

(DUPLICATE)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, John W. Spalding
am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at near Rineyville in the County of Landon
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 Capt H. C. Hays Co, Crossleys
Bat, Chinnerworth's Reg 12 Ky Calvary
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

in Harlan Co Kentucky
Nov 4, 1838

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

Answer

I enlisted Oct 15, 1864, in Capt H. C. Hays
Co Maj Crossleys Bat Chinnerworth's Reg
12 Ky Calvary, I think it was 12 Ky Cal

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

Answer

Was paroled the last of May 1865, in
Elizabethtown Ky, by Gen John M Palmer,

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

Answer

no

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer

Was paroled the last of May, 1865, in
Elizabethtown Ky, by Gen John M Palmer

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

Answer

yes, when surrendered

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer

When we surrendered May 8, 1865

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

Answer I am in poor health, have done no work for 9 years

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

Answer I have 87 Acres of land worth about \$1400 personal property worth about \$150

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

Answer None whatever

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 We have rented out a part of our land & raise some chickens & we receive about \$10- per month

Do you use intoxicants to any extent?

Answer No except in sickness

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 Yes

If so, give his name and address?

Answer S. H. Bush Elizabethtown, Ky

Witness my hand this 15th day of April 1912

WITNESSES:

J. C. Motley, Physician
Postoffice Address Elizabethtown

M. H. Bailey, Witness
Postoffice Address Elizabethtown

C. W. Dalton, Witness
Postoffice Address Elizabethtown

John W. Spalding
P. O. Rineyville
Street and No. (if any)
R. F. D. (if any) R. R. #2

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Madison County } I, J. O. Rider, Judge of said County,
certify that John W. Spalding and his wife Susan Spalding are
assessed with 87 acres, valued at \$435, and with \$ of personal property.

Witness my hand this 15 day of April 1912

J. O. Rider Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Hardin Co County } Personally appeared before me S.A. Bush
a Notary Public of said County, the above named John W. Spalding
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 15 day of April, 1912
S.A. Bush N.P.H.C.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Hardin County } Personally appeared before me S.A. Bush
a Notary Public of said County, the above named Dr. J. C. Mobley
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 John W. Spalding
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

because he has senility and
chronic rheumatism, and is
very feeble & weak
J. C. Mobley M.D.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of April, 1912
S.A. Bush N.P.H.C.

(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

Hardin County } Personally appeared before me S.A. Bush
a Notary Public of said County, the above named M. H. Bailey
and Leukis W. Miller, 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 Leukis W. Miller
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.
He says that he knows of his own
personal knowledge that John W. Spalding
was in the Army, that he was in Capt
H. Hays Co. Maj. Howells Bat. that he
was a member of Capt. Dwoalls Co. Maj.
Howells Bat. that he knows he was in the
service at the close of
the war.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of April, 1912
S.A. Bush N.P.H.C.

No. 2207

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

Shalburg - John M.

Co. Rgt.

Filed MAY 29 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

- SPECIFICATIONS
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Approved
W. J. Stone Commissioner

All blanks on this form to be filled by the Pension Board
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Clerk

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.

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.... Hardin County Court....

Regular Term, Monday May 20th 1912

PRESENT: HON. D. W. RIDER, JUDGE.

John W. Spalding
ON
APPLICATION FOR PENSION.

It appearing of record that John W. Spalding of Hardin County, Ky., filed his application for pension on Apr 15 1912, it being a regular County Court, held for Hardin County, and the said application was laid over until the Regular Term May 20th 1912, of the Hardin County Court; and the matters coming on for proof, as required under the act passed by the Legislature on March 11, 1912, granting pensions to Confederate Soldiers.

Came James Hobbs of Rineyville Ky.,
and J. M. Morgan of Elizabeth town Ky.,
and _____ of _____ Ky.,

who testified that John W. Spalding has been a citizen and an actual bona-fide resident of the State of Kentucky continuously since January 1st, 1907, and now resides in Hardin County, Ky., and that the said John W. Spalding and wife Susan Spalding own real and personal property in this State of value of \$ 435⁰⁰, and that he has not an income by reason of a contract or agreement for a valuable consideration with any person able to provide such support, or by reason of partial ability, to earn a support, an income, or property or all of these combined, is able to obtain an income of \$300 per year.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, } SCT:
HARDIN COUNTY.

I, D. W. RIDER, Judge of the County Court, aforesaid, certify that J. C. Mobley, physician of Elizabeth town Ky.,
and M. H. Bailey of Elizabeth town Ky.,
and C. W. Miller of Elizabeth town Ky.,
are reputable Citizens, and are entitled to credit on oath; and it appearing from the evidence heard, that John W. Spalding is a Citizen of Hardin County, Ky., and has not been absent therefrom, as a resident, for a period of one year, and that he has been a bonafide resident of the State of Kentucky since January 1st, 1907; and that he has not an income of \$300 per year, and see no cause why he should not be grated a pension.

This May 20th 1912

D. W. Rider
Judge Hardin County Court.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, } SCT:
HARDIN COUNTY.

I, F. G. CORLEY, Clerk of the County Court, and State aforesaid, certify that the foregoing is a true copy of all orders, etc., in the Pension Application of John W. Spalding, as it appears of record in this office.

Given under my hand this 20th day of May 1912

F. G. Corley Clerk.
By _____ D. C.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

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

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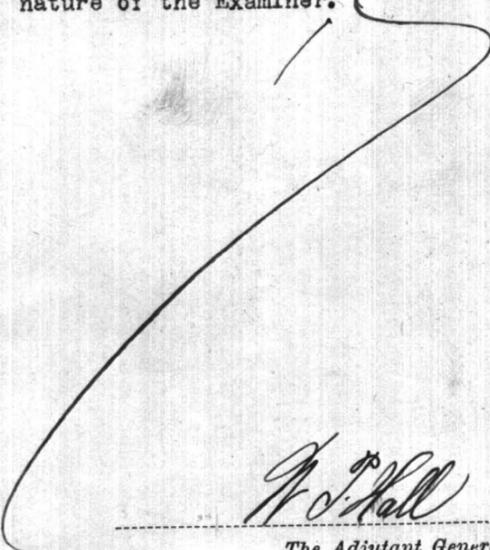
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, June 1, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

There are no rolls on file in this office of Owsley's 3d Battalion Kentucky Cavalry, or Chenoweth's Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, and no record has been found of the service, capture or parole of a man who can be identified with the subject of inquiry.

It is proper to add that requests for information from the official records should bear the autographic signature of the Examiner.



The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

Per

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Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

JOHN W. SPALDING

Enlisted Oct. 15, 1864, in Captain H. C. Hays' Company, of Howsley's Battaion, and was surrendered and paroled May 15, 1865, at Elizabethtown, Ky. Proven by his comrades.

Property: \$1550.00.

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

Adjutant General.

Allowed by the State Pension Board.

Chairman.

April 18, 1913.

Mr. John W. Spalding,

Rineyville (Hardin Co), Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Upon examining the proof filed with your application for pension I find there is no record proof of your enlistment or service in the army. Two witnesses swear that you was in "Owsley's Battalion", but there is no record of any such organization as "Owsley's Battalion" as a part of the Confederate Army. Proof showing that there was such an organization, enlisted, organized, and mustered into the service of the Confederate Army as a part of the Confederate Army, ~~and that~~ by authority of the Confederate Government, or the War Dept. of said Government, and that you were a member of that organization, necessary to bring you within the provisions of the Kentucky Pension law.

Get all the proof you can on the points named above 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

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HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY,

May 29th, 1912

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

Dear Sir:

John W. Spalding,

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company Cap't. H.C. Hays' Co. 12th
Regiment Ky. Cavalry C. S. A., and to have been
Owsleys' Bat. Chinerworth's Reg.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone.

Examiner.