

# Application for Pension

How Made; What to Contain; Description of Disabilities; Oath Prescribed

Form No. 4—SOLDIERS and SAILORS

PROBATE

Application of Soldier or Sailor of the Late Confederacy, under Chapter 108, Code of 1906 as amended by Laws of March 13, 1922, H. B. 382.

Applications must be filed in duplicate with the Chancery Clerk on or before the first Monday in September of the year in which application is first filed.

(Applicant must answer all of the following questions.)

- Q. What is your name? Answer W. E. Loughter
- Q. In what county and state do you reside? Answer DeSoto County, Miss.
- Q. What is the name of your Post Office? Answer Hernando R.F.D. 2<sup>nd</sup>
- Q. Are you a bona fide citizen of the United States? Answer Yes.
- Q. Are you a bona fide citizen of the State of Mississippi? Answer Yes.
- Q. Are you an inmate of the Beauvoir Soldiers' Home? Answer No.
- Q. What was the date of your enlistment? Answer May 1862
- Q. In what state, county and place did you reside when you enlisted?
- Answer Near Hernando, DeSoto county, Miss.
- Q. Give the names of the officers of your company, regiment or vessel?
- Answer Capt. Russell, Lt. Lieutenant Henry Cooper, Col. 24<sup>th</sup> F. V. Johnston
- Q. Were you ever discharged from your command? Answer Yes
- Q. If so, for what cause? Answer \_\_\_\_\_
- Q. Were you in active service at the surrender in 1865? Answer Yes
- Q. If not, why? Answer \_\_\_\_\_

"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I was a Confederate soldier or sailor (as the case may be); that I was honorably discharged or paroled or did not desert from the Confederate service (as the case may be); that I reside in this State; that statements set forth in application are true and correct I verily believe; so help me God."

(Signature of pensioner)

W. E. Loughter

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1922

R. C. Edington Chancery Clerk

AFFIDAVIT—We, the undersigned verily believe the facts stated in the above application to be true and the applicant to be the identical person named in the said application.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day

of Aug 1922

R. C. Clifton  
(Signature of Officer)

A. M. Lauderdale  
(Signature of Witness)

A. B. Clifton  
(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

NOTE—Must be attested by one or more creditable witnesses.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25<sup>th</sup> day of

W. E. Loughton  
(Signature of Applicant)

R. C. Clifton  
(Signature of Officer)

OFFICE OF CHANCERY CLERK AND COUNTY BOARD OF INQUIRY De Soto COUNTY

Hernando MISS. Sept 4 1922

We, the undersigned members of the Board of Inquiry, hereby approve the foregoing application of W. E. Loughton for pension because we believe the facts stated in the application are true and the party should receive a pension.

Given under our hands and seal of office, this 4 day of Sept, 1922

J. D. Harrison (Seal)  
President of Board.

W. D. Lee (Seal)

S. A. Hingray (Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

R. C. Clifton (Seal)  
Chancery Clerk.

N. B.—If the Board approves this application, the Chancery Clerk will so certify, after recording the same in a book kept for that purpose, and forward all of the approved applications in a body to the Auditor's Office by the first day of October.

No application forwarded after that time will be received.

R. C. Clifton  
(Attest Seal of Office)  
Chancery Clerk