

(ORIGINAL)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Josiah Outland
am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Murray in the County of Calloway
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 Company G Twelfth Kentucky
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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 Calloway County State of Kentucky near
Brandon's Mill December 29th 1843

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

Answer February 1864 Gen Bedford Forrest's command
Col. Falkner Capt James Melton 1st Lieut Bill Mathis
2nd Lieut Emmet Beckham, Orderly Sergeant Josh Cole

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

Answer Final discharge by Emmet Beckham near Tupelo, Miss
1866

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

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

Answer ... Practically none, farm a little about \$50⁰⁰ a year.

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 ... Downright in 59 acres of land \$550⁰⁰

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 ... not over \$50⁰⁰

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 ... About 68 years, since birth December 29th 1843

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer ... yes

If so, give his name and address?

Answer ... Barnett and Wells, Murray Ky

Witness my hand this 13th day of April 1912

WITNESSES

Wm. W. Pres. ... Physician
Postoffice Address ... Murray Ky

W. W. Pres. ... Witness
Postoffice Address ... Murray Ky

Elias Robertson ... Witness
Postoffice Address ... Murray Ky

J. S. Scotland

P. O. ... Murray Ky

Street and No. (if any)

R. F. D. (if any) #3

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Callaway County } I, J. W. Patterson Judge of said County,
certify that Josiah Scotland and his wife are
assessed with 59 acres, valued at \$550⁰⁰, and with \$ of personal property.

Witness my hand this 6 day of May 1912

J. W. Patterson Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Ballouay County } Personally appeared before me *Notary Public*
Idella Wells of said County, the above named *Isiah Cutland*
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 *13th* day of *April*, 191*2*
Idella Wells

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Ballouay County } Personally appeared before me *Notary*
Public of said County, the above named *William Mason Jr.*
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 *Isiah Cutland*
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this *13th* day of *April*, 191*2*
Idella Wells

(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

Ballouay County } Personally appeared before me *Notary*
Public of said County, the above named *William Purdon*
and *Eliza Robertson*, 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 *13th* day of *April*, 191*2*
Idella Wells

Special Duties

No. 355

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

Special Duties

Co. Pgt.

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Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

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

Approved
W. J. Stone
 Commissioner

All blanks on this filing to be filled by the Pension Board
 KENTUCKY STATE JOURNAL PUBLISHING CO., FRANKFORT, KY

Filed MAY 27 1912

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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

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT,

J. S. OUTLAND.

Enlisted Apr. 20, 1864, Co. C, 12th Kentucky Cav., and there is record proof of service to June 30, 1864. Comrades testify that he served till the close of the war and was surrendered and released at Tupelo, Miss. at the close of the war.

Indigent.

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

J. Sandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

Approved by the State Pension Board.

James B. McCreary
Chairman.

No. _____ S. _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

JUL 25 1912 191 _____

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

Dear Sir:

Joshua Outland

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims

to have been a member of Company *G-13" Ky.*

Regiment _____ C. S. A., and to have been

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone

Examiner.

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

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

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that J. S. Outland,
private, Company G, 12th Kentucky
Cavalry, Confederate States Army, en-
listed April 20, 1864. He was report-
ed present on the company roll for
May and June, 1864, last on file. No
later record of him has been found.

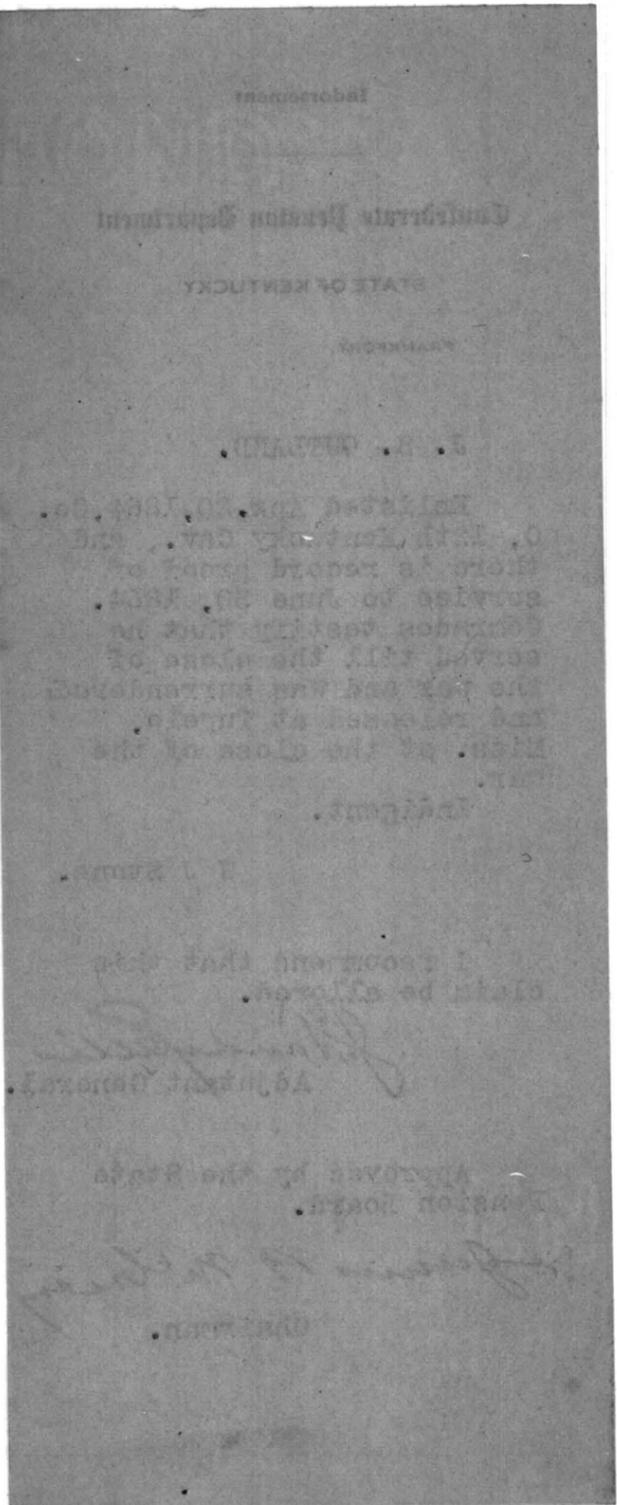
Henry P. McCain
Adjutant General.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT



THOMAS W. PATTERSON
JUDGE CALLOWAY COUNTY COURT
MURRAY, KENTUCKY

Calloway County Court.

In the matter of,

Jesiah Outland.

Application for Pension.

This application having been filed and laid over the allotted time, and the applicant, together with witnesses being before the court and duly sworn and interrogated by the County Attorney and the Court being advised doth find that the facts as set forth in the application seem to be fully verified, and would further state that the witnesses are men of good moral character and entirely worthy of belief. And the court would further state that from a personal knowledge of Mr. Outland and his decrepit condition as regards health, and his inability to earn a living that this is a worthy case.

All of which is respectfully reported.

This June 24th, 1912.

T. W. Patterson

Judge Calloway County Court.

Dec. 28, 1912

We, the undersigned, have personally known J. S. Outland from ten to forty five years.

We know him to be an honest, truthful, law abiding citizen, also a confederate veteran in good standing.

W. K. Biale (Comrade)

Le B. Fulton, cashier of Bank

W. C. Roberts, Comrade

S. P. Simpson, J. P. C.

J. C. Owen, Cash. Bank of Murray

Rev. Hagan, past care.

E. L. Hall, Comrade

N. F. Lassiter, Salaman

J. R. Schroeder, Atty at Law

J. P. Roberts, Farmer

R. H. Zamm, C. C. C.

A. J. Bae, Pres. Farmers & Merchants Bank

JOE LANCASTER
COUNTY ATTORNEY
MURRAY, KY.

March
April 1, 1921.

Hon. W.J. Stone,
Commissioner of Pensions,
Frankfort, Ky.

Dear sir and friend:

Mr. J.S. Outland, of this county, an old Confederate soldier who was drawing a pension, departed this life about three weeks ago leaving a widow, Lizzie Outland, surviving him.

He and his wife were married in this county in 1868 and lived together continuously from the date of their marriage until his death, and will you please kindly advise me what the necessary steps are for her to take in order that she may continue to receive this pension and if there are any blanks that will be necessary for her to fill out will you kindly mail the same to me.

Awaiting your early reply, and with kindest personal regards, I am

Your friend,

Joe Lancaster

JL-LJ

April 26th, 1921.

R. M. Phillips,
Murray, Kentucky.

My Dear Friend:-

I have yours without date, but mailed on the 25th, enclosing an Order of the Court appointing J. E. Skinner Administrator for the estate of J. S. Outland, and note carefully what you say. On April 1st, 1921, I received a letter from Joe Lancaster informing me that J. S. Outland had died about three weeks before the letter was written, but he did not give the date of the death. Therefore, I was unable to tell what the amount of pension was due him on the date of his death. Mr. Lancaster also asked me to advise him the necessary steps for the widow to take in order that she might receive the pension, and I at once mailed to his widow widows' application blanks with instructions as to how the balance due the estate of Mr. Outland could be collected. Since that I have heard nothing from the matter until your letter, and as you do not give the date of his death, nor furnish me with a copy of the Registrar's certificate, I am unable to tell you the amount that is due him because I do not know the date on which he died, and cannot now tell the amount that was due him on the date of his death until I know what day he died.

I am forwarding you under separate cover widows' application blanks, which the widow will have to file in the County Court in the regular way. It will not be necessary for her to attempt to get any proof as to her husband's military record for the reason that that proof is already on file with his application and can be used with hers when it reaches here.

I am also sending you information as to how the balance due his estate can be collected.

Very truly,

Commissioner.

WJS-C