

(DUPLICATE)

Soldier's Application for Pension

I, John Powers Williams
 am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Hudson in the County of Hudson
 in said State of Kentucky, and was a soldier from the State of Virginia 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 H Eighteenth Virginia
 Infantry Garnett's Brigade Pickett's Division
 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 Prince Edward County, Virginia
 March 27, 1839

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

Answer Spring of 1862 Eighteenth Virginia Infantry
 Garnett's Brigade
 Lieut. Col. Carrington Garnett's Brigade Pickett's Division Capt. W. J. Johnson C. H.

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

Answer End of War Prince Edward Co. Va.

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

Answer Yes Point Lookout Prison Exchanged in Mar. 1865

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes Mar. 1865 Richmond Va.

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

Answer No Was disbanded without taking oath
at my Post when Lee surrendered

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer No

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

Answer *None*

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 *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 *38 years since 1874*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *No*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *✓*

Witness my hand this *22* day of *April* 191*2*

WITNESSES:

W. A. Dale Physician *John Powers Williams* P. O. *Henderson Ky*

Postoffice Address *Henderson Ky* Street and No. (if any) *500 Leche*

R. H. Mass Witness R. F. D. (if any)

Postoffice Address *Henderson Ky*

W. J. Biggs Witness

Postoffice Address *Henderson Ky*

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Henderson County } I, *D. Q. Young* Judge of said County,

certify that *John Powers Williams* and his wife *Therese Williams* are

assessed with *1.60* acres, valued at \$ *400*, and with \$ of personal property.

Witness my hand this *22* day of *April* 191*2*

D. Q. Young Judge County Court.

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Henderson County } Personally appeared before me C. E. Suggs, Clerk
of the County Court of said County, the above named John Powers Biggs
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 22 day of Apr., 1912
C. E. Suggs, Clerk

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Henderson County } Personally appeared before me C. E. Suggs, Clerk of
the County Court of said County, the above named W. D. Poole
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 John Powers Williams
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Sicility and a general Palsy

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 22 day of Apr., 1912
C. E. Suggs, 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

Henderson County } Personally appeared before me C. E. Suggs, Clerk
Court Clerk of said County, the above named R. H. Moss
and W. J. Biggs, 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
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 22 day of Apr., 1912
C. E. Suggs, Clerk

John Brown Williams

No. 1566

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Soldier's Application for Pension

John P. Williams

Co. H. 18th Virginia Rgt.

Filed JUN 6 - 1912

Allowed

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

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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

JUN 10 1912
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WAR DEPARTMENT

Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."
1921703

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, June 10, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that John P. Williams, private, Company H, 18th Virginia Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted March 8, 1862, and that he was captured August 25, 1864, at Howletts House, Virginia; paroled at Point Lookout, Maryland, and transferred to Aiken's Landing, Virginia, and exchanged March 14, 1865.

JOHN P. WILLIAMS.

Enlisted Mch. 8, 1862, Co.
H, 18th Virginia Inf'y.
captured Aug. 25, 1864, and
exchanged Mch. 14, 1865.

Proven by the record.

Property:\$400.00

W J S

I recommend that this
claim be allowed.

J. Handy Ellis
Adjutant General

Allowed by the State
Pension Board.

James B. McCreary
Chairman.

W. P. Hill

The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

Per *W*

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:

John P. Williams

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company *A-18" Va.*

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

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Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
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Examiner.

FRANKLIN BROTHERS

General Merchants

SPECIAL: HAY, CORN, OATS, FURNITURE, &c.

Pamplin City, Va., _____ 191

This to Certify That John
P. Williams was a member
of my Company H 18th Va
Regt entitled in May 62 &
Served through the war &
made a good Soldier

W. J. Johnson Capt
Co H 18th Va Regt
Garnett's Brigade
Pickens Division

attest W. J. Johnson

State of Virginia

County of Appomattox

J. L. W. Hobbs a notary public in
and for the county and state aforesaid
do certify that W. J. Johnson has acknowledged
the signature above this _____
given under my hand March 22, 1912

MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JAN'Y 10th 1914

J. L. W. Hobbs

State of Kentucky,
County of Henderson, Sct.

Henderson County Court,
Monday, May 27, 1912.
Judge S. A. Young, presiding.

"In the matter of the applications for pensions, under the provisions of ~~the~~ a law enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Kentucky, at its 1912 session, came the following persons whose applications for a pension were, at a former term of this Court, noted of record as filed and ordered to lie over one month and until the present term of this Court, viz:

Jas. R. Pruitt, of Robard, Ky.
Jas. C. Quinn, of Corydon, Ky.
Jas. H. Hancock, of Henderson, Ky.
G. T. Vaitoe, of Henderson, Ky.
W. T. Ligon, of Henderson, Ky.
W. T. Biggs, of Henderson, Ky.
B. W. Ambrose, of Henderson, Ky.
L. F. Clore, of Henderson, Ky.
Edwin A. Hatchett, of Henderson, Ky.
John Powers Williams, of Henderson, Ky.
Virginus Hutchen, of Henderson, Ky.
D. B. Bennett, of Henderson, Ky.
E. B. Glasscoe, of Hebbardsville, Ky.
W. W. Woodburn, of Spottsville, Ky.
T. C. Wilkerson, of Hebbardsville, Ky.

And proof being heard as to each of them as to applicants' citizenship, residence and means of support and the statements in each of their written applications for pension, being sustained by affirmative evidence and no evidence to the contrary being presented and the Court being advised, it is now adjudged that each of the said applicants for pension is indigent and entitled to a pension as provided by the said act of the Legislature, and the Clerk of this Court is ordered to certify this order with a copy of each of the applications to the Adjutant General of the State of Kentucky."

A Copy Attest;=

C. E. Suggs, Clerk.

Robert Cheaney, D. C.

Henderson, Ky,
600 Letcher Street,
April 14, 1922.

Re: John Powers Williams,
Pension No. 1566.
600 Letcher St., Henderson, Ky.

W. J. Stone,
Commissioner, Confederate Pensions,
Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:

My Father, John Powers Williams, mentioned above, who has been receiving a Pension as a veteran of the Confederate Army, died here April 6, 1922, 9 o'clock P.M.

He leaves a widow, Mrs. Florence Grady Williams, my mother. We wish to know if she can continue to receive this or some other sum, as she was entirely dependent on my Father, having no income of her own.

We will very much appreciate an early reply, giving this information and any instructions necessary, if she is entitled to a Pension from the State as a dependent widow of a deceased Confederate Veteran, who was receiving a Pension at the time of his death.

Yours sincerely,

Robert R Williams

P.S.

My Father began to receive his Pension Aug. 1, 1918.



The American Red Cross

Henderson County Chapter

Henderson, Ky.

April 29, 1922.

HOME SERVICE DIVISION

MRS. W. C. QUINN, CHAIRMAN

Re: Mrs. Florence Grady Williams,
Husband, John P. Williams, (Deed)

Mr. W. J. Stone,
Commissioner of Confederate Pensions,
Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Mr. Stone:

Replying to your letter to Robert R. Williams, on Apr. 15, in regard to the part of his father's pension which was due at the time of his death, I wish to state that Mr. B. G. Williams, son of John P. Williams (Deed) has been appointed administrator of his father's estate and can receive the part of his quarter's pension which was due John P. Williams at time of his death, which you state is \$26.40. I am hereby forwarding a certified copy of order of the Court making the appointment.

In regard to Mrs. Flora G. Williams' application for a widow's pension, we have assisted her in filling out the application blanks, in duplicate, which you sent, and they have been filed in the Court to carry out the provisions of the law. When it is complied with they will be forwarded to you.

I am also returning the last letter received for John P. Williams, presumably the quarterly pension check, which was received after his death.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. T. W. Shackelford

Mrs. T. W. Shackelford,
Home Service Secretary,
American Red Cross.