

Application of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the Confederacy for Pension under the Act of February 25th, 1915

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }  
County of Logan

I, James Oscar Patrick

do hereby make application to the Board of Pension Commissioners for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the Fifth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma, and approved February, 25, 1915, on the following grounds:

I enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that I did not desert the Confederate service, but during said war I was loyal and true to my duty, and never at any time voluntarily abandoned my post of duty in the said service; that I was honorably discharged or surrendered to General M. A. Grant

On April 9th 1865. With General R. E. Lee  
at Appomattock Virginia  
(Give date and cause)

and I have been a bona fide citizen of this State for over twelve months prior to the passage and approval of the Pension Act, approved February 25, 1915. I do further state that I do not hold any National, State, city or county office which pays me a salary or fees of \$180.00 per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment, nor do I receive from any source whatsoever, money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of \$180.00 per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, nor does my wife own, nor does any one hold in trust for my wife, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the assessed value of over One Thousand Dollars, household goods and wearing apparel excluded, nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State or from any other source, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home, or any other benevolent or penal institution, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 75 yrs last January 1915
2. Where were you born? Russell Virginia
3. How long have you resided in Oklahoma? 15 yrs
4. In what county do you reside? Logan
5. What is your postoffice address? Guthrie Okla Rout 2

6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where no

7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farming

8. What is your physical condition? Not Good

9. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Virginia

10. How long did you serve; give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge 22 day of March 1862 and served to April 1865

11. What was the letter of your Company, number of Regiment, Battalion or Battery Company B 16th Virginia Cavalry

12. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service ✓

13. What branch of the service did you enlist in, infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? ✓

14. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty? ✓

15. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve? ✓

16. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home? Not No Land

17. What is the assessed value of your other property? \$ 730<sup>00</sup>

18. Have you ever transferred your property to anyone with the understanding that you were to be cared for during your life time? no

19. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming beneficiary under this law? no

*Wrote written  
by me*  
Electa Brookshier

(Signature of Applicant)

James A. Patrick

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20 day of October A. D. 1915

(SEAL)

(Must be executed before the County Judge of County wherein Applicant Resides)

John Chappelle

County Judge.

Hogan

County, Okla.

(County Judge, Notary Public, Justice of Peace)

of Hogan County, State of Oklahoma, on this day personally appeared Electa Brookshier Frank W. Wolfe

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know James A. Patrick

the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said James A. Patrick has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Oklahoma, twelve months prior to

February 25, 1915, and that they have no interest in his claim.

(Signature of Witness) Electa Brookshire

(Signature of Witness) Frank W. Wolfe

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26 day of Oct A. D. 1915

John Chappelle  
(County Judge, Notary Public, or  
Justice of Peace)

(SEAL)

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

NOTE—There must be at least two credible witnesses.

THE STATE OF ~~OKLAHOMA~~ Virginia

County of Russell

Before me, E. R. Combs, Clerk of said

County ~~Judge~~ of Russell County, State of Virginia, on this day per-

sonally appeared J. W. Puckett and W. Thomas

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they are personally acquainted with the said J. O. Patrick

the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in his application are correct and true to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in his claim, and 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 Confederate Army (state fully your source of knowledge):

(Signature of Witness) J. W. Puckett

(Signature of Witness) W. Thomas

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of Nov A. D. 1915

E. R. Combs, Clerk of  
Russell County Judge,

J. W. Puckett  
Russell County, Okla. va

(SEAL)

Form A No. **3016**

The Commissioners of Pension reserve the right to call for additional testimony if they deem it necessary.

Name of Applicant

*James Owen Patrick*

*Logan* County

Postoffice *Buttsville, P-2*

Filed *11-10-15*

Approved *7-3-17*

Amt. of Pension allowed *5.00*

Pension allowed from *7-1-17*

Rejected *JAN 3 - 1916 K5*

*Wm S. McArthur*  
Chairman.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

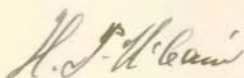
WASHINGTON,

November 23, 1915.

Respectfully returned to the

Chairman, Oklahoma Board of  
Pension Commissioners,  
Oklahoma City, Okla.

The records show that James O. Patrick (name not borne as James Oscar Patrick) enlisted July 15 (also shown as July 13), 1862, at Russell, Va., as bugler of Capt. Gent's Company, Caldwell's Battalion Virginia Cavalry, C. S. A. On the company roll dated August 7, 1862, only one on file, he was reported present. This battalion was consolidated with the 16th Virginia Cavalry, C.S.A., in January, 1863, and on the muster roll of Company B of that regiment dated December 31, 1864, last on file, this soldier was reported present. No later record of him has been found.



The Adjutant General.



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Crescent Okla.

Apr-16-1921

Pension Commissioner

R.C. Oklahoma City.

Sir: - In regard to enclosed papers the said Jas. Oscar Patrick is dead died the 31 day of January 1921, I am his niece & have had all the care of him for the past several yrs. I am not acquainted with your rules about any thing of this kind but if they are such that I could get at least a part of it say the Mo. of Jan. that he lived I would be very thankful. as I need it. As I am a single girl & support

myself. Hoping to hear  
from you in return mail  
Very Resp.

Electa Brookshier



To Hon. Commissioner of Pensions,  
State of Oklahoma.

Crescent Okla.  
Aug 10 - 1920.

Dear Sir:

I am now receiving a Confederate Pension from the State of Oklahoma under the laws of said State, my Pension number being P. 2454

I am 80 years old, and owing to my advanced age and physical condition am unable to earn a living by manual labor, that such disability is from natural causes incident to age.

Therefore, I respectfully request that I be placed in Class "A", under Senate Bill No. 37, passed by the 7th Legislature and approved March 25th, 1919. I herewith file Physician's certificate.

James Oscar Patrick  
(Sign here)

Witnesses: to mark  
E. W. Gumba  
W. B. Bay

The name of Patrick was written by me at his request and in his presence, and mark made by him in our presence.  
E. W. Gumba Witness to Mark.  
Attest: W. B. Bay Witness to Mark

State of Oklahoma )  
County of Logan }

Crescent Okla.  
Aug 10 - 1920.

I, W. A. Kendall, a duly registered and practicing physician in the County of Logan, Okla., do hereby certify that I am personally and well acquainted with James Oscar Patrick, who is an applicant for an increase of pension under the Statutes of Oklahoma.

That at his request I have made an examination of his physical condition and find that he is suffering from locomotor ataxia - gradual paralysis affecting principally his feet and hands which in my judgement incapacitates him from performing manual labor of any kind.

This 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1920.

W. A. Kendall M. D.