

(DUPLICATE)

## Soldier's Application for Pension

I, George N. Lawrence

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Lea Vista in the County of Nicholas

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 Company B Ninth Ky Cavalry

Col. W. P. Greeking's Regiment

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 Nicholas County Ky Dec 27 1843

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

Answer Oct 1862 Col. W. P. Greeking's Co. Capt. Jas. Neab  
1st Lt. L. M. Morgan, 2nd Lt. Sam. Munson

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

Answer Surrendered at Washington Ga May 1865

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

Answer Yes Nashville Tenn Penitentiary May 1865 0nd 2 wks

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes Washington Ga May 1865

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

Answer Yes

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer May 1865 on being released from Penitentiary at Nashville Tenn

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

Answer *Shuckster One Hundred Fifty Dollars Per Year*

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

Answer *Real Estate Worth Eight Hundred Dollars*

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

Answer *None*

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 *None*

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 *Eight Years Since 1843*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *No*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *No*

Witness my hand this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 191*2*.

WITNESSES:

*Malcolm Hills*....., Physician *George W. Lawrence*  
P. O. *Centerville Ky*

Postoffice Address ..... Street and No. (if any).....

*John W. Long*....., Witness *R. F. D. (if any).....*

Postoffice Address *Carlisle Ky*.....

*G. E. Porter*....., Witness

Postoffice Address *Carlisle Ky R.D. No 3*.....

STATE OF KENTUCKY

*Nicholas*..... County } I, *N. H. McNew*..... Judge of said County,

certify that *Geo. W. Lawrence* and his wife ..... are  
assessed with *3.7*..... acres, valued at \$ *3.00*..., and with \$ *no*... of personal property.

Witness my hand this *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *April*....., 191*2*  
..... *N. H. McNew*..... Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Nicholas County } Personally appeared before me... A County Court Clerk... of said County, the above named George W. Lawrence 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 20th day of April, 1917.

Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Nicholas County } Personally appeared before me... A County Court Clerk... of said County, the above named Malcolm Dells 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 Geo. W. Lawrence the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

His wounds began 20 yrs ago to irritate to frequently has been gradually more enlarged protruding to get up frequently to urinate unable to retain urine troubles from him chronic bronchitis lungs full of mucus unable to perform manual labor

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of April, 1917.

Jno. F. Sugg, 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

Nicholas County } Personally appeared before me... A County Court Clerk... of said County, the above named John W. Long and G. E. Porter, 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 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.

Was with the applicant from October 1862 until the surrender, May 1865 at Washington Ga.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 20th day of April, 1917.

Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk

No. 1774

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

*George W. Lawrence*

Co. .... Rgt.

JUN 17 1912

Filed .....

Allowed .....

Read Specifications on Back.

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- 1.....
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*Approved*  
*W. J. Stone* Commissioner

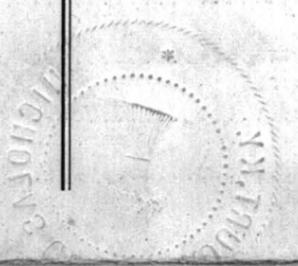
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To Applicants for Pension

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  
JUN 19 1912  
1925840  
WAR DEPARTMENT.

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

1925840  
WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, June 20, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,  
Confederate Pension Department,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that George W. Lawrence, private, Company B, 9th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted September 15, 1862, and was surrendered May 9, 1865, at Washington, Georgia, and sent to Nashville, Tennessee, where he was released May 22, 1865, on taking the oath of allegiance.

*Henry P. McCain*  
Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1) Per

Indorsement.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
FRANKFORT, KY..

GEO. W. LAWRENCE.

Enlisted Sept. 15th, 1862 Co. B- 9th Ky. Cav.; surrendered May 9, 1865 at Washington, Ga. and released May 22nd, 1865 at Nashville, Tenn.

Proven by records and comrades.

Property \$800.00

W J S

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

*J. Handy Ellis*  
Adjutant General.

Allowed by the State Pension Board.

*James P. McCreary*  
Chairman.

(A. G. O. 35.)

STATE OF KENTUCKY, }  
Nicholas County Court. } Sct.

I, Jno. F. Sugg, Clerk of the County Court for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing application for Pension of *George W. Lawrence* was on the *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *April* 191*2*, filed in my office, together with a complete and correct duplicate of same, and the same was at the *May* Term, *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *May*, 191*2*, continued for exceptions, and none having been filed thereto, the same was, at the *June* Term, *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *June*, 191*2*, produced in open Court and evidence taken on same as per the Judge's certificate hereto attached.

Given under my hand and seal of office this *10<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 191*2*.  
*Jno. F. Sugg*, Clerk Nicholas County Court

No. .... S .....

HEADQUARTERS

# Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY,

June 17th, 1912

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

Dear Sir:

George W. Lawrence,

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims to have been a member of Company "B" - 9th Kentucky Regiment Cavalry C. S. A., and to have been

Surrendered at Washington, Ga. May 1865.

In prison at Nashville, Tenn. Pen. May 1865 one night.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

*W. J. Stone*

Examiner.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,  
Nicholas County Court.

Sct.

June Term  
10th day of June 1912

I, N. H. McNew, Judge of the Nicholas County Court, do hereby certify that the foregoing Application for Pension of *Geo. W. Lawrence* was at the above Term produced in open Court and upon testimony of *David Mcowan*, of *Carlsile*, Kentucky, and *A. H. Ham*, of *Carlsile*, Kentucky, I find that said applicant has been a Bona-fide citizen of Kentucky for more than ~~40~~ years, last past, that he resides at *Carlsile*, Nicholas County, Ky.; that he has no means of support except those stated in said application and his own labor. And I hereby recommend that the same be allowed; all of which together with said application is hereby certified to the Adjutant General of the State of Kentucky.

Given under my hand this the 10th day of June 1912.

*N. H. McNew*

Judge Nicholas County Court

Mr. J. T. George, Commissioner  
Frankfort, Ky

Dear Sir,

I am enclosing check for  
refund of \$4.00 from Pension  
check of Geo. W. Lawrence. Dec'd  
very truly

Bruce Lawrence

Administrator  
of Geo W Lawrence Dec'd

STATE OF KENTUCKY, NICHOLAS COUNTY COURT,

Monday, November 3rd., 1924.

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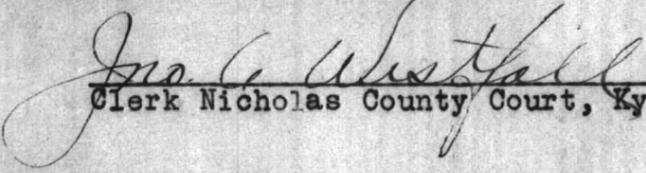
On motion of Bruce Lawrence, it is ordered that Administration upon the estate of George W. Lawrence, deceased, be, and the same is hereby granted unto him; whereupon he took the oath prescribed by law and together with Joe Watkins, his surety, who is accepted and approved by the Court, entered into and acknowledged bond to the Commonwealth of Kentucky, in the penal sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars (\$1500.00) as administrator aforesaid, conditioned according to law, and thereupon the Court grants letters of administration herein to him in due form.

(Signed) A. B. Tilton,  
Judge Nicholas County Court.

State of Kentucky,  
County of Nicholas. (Sct.

I, Jno. A. Westfall, Clerk of the County Court for the County and State aforesaid, certify that the foregoing is a true, complete and correct copy as shown by the records of my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, this the 19th day of November, 1924.

  
Clerk Nicholas County Court, Ky.

## CONLEY &amp; MCCARTNEY

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW

CARLISLE, KENTUCKY  
November 21st. 1924.RECEIVED  
NOV 22 1924INSURANCE DEPARTMENT  
FRANKFORT, KYCommissioner of Pensions,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

Dear Sir: You will find enclosed a copy of the order appointing Bruce Lawrence administrator of Geo. Lawrence, who died October 19th. 1924. George Lawrence was a Confederate soldier and as such was receiving a pension. His voucher mailed to him for the amount due him at this time reached the post-office here a few days after his death and the post-master returned it to the pension department. Pursuant to Section 415b-7 Ky. Statutes the order appointing his administrator is hereby mailed you.

The address of the administrator is 314 Preston Avenue, Lexington, Kentucky.

His name is Bruce Lawrence.

The burial expenses of the deceased are unpaid.

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