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J. C. Ferguson  
County Judge Morgan  
County,

## Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Henry G. Holbrook

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Lepta in the County of Morgan

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 Confederate Army in Co. K. 5th  
Regiment of 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 I was born in Lawrence County, Kentucky  
on March 14, 1886.

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

Answer I enlisted in Oct. 1861 under General Humphrey  
Marshall's Command, Co. K, 5th  
Regiment of Infantry. Captains Dan Plevins; first Lieutenant Henry James

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

Answer I was discharged at Hazelton in November 1862.

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

Answer Yes - at Catlettsburg, Ky. Released in 1868.

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes - at Catlettsburg, Ky. Nov 1868.

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

Answer I did.

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer because they was a going to send me to camp Chase  
and was required by the military law

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

Answer *None*.....

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

Answer *About 2 acres of land worth \$100.00 one Hundred dollars  
I own one cow worth \$30. thirty dollars*.....

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 *None*.....

Do you use intoxicants to any extent?

Answer *No I don't*.....

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

Answer *from 1886 March 14 from birth*.....

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *Yes*.....

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *R. B. Keeton Tuffe Ky*.....

Witness my hand this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* 191*2*.

WITNESSES:

*James F. Smith*....., Physician P. O. *Lepta Ky*

Postoffice Address *Redbush Ky*..... Street and No. (if any).....

*S. A. Holbrook*....., Witness R. F. D. (if any).....

Postoffice Address *Lepta Ky*.....

*Richard Brown*....., Witness

Postoffice Address *Tuffe Ky*.....

STATE OF KENTUCKY

*Morgan* County } I, *J. C. Ferguson* Judge of said County,

certify that *H. A. Holbrook* and his wife *Lizzie Holbrook* are

assessed with *no* acres, valued at \$ *0*, and with \$ *85* of personal property.

Witness my hand this *18* day of *June*, 191*2*.

*J. C. Ferguson*..... Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Morgan County } Personally appeared before me E. A. Hollbrook  
Notary Public of said County, the above named Henry G. Hollbrook  
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 6th day of May, 1912  
E. A. Hollbrook  
Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Morgan County } Personally appeared before me E. A. Hollbrook  
Notary Public of said County, the above named Dr. Jas. F. Smith  
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 Henry G. Hollbrook  
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

I have examined Henry G. Hollbrook May 11th - 1912 and  
find him suffering from Chronic Cystitis has  
received treatment from me at intervals for the  
past 10 years for the same trouble. The above named  
disorder and general debility incident to old age  
disables him from earning his support by  
manual labor.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 11th day of May, 1912  
E. A. Hollbrook Notary Public

(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

Morgan County } Personally appeared before me E. A. Hollbrook  
Notary Public of said County, the above named L. A. Hollbrook  
and Ruben Isom, 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  
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 we were in the service with said applicant  
and as well as we remember we was in the service  
together with said applicant about thirteen months

L. A. Hollbrook  
Ruben Isom

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 6th day of May, 1912  
E. A. Hollbrook Notary Public

My commission expires January 12-1916

No. 720

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

*Henry B. Walbroath,*

Co. *A* 5th *Regt.* Rgt.

Filed JUL 18 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

- 1.....
- 2.....
- 3.....
- 4.....
- 5.....

*Approved June 25 1913*  
*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.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT

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

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, July 22, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,  
Confederate Pension Department,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The name Henry G. Holbrook has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company K, 5th Kentucky Infantry, Confederate States Army, and no record has been found of the capture or parole of a man of this name and organization.

Henry O. McLean  
Adjutant General.

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Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT,

HENRY G. HOLBROOK.

Enlisted in Oct. 1861, Co. K, 5th Kentucky Inf'y., for 1 year, and was mustered out at the end of the term of service at Hazel Green, Ky. in Oct. 1862. Proven by his comrades.

Indigent.

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

J. Handy Ellis  
Adjutant General.

Approved by State Pension Board.

James N. McHenry  
Chairman.

name. Henry G. Holbrook.

May, 1924

VOUCHER

\$36.00

INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICER BEFORE WHOM THIS VOUCHER IS EXECUTED.

1. This voucher may be executed before any officer authorized to administer an oath and having a seal.
2. In every case the pension certificate must be carefully compared with the voucher by the officer who executes it.
3. The officer will also see that post-office addresses are correctly inserted in the proper spaces in the voucher, particularly the address to which the check is to be mailed. He will also give his own postoffice address after his official title on the face of voucher.
4. The officer will be held strictly responsible for the correctness of his certificate of identity in every particular.
5. Vouchers must be returned to the pension Department, by February 1st, May 1st, August 1st, or November 1st, following the execution of the vouchers in order that checks may be paid promptly each quarter.

All acts involved in the execution or correction of vouchers must be performed in the presence of the officiating officer who must certify to the corrections over his own signature on the face of the voucher in the space indicated

1. Signature by mark should appear thus  
his  
John X Doe  
mark
2. Street and number, P. O. box number, R. F. D. route, or "General Delivery" must appear in P. O. Address in case of residence within carrier delivery. "General Delivery" addresses will be accepted in such case only if no other address as above is available.
3. Jurat must be dated.

No. .... S.....

HEADQUARTERS

# Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

JUL 18 1912 191 .....

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

Dear Sir:

*Henry G. Holbrook*

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

to have been a member of Company *K-5 Ky.*

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

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

*W. J. Stone*

Examiner.

# VOUCHER

I, ....., Make oath that I am the identical person named in pension Certificate No. ...., dated ....., 1....., in my possession and now exhibited; that I come within the law upon which said certificate was issued; that I am entitled to and hereby make claim for the payment of THIRTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$36.00) pension now due, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, from FEBRUARY 1, 1924, to MAY 1, 1924.

and that my post-office address to which I desire the check in payment mailed is as follows:

.....  
Pensioner's signature must be written here in full as name appears in the head of this voucher

.....  
Street and No. or R. F. D. route.

.....  
Post-office.

.....  
State.

If pensioner signs by mark or illegibly, two witnesses who write must sign here.

State of Kentucky, County of ....., ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this..... day of....., 1923, and I certify that the pensioner, above named, has this day exhibited to me his pension certificate, above described, and was fully identified as the pensioner named herein.  
or her

(L. S.)

.....  
Magistrate's signature.

.....  
Official character.

.....  
Post-office address.

(IF ANY ERASURES OR ALTERATIONS APPEAR ON THIS VOUCHER, THE MAGISTRATE MUST CERTIFY ABOVE HIS SIGNATURE TO THE JURAT THAT THEY WERE MADE BEFORE ITS EXECUTION.)

State of Ky.

Morgan County

The Affiant Amos Lyons states that he is 74 years old and my Post office address is Relief Morgan County Ky and I have known Henry G. Holbrook ever since I was 10 years old and lived in 3 miles of him til I was 22 or 23 years old - then we was separated by marriage and has lived 8000 miles apart ever since and we were Soldiers together in the Confederate Army til I became afflicted and was left in the care of a Doctor at Salysawville Ky: and I soldiered with him about ~~20 or 22 months~~ <sup>20 or 22 months</sup>

State of Ky.

Morgan County personally appeared before me H. J. Smith <sup>old</sup> and states that he is 68 years and that his postoffice address is Jephtha Ky: and states that he has known Henry G. Holbrook for sixty years - in fact I have known him ever since I can remember: and I know that Henry G. Holbrook enlisted in the Confederate Army and was sworn in the last of Sept. or first of October in the year 1862 by Henry Jane: who was a Lieutenant of the 1st Ky. Co. H. and a recruiting officer

then I became afflicted  
and was released from service  
and my information is that  
he served till Nov. 1863. and  
that his Company was  
Disbanded at Hazelgreen Ky  
in Nov. 1863 -

Amos Lyon

Subscribed and Sworn to before me by  
Amos Lyon this April the 18/1913

E. A. Holbrook

Notary Public, Morgan county

My Commission Expires Jan-12-1916

H. J. Smith

Subscribed and Sworn to before  
me by H. J. Smith this April 18/1913.

E. A. Holbrook

Notary Public Morgan county

My Commission Expires Jan-12-1916

State of Ky:

Morgan County

personally appeared  
before me Joshua Perrington  
and states that he is 68 years  
old, and that his postoffice  
address is Ophir Morgan  
County Ky. and that he is acquainted  
with Henry G. Halbrook, for 55 years  
and exact. I have known him  
ever since I can remember.  
and I know that he enlisted  
in the Confederate Army in the  
month of September in the  
year 1862, and I know that  
he served as a Soldier in said  
Army till the month of November  
1863. The reason why that I  
know that he served as a Soldier

he belonged to the same company  
that I did which was Co. K.  
5<sup>th</sup> Ky. and I do know that  
he served as a Soldier in the  
Confederate Army as above stated  
and I further know that he  
never deserted said Army.

he got out of the Army in November  
1863. at Hazelgreen Ky.

by our General, disbanding  
the Company for he served longer  
than he enlisted for. for he only  
enlisted for one years service  
our Company was only made  
up for one years service  
was the reason that General  
Marshall disbanded us.

with the understanding that we  
was to return to the Army if  
called for. and we never  
was called for to my knowledge

Joshua <sup>his</sup> ~~son~~ <sup>son</sup> Pennington  
Subscribed and sworn to before  
me by Joshua ~~son~~ Pennington  
this April 21/1913.

I further certify that the foregoing  
Affidavit was read to and  
the contents fully explained  
to the affiant before verified  
to my liking.

E. A. Holbrook

Notary Public, Morgan County, Ga.

My Commission Expires Jan - 12 - 1914

Henry G. Holbrook, Applicant.

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Memorandum of Evidence.

Ruben Ison states under oath: " I know H. G. Holbrook. He has lived in this county and state about 40 years. He has a cow worth about \$30. His wife has no property, and neither has any income. He is not able to make a living in any way, and has no contract for support that I know of. He is a good citizen."

Rufus Smith states under oath: " I know H. G. Holbrook. He has lived here ever since I can remember. He has a cow and a calf worth about \$30. His wife has no property that I know of, and they have no income. He is able to work some, but not able to make a living by manual labor, and I know of no contract for his support. He is a good citizen."

Finding of fact.

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I, I. C. Furgerson, Judge of the Morgan County Court, certify that Ruben Ison of *Fayette*, Ky., and Rufus Smith of *Jefferson*, Ky., the above witnesses are honorable, reputable citizens, and worthy of belief; and from the evidence, and from the Assessor's books, I find that the above applicant is an indigent Confederate soldier, and entitled to a pension under the Indigent Confederate Soldiers Act of 1912.

Witness my hand this the 20, day of June, 1912.

*I. C. Furgerson*  
Judge, Morgan County Court.

April 9, 1913.

Mr. Henry G. Holbrook,  
Jeptha (Morgan Co), Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Upon examining the proof filed with your application for pension I find that there is no record proof of your enlistment or service in the Confederate Army. Two witnesses swear that they were in the service with you, but are indefinite as to the length of time. There is no proof as to when or how you got out of the army. Proof on these points necessary.

Get all the proof you can and forward to this office to be filed with your application before it is submitted to the Pension Board for its action.

Yours truly,

Examiner.

WJS-C

Copy

PLACE OF DEATH  
 County Morgan  
 Vol. Pct. Dump  
 or  
 Inc. Town Jeptha Ky  
 or  
 City

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY  
 State Board of Health  
**Bureau of Vital Statistics**  
**BURIAL OR REMOVAL PERMIT**

Permit No. ....  
 Reg. Dist. No. 1082

Full name Henry G. Holbrook Age 84 Sex male Color white  
 Disease causing death Dropsy  
 Place of burial Smith Cemetery  
 or  
 Removal to ..... via .....  
 Undertaker Dewant Smith Address Mima Ky

A certificate of death having been filed in my office in accordance with the Laws of Kentucky, I hereby authorize the Burial  
 of the body of said deceased person as stated above. (Burial or Removal)

Dated Mar. 15 1924 Registrar's name Myrtle Abuelme

Burial permits must be delivered by the undertaker to the sexton or other persons in charge of the burial ground or cemetery where burial takes place. When the body is to be shipped to a distant point, requiring the service of a common carrier, in addition to the removal permit, the body must be accompanied with a transit permit as required by the State Board of Health. For full particulars see Rules and Regulations governing the Transportation of Dead Bodies.

Sexton's signature ..... Date of interment ..... 19.....  
 This permit must be endorsed by the sexton and returned to the Local Registrar in his district within ten days.

Jeptha Ky April 18 = 1924  
 to the Confederate pension  
 department will say that  
 Henry G. Holbrook who was  
 a pensioner under the  
 Confederate pension law deceased  
 April the 14<sup>th</sup> day = 1924 and  
 since his death a voucher  
 has arrived to the Jeptha P.O.  
 which will be returned to the  
 department - and I want the  
 Confederate pension department  
 to send me blank applications  
 and full instructions how to  
 draw a pension as I am  
 the widow of the deceased  
 Confederate pensioner.  
 (Over)

No. 720, who belonged to  
Co. K, 5th Regiment  
Kentucky Infantry,  
Yours & very respectfully  
Elizabeth Hallbrook