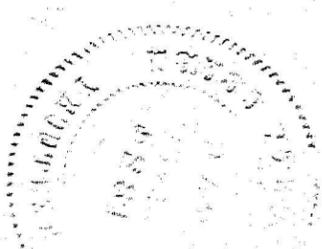
Allowed April 15th 1916
W. J. Stone
Commissioner.

All blanks on this filing to be filled by the Pension Board
The State Journal Co., Frankfort, Ky.

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PAID OVER



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.

PENSION EXAMINER'S OFFICE,
FRANKFORT, KY.

MARION PYLES

Enlisted Oct. 16, 1864, in Co. G, 6th Bat. Con. Cav., and was surrendered and paroled May 1, 1865, at Mt. Sterling, Ky. Records on file in Washington show his enlistment, and the prisoners-of-war records showing those who were surrendered at Mt. Sterling contains his name.

Indigent.

Approved:

W J Stone.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, December 1, 1914.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The name Marion Pyles has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of any company of the 6th Confederate Battalion, C. S. A., nor on the rolls of any company of the 4th Kentucky Regiment, C. S. A.

The records show that one M. P. Piles, private, Company G, 6th Battalion Confederate Battalion, C. S. A. (Lieutenant Colonel Geo. M. Jesse), enlisted October 16, 1864. A muster roll of company dated October 16, 1864, last on file, shows him present. No later record of him has been found.

H. J. McLean
The Adjutant General.

Form No. 74, A. G. O.
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HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

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

Dear Sir:

Marion Pyles

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *6th Confederate*

Regiment *Battalion* C. S. A., and to have been

Commanded by Col. Geo. M. Jessie

*Served with 14th Ky Reg. part of
the time*

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

STATE OF KENTUCKY)
)
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON)

JEFFERSON COUNTY COURT

At the Court held on the 21st day of November, 1914,
IN RE Application of Marion Pyles, of 6th Kentucky
Battalion, for Confederate Pension.

This matter coming on to be heard, and the Court
hearing testimony in open Court; the County Attorney being
present, a brief substance of the testimony of each witness is
as follows:

Applicant: Marion Pyles, 942 S. 5th, Louisville, Ky.

Witness: J. E. Toomey, 214 Floyd, Louisville, Ky.

" Amos Frost, 602 E. Chestnut, Louisville, Ky.

testified, that the applicant was a Confederate Soldier; that he
has resided in this State continuously since January 1, 1907; that
they have known him personally for several years; that he is un-
able to earn his living by manual labor, and is not able to earn
a living by reason of any knowledge, art or skill in any profes-
sion or craft. He does not receive a pension from the United
States, or any foreign government; that he does not possess a
net income of \$300.00 per year; that he has no property to the
amount of \$2500.00; that he has no contract or agreement with
any one for his support, nor is he able by reason of the combined
partial ability to earn a support.

I, therefore, find that the applicant has been a
citizen and resident continuously since January 1, 1907, of
County
Jefferson and the State of Kentucky, and he has no means of support
of any kind, and that the Doctor and two lay witnesses to applica-
tion and witnesses heard, are reputable witnesses entitled to
credit.

I recommend that the application for pension be
granted.

Samuel W. Green
Judge.

January 18, 1916.

Judge R. F. Peak,
Kentucky Title Bldg.,
Louisville, Ky.

Dear Judge:-

I am in receipt of yours of the 15th inst. relative to the application of Marion Pyles.

The war records show that the name Marion Pyles has not been found on the rolls of any company of the 6th Confederate Battalion, nor of the 4th Kentucky Reg't. The name of one M. P. Pyles is found on the rolls of Company G, 6th Confederate Battalion, but only shows the enlistment, which was on October 16, 1864, and no further record of him has been found. This may or may not be Marion Pyles.

When he filed his application for pension he had two witnesses testify for him; they simply say that "we know he was in the Confederate army, and that we were in some battles with him and that he remained in the service till the close of the war." From which you will see that the proof is not definite; neither do his witnesses state what company and regiment the man whom they refer to served in.

The proof in every case should show when the soldier enlisted, the company and regiment in which he served, and when and how he got out of the army.

Very truly,

Commissioner.

WJS-C

To the Confederate Pension Department
Frankfort, Ky.

The Affiant, Lewis M. Ballard, states that he is personally acquainted with M.P. Pyles (called Marion Pyles) That the said M.P. (or Marion) Pyles on the 16th day of October 1864 enlisted in the Confederate army in Company "G" 6th Confederate Battalion and that the said Pyles and this affiant served together in said company and Battalion during the war; that on the 1st day of May 1865 and after the surrender of Gen. Robert E. Lee, the said Pyles was paroled at Mt. Sterling Ky. Affiant's residence is in Oldham County, Ky., Post office LaGrange, Ky.

Lewis M. Ballard

Subscribed

Subscribed and sworn to before me by Lewis M. Ballard
this Jan. 27th 1916.

A. W. Pinkerton Clerk
By Charlotte M. Kerlin W. C.

