

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Edward M. Read

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Louisville P.O. #3 B4142 in the County of Jefferson

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. "B," 6th Ky. Vol. 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 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 Meads Co. Kentucky March 27th 1841

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

Answer Latter part of September or first part of October 1861
at Bowling Green Ky. Col. Joseph H. Lewis, Lt. Col. Martin Coffey
Capt George M. Maxon Co. B.

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

Answer Paroled at Washington Georgia May 6th 1865.

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

Answer Yes. At Chattanooga. Exchanged Sept. 19th 1864.

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes. At Washington Ga. May 6th 1865.

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

Answer Yes.

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer After the Surrender at Washington Georgia May 6th 1865

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

Answer *None Nothing*

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

Answer *None Nothing*

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

Answer *My wife died twenty (24) four years ago. No Estate.*

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 *About sixty (\$60.) dollars.*

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 *Excepting twenty (24) four years in Missouri, I have never lost my legal residence in Kentucky, living regularly in this county since Jan'y 4th 1897.*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *No*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *None*

Witness my hand this *17th* day of *April* 191*2*.

WITNESSES:

<i>ER Montgomery</i> , Physician	<i>Edward W. Read</i>
Postoffice Address <i>1826 W. Jefferson Louisville Ky</i>	P. O. <i>Louisville Ky</i>
<i>L James Blanks</i> , Witness	Street and No. (if any).....
Postoffice Address <i>377 Greenwood Louisville Ky.</i>	R. F. D. (if any) <i>R. F. D² 3 Box 145 Jefferson County</i>
<i>Sam H. Richardson</i> , Witness	
Postoffice Address <i>126 Bullitt St Louisville Ky</i>	

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Jefferson County } I, *Miss Wessinger* Judge of said County, certify that *Edward W. Read* and his wife are assessed with acres, valued at \$....., and with \$..... of personal property.

Witness my hand this *27th* day of *May* 191*2*
Miss Wessinger Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Jefferson County } Personally appeared before me... a
Notary Public of said County, the above named Edward W Read
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 16 day of April, 1912
My commission expires Feb. 8, 1914
Jno Willrich
Notary Public, Jefferson Co., Ky.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Jefferson County } Personally appeared before me... a
Notary Public of said County, the above named E. K. Montgomery M.D.
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 Edward W. Read
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

A fractured right hip which is very tender & cannot use it or
bear his weight upon it & pains him all the time & sometimes
very severely. fractured since Oct 15th 1897.

E. K. Montgomery M.D.
1826 W Jefferson Street
Louisville Kentucky

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 16 day of April, 1912
My commission expires Feb. 8, 1914
Jno Willrich
Notary Public, Jefferson 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

Jefferson County } Personally appeared before me... a
Notary Public of said County, the above named James Blanks
and Saml H Buchanan, 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 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.

That applicant was a good & faithful soldier.
James Blanks was in same company.
Saml H Buchanan was ^{adjutant} ~~captain~~ in same regiment in which
applicant served.

* James Blanks
Saml H Buchanan

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 17 day of April, 1912
My commission expires Feb. 8, 1914
Jno Willrich
NOTARY PUBLIC, Jefferson County, Ky.
No. 2225 W. Walnut St., Louisville, Ky.

No. 937

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

William J. Reed

Co. Rgt.

Filed AUG 22 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

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Approved Jan 31 1913
W. J. Stone
Commissary

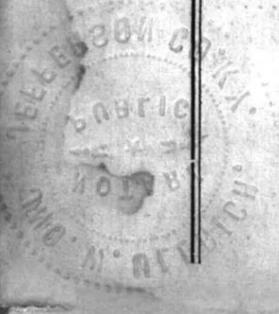
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To Applicants for Pension

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 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

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

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, August 27, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that E. W. Reed (name also borne as Edward W. Reed, but not as Edwin W. Reed), private, Company B, 6th Kentucky Infantry, subsequently mounted, Confederate States Army, enlisted September 26, 1861. On the muster roll for September and October, 1864 (last on file), he is reported present.

The records of prisoners of war show that he was surrendered at Washington, Georgia, May 6, 1865, and released at Nashville, Tennessee, May 21, 1865, on taking oath of allegiance.

The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

Per

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Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

EDWARD W. REED.

Enlisted Sept. 26, 1861, Company B, 6th Kentucky Inf. and was surrendered at Washington, Ga. May 6, 1865, and released at Nashville, Tenn. May 21, 1865 upon taking the oath of allegiance.

Proven by the record.

Indigent.

W. J. Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

Adjutant General.

Approved by the State Board of Pensions.

Chairman.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

TO THE SHERIFF OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, GREETING:

You are commanded to summon

Edward W. Reed R.F.D #3 Box 142.
James Blanks 37th, Greenwood
Rau H. Buchanan 126 Bullitt

to appear before the Judge of the Jefferson County Court on the 20 day of June ^{at 10 o'clock a.m.} 1912

to testify in behalf of the Pension in action in said Court, between plaintiff and of Edward W Reed defendant.

WITNESS, P. S. Ray, Clerk of the Jefferson County Court, this 13 day of June 1912.

P. S. RAY, CLERK.
By Joseph B. Piazza D. C.

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:

Edwin A. Reed

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *B-6 Ky.*
Regiment *Cam.* C. S. A., and to have been

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

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By George Burtiller & S

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
SHERIFF OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, GREENING

TO THE SHERIFF OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, GREENING

*Received of George Burtiller & S
the sum of \$100.00 for the
fees of the Sheriff of Jefferson County, Kentucky,
for the year 1912.*

*Witness my hand and the seal of the
County of Jefferson, Kentucky, this
22nd day of August, 1912.*

W. B. BAY, CLERK

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STATE OF KENTUCKY)
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.)

JEFFERSON COUNTY COURT.

At the Court held on the 15th day of August, 1912,

IN RE application of EDWARD W. READ

for Confederate pension.

This case coming on to be heard, and the Court hearing testimony in open Court, the County Attorney being present, a brief substance of the testimony of each witness is as follows;

Edward W. Read, (Applicant) Poplar Level Road, Jefferson Co., Ky. R.#3, B-142
Mr. H. C. Branham, (Witness) 944 Sixth Street, Louisville, Ky.
Mr. G. L. Ferguson, " 735 - 16th St., " "

testified that the applicant was a Confederate soldier; that he has resided in this state continuously since January 1, 1907; that they have known him personally for several years; that he is unable to earn his living by manual labor, and is not able to earn a living by reason of any knowledge. He does not receive a pension from the United States, or any foreign government; that he does not possess a net income of \$300.00 per year; that he has no property to the amount of \$2500.00. that he has no contract or agreement with any one for his support, nor is he able by reason of the combined partial ability to earn a support.

I find that the applicant has been a citizen and resident continuously since January 1, 1907, of Jefferson County and the State of Kentucky, and he has no means of support of any kind, and that the Doctor and two lay witnesses are reputable witnesses entitled to credit.

I recommend that the application for pension be granted.

Wm. H. ...
JUDGE

Wholesale Wagon Report

➔ JERSEY ➔ MEADOWS ➔ CREAMERY

JEFFERSON COUNTY, KY.

Louisville July 16th 1921

NAME	Quantity and Kind	Amount
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Mr J. W. Stone Pentons aq. Frankford Ky		
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Dear Sir. This is to notify you of the death of my Bro E. W. Read of Valley Station Ky. He died the 13th of this month, his son Chas E Read of Omaha Neb, is his only heir. I suppose he is the proper person to receive the amount of Pentons money due up to date of his fathers death. Will you kindly advise him or myself what steps to take in order to get the Pentons money. his address is 712 Marcy St. Omaha Neb

and obliges yours Truly
E. W. Read
Box 534 R # 2
Louisville Ky.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

TO THE SHERIFF OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, GREETING:

You are commanded to summon

Edward W Read	R.F.D #3
James Blanks	37- Greenwood
Sam H. Buchanan	126 Bullitt

at 10 O'clock AM.

to appear before the Judge of the Jefferson County Court on the 18th day of July 1912

to testify in behalf of the Pension in-action in said Court, between plaintiff and Edward W. Read defendant.

WITNESS, P. S. Ray, Clerk of the Jefferson County Court, this 3 day of July

1912

P. S. RAY, CLERK.

By J. E. Piazza D.C.

Made

Executed July 5 - 1912 - on James H Buchanan
a.m. Embler S. G. &
Executed July 13th 1912 on James Blanka J. E. Waters D.D.

A. M. Embler S. G. &
by C. H. Hartlage D.D.

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Louisville Ky
8/29/1921

Mr W. J. Stone
 Pension Commissioner
 Frankford Ky

Dear Sir By request of
Mr Gold Administrator of the
estate of Bro Edwin W. Read
deceased, I am sending you
his certificate also a copy
of Mr Gold's appointment
my Bro Edwin W. Read died
July 13th 1921. please to send
voucher for the amt due
\$29.21 to William Gold at
Valley Station Ky. and oblige
Yours Truly
J. E. Read
Box 534 R #2
Louisville Ky