

APPLICATION FOR PENSION

FORM NO. 1—SOLDIER OR SAILOR

For \$1.00 per Day

HOW MADE, WHAT TO CONTAIN, DESCRIPTION OF DISABILITIES, OATH PRESCRIBED

Application of Soldier or Sailor of the Late Confederacy, under H. B. 11, 1928

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

(Applicant must answer all of the following questions.)

- Q. 1. What is your name? Answer E. B. Turner
- Q. 2. In what county and state do you reside? Answer DeSoto County, Miss
- Q. 3. How long have you resided in Mississippi? Answer 85 yrs
- Q. 4. What is the name of your Post Office? Answer North Mississippi
- Q. 5. Are you a bona fide citizen of the United States and of the State of Mississippi?
Answer yes (Yes or No)
- Q. 6. Are you an inmate of Beauvoir Soldiers' Home? Answer no (Yes or No)
- Q. 7. What was the date of your enlistment? Answer 1864 (Yes or No)
- Q. 8. Give place of your enlistment? Answer Home Guard under Forrest, Western part of DeSoto County, Miss
- Q. 9. Give names of the offices of your company, regiment or vessel?
Answer NO Regiment or vessel. Job instructions as Home Guard (Yes or No)
- Q. 10. Were you ever discharged from your command? Answer no (Yes or No)
- Q. 12. Were you in active service at the surrender? Answer yes as Home Guard
- Q. 13. If not why not? 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 the statements set forth in the application are true and correct as the applicant verily believes; so help me God."

(Signature of Pensioner) E. B. Turner

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 3rd day of April, 1939

J. H. Conger, Chancery Clerk.

Affidavit—We, the undersigned, certify that the facts stated in the above application are true and the applicant is the identical person named in the said application.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 3rd day of April, 1939

J. A. White
(Signature of Witness)

day of April, 1939

J. H. Conger
(Signature of Officer)
Chancery Clerk

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

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

(Signature of Applicant)

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, 19____

(Signature of Officer)

ATTEST

ok by

OFFICE OF CHANCERY CLERK AND COUNTY BOARD OF ROAD DISTRICT

E. B. Turner

MISS.

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We, the undersigned members of the Board of Inquiry, hereby approve the foregoing application of _____ 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 _____ day of _____, 19__.

James F. Dudley (Seal)
President of Board

R. B. Logan (Seal)
Member

J. J. Lewis (Seal)
Member
Veteran of World War

W. W. Robinson (Seal)
Member

J. J. Conger (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 (not one at a time) to the Auditor's Office by the first day of October.

No application forwarded after that time can be received.

Duplicate applications should not be forwarded to this office.

PENSION APPLICATION

D. S. Sato

County

Name of Applicant

E. H. Thorne

Postoffice

Hubert Mill

No. of Application

FORM No. 1—SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

Special Instructions to Chancery Clerk:

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

December 30th, 1938.

Hon Carl Craig,
State Auditor,
Box 958,
Jackson, Miss.

Dear Mr. Craig:-

The pension board of inquiry of DeSoto County, Mississippi, has a question which is troubling it and it would like for you to answer it.

We have a very deserving person who was a member of the home guard in DeSoto County, in the war between the states. He is now in his 85th year, and has never made an application for a pension.

We desire to know whether he can make out and file his application now, and whether or not the President of the County Board of inquiry is authorized to call a special meeting to pass upon the above mentioned, or any other applications.

Section 5813 of the 1930 code provides for a Special Meeting of the board of inquiry. We have not yet had a Special Meeting of the board of inquiry for DeSoto, for this year.

We will thank you to let us hear from you at once about this.

Yours very truly,

H. F. B. Logan.

Department of Public Accounts

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI

CARL N. CRAIG
AUDITOR



R. HORACE STEELE
DEPUTY AUDITOR

Jackson, Mississippi

January 7, 1939

Mr. R. F. B. Logan
County Attorney, Desoto County
Hernando, Miss.

Dear Mr. Logan:

I interpret Section 5813 of the Code of 1930 to mean that the President of the Board of Supervisors shall call a special meeting of the Pension Board for the First Monday in April or as soon thereafter as practical, and that any new applicants approved at said April meeting shall receive the full years pension the same as if they were approved at the previous September meeting.

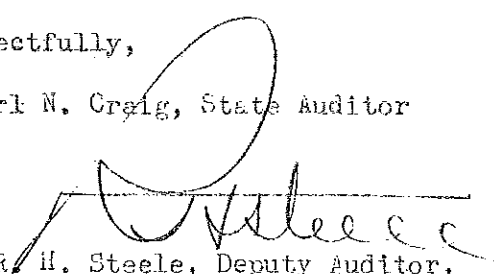
I am enclosing application blanks for the person you have in mind. All of the questions should be answered; however under question 9, the officers of his Company, Reg., or Vessell will be sufficient.

Yours respectfully,

Carl N. Craig, State Auditor

RHS:LT
Enc.

By:


R. H. Steele, Deputy Auditor.

J. F. CONGER
CHANCERY CLERK
DeSOTO COUNTY
HERNANDO, MISS.

April 3rd, 1939

Hon. Carl N. Craig, State Auditor
Jackson, Mississippi.

Dear Sir:

In Re: Yours of Jan. 7th, 1939
Att: Mr. R. H. Steele, Deputy Auditor.

I am inclosing Application of Mr. E. B. Turner which was approved by our County Pension Board at the April Meeting of said Board. If this application meets with no objections, please mail me warrant to cover applicants pay beginning Jan. 1st, 1939.

Also, you will find inclosed copy of Pension Roll as revised and completed at said April meeting, there being only one change and that was the addition of Mr. E. B. Turner and the striking from the roll John W. Nichols, Deceased.

Please advise me at your earliest convenience.

Yours most truly,

Clerk.

Joe H. Rice

**Oath Required to be Taken by County
Pension Commissioners
Under Chapter 62, Laws of 1928**

The State of Mississippi; }
County. }

This day personally appeared before me the undersigned Chancery Clerk of DeSoto
County, Mississippi, E. B. Turner a County Pension Commissioner of said County,
who being duly sworn according to law, took and subscribed to the oath required by Section 14 of
Chapter 62, Laws of 1928, to-wit:

"I do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will faithfully support the Constitution of the
United States, and of the State of Mississippi; that I am not disqualified from holding the office
of Pension Commissioner; that I will faithfully discharge my duty as a commissioner, and I will
not vote to place upon the pension rolls any person unless I am fully convinced that such person
is justly entitled to participate in the distribution of the pension fund, so help me God."

E. B. Turner
County Pension Commissioner.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 10th day of October, 1929

Chancery Clerk.