

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, W. E. Myers

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Richmond in the County of Madison

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 The 8th Kentucky Cavalry Colukes Regiment, Company B Captain Lewis

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 Kentucky in the year 1841

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

Answer in September 1862 Colukes Regiment Lewis Company
Roy Luke Colonel Lewis Captain Coleman was
Lieutenant Colonel Post Bullock was Major Tho. Estlin ad-
Bush Castleman, was 1st Lieutenant of Co B. and McQuathy 2nd Lieutenant.

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

Answer I was in Prison at Ft. Belvoir at the close of the war was released
at Fort Belvoir on the 9th day of June 1865

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

Answer I was in Prison at Ft. Belvoir was released June 9, 1865

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer I took the oath at Ft. Belvoir

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

Answer Yes

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer I took the oath on the 9th day June 1865 to get out of Prison

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

Answer I am not able to work and do not earn anything

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

Answer None

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

Answer My wife owns a small residence worth about one thousand dollars. She has no cash on hand.

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 one hundred and twenty dollars per year from renting rooms at residence named above.

Do you use intoxicants to any extent?

Answer hardly ever take a drink

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 H. C. Rice, Mc Kee Building, Richmond, Ky

Witness my hand this 12th day of June 1912

W. E. Myers

WITNESSES:

H. R. Gibson, Physician

P. O. Richmond

Postoffice Address Richmond Ky

Street and No. (if any) 444 East Main St

G. M. Derrener, Witness

R. F. D. (if any)

Postoffice Address Richmond Ky

J. W. Meupin, Witness

Postoffice Address Kingstons Ky

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Madison County } I, H. R. Shackelford, Judge of said County,

certify that W. E. Myers (notary) and his wife Annie C. Myers are

assessed with ten lot acres, valued at \$800, and with \$00 of personal property.

Witness my hand this 3 day of June 1912

H. R. Shackelford

Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Madison County } Personally appeared before me, County Court Clerk of said County, the above named W E Myers 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. R. P. Ferrell Clerk

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Madison County } Personally appeared before me, a County Court Clerk of said County, the above named A. R. Gibson 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 W E Myers the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Mr. W. E. Myers has been a patient of mine for twenty years. Chronic diarrhoea, Rheumatism, Chronic Hepatitis. He is very frail, can hardly walk.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of April, 1912. R. P. Ferrell Clerk

(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

Madison County } Personally appeared before me, County Court Clerk of said County, the above named L. M. Serrouer and J. W. Maupin, 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...

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.

L. M. Serrouer says that he has known the applicant W. E. Myers for more than 18 years and his general reputation is good that he has no interest in this claim, that his habits are good and free from dishonor, and he believes the statement true. J. W. Maupin says that was a Confederate and acquainted with the applicant W. E. Myers, while he has no personal knowledge of it he believes that said Myers was in the Confederate Army and his statement true.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of April, 1912. R. P. Ferrell Clerk

No. 750

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

W E Meyers

Co. Rgt.

Filed JUN 11 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

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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."

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, June 14, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that Wm. E. Myers, private, Company B, 8th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted September 10, 1862; that he was captured July 26, 1863, at Salinsville, Ohio, and that he was released June 9, 1865, at Fort Delaware, Delaware, on taking the oath of allegiance.

Henry P. McLean
Adjutant General.

Indorsement.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

FRANKFORT, KY..

WILLIAM E. MYERS.

Enlisted Sept. 10, 1862, Co. B
8th Kentucky Cavalry, Captured
July 26th, 1863 at Salemsville
O. and was released June 9th,
1865 at Ft. Delaware; property
worth nearly \$2,000.00.

Proven by the records.

W.J.S.

I recommend that this
claim be allowed

J. Gandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

Approved by State Pension
Board.

James B. McManey
Chairman.

No. _____ S. _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

JUN 12 1912

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

Dear Sir:

W. E. Meyers

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *B-8th Ky*

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

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

MADISON COUNTY COURT.

June Term, June 3, 1912.

Present, Honorable W. R. Shackelford, Judge Presiding.

IN RE application of W. E. Myers, for a pension.

Lyman, Parrish, Richmond, Kentucky and P.B. Broaddus, Richmond, Ky. R.F.D. 3, after having been duly sworn state that they have known the applicant, W. E. Myers, for many years and that he has been a resident and citizen of Madison County, Kentucky, since long prior to Jan. 1, 1907. That he has no property of any kind and no income from any source; that he is totally incapacitated to earn a support by manual labor or by reason of his knowledge art or skill in any profession, trade or craft. That he is in feeble health and has no means of support.

That his wife owns a house and lot in Richmond, Kentucky, in which they reside, worth from \$1500 to \$2000; that she rents out a room or two for not exceeding \$100 a year.

WHEREFORE, it is the opinion of the Court that the applicant W. E. Myers, is entitled to a pension under the provisions of Sec. 2 of an act granting a pension to disabled and indigent Confederate Soldiers, approved March 1912.

The Court certifies that the witnesses, Lyman Parrish, P. B. Broaddus, H. R. Gibson, L. M. Scrivner and J. W. Maupin are reputable persons and entitled to credit.

Given under my hand, as Judge of Madison County Court, this third day of June, 1912.

W. R. Shackelford