

# APPLICATION FOR PENSION

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

Form No. 6

General Prorate Class

Application of Indigent Widow of Soldier or Sailor of the Late Confederacy, under Chapter 102, Code of 1906, as amended by Laws of April 5th, 1910, Chapter 207, and Laws of March 24th, 1916, Chapter 199.

Applications must be filed in duplicate with the Chancery Clerk on or before the first Monday in September of year in which application is first made, and no application will be entertained not on printed form.

(Applicant must make answer to all of the following Questions.)

- Q. What is your name? Answer Sallie Mills
- Q. What is your age? Answer 69
- Q. Are you a *bona fide* resident of the State of Mississippi? Answer yes
- Q. How long have you resided in Mississippi? Answer 49 years
- Q. In what county do you reside? Answer DeSoto
- Q. What is the name of your postoffice? Answer Clive Branch Miss #1
- Q. What was your husband's name? Answer George W. Mills
- Q. When were you married? Answer 1876
- Q. In what State and County did he reside when he enlisted in the service of the Confederate States? Answer State of Virginia Carolina Co
- Q. What was the date of his enlistment? Answer Spring of 1861
- Q. What was the name of the Company and Regiment or vessel in which he enlisted? Answer 30 Virginia Regiment Co A
- Q. How long was he in actual service of the Confederacy? Answer about 4 years
- Q. What were the names of the officers of the company, or regiment, or vessel, during the time he was in the service? Answer Col Erntcher Capt Doggett
- Q. Did he die in the service or did he serve until the close of the war? Answer serve until close of war
- Q. Was he honorably discharged? Answer yes
- Q. When was he discharged? Answer Close of War
- Q. Where was he discharged? Answer Approximately Boat House Va
- Q. Did he serve until the surrender? Answer yes
- Q. Where did he die? Answer Marshall Co Miss
- Q. What regiment or vessel did your husband belong to at the time of his death? Answer none
- Q. The name of the commander? Answer none
- Q. What company did your husband belong to at time of his death? Answer none
- Q. Who was the captain of the company? Answer none
- Q. When did he die? Answer 20 Feb 1917
- Q. Have you married since your husband's death? Answer no
- Q. Do you apply for a pension because you are indigent and unable to earn a livelihood? Answer yes
- Q. Do you hold any State, United States, County or City office from which you are receiving as a salary or fees the sum of three hundred dollars per annum? Answer no
- Q. Have you any property in your own right? Answer no
- Q. What is its true, just and correct value? Answer X
- Q. Have you a home of your own? Answer no
- Q. If not, with whom do you now live? Answer Daughter
- Q. Is the person you are now living with a relation? Answer yes
- Q. If so, what relation? Answer Daughter
- Q. Have you any relations or connections whose duty it is to provide for you? Answer none
- Q. Have you any relations; if so, what relations? Answer able to support me / Daughter / Son

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1917  
Jerome N.P. (Signature of Officer) Sallie Mills (Signature of Applicant)

"I, Sallie Mills widow of George W. Mills  
do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a widow of a Confederate soldier or sailor, who was honorably discharged or paroled, or who did not desert the Confederate service (as the case may be); that I was married to him prior to the first day of January, 1885; that I reside in this State; that I am indigent and unable to earn a support; that I have no relatives able, whose duty it is, to support me; that I do not own property to the value of six hundred dollars (\$600) and that I have not conveyed any property to anyone with a view of drawing a pension, so help me God."  
Sallie Mills (Signature of Pensioner)

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1917  
Jerome N.P. (Signature of Officer)

**AFFIDAVIT OF TWO WITNESSES**

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 4<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1917  
Jerome N.P. (Signature of Officer) J. J. Brizance (Signature of Witness)  
W. S. Garrison (Signature of Witness)

Office of Chancery Clerk and County Board of Inquiry, Sebate County,

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We, the undersigned members of the Board of Inquiry, hereby approve the foregoing application of Sallie Mills for pension because we know the applicant to be indigent and unable to earn a livelihood, and that we believe the facts stated in the above application are true and the party should receive a pension.

Given under our hands and seals of office, this 3 day of Sept 1917

W. S. Garrison [Seal] President of Board.  
W. S. Garrison [Seal] Secretary of Board.  
A. D. Nichols [Seal]  
Chancery Clerk [Seal]

ATTEST  
 (Attach Seal of Office)  
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 (not one at a time) to the Auditor's office by the first day of October.  
 No application forwarded after that time will be received.  
 Rejected applications should not be forwarded to this office.

Pension Application

Sebate County

Name of Applicant:  
Sallie Mills

Postoffice:  
Ohio Branch Mrs. P. S.

No. of Application:  
Form No. 6

Special Instructions to Chancery Clerks:

No application will be entertained unless made in the proper form and every blank in the form properly filled out.

3 day of Sept 1917  
Chancery Clerk

**ALLOWED**

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