

# Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Jose W. Manfieri  
am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Kingston in the County of Madison  
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 E 11th Ky Cavalry Waller Cherrault  
Col  
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 Madison County Kentucky

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

Answer Sept 1862 Col. Waller Cherrault Col  
Tucker Major James B. McCreary Capt R. D.  
Tennel

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

Answer Camp Douglas June 9 1865 out of allegiance

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

Answer Camp Douglas June 9 1865

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer No

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

Answer Yes

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer I took the oath June 9 1865 to get out of prison

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

Answer *No regular business I earn about \$100 per annum*

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 *House & lot in Kingston Ky Value \$26500*

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 *\$10000*

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 *68 years*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *No*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer

Witness my hand this *20* day of *April*, 191*7*.

WITNESSES:

*C. J. Bales*, Physician

Postoffice Address *Richmond Ky*

*A. B. Deatherage*, Witness

Postoffice Address *Richmond Ky*

*W. J. Emerson*, Witness

Postoffice Address *Richmond*

*Joel W. Maupin*

P. O. *Kingston Ky*

Street and No. (if any)

R. F. D. (if any)

STATE OF KENTUCKY

*Madison* County } I, *N. R. Shackelford* Judge of said County,

certify that *Joel W. Maupin (Nothing)* and his wife *Louisa C. Maupin* are

assessed with *1* lot acres, valued at \$*21000*, and with \$..... of personal property.

Witness my hand this *3* day of *June*, 191*7*.

*N. R. Shackelford* Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Madison County } Personally appeared before me... County Court Clerk... of said County, the above named Joe W. Maupin... 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 20th day of April, 1917.

R. B. Stennell Clerk

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Madison County } Personally appeared before me... County Court Clerk... of said County, the above named G. J. Bates... 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 Joe W. Maupin the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

I find from examining the applicant that he is suffering with stomach and kidney trouble. The heart's action is weak and irregular in my opinion the applicant is unable to perform manual labor.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of April, 1917.

R. B. Stennell 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

Madison County } Personally appeared before me... a County Court Clerk... of said County, the above named N. B. Weatherage and W. T. Querson... 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.

N. B. Weatherage & W. T. Querson states upon oath that they are personally acquainted with Joe W. Maupin and that they were in the same Regiment with him and they know him to be the same person he represents himself to be.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of April, 1917.

R. B. Stennell Clerk

No. 2101

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

*Jose W. Manfren*  
Co. .... Rgt.

JUN 11 1912

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Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

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

*A. H. ...*

Commissioner

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

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*Order May 6<sup>th</sup> 1912*  
*A. H. ...*

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."  
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**WAR DEPARTMENT,**

**THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,**

WASHINGTON, June 15, 1912.

*Respectfully returned to the*

Examiner,  
Confederate Pension Department,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

There are no rolls on file in this office of Company E, 11th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army.

The records of prisoners of war show that one Joel W. Maupin, corporal, Company E, 7th Kentucky Cavalry, also shown to have been a member of Chenault's Regiment (Chenault was colonel of the 11th Kentucky Cavalry), Confederate States Army, was captured July 19, 1863, at Buffington, Ohio, and released January 12, 1865, at Camp Douglas, Illinois, upon taking the oath of allegiance. This name has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company E, 7th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army; no connection has been established between the 7th and 11th Kentucky Cavalry, said Army, and no later record of this man has been found.

*Henry P. McCain*  
Adjutant General.

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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 :

*Joel W. Mauhin*

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims  
to have been a member of Company *E - 11th Ky.*

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

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

*W. J. Stone*  
Examiner.

MADISON COUNTY COURT

June Term, June 3, 1912.

Present Honorable W. R. Shackelford, Judge Presiding.

IN RE application of Joel W. Maupin for a Pension.

Wm. F. Jarman, Kingston Ky and R. B. Terrill, Richmond, Ky who after being duly sworn, state that they have known the applicant ~~same~~ Joel W. Maupin for many years and that he has been a resident and citizen of Madison County, Ky since long prior to Jan. 1, 1907.

That he has no estate or income of any kind and is unable to earn a support by manual labor or by reason of his knowledge, art or skill in any profession, trade or craft. That his wife owns a small house and lot in Kingston, Kentucky worth about \$300 or \$400 in which they live and that she has no income of any kind.

WHEREFORE, it is the opinion of the Court that the applicant, Joel W. Maupin, is entitled to a pension under the provisions of Sec. 2, of an act granting a pension to disabled and indigent Confederate soldiers, approved March 1912.

The Court certifies that the witnesses Wm. F. Jarman, R. B. Terrill, C. J. Bales, M.D. N. B. Deatherage and W. T. Duer-son are reputable persons and entitled to credit.

Given under my hand as Judge of Madison County Court, this third day of June, 1912.

W. R. Shackelford

Kingston Ky

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Hon W Stone

Dension Agent

Dear Sir on June 1912  
my Dension papers was fixed  
up & sent to the Dept. at  
Frankfort Ky since then  
I have heard nothing from  
them. <sup>what</sup> Thus in this county  
have received their Vouchers  
would you be kind enough  
to see if my papers was received  
& fixed all OK and if so  
when do you think I may  
expect my Voucher as  
I need same badly any  
them you may do for

me in the matter will  
be appreciated

Thanking you in advance  
I remain your Comrade  
Joel W Maupin

September 24, 1913.

Mr. Joel W. Maupin,  
Kingston, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of yours of the 23rd. Your application has not been reached for consideration by the Pension Board, but I have examined the proof filed with it and find that the war records show that you was captured July 19, 1863, and that you was released January 12, 1865, at Camp Douglass, Ills. upon taking the oath of allegiance to the U. S. Government, which would render it impossible for the Pension Board to grant you a pension under the law, for the reason that taking the oath of allegiance to the U. S. Government by a Confederate soldier before the close of the war, or before having been honorably discharged, amounts to the same thing that is termed "Deserted" in the law.

Very truly,

Examiner.

WJS-C

J.C. CHENAULT  
C.C. WALLACE  
W.L. WALLACE

CHENAULT, WALLACE & WALLACE  
ATTORNEYS AND COUNSELLORS AT LAW  
RICHMOND, KY.

Feb 2, 1914.

Hon. James B. McCreary, Governor,  
Frankfort, Ky.

My Dear Governor:-

I am enclosing herewith, the affidavit of Joe  
~~View as expressed by you in a conversation with myself, a few~~  
days ago.

The Legislature, seems to adopt your view of the matter in the  
passage of a bill conforming with your opinion; this will be  
good news to many of the "old boys", who much appreciate your  
efforts in their behalf.

With best wishes for your future, I am,

Very Respectfully,

*John B. Chenault*

AFFIDAVIT.

The affiant Joel W. Maupin says he is an applicant for a pension under the act of 1912, granting pensions to disabled confederate soldiers, that when he took the oath, of allegiance to the U.S. Government, he was a prisoner at Camp Douglas, Ill, that he was sick at the time and almost starved, and that the said oath was made under duress, and in the hope of bettering his then physical condition, which had become alarming to him on account of the

bad treatment received by those in charge of the prison, *and that he feared death or account of said treatment.*

That said oath was given with a mental reservation, and was not his real feeling in the matter, as he in principle, was as loyal at the time said oath was made, as he had been when in the field fighting for the cause which he had espoused.

*Joel W Maupin*

Subscribed and sworn to be fore me by Joel W. Maupin, this the *2nd*  
2nd day of February, 1914.

*R. B. Ferrell Clerk  
Madison County Ct*