

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, Amatius D. Roberts

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Major in the County of Owsley

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. Whites Co. Col. Ezekiel Cloyd

Regt. 1st Ky. Mtd Rifles, Infy. Genl. Marshall's Command

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 Kentucky in the year 1839, Nicholas Co.

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

Answer About Oct. 1862 in Capt. Whites Co. Col. Ezekiel Cloyd

1st Regt. Ky. Mtd Rifles, Infy. Genl. Marshall's Command

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How did you get out of the army, when and where?
Answer By reason of close of the war about May, 1865 in State of Va.

Were you ever in prison? If so, state what prison and when released.
Answer No

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Were you paroled? If so, when and where?
Answer No

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Did you take the oath of allegiance to the United States Government?
Answer No

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If so, when and under what circumstances?
Answer

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

Answer Am not engaged in any business whatever

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

Answer have no real estate of any kind whatever
I have \$600.00 at interest which is all the means I have

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

Answer She has no estate of any kind 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 have no income from our labor neither from myself
Our wife receive about \$50.00 per annum from the interest
of \$600.00 I have loaned

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 was born in Ky Sept 13th 1839 have lived in Ky ever since

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer Yes

If so, give his name and address?

Answer W. B. Bullock, Booneville, Owsley Co, Ky.

Witness my hand this 17th day of April 1912

WITNESSES:
Amsted D Roberts
Booneville Ky
Hiram Hogg, Witness
Booneville Ky
Isaac Bauman, Witness
Booneville Ky

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Owsley County } I, Isaac Price, Judge of said County,
certify that Amsted D Roberts and his wife Zuley Roberts are
assessed with .35 acres, valued at \$500., and with \$837. of personal property.

Witness my hand this 7th day of May 1912
Isaac Price, Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Owsley County } Personally appeared before me. H. C. Lamb.
Co. Court Clerk of said County, the above named Amstutz D. Roberts
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 17th day of April, 1912

H. C. Lamb

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Owsley County } Personally appeared before me H. C. Lamb
Co. Court Clerk of said County, the above named Dr. A. M. Glass,
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 Amstutz D. Roberts
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Chronic Rheumatism and M. M. of Disability

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

H. C. Lamb

(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

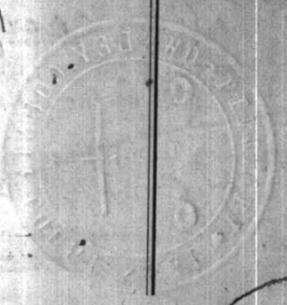
Owsley County } Personally appeared before me. H. C. Lamb
Co. Court Clerk of said County, the above named Hiram Hogg,
and Dr. A. M. Glass, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing application,
with whom I am personally acquainted, and known to me to be citizens of veracity and standing in this 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 Hiram Hogg
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 I was a member of Co. "H." 10th Ky. Infy. afterwar 13th Regt. 1st Div.
Commanded by Col B. E. Caldwell. and know that Amstutz D. Roberts
was a Soldier member of Capt White, Co. 1st Ky. Infy.
in the Confederate service and that both of said Regts. was commanded
by General Marshall. That during said service our two regts. was
frequently thrown together and I was personally acquainted with
the said Amstutz D. Roberts. and often saw him while he was
doing service in his said Co and Regt.

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

H. C. Lamb



No. 2205

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

Submitted H. B. Roberts.

Co. Capt. Miles. 1st Ky. Inf. Regt.

Filed JUN 5 - 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

- SPECIFICATIONS**
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Approved April 26, 1913
W. J. Stone
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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WAR DEPARTMENT

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

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON. June 8, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that one Armsted D. Roberts, private, Company D, 1st Battalion Kentucky Mounted Rifles, Confederate States Army, enlisted August 24, 1862, and his name appears only on an undated muster roll of the company with remarks showing that he was transferred.

The name Armsted D. Roberts, with rank of private, appears on a roll of Company F, 3d Battalion, Kentucky Mounted Rifles, Confederate States Army, covering the period from August 31, 1862, to December 31, 1862 (only roll on file), with remarks showing that he was present, "Joined by transfer." No later record of him has been found.

The Adjutant General.

(A.G.O. 72-1)

Per

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

ARMSTEAD D. ROBERTS

Enlisted Aug. 21, 1862, Co D, 1st Bat. Kentucky Mtd. Rifles. There is record proof of service to Dec. 31, 1862. Comrades testify to his service till the close of the war.

Property: \$1335.00

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

Adjutant General

Allowed by State Pension Board.

Chairman.

Cynthiana Ky
Sept 24 1913

J. J. Cummins personally appeared before me whom I know to be a creditable witness states that he is 73 yrs of age and that he was in the Civil War served in Capt Whites Co. Col. Clay Regiment and served until close of War. Said Cummins also states that he was

personally acquainted with Armsted D. Roberts who served in the same Co. and the same Regiment until the surrender. Said Cummins also states that he surrendered at Christiansburg Va. The said Roberts went to Lee Co. Va. J. J. Cummins subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of Sept nineteen hundred and thirteen
J. C. B. Brown
J. P. H. Co.

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HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

June 5 191*5*

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

Dear Sir:

Armstrong D. Roberts

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims

to have been a member of Company

1st Ky Mtd Inf

Regiment

C. S. A., and to have been

Capt White's Co.

Col. Ezekiel Cole's Reg.

1st Ky Mtd Rifles

Inf

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone

Examiner.

State of Kentucky

County of Crasby } set

In matter of Pension act of Civil
assembly of Ky approved Mar 11th 1912^d of
Amsterd J. Roberts late Capt White Co.
1st Regt Ky 7th Regt. Confederate
Service personally appeared before me
the undersigned duly authorized
to administer oath. Hiram Hogg
Deputy Reg. to me well known to
be reputable & entitled to believe on oath
that after first being duly sworn state
in relation to the above said claim
as follows viz:-

Our ages are 78. and 58. years
and our Post offices are Bosserville
and Major respectively we are
well acquainted with the claimant
Amsterd J. Roberts and have known
him as a citizen & resident of this Co
& State for 40 and 35 respectively
and who is now a resident of this Co. and
our personal acquaintance with the
Soldier is such that we can state
that on account of his age and
constant complaint from Rheumatism
and Diseases of Kidneys and apparent

General Disability; he is unable to
do manual Labor of any kind
and his wife is an Invalid and
been so for years and a constant
drain on his finances.

We are informed that he has \$600 or 700
at Interest which brings him
about \$50⁰⁰ Income which is all the
Income he has of any kind or from
any source. and of our Knowledge his
wife owns no property of any kind
neither real or personal

The applicant Hiram Hogg says he was a
Soldier in Capt S. P. Bushman Co. 10th Regt
Ky. Infy and that his Co & Regt was Brigaded
with Soldier Roberts 1st Ky Regt. He frequently
saw the Soldier while in Service & knows of
his own Knowledge he served in said 15th
Ky. Mtd Rifles, as stated in his application
we make this statement from personal
Knowledge from living neighbors to the
Soldier for many years. we have no
Interest in this claim and are not
concerned in its prosecution

Hiram Hogg
Deylan Ray

Subscribed & sworn to before me by Hiram
Hogg & Deylan Ray this 11th day of May 1912. & I
certify that I have no interest in this claim
for Pension

W. H. Leavelle Clerk

Owsley County Court
June Term 1912.

The Claimant, Amster D. Roberts,
having filed application for Pension under
act. of the General Assembly of Ky.
approved March 11th 1912, granting pensions to
disabled and Indigent Confederate Soldiers,
in this Court on the 17th day of April ult.
and same having laid over until
a subsequent term: This day appeared
in Open Court and produced, and
introduced witnesses in support of same.

The County Atty of Owsley County
was present at said investigation and
the substance of the testimony of said
witness are as follows, viz: -

1st Witness

Airiam Hogg who after first
being duly sworn, says. He is a
Citizen of Owsley County Ky. and his
Postoffice is Booneville Ky.

That he is personally acquainted
with the Claimant Amster D. Roberts
has known him as a citizen & resident
of Owsley Co Ky for last 40 years.

That he has always been regarded
a reputable, quiet good citizen and
for many years past a minister of
the Christian Church, and has served

One term as Senator, in the Ky. Senate. That said Soldier now resides at Major P. Crosby Co Ky. He further states, That the Soldier Amstuds Roberts, Owned no property of any kind, he owned about 35 acres of land, which he assessed for tax-ation for year 1912. But since listing it, he has sold it, it was worth \$500- or \$600-. He also stated that said Roberts, as he was reliably inform had about \$600.- at Interest which he received ^{per year} about \$50- interest from the loan of. That he had no other estate of any kind or income from any source.

That he is old, and feeble and unable to earn anything at manual labor. + There is an lawfully bound for his support.

He further stated that he was acquainted with Mrs Ursley Roberts, wife of the soldier. That she is now, & been for several years, an Invalid. owns no property of any kind, has no income from any source whatever, and unable to do manual labor at all.

BOONEVILLE, KY.

State of Kentucky }
County of Owsley } sct.

In matter of Pension act Genl. assembly of Ky. approved "march 11" 1912 of Amstnd D. Roberts, late Co-1st Ky and Md Rifes, commended by Col. Ezra Neil Cloy. Confederate. Service.

Personally appeared before me the undersigned duly authorized to administer oaths Dr. C. M. Anderson to me well known to be reputable & entitled to credit on oaths, who after first being duly sworn State in relation to the foregoing claim as follows my age is years Postoffice Booneville Ky. and a practicing Physician for last 18 years.

That I have this day carefully examined the Soldier Amstnd D Roberts & find him unable to perform manual labor from the following Causes Senility, chronic rheumatism and results. He is unable to perform any hard manual labor.-

C. M. Anderson M.D.

Subscribed & sworn to before me by Dr. C. M. Anderson this June 3rd 1912 and I certify that I have no interest in this claim for pension

J. H. Wilder
Clerk Owsley Circuit Court

... Claim for Pension
of
Amesbury D Roberts late
Capt White Co, 1st Ky -
mtd Rifles Infy, val

affidavits of

Hiram Hogg
Boonville Ky

+ Dagland Ray -
magr Ky

+
Dr C M Anderson
Boonville
Ky

Filed by

W B Bullock

Boonville
Ky

2nd Witness

^{= Postoffice in Deer Kr =}
John M. Pearson, after first being
duly sworn stated in substance
that he had known the Solder Amsterd
H. Roberts, as a citizen of Owens Co. Ky. for
last 20 years: had always been an
honest trustworthy citizen and a
minister of the Gospel. for several years.
The soldier Owens no real Estate, he stated
that sometimes in latter part of 1911.
he owned about 35 acres of land,
which he listed for taxation for year
1912. But since listing it he sold it.
Owens now owns no real property, he
has about \$6000 at interest that
yields him about \$50 per annum.
he has no other income from any
source known to witness

Witness stated that the soldier was
old, and unable to do labor, and
had no trade or calling whatever,
that his wife was an invalid, and
had no property of any kind to
witness knowledge, and he knows
of no one lawfully bound for
the support of the soldier.

The above named witnesses are personally
known to me, to be reputable.

and entitled to belief on oath

The County Atty who was present at said investigation seemed to be satisfied, and did not offer any proof in same.

After hearing the proof (testimony) of the above witnesses and carefully examining the Soldier's Application and the affidavits of Hiram Hogg and De gland Ray, two witnesses filed therewith both of which are known to me to be credible witnesses & entitled to belief. am of opinion, that the claim of the Soldier Amsterd D. Roberts for Pension therein is a meritorious one. and do recommend the Allowance of said pension to said Soldier by the State Pension Board.

This June 3rd 1912.

Loaac Price
Judge of the Dowsley Co Court

Claim of
Amsterd D Roberts
Capt White's Co. 1 st
Reg. Vol. Inf. 1862-65
Memorandum and
Chief Co Judge
Boonville Mo

Filed by
W. B. Ballou
Boonville Mo

April 16, 1913.

Mr. Armsted B. Roberts,

Major (Owsley Co), Ky.

Dear Sir:-

Upon examining the proof filed with your application for pension I find that the record shows your enlistment as of August 24, 1862, to December 31, 1862, and one witness testifies that he knew you in the army. There is no proof of further service and none as to when or how you got out of the army. Proof on these points 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 action.

Yours truly,

Examiner.

WJS-C

State of Kentucky }
County of Cosby } sct.

In matter of pension of Amos Herde Lt,
Roberts. Co. 1st Ky. Cav. Vol. Mtd
Riflemen. on this 21st day of April 1913.

Personally appeared before me the undersigned duly authorized to administer oaths Hiram Hogg, to me well known to be respectable and entitled to belief, on oath, who after first being duly sworn, states in relation to above said claim as follows:-

my age is 79 years. Re. Booneville Ky, am the same Hiram Hogg, that served in Cos H, 10th + 13th Ky Vol Inftry, Camp. arms. war of 1861 - 1865 - and have testified in this case before, and in addition to what I have before stated, I now state the following:-

That during the war the soldiers Roberts Regt. and my Regt. was often together and I was acquainted with the soldiers. I recollect that in 1864 that part of the soldiers Regt. and my command was together, and made a Raid in the Shenandoah valley Va. I recollect seeing the soldiers on that raid, this was late in the fall of 1864. In them belonged to Col Clays, 1st Ky Mtd Riflemen

I make the above statement from
personal knowledge. I have
no interest in this claim and
am not concerned in its pro-
secution.

Hiram Hogg

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 2nd day of April 1915 and
and I further state that I have no
interest in this claim for pension
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Claim for Pension
of
Amster D. D. Roberts
Nash Co. - 1st Ky
Sol. W. H. Reffers

Opp. David of
Hiram Hogg -
Booneville Ky

Filed by
W. B. Buller
Booneville Ky

State of Kentucky }
County of Owsley } set.

In matter of Pension of Anstred D.
Roberts late Co. 1st Ky. Confid vol
M.D. Peyton, on this 21st day of April 1913,
personally appeared before me the undersigned,
dearly authorized to administer oaths
Syntha Hale, wife of Elisha Hale, who
was a member of Capt Gallier's Co. 64th
Va. Inf. Regt. Confid. Soldier who after
first being duly sworn states as follows

My age is 95 - Pa. Endeer Owsley Co.
Ky. am the widow of Elisha Hale, who
served in 64th Va. and am now Pensioned as
his widow, and state that during the
Summer of 1864, Gen. Cosby's Brig-
ade, Col. Blay's Regt. to which the
Soldier, Anstred D. Roberts belonged
Camped near, & in sight of our
home, we then lived in Lee County
Va. The soldier often visited our
house. I was well acquainted with
the soldier at the time. When the
war closed, the Regt returned to Ky. and
the soldier Roberts, came back to our
neighborhood & he married my sister
and stays in that neighborhood about twelve

mouth

I make the above statement
from personal knowledge I have
no interest in this claim and
am not concerned in its
prosecution

Syntha ^{the} Hale
mouth

Silvanna Hale
Emma Hale

Subscribed & sworn to before
me this April the 22th 1913 by
Syntha Hale and I certify that the
contents of this affidavit was made
known to the affiant before she signed
same. I took I have no interest
in this claim for pension.
J. L. Roberts Notary Public

Claim for Pension
of
Aristide D. Roberto
Lata Co. Ky.
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Affidavit of
Syntha Hale
Endue Ky.

Notary Public, Owsley County, Ky.
My Commission Expires Jan. 20, 1914.

Filed by
W. B. Sullivan
Boonville Ky.

September 17, 1913.

Mr. Armstead D. Roberts,
Major, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of yours of the 15th. I received the affidavits which you mention of William H. Stone. I would suggest to you that you get another affidavit testifying to when and how you got out of the army, if you can, to be filed with your application before it is submitted to the Pension Board.

The proof you have is good, but another affidavit as stated above would make it entirely clear and fully proven, but if you desire it I will submit it to the Board without further proof.

Very truly,

Examiner.

WJS-C

State of Ky.

County of Nicholas

In matter of Pension of
Amsterde D. Roberts, Late
Company # 1st Ky. Confid.

Vol. Mounted Riflemen on this
21st day of April 1913. William H.

Stain personally appeared before
me the undersigned duly authorized
to administer oaths J. M. Fuller

to me well known to me
to be reputable and entitled to belief
on oath, who after first being
duly sworn, states in relation to
above said claim as follows:

My age is 40 years. Postoffice
Myers Ky

I William H. Stain was a
Mount. Rifleman in Capt Thomas
Co. E. Remained with said Co. until

Last year of the war and I was
attached to John Morgan Brigade

I was well acquainted Amsterde D.
Roberts who belonged to same Regt.

Captain White's Co. I was with him
more less during the war

I know that he served to the close
of the war at the surrender the

Kentucky Soldier come Home and
Amsterde D. Roberts went to Lee

County and there he married
I give this as my own Personal

Knowledge
William H. Stain
wms

John Cowrey
write down

W. H.

of May

on this the 28th 1913 there
appeared before me a Notary Public
one William H. Slans and after
being sworn to the within
affidavit as his act and there
by placed his mark

J. Miller
MY COMMISSIONS EXPIRES
FEBRUARY 14TH 1914. Myers Jy



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Chairman for Pension
of
Amsterdick & Roberts
Rate Co. 1st St. Tor.
Vol. with Rifleman
Affidavit of
William H. Slans
Filed by