

(ORIGINAL)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Elisha Johnson

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Prail in the County of Floyd

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 Comp E, Reg 10, Ky Inf, under Capt. J. Hammonds
under Col. Gaudill

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 Floyd County Nov. 24, 1837

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

Answer Sept. 1862, Comp E, Reg 10, under Capt. Archidas
Hammonds, under Col. Gaudill

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

Answer I was sent home on a furlow, 1863 from Letcher co Ky

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

Answer No Sir

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes Sir, No Sir

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

Answer Yes Sir

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer April 1865, on order to restore my citizenship

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

Answer *Farming Part of my support*

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

Answer *I have \$200⁰⁰ in Personal Property*

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

Answer *No property*

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 *Nothing*

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 *All my life*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *An agent*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *G. W. Elliott Beaver Sky*

Witness my hand this *17* day of *May* 191*2*

WITNESSES:

J. B. Elliott, Physician P. O. *Beaver Sky*

Postoffice Address *Beaver Sky*, Street and No. (if any) *Floyd Co*

Harvey Johnson, Witness R. F. D. (if any) *Sky*

Postoffice Address *Melvin Sky*

Elisha Johnson, Witness

Postoffice Address *Beaver Sky*

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Floyd County } I, *Malone Hall* Judge of said County,

certify that *Elisha Johnson* and his wife are

assessed with *no* acres, valued at \$ *no*, and with \$ *804* of personal property.

Witness my hand this *10* day of *October*, 191*2*

Malone Hall Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Floyd County } Personally appeared before me, Tilden Callins
Notary Public of said County, the above named Elisha Johnson
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 17 day of May, 1912

My commission expires Jan 29, 1914 Tilden Callins Notary Public Floyd County Ky

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Floyd County } Personally appeared before me, Tilden Callins
Notary Public of said County, the above named J. B. Elliott
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 Elisha Johnson
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Indigestion, Kidney and Bladder troubles by
reason of old age

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 17 day of May, 1912

My commission expires Jan 29, 1914 Tilden Callins N.P. Floyd Co. Ky

(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

Floyd County } Personally appeared before me, Tilden Callins
Notary Public of said County, the above named Harney Johnson
and Elisha Johnson

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 we

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 personally know that he was in the Army, for we saw him at different times in service.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 17 day of May, 1912

Tilden Callins Notary Public F. Co. Ky
My commission expires Jan 29, 1916

No. 1756

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

Charles Johnson

Co. Rgt.

Filed OCT. 14. 1912.

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

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

Approved June 13. 1913.
W. J. Stone Examiner
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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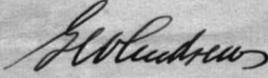
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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, October 17, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that Elisha Johnson, private, Company E, 13th Kentucky Cavalry, formerly 10th Kentucky Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted October 5, 1862. On the muster roll of that organization for April 30, 1863, he ~~is~~ reported present. Nothing further relative to him has been found of record.



The Adjutant General.

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

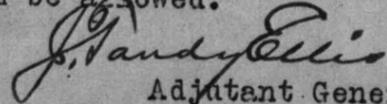
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ELISHA JOHNSON

Enlisted Oct. 5, 1862,
Company E, 13th Kentucky Cav.
and was surrendered and paroled at the close of the war. Enlistment proven by record and comrades, and service proven by comrades.
Property: \$800.00.

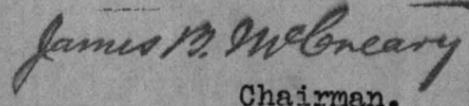
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I recommend that this claim be allowed.



Adjutant General.

Approved by State Pension Board.



Chairman.

(A. G. O. 74)

SECTION 12 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

§ 12. No pension money granted under this act while due or to become due to any pensioner, shall be liable to attachment or levy or seizure by or under any legal or equitable process whatever, whether the same remains with the State, or in the course of transmission to the pensioner entitled thereto.

No. 1756

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Elisha Johnson

Payable Quarterly

by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

at

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:

Elisha Johnson

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *E - 10th Ky.*

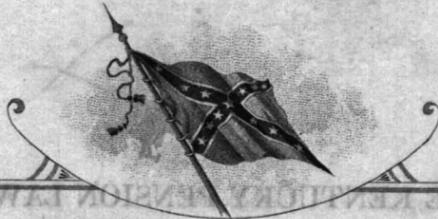
Regiment *Inf.* C. S. A., and to have been

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

No. 1756



SECTION IS OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

That in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky:

Elisha Johnson

who was a member of Company E, 10th Kentucky Infantry.

is entitled to a pension at the rate of
Ten dollars per month, to commence
on the Fourteenth *day of* October *one thousand*
nine hundred and Twelve.

Given at the office of the Adjutant General
this Eleventh day of December
one thousand nine hundred and Thirteen.

J. Dandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

Countersigned
W. J. Stone
Examiner of Pensions.

State of Kentucky } By Aug Term Aug 26 - 1912
Floyd County Court }

I Malone Hall Judge of said
Court certify that in the Pension case of
Elisha Johnson G. Elliott a Justice of the Peace
bring herein says he has known the Claimant for 30
years a Citizen of Floyd Co. no trade or calling
a scouter and makes a very little by that owns
no land very little property or income not
able to do a days work

Also Willie Hall of Melvin P.O. corroborates
the above statements being duly sworn
The Co. atty" were present and say these witnesses
are reputable and entitled to credit
and I believe the above are about the
facts in his case he has the reputation
of being a good citizen

Malone Hall
Co. Judge

April 10, 1913.

Mr. Elisha Johnson,
Rail (Floyd Co), Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Upon examination of the proof filed with your application for pension I find that the record shows your enlistment and service from Oct. 5, 1862, to Apr. 30, 1863, and that two witnesses swear they saw you in the army. There is no other proof of service and none as to how you got out of the army, except that you say in your application that you left the army in 1863, and that you took the oath of allegiance in April, 1865, but do not state on what date. Proof as to when and how you got out of the army and as to the length of your service 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 final action.

Yours truly,

Examiner.

WJS-C

State of Ky. |
Floyd County |

The affiant Eli Johnson, Sr.
says he is a Bant 45 years of age and
well acquainted with Elisha Johnson, Sr.
and i know we both enlisted as soldiers
in the confederate army in the fall of 18.62
and served together in the army and stood
as soldiers until the spring of 18.65
Then taken the oath of allegiance and
received a parole from the union army.
To restore our citizen ship under
Archeus Hammons as captain co E
Colonel Candill Tenth Kentucky
infantry regiment

This may the 5 = 1913

Eli ^{his} _{mark} Johnson, Sr.

Subscribed and sworn to before
me by Eli Johnson, Sr.

on the 5 day of may ~~19~~ 1913

my commission expires Feb the 11 = 1914

William Jackitt
Notary Public
for Floyd County, Ky.



state of Ky.
floyd county

The affiant Matthew Jackitt says
he is a bout 73 years of age and well
acquainted with Elisha Johnson Sr.
and i know we both enlisted in the
confederate army in the fall of 1862
and served together and stood as
soldiers untill the spring of 1865
then taken the oath of allegiance and
received a parole from the union army
to restore our citison ship. we served
under captain archelaus Hammond
co E. colonel bauldill tenth kentucky
infantry. redgement

this may the 5th 1913

Matthew ^{his} Jackitt
mark

subscribed and sworn to before me
By Matthew Jackitt

on the 5 day of may 1913

my commission expires feb the 11 = 1914

William Jackitt
Notary Public
for floyd county . Ky.



October the 16 1922

Mr W J Stone I will
try to write you a
few lines to let you no
that I am still a live
and are bod off and the
people that I am staying
with are not able to take
care of me as I ought to
be and I am still in
questing yet and are
not able to get back to
Kentucky and I would like
for you to help me get
my pension if you could
for I sure do need it
for I am suffering for
the need of it

for I am under the doctor
and are needing the money
to pay my doctor bill
and as soon as I get able
I am going back home
if I ever get able to
go back and I trust
in you Mr Stone to
help me get it yours
Timely Elisha Johnson

Send my mail to
Pit Branch W V
and let me hear from
you at once

October 19, 1922.

Elisha Johnson,
Pit Branch, W.Va.

Dear Sir:-

I am just in receipt of yours of the 16th,
from which I see you are still out of the State of Kentucky.

Your voucher for the August payment, which was
mailed to your Kentucky address, Melvin, was returned marked
"unclaimed", or it would have been paid you in August. I am
sending it to you under separate cover, and if you will execute
it and return within ten days it will be placed upon the roll
and check for \$36.00 will go to you about Nov.15th.

This is to notify you however, that you name
has been dropped from the pension roll as of August 1, 1922,
and unless you return to Kentucky no more payments will be made
you. The law states however that if you do return to this
State and file with this Department an affidavit stating that
you have returned to make this your permanent home, that your
name can be restored to the roll.

Yours truly,

Commissioner.

WJS-C

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Weeksbury, Ky.

Jan. 18th 1929

Mr. B.F. Day,
Frankfort,
Ky.
Dear Sir:

Attached hereto you will find certificate #1756 belonging to Elisha Johnson deceased.

Matthew Tackett had it and insisted on my writing to you and see what to do with it.

I suppose it should be destroyed and told Mr. Tackett so. Please let me hear from you relative to it.

Very truly yours,

C. H. Fraim
Cashier.

January, 21st, 1929-

Mr. C. H. Frain.
Weeksbury, Ky,

My dear Sir:

Your letter informing us of the death of Elisha Johnson received. Also the returned certificate which we will file with his papers in this office, Please give us the date of Elisha Johnson's death, as it is necessary for us to have this information for our files also, that we may know the amount due him on the date of his death, I enclose information as to how this amount may be collected.

Very Truly,

Comm.