

(DUPLICATE)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Andrew Ritchie
am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Oil Springs in the County of Johnson
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 Co. H. 10th Ky. Mtd. Inf. Regiment

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 fam-
ily. 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 Perry Co. Ky. Feby 18th 1842

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

Answer 1862. Col. Benjamin E. Caudill, Commanded
by Capt. Audison Hayes

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

Answer In Perry Co Ky Oct 1863 ^{by} gunshot wound in right foot

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

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 No.

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer No. After being wounded was never able to rejoin Regiment
until after Surrender.

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

Answer Gardening, no earnings

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

Answer no real estate, personal property one cow \$20 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 about \$40 00 in wages for self, wife no earnings

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 yes

If so, give his name and address?

Answer W. W. Ferguson Oil Springs Ky

Witness my hand this 18 day of April 1912

WITNESSES:

A. M. Nathan, Physician

Postoffice Address Oil Springs Ky

James W. Adams, Witness

Postoffice Address Nettie Magoffin Cen. Ky

J. J. Arnett, Witness

Postoffice Address Daltersville Ky

Andrew Ritchie

P. O. Oil Springs Ky

Street and No. (if any)

R. F. D. (if any)

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Magoffin Johnson County } I, J. W. Wheeler Judge of said County,

certify that Andrew Rice and his wife are

assessed with acres, valued at \$, and with \$20 00 of personal property.

Witness my hand this 3 day of June 1912

J. W. Wheeler Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Magoffin County } Personally appeared before me...
A Notary Public... of said County, the above named Andrew Ritchie
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 22 day of April, 1912

B. W. Higgins N. P. M. C.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Johnson County } Personally appeared before me Paul C. Hager
County Clerk... of said County, the above named F. M. Witten
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 Andrew Ritchie
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

I find him suffering from feebleness by
reason of old age he being about 70 years
old and in my judgment he is unable
to earn a support by manual labor.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 18 day of April, 1912

Paul C. Hager C. J. C. C. By: Bryant Hager C. J. C. C.

(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

Magoffin County } Personally appeared before me...
A Notary Public... of said County, the above named James M. Adams
and J. F. Arnett... 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 both
further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate army.

I was in the same Regiment with Andrew
Ritchie I believe he was in the Regiment
with me one year or more.
and J. F. Arnett says that Andrew Ritchie has
been a citizen of Kentucky for more than
40 years

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 22 day of April, 1912

B. W. Higgins N. P. M. C.

No. 417

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

Andrew Ritchie

Co. Rgt.

Filed JUN 12 1912
MAY 26 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

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Approved
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, 1924112

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON. June 15, 1912.

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

The name Andrew Richie has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company H, 10th Kentucky Mounted Infantry, Confederate States Army, nor has any record been found to show that a man of that name and organization was captured or paroled.

The records show, however, that one Andrew Richey was a member of Company E, 9th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army. Information relative to his service will be furnished if desired.

Henry P. McLean
Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 74)

ANDREW RICHIE.

Enlisted in 1862 in 10th Ky.
Mtd. Rifles, Company H.; was
wounded in October 1863, and was
never able for service thereafter
Proven by his comrades.

Indigent.

W J S

I recommend that this claim
be allowed.

J. Handy Ellis
Adjutant General.

Approved by
State Pension
Board

James R. McHenry
Chairman

Adjutant General's Department

No. _____ S _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY,

June 12, 1912

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

Dear Sir:

Andrew Richie,

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company "H" - 10th Ky. Mtd.
Regiment Inf. Riflemen. C. S. A., and to have been

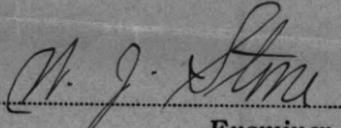
Enl. in 1862.

Got out of the army in Perry Co., Ky. Oct.

1863 by gunshot wound in right foot.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,


Examiner.

SECTION 12 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

§ 12. No pension money granted under this act while due or to be become due to any pensioner, shall be liable to attachment or levy or seizure by or under any legal or equitable process whatever, whether the same remains with the State, or in the course of transmission to the pensioner entitled thereto.

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONERS

No. 417

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Andrew Richie

Payable Quarterly

by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

at

Frankfort, Kentucky.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

That in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky;

Andrew Richie

who was a member of Company "H" Regiment 1st Kentucky Mounted Rifles

Confederate States Army, is entitled to a pension at the rate of Twelve dollars per month, to commence on the First day of August one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

Given at the office of the Commissioner of Pensions this First day of August one thousand nine hundred and eighteen.

W. J. Stone
Commissioner

ORDERS) JOHNSON COUNTY COURT.

June Term, Tenth Day of June, 1912.

In the matter of Application of Andrew Ritchie for pension from the State of Kentucky under an Act for the benefit of Indigent Confederate Soldiers, and the case being fully heard; the Court is of the opinion that the said Andrew Ritchie is entitled to the benefits of said Act and so recommends.

Jno. W. Wheeler,
Judge J. C. C.

A COPY ATTEST:

Paul C. Hager.
CLERK JOHNSON COUNTY COURT.

ORDERS) JOHNSON COUNTY COURT.

July Term, Second Day of July, 1912.

ANDREW RITCHIE,

-vs-APPLICATION FOR PENSION

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY.

The application of the applicant herein for a pension under "An Act Granting Pensions to Disabled and Indigent Confederate Soldiers" approved March 11, 1912, being called for trial and the parties hereto answering ready, and it appearing to the Court, that the application herein was filed in duplicate on the 26th day of May, 1912, on the first day of the regular term of this Court and the said application was continued until the June Term^{1912,} of said Court and from that term continued until the present July Term, 1912, but same was on the 10th day of ~~xxxx~~ June, 1912, with the Statute approved, but not in conformity governing, the Court after hearing all the testimony introduced on the trial of said application, adjudges and recommends that said applicant, Andrew Ritchie, is entitled to a pension under said Act, and that said pension be, therefore allowed.

A Copy Attest:-

Paul C. Hager
Clerk Johnson County Court.

-----GENERAL AFFIDAVIT-----

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

SS.

COUNTY OF MAGOFFIN.

In the matter of the confederate pension claim of Andrew Ritchie, private Company "H" 10th. Ky, Infantry Riflemen, Personally appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid duly commissioned, sworn and authorized to administer oaths; William Combs a citizen and a resident of Magoffin county Ky, whose postoffice address is Salyersville, Ky, who after being by me duly sworn according to law, declares in relation to the above styled claim as follows:

That he is well acquainted with Andrew Ritchie the claimant, and that he has known him for more than sixty years, That he lived a close neighbor to him in Perry county Kentucky in the year 1862 when he enlisted in the confederate army. That said claimant to my personal knowledge served more than twelve months in the army before he was wounded. That he has a personal knowledge that the said claimant was wounded in the right foot in a battle in Perry county Ky, on the Kentucky river in the fall of 1863, and that he was brought to his (Claimants) home after being wounded, and I saw him regularly from the day after his coming home until the close of the war when peace was made, and that he was never able after being wounded to again rejoin his company or regiment by reasons of the bad condition of his feet. For a long time after he got wounded his feet would become inflamed and would then turn black and we all thought that he would die or have to have his feet cut off, then it would break open and run and many small pieces of what appeared to be bones would work out of his feet and he was never able to walk on his feet for some time after peace was made as near as he can recollect at this time, He further states that his knowledge of the above facts as stated are known to him by reason of his intimate acquaintance and rendering claimant personal assistance after he had been wounded and sent or brought to his home in Perry county Ky.

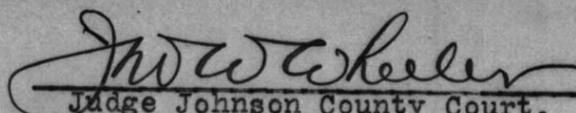
On the hearing of said application, of Andrew Ritchie, the following witnesses were introduced upon behalf of said applicant, whom I hereby certify to be reputable and entitled to credit on oath; And I further certify that F. M. Witten, is a reputable citizen of this County and entitled to credit on oath. The following after being by me duly sworn testified substantially as follows:

Oil Springs, Kentucky,
Nelson Collins, says, that the applicant herein, Andrew Ritchie, is personally known to him and that he has no property of any nature and no income from any source, and that his support is not provided by contract or otherwise, and that he is wholly unable to earn a support for himself by manual labor or by reason of his knowledge, art or skill in any profession, trade or craft; that he does not receive a pension from the United States, or any State or foreign government.

W. E. Litteral, Oil Springs, Kentucky.

Stated that he knows the said applicant personally and that he is about 70 years of age and that he owns No property of any nature.

Given under my hand, this the 3rd day of July, 1912.


Judge Johnson County Court.

-----GENERAL AFFIDAVIT-----

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

SCT.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON.

IN the matter of the confederate pension claim of Andrew Ritchie, Company "H" 10th. Ky Infantry in the civil war, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the county and state aforesaid, duly authorized to administer oaths; Turner Howes a citizen of the county of Johnson and state of Kentucky whose postoffice address is Oil Springs well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit on oath who after being by me duly sworn declares in relation to the above entitled claim as follows to-wit:-

I am well acquainted with Andrew Ritchie and his family and have a personal knowledge that he has no children who are financially able to support him and his wife. I also know that he does not own any land and has no income other than his daily labor.

Turner Howes

Subscribed and sworn to before me by the affiant above named this 7 day of Oct 1912, and I hereby certify that the foregoing affidavit was read to, and its contents fully explained to the affiant before he executed the same, and that I have no interest direct or indirect in this claim.

W. S. Trimble
Notary Public.



-----GENERAL AFFIDAVIT-----

STATE OF KENTUCKY.

SS.

COUNTY OF JOHNSON.

In the matter of the confederate pension claim of Andrew Ritchie private Company "H" 10th. Ky, Infantry Riflemen, personally appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the county and state aforesaid duly commissioned, sworn and authorized to administer oaths: Mrs. Dicy Armstrong, a citizen of Morgan county Kentucky whose postoffice address is Insko, Ky, who after being duly sworn by me declares in relation to the above styled claim as follows :

That she seventy five years of age, and that during the war of the rebellion she lived in the county of Perry in the state of Kentucky, and that she was well acquainted with the said claimant Andrew Ritchie, and that she has a personal knowledge that he served more than twelve months in the confederate army, also that she has a personal knowledge that he was wounded in the right foot in a battle or it was said that it was in a battle with the union soldiers on the Kentucky river in Perry county Kentucky in the fall of 1863, and that he was brought home badly wounded in the foot, that she first saw him after he was wounded on the next day, and that she with the help of others in claimants family had the care and done the nursing of the claimant from that time on until the close of the war or until peace was made. That she has a personal knowledge that claimant was never able to do any more service in the army after being wounded by reason of the bad and dangerous condition of his foot, it would swell up and turn a dark color and then break open and run at many different times and pieces of bones would come out and that he was never able to rejoin his company or do any thing until after peace was made. The affiant further states that she has no interest in this case. and that her postoffice address is Insko, Morgan Co. Ky.

Attest.

Dicy Armstrong

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 31st. day of May 1912, And

He further states that he has no interest direct or indirect in this claim, and that his postoffice address is Salyersville, Ky.

Attest.

J. C. Tracy
Julius Reed

William ^{his} Combs
Mark

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th. day of May 1912, by the aboved named affiant. And I certify that the contents of the foregoing affidavit was read to the said claimant and its contents fully explained to him before he executed the same, and that he made his mark to said affidavit in the presence of the above subscribing witnessess. And I further certify that said affiant is personally known to me and that he is considered a credible person and entitled to credit on oath.

Given under my hand and Notarial seal this the day and year above written.

W. S. Ferguson
Notary Public Magoffin Co, Ky.

My Commission Expires Feb. 12, 1916.



Confederate
Pension Claim

Andrew Ritchie
Co "H" 10th Ky Inf.

Affidavit of
William Couch
Salysville
Ky

Filed June 3rd - 1912

Paul C. Hager, clk.

B. F. HOLBROOK
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW
AND NOTARY IN OFFICE

state of Kentucky/
County of Magoffin/ ^{ss.}

On this 18th, day of May 1912 personally appeared Square Ritchie, of Lunah, Ky. who beeing duly sworn, declares. that he is 72 years old and that he is personally acquainted with Andrew Ritchie, who served in the rebellion.

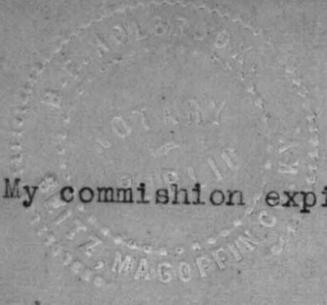
I futher state that Andrew Ritchie enlisted in the confederate army during the year of 1862 and served over twelve monts when he inlisted I was present ne inlisted under Captian Anderson nase, ah Pery Co, Ky. after he had served about 15 months he returned home wounded, he was brought home my some of his comrades ~~xxxxxxx~~ he had been shot in the right foot, which resulted in a cripple for a long time, afetr he had been shot about 12 months his foot inflamed which caused him longer troble he was so disabled that he wasent able to render service in the army,

I futher state that the said Andrew Ritchie was wounded while he was actually in the armey, I futher state that I have no interest direct or indirect in this claim.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th, day of May 1912 by Square Ritchie, and I certify that I read the affidavit to the affiant and acquainted him with its contents before swearing

B. F. Holbrook, Notary Public
Magoffin County, Ky.

My commishion expires Feb 16- 1916.



Affidavit of Squire
Ritchie

Filed June 3rd-1912.

Paul Hager, Clk.

-----Armstrong affidavit cet'd-----

I certify that the foregoing affidavit was read to the affiant Dicy Armstrong and its contents fully explained to her before she executed the same, and that she is unknown to me, but is an aged lady and from her appearance I am led to believe that she is a credible person and should be entitled to credit on oath.

Given under my hand and Notarial seal this the day and year above written.

E. S. Trimble

My Commission expires Feb. 29-1916. Notary Public Johnson Co, Ky



Handwritten notes and signatures in cursive script, including names like 'Dicy Armstrong' and dates like 'Feb 29 1916'.

Confederate
Pension Claim
Andrew Ritchie
Co "H" 10th Ky Inf.

Affidavit of
Dicy Armstrong
Insko, Ky

Filed June 3rd - 1912.
Paul C. Hager, Clk.

R. C. McCLURE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LOUISA, KENTUCKY

October 31, 1923.

COMMISSIONER OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS,

Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Andrew J. Richie, late on your rolls as a pensioner, died September 30th, 1923, in the middle of the quarter and his voucher for this quarter was, as I am informed, returned by the Postmaster, Louisa, Ky.

I will have his son, G. W. Richie, appointed as Administrator first day I can catch the County Judge, M. M. Burgess, at his office - out in the county now, playing politic.

I will thank you to send me the necessary blanks for use in this matter and I will fix up the papers for his widow, wife of his youth, married her in 1865, name Mary A. Richie.

Thanking you for this favor in advance, I am,

Very respectfully yours,

R. C. McClure

R. C. McCLURE
ATTORNEY AT LAW
LOUISA, KENTUCKY

December 11, 1923.

Hon. J. T. George,
Commissioner of Confederate Pensions,
Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:

As per your letter of November 1st, 1923:

I am inclosing herewith ~~ixam~~ copy of the order of the court, appointing G. W. Richie, son of Andrew J. Richie, deceased, as administrator of the estate of his deceased father, Andrew J. Richie, who died September 30th, 1923.

I will thank you to send him a voucher for the amount due his father, plus any allowance for funeral expenses.

The funeral expenses of Andrew J. Richie, deceased, were \$72.50, affidavit of which, together with itemized statement will be furnished, if required.

Thanking you in advance for your prompt attention to this matter, I am, Very respectfully yours,

R. C. McClure

P. S.

G. W. Richie, Administrator,
Louisa, Kentucky.