

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, G. A. McLanahan

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Fulton Ky. in the County of Groves
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 F 12th Ky. Mounted Infantry

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 Born in Henderson County Ky. June 30 1845

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

Answer I enlisted about the last of April 1863 in Captain
William Quinn Co. F 12th Ky. Mt. Inf. Col. Frank was Colonel.

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

Answer I was paroled May 15 1865 at Columbus Miss.

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

Answer I was never in prison.

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer yes at Columbus Miss May 15 1865

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

Answer No Sir

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer _____

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

Answer I am keeping a little Grocery store in the country for a company and earn five dollars a month and my board

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

Answer I own one share in the above Grocery company which is worth about round dollars

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

Answer I have no wife and never had any

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 sixty dollars net of me to work but little

Do you use intoxicants to any extent?

Answer No Sir

How long and since when have you been an actual resident of the State of Kentucky?

Answer For the last thirteen years

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer yes Sir

If so, give his name and address?

Answer J. D. Watson Mayfield Ky

Witness my hand this 29 day of May 1912

WITNESSES:

R. J. Neal, Physician

Postoffice Address Mayfield Ky

A. G. McElanahan, Witness

Postoffice Address

Postoffice Address, Witness

Postoffice Address

G. A. McElanahan

P. O. Hickory Grove R. D.

Street and No. (if any)

R. F. D. (if any)

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Graves County } I, J. W. Monive Judge of said County,

certify that G. A. McElanahan and his wife are

assessed with no acres valued at \$ and with \$ of personal property.

Witness my hand this 29 day of Aug 1912

J. W. Monive Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Graves County } Personally appeared before me J. W. Wilson, Circuit Court Clerk of said County, the above named G. A. McClanahan 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 29 day of May, 1912 J. W. Wilson Clerk

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Graves County } Personally appeared before me J. W. Wilson Circuit Court Clerk of said County, the above named A. J. Neal 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 G. A. McClanahan the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

He is badly affected with heart trouble which causes him to smother when he exerts himself. He has a cancer envelope nearly half of right side of nose and envelope about one fourth of both sides of right eye. He also has enlarged femoral veins caused by riding horse back during the war - The veins are about one inch in diameter for about 4 or 5 inches

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 29 day of May, 1912 J. W. Wilson Clerk

(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

Graves County } Personally appeared before me J. W. Wilson Circuit Court Clerk of said County, the above named G. A. McClanahan

and one 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.

G. A. McClanahan states that he is a brother of the applicant and I know that he enlisted in the Confederate army on the last of April 1863 in company F. 12th Ky. Capt. William Dennis. He fought with me and saw him when he returned from the army in 1865. He is not able to labor in whole or part for a support.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 29 day of May, 1912 J. W. Wilson Clerk

No. 842

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

S. A. McElhannan

Co. Rgt.

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Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

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Approved Feb 21st 1913
W. J. Lane Commissioner

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

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W. J. Lane
By H. M. Moore

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 filed 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.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, September 10, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

It does not appear from the records of this office that such an organization as the 12th Kentucky Mounted Infantry was in the Confederate service, and the name G. A. McClanahan has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company F, 12th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army.

The records of prisoners of war, however, show that one G. McClanahan, private, Company F, 8th and 12th Regiments Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, was surrendered at Citronelle, Alabama, May 4, 1865, and was paroled at Columbus, Mississippi, May 16, 1865. There are no rolls, on file in this office, of the 8th and 12th Regiments Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army (Consolidated).

Leola Andrews

The Adjutant General.

(A.G.O.74)

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT,

G. A. McCLANAHAN.

Claims to have enlisted in April 1863 in Company F, 12th Kentucky Cavalry, and he was surrendered and paroled May 4, 1865, at Columbus, Miss. Proven by the record.

Indigent.

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

J. Sandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

James M. McHenry

Approved by State Pension Board.

Chairman.

No. _____ S. _____

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:

G. A. McElanahan

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *F-12 Ky.*

Regiment *Mtd. Inf.* C. S. A., and to have been

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

IN THE MATTER OF G. A. McCLANAHAN, APPLICANT FOR PENSION UNDER THE ACT
GRANTING PENSIONS TO DISABLED AND INDIGENT CONFEDERATE SOLDIERS:-

AFFIDAVIT.

The affiant, J. P. Moody, states that he and the applicant served in the same regiment, applicant in Company F. and affiant in Company E, in the army of the Confederacy and affiant says that he was well acquainted with applicant during the war between the States and that he of his own knowledge, knows that applicant served therein as set out in this affidavit. Affiant further says that applicant was paroled at Columbus, Miss., on the 16 day of May, 1865, affiant himself being present and being paroled at the same time.

J. P. Moody

Subscribed and sworn to before me by J. P. Moody, this the
14 day of June, 1912.

Geo. G. Sibley
County Clerk

State of Kentucky,

Graves County Court. Regular Term, Monday, August 19, 1912.

In the matter of application for pension of G. A. McClanahan, whose post office address is Hickory Grove, Graves County, Kentucky, R. F. D. No. 3, the court makes the following report of findings, viz: That the applicant is 67 years of age; that he has been a resident of this State 13 years; that he has no property or income; and on account of infirmities he is not able to make a reasonable support for himself; that he does not now and has never received a pension from any State or Government.

Then came B. B. Carney whose address is Mayfield, Ky., and G. H. F. Glisson, whose address is Hickory Grove, Ky., witnesses herein, who after having been sworn testified as follows: That they have known the applicant 10 years; that he is a resident of Graves County, Kentucky; that he has no property real or personal, that he has no income and is not able to make a reasonable support for himself.

Wherefore in view of the foregoing facts it is the judgment of the court that said applicant should be granted a pension and the court so recommends.

A copy

Attest: O. L. Mason, Clerk.

By L. Morris, D. C.