(DUPLICATE)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, A J Thomas

am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Cogswell in the County of Rowan

in said State of Kentucky, and was a soldier from the State of Ky, 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 9th Ky. Reg. Co. D

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 Bath County Ky. 1840.

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

Answer 1862 - 9th Ky. Co. D. John Morgan (Gen'l) Wm P. C. Breckinridge (Col) Mat Coleman (Capt)

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

Answer Honorable Discharge by Parole in 1865

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

Answer Yes Sir; Camp Douglas, Chicago Released 1865 (March)

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes; Richmond, Va. March 13th 1865 for 30 days Parole field Lexington

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

Answer No Sir

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer

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

Answer Farmer

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

Answer Land $150.00 1 horse $40.00 3 hogs $20.00 Wd $400.00 total $700.00

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 50.00 Annually

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 Always since birth

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer Yes

If so, give his name and address?

Answer B. D. Wilson, Morehead, Ky.

Witness my hand this 3rd *day of* June 1912.

WITNESSES:

J. Wilson, *Physician* P. O. Cogswell, Ky

Postoffice Address Morehead Ky *Street and No. (if any)*

, Witness *R. F. D. (if any)*

Postoffice Address

, Witness

Postoffice Address

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Rowan *County* } *I,* J. W. Riley *Judge of said County, certify that* A. J. Thomas *and his wife* — *are assessed with* 200 *acres, valued at $* 150.00 *, and with $* 711.00 *of personal property.*

Witness my hand this 1st *day of* July 1912.

J. W. Riley *Judge County Court.*

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Rowan County } Personally appeared before me G. C. Wilson

a Notary Public of said County, the above named A. J. Thomas

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 3rd day of June, 1912

My Com. Expires Mar. 14/1914

G. C. Wilson

STATE OF KENTUCKY

..... County } Personally appeared before me .....

..... of said County, the above named .....

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 Andrew J. Thomas

the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor. Internal Piles Atrophy and Joints Riding and by reason of the aforesaid disabilities he is unable to earn a support by manual labor

J. Wilson

Witness my hand and seal of office, this ..... day of ....., 191...

(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

..... County } Personally appeared before me .....

..... of said County, the above named .....

and ....., 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 ..... army.

State here what witnesses know of their own knowledge.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this ..... day of ....., 191...

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.

No. 1955

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

H. J. Thomas

Co. D 9th Ky Rgt.

JUL 25 1912

Filed June 17th 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

1.

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Approved

W. J. Stone Commissioner.

All blanks on this filing to be filled by the Pension Board

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON. July 29, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that one Andrew Thomas, private, Company D, 9th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted September 15, 1862, and that he was captured July 5, 1864, in Pickens County, Georgia, paroled March 2, 1865, at Camp Douglass, Illinois, and exchanged March 10-12, 1865, on the James River.

Harry P. McCain
Adjutant General.

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

A/ J. THOMAS.

Enlisted Sept. 15, 1862, Co.D, 9th Kentucky Cav., and he was captured July 5, 1864 and exchanged Mch. 10, 1865 and furloughed for 30 days.

Proven by the record and furlough filed with application.

Property $961.00

W J S

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

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

JUL 25 1912 ..... 191 .....

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

Dear Sir:

A. J. Thomas

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims to have been a member of Company D - 9th Ky.

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

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

J. Tandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

Allowed by the State Pension Board.

James B. McCreary
Chairman.

Headquarters Department of Richmond,

Richmond, Va., March 10th 1863

SPECIAL ORDERS

In obedience to instructions from the Secretary of War, the following named men (paroled prisoners) are granted leaves of indulgence for days, (unless sooner exchanged); at the expiration of which time, those belonging to commands serving north of the southern boundary line of North Carolina, and in East Tennessee, will report immediately to them, if exchanged; otherwise, they will report, to Camp of Paroled Prisoners, Richmond, Va. All other paroled prisoners, except those whose commands are serving within the limits above mentioned, will also report, at expiration of their furloughs, to Camp of Paroled Prisoners, Richmond, Va.

Quartermaster will furnish Transportation.

By order of Lt. Gen. R. S. Ewell.

Asst. Adjt. Genl.

Salem Va March 18 65
Rec 50 rations issued
R M Munn
Capt Cy Pard

One days rations furnished
a Way Capt. Lynchburg Va
Febry March 17 / 65
Discharged on Parole
A. B. Graham
Major Cd

Post Quarter Master Office
Eby Va March 16 1865
Issued
one mess the armies 30 cts
one mess " Prisoners 40 cts
E M Cornell
Capt & A Q M

(5) five rations issued
from 22 to 26 Mar / 65
J. W. Atkinson
Capt & A Q M

He has permission to remain
at home in Kentucky during
Gen Grant
By order of Brig Gen Ord
Mar 18 Geo Pursley
Capt Pard

January 20 = 1915

Cogswell Rowan
C.O Ky

mr. W. J Stone

Dear Sir

a few lines in regard to mr andy Thomas pension as he's dead i wish you would try to get it for me you try to get it fore me if you can i dont su what i will do if i dont get it i am not mouch able to work and no one to care for me as my feple air all dead and i am not able to work halft of my time fore the Rhumatism mr Thomas said for me to wright to you to se if you could ~~[illegible]~~ get it fore me he said for you to do all you could for

over

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me you have bin marraid
12 yearas my age is 61 yearas
aald mr Stone you do all you
can fore me mr B. S. willsom
said that he would do all he
could fore me hoping to hearn
soom

yours Trulyy

mary Thomas

May 18 1916
cogis mill Roon co ky

Mr w. J. Stone
Dear Friend

a few lines in
regard to my Thomas
funsion i wonsh you would
dry and see if you cant
get him to let me have
mr thomas funsion as i se
lonch a hard time all most
blind and not monch able to
work and nothing to go on
all tho i no you havent bin
married as long as the law
call for. if you had bin
married as many years
as the law said for us to
to draw a funsion if you stud
i would not want hit i
thinck tha aught not to cut
me out of his draw draw

Dadfasted

Jonst be ease we havnt
bin marraid long a nouff
i wonnt be heare long no
how if tha would Jonst
law me half of his draw
i would be frand and god
would bless them rahin i
heare thre areading a bout
sinnon getting funsion i cant
help but talk a harty cry
all tho this few lines may
not do any good in hoping to
heare soon yours truly
mary Thomas

In regard to application of A. J. Thomas.

This application coming on for hearing at the regular July term of the Rowan County Court, July 2nd., 1912, and following sworn in open court in behalf of applicant, with Co. Atty. present, and said parties testified in substance as follows:

A. J. Thomas, stated his name was A. J. Thomas and he was the applicant, and lived in Rowan County, Ky., and post office address Cogswell, Ky., and that he had lived in the State of Ky. all his life. That he had a small mountain farm worth $200, which included an old worn out mill on it which was almost worthless, had $400 in money loaned out and realized ~~2%~~ $24 interest each year, and had a horse worth $40, which was all the property he had, and had no income except $24 interest on his money and was unable to support himself, that he had been married two times and the last time married 9 years ago and that his wife had no property, except one cow worth $40 and 3 shoats worth $15, that he does not draw a pension from the U.S.Gov. or from any other nation or ~~xxxx~~ other source, and was unable to support himself and that his wife was unable to support him, and that he has no contract or agreement with any one to support him.

Also A. J. White who statedthat he lived near Elliottsville, Ky., which was his post office and that he had knwn the applicant for a long time and that he was unable to support himself and that he was old and feeble and had no income except the $24 interest on his $400 loaned out and that the applicant's entire property would not exceed $700 to $800.

State of Ky.,
Rowan County.

This is to certify that I am the Judge of Rowan County Court and that I have known applicant for a number of years and from the evidence and other ~~xxxx~~ and my personal knowledge would recommend that a pension be granted him.

E. W. Riley
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