

# Soldier's Application for Pension

I, D. F. Lee Certify that I  
am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at Clum Hill in the County of Lester  
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 P 22<sup>nd</sup> Regiment of  
Virginia Cavalry  
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 Russell County Va., April 20, 1842.

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

Answer Enlisted in 1862, Reg. Officer, <sup>Col</sup> Henry Bowings Regt  
Co. P, Kindrick's Company

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

Answer Discharged 1865, at Marion Va. after the surrender  
of General Lee

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

Answer No.

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Discharged

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

Answer Yes

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer All soldiers were compelled to take oath of allegiance  
under the Reconstruction Act of Congress, hence I did so.



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

Answer *No particular business, No income*

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

Answer *None except the amt. of about \$1000 due on a farm sold for which I have only given Bond for deed*

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 *29 years, since 1873*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *Yes*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *Art J. Counts*

Witness my hand this *15* day of *April* 191*2*

WITNESSES:

*W. W. Armstrong M.D.*, Physician *D. F. Lee*

Postoffice Address *Olin Rice* Street and No. (if any) *Olin Rice*

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

Postoffice Address *Olin Rice*

*L. A. James*, Witness

Postoffice Address *Olin Rice*

STATE OF KENTUCKY

*Carter* County } I, *R. A. Carpenter* Judge of said County,

certify that *D. F. Lee* and his wife *Mary Lee* are

assessed with *no* acres, valued at \$ *0*, and with \$ *0* of personal property.

Witness my hand this *10* day of *June* 191*2*

*R. A. Carpenter* Judge County Court.

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



STATE OF KENTUCKY

Carter County } Personally appeared before me... A. Yalany... of said County, the above named... D. F. Lee... 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... 15... day of April... 1912

Albert J. Counts

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Carter County } Personally appeared before me... A. Yalany... of said County, the above named... M. W. Armstrong... 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... D. F. Lee... the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

I have known applicant 10 years. and have treated applicant constantly during that period. I find him laboring under the following disability and of a permanent nature, viz: Varicose veins, bladder and kidney trouble and is not able to earn support by manual labor.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this... 15... day of April... 1912

Albert J. Counts M.D. C.S.

(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

Carter County } Personally appeared before me... Whitt Boggs... of said County, the above named... L. F. James... 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... they...

further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the... Confederate... army.

State here what witnesses know of their own knowledge.

We have each know the claimant for the past 20 years that he has always been known to us as a Confederate soldier. He came to Ky. from Virginia that he has no income, is a citizen of respect, we know he is not able to earn his support by manual labor. He is the owner of nothing save that mentioned in application.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this... 15... day of April... 1912

Albert J. Counts



*P. H. Jones*  
*Lucy Adams*

No. 485

STATE OF KENTUCKY

**Soldier's Application for Pension**

*N. H. Lee*

Co. . . . . Rgt.

JUN 14 1912

Filed *May 13 1912*

Allowed . . . . .

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

- 1. . . . .
- 2. . . . .
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- 4. . . . .
- 5. . . . .

Commissioner

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

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*Albert P. Lambeth*  
*Atty.*

**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 filed 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 17 1912  
1924870  
WAR DEPARTMENT.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT, 1924870

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, June 18, 1912.

*Respectfully returned to the*

Examiner,  
Confederate Pension Department,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that David F. Lee, private, Company A, 22d Virginia Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted August 4, 1863, and on the roll of the company dated October 31, 1863, he was reported as absent without leave. The rolls for October and December, 1864, are the only later rolls on file, but his name is not borne thereon, and no later record of him has been found.

*Henry J. McLean*  
Adjutant General.

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

D. F. LEE.

Enlisted Aug. 4, 1863, Co. A,  
22nd Virginia Cavalry. Shown  
by the record. Two comrades  
testify to having served with  
him till the close of the war.

Indigent.

W. J. Stone.

I recommend that this  
claim be allowed.

*J. Dandy Ellis*  
Adjutant General.

*Approved by State  
Pension Board  
James B. McHenry  
Chairman*



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

HEADQUARTERS

# Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY,

June 14th, 1912.

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

Dear Sir:

D. F. Lee,

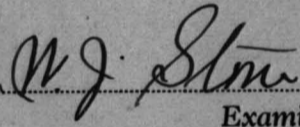
who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims  
to have been a member of Company "A" - 22nd Virginia  
Regiment Cavalry C. S. A., and to have been

Disbanded in 1865 at Marion, Va. after the  
surrender of Gen. Lee.

Never in prison.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,



Examiner.



Pension Claim of D. F. Lee.

Affidavit of W. P. Elam,  
Comrade.

Filed on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
1912.

Pension Claim of D. F. Lee.

Affidavit of Wm. E. Lee,  
Comrade.

Filed on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_  
1912.

Albert J. Counts,  
Atty. for Claimant.

NOTARY PUBLIC IN OFFICE

BEN CASSIDY  
ATTORNEY AT LAW  
ASHLAND, KY.

REFERENCES  
THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GREENUP  
ASHLAND NATIONAL BANK

Jany. 5th 1927.

Confederate Pension Department  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

Dearsirs;-

On the 18<sup>th</sup> day of Dec. 1926. D.L.Lee,  
died, who was a pensioner Certificate #485. Payable Quarterly by the  
Treasurer of Kentucky, at Frankfort, Ky.

His widow, Mary E. Lee, wants to draw what was due him up to his death  
and be placed on the pension rolls so she can still draw his pension.  
Please mail her-~~or~~ me the blanks (proper blanks) with full instructions  
so I can have her fill them and return them to you all.

Thanks for an early reply as convenient.

Very Respectivly

Ben Cassidy, Atty.



STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF CARTER, SS.

In the Pension Claim of D. F. Lee, of Company "A" 22nd, Regiment of Va. Cavalry, personally appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid, William P. Elam, whose Post Office Address is Fults, Carter County, Kentucky, and after being duly sworn according to law, states in regard to the above claim as follows, towit:-

I know the above named claimant, D. F. Lee, and know of my own personal knowledge that he is the identical person that served in the Confederate Army in Co. "A" 22, Va., Cavalry from 1862 to 1865. I was a member of Company "C" 48th, Va, Inft., and met the above named claimant while in the line of duty, and testify that he was a Confederate soldier for the reasons stated above.

Sign, W P Elam

Subscribed and sworn to by W. P. Elam, before me this the 6 day of May 1912.

J. M. Littleton  
Official Name,

A notary public  
Official Character,

L. S.

My Commission expires  
on the 31 day of Jan 1916.



STATE OF KENTUCKY, COUNTY OF Fleming SS.

In the Pension Claim of D. F. Lee, late of Company, "A" 22nd, Redg, Va. Cavalry, Personally appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County and State, William E. Lee, a citizen of Fleming County, Kentucky and whose Post-Office address is Muses Mills, after being duly sworn according to law, states in regard to the above claim as follows:-

That I am 74 years of age, live at Muses Mills in the County of Fleming and state of Kentucky.

That I hereby certify that D. F. Lee, served as a Soldier in the Confederate Armies of the Civil War between the states, from 1862 to 1865. He enlisted in Company "A" 22nd, Redgt, Va. Cavalry, of which Company ~~&~~ was a Comrade, from 1863 to 1865, close of war.

It affords me much pleasure to be able to testify, at this late date, to the fact that Mr. Lee made a true, courageous and loyal soldier, showing that devotion to the "Lost Cause" so manifest in all the armies of the Confederacy.

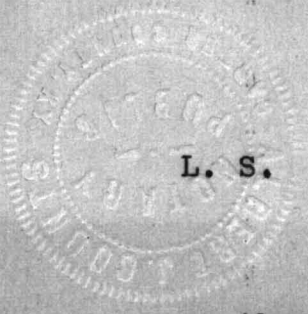
I have ~~not~~ interest either directly or indirectly in the prosecution of this claim.

William E. Lee

Subscribed and sworn to by William E. Lee before me this the 2 day of May, 1912.

Albert J. Counts  
Official Name.

Notary Public  
Official Character.



L. S.  
My Commission expires on the 5 day of March 1916.



CARTER COUNTY COURT,

REGULAR JUNE TERM 1912.

Under an Act of the General Assembly of Kentucky, approved March TWELFTH, 1912, Granting Pensions to Disabled and Indigent Confederate Soldiers.

In the matter of the Pension Claim of D. F. Lee, whose Post-Office Address is Olin Rice, Carter County, Kentucky, personally appeared before me J. P. James of Olin Rice, Carter County, Kentucky, and Quincy Adams, of Soldier of same County and State, both citizens of Carter County, Kentucky, both of whom I certify to be reputable and entitled to credit, and after being duly sworn according to law, states in relation to the above claim as follows, to-wit:-

I am acquainted with the applicant, D. F. Lee. I know that he has been a citizen of Kentucky since January First, 1907; and that he is now a bona-fide resident of this State, and has been continuously so since 1907; that he is unable to earn his support by manual labor or by reason of his knowledge, art or skill in any profession, trade or craft; that he does not possess a net income to the amount of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS per year.

COUNTY JUDGE'S RECOMMENDATION.

From the foregoing evidence the merits of this claim is approved.

R. A. Carpenter

Judge of Carter County Court.



Boyd County Court.

Mary E. Lee Applicant

Vs.

Of the estate of-  
D.F. Lee, deceased.

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# -ment of  
# Adminis-  
# -tratrix.

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Ben Cassidy, Atty. for applicant.



Boyd County Court.

Mary E. Lee applicant#

Vs

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Application &  
Order of appointment of  
Administrator.

#

Of the estate of D.F. Lee-  
- Deceased. #

Boyd County Court.  
Mary E. Lee, the widow of D.L. Lee deceased, having applied for  
administratrix of the estate of D.F. Lee, deceased, and there being  
no objections thereto, now on her motion it is ordered that she be  
and she is appointed administratrix of the estate of D.F. Lee,  
deceased; Thereupon the said Mary E. Lee, the widow of D.F. Lee,  
deceased, entered into and acknowledge bond to the Commonwealth  
of Kentucky in the penal sum of \$100<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub> dollars, together with  
Mason Lee & Robert Lee, of Ashland, Boyd  
County, Kentucky her sureties, which bonds are accepted and appro-  
-ed by the Court and the said Administratrix took the oath prese-  
-ribed by law as such cases Administratrix.

This given under my hands as judge of Boyd County, Kentucky,  
on the 8th day of Jany. 1927.

Judge of The Boyd County Court.

A Copy attested:  
J. S. Seavers, Clerk Boyd Co. Court  
By Mahul Bixler, d.c.