

(ORIGINAL)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, A. Fields

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Mayfield in the County of Graves

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 "B" 13th Ky Cavalry

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 family. 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 Hickley County Tenn 1834.

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

Answer Enlisted 1862. U.S. Farrest Command. Officers: Houis (Col) Pico (Capt) Can not remember other officers.

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

Answer Disbanded by orders Col. Houis 1865 at Sikee Ala.

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 Yes

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer After I returned home 1865. Compelled to do so I remain at home.

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

Answer *No business & earn nothing*

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

Answer *Own about 15 acres of land in Hickley County Tenn, worth about \$150 ^{no} personal property*

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

Answer *No wife living*

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 *No income from any source*

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 8 years since 1894*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *Yes*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *O. H. Brooks Mayfield Ky*

Witness my hand this day of 191...

WITNESSES:

J. A. Simman M.D., Physician P. O. *Mayfield Ky*

Postoffice Address *Ducktown Tenn* Street and No (if any).....

....., Witness R. F. D. (if any).....

Postoffice Address

....., Witness

Postoffice Address

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Yancey County } I, *J. W. Monroe*, Judge of said County,

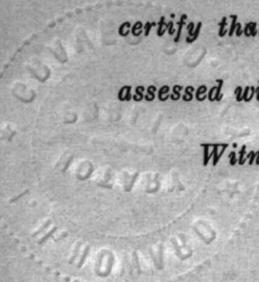
certify that *A. Fields* and his wife are

assessed with *no* property in this county acres, valued at \$....., and with \$..... of personal property.

Witness my hand this *28* day of *Aug*, 191*2*

J. W. Monroe 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... County
Cassius Clark of said County, the above named A. Fields
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 26 day of June, 1912

Cassius Clark By B.B. Carney, D.C.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Graves County } Personally appeared before me J.S. Cavender
Notary Public of said County, the above named Mr. J.C. Summers
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 Alex. Fields
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Dilatation of the Heart - Bronchitis and slight Anasarca

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 3 day of July, 1912

My Commission Expires Jan 31 1914 J.S. Cavender 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

Graves County } Personally appeared before me N.H. Howard
Notary Public of said County, the above named N.A. McLeman
and R.B. Thomas, 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 Company B, 15th Cal Army.

State here what witnesses know of their own knowledge.

Confederate in Rebel War of 1861 to 1865 and we know said Alex. Fields is the same identical person who was in said war.

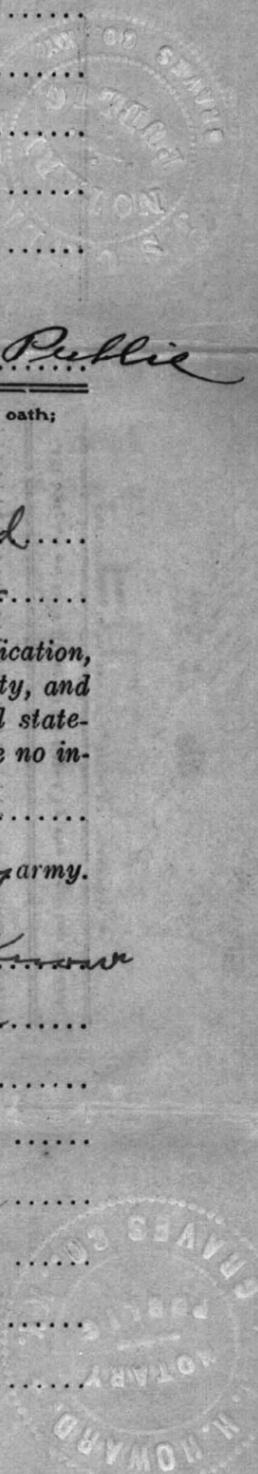
N.H. Howard (Notary)

N.A. McLeman
R.B. Thomas

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 4 day of July, 1912

N.H. Howard Notary Public

My commission Expires at
next Senate



A Fields

No. 644

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

A. Trickle

Co. Rgt.

Filed SEP 5 - 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

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

Approved June 11, 1913
W. J. Stone Examiner
Commissioner

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

KENTUCKY PENSION BOARD
FILED
 1912

W. J. Stone

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.



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, September 9, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The name A. Fields has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company B, 13th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, and no record has been found of the capture or parole of a man of this name and organization.



The Adjutant General.

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

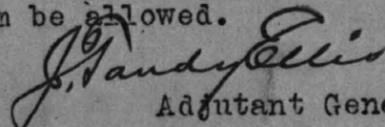
A. FIELDS.

Who enlisted in 1862, Company B, 13th Kentucky Cav. Two comrades testify to his enlistment and to his service till the close of the war.

Indigent.

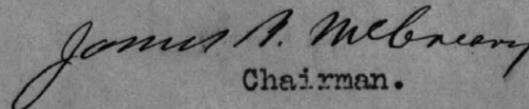
W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.



Adjutant General.

Approved by State Pension Board.



Chairman.

No. _____ S. _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

SEP 5 - 1912 191 _____

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

Dear Sir:

A. Fields

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *B - 13th Ky.*

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

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

State of Kentucky,

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

In the matter of application for pension of A. Frields, whose post office address is Mayfield, Graves County, Kentucky, the court makes the following report of findings, viz:

That the applicant is 79 years of age and is and has been a Citizen of this State 18 years; that he owns real estate worth about \$300. and personal property to the amount of \$60.; that he has not a sufficient income for himself; that he does not now and has never received a pension from any State or Government.

Then came S. H. Callahan and R. E. Frields, witnesses herein, whose address' is Mayfield, Kentucky, who, after having been sworn testified as follows: That they have known the applicant 4 years; that he is a resident of this State; that he has Real estate worth \$300. and personal property worth about \$60.; that he has no income and that he is not able to earn his support.

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. D. Morris, D. C.

April 7, 1913.

Mr. A. Frields,
Mayfield, Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Upon examination of 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. I find that two witnesses swear that they know that you are the same person who was in company C, 13th Kentucky Cavalry, but there is no proof of date of enlistment, length of service, and none as to how you got out of the army. Proof on these points necessary.

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

Yours very truly,

Examiner.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY.)

SCT.

COUNTY OF GRAVES.)

The affiant W.A. McCuin , says that he is personally acquainted with A. Frields, and that he served with said Frields, in the Confederate Army for about three and one half years, and that he served with said Frields, in the same Company and Regiment with Frields, until said Frields got out of the army as stated by him in his original application for a pension herein. He says that he knows from his own knowledge that said Frields did serve in the regular Confederate Army for a peroid of time mentioned herein, and that period was the latter three and one half years of the war.

W.A. McCuin

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Wm. A. McCuin

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of April, 1913.

W.A. Howard
Notary Public

my commission Expires July 1st 1914



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY.)

SCT.

COUNTY OF GRAVES.)

The affiant R.B. Thomas, says that he is personally acquainted with A. Fields, and that he served with said Fields, in the Confederate Army for about three and one half years, and that he served with said Fields, in the same Company and Regiment with Fields, until said Fields got out of the army as stated by him in his original application for a pension herein. He says that he knows from his own knowledge that said Fields did serve in the regular Confederate Army for a period of time mentioned herein, and that period was the latter three and one half years of the war.

R. B. Thomas

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 24th day of April,
1913.

W. H. Howard Notary Public
for the County of Graves

*my Commission Expires
Jan 1st 1914*

STATE OF ILLINOIS)
ALEXANDER County) SS

2818 Commercial Ave.

Cairo ILLinois, January 25th 1918.

To whom it may concern, I hereby Certify that I visited
the residence of D.A. Fields ~~XXX~~ 208 29th street city of
Cairo ILLinois, and found A. Fields, the pensioner, under the
Certificate NO 644. for pension. sick in bed, at the time he

Executed his voucher, hereto attached.

Thomas A. Head

*My Term Expires Notary Public
December 21st 1921*

