Feb 6 1907

Act of ~~June 27, 1890, and amendments thereto.~~

Declaration for Increase Pension.

STATE OF Tenn
COUNTY OF Lawrence } SS:

On this 5th day of Oct A. D. one thousand, nine hundred and eight personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, James C. Johnson aged 70 years, late a member of Co. C, 2nd Regiment " Regiment, Tenn. Vol. Cavalry, a resident of Fall River County of Lawrence, State of Tennessee R. 1 who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, under the act of June 27, 1890, enrolled at the Knoxville pension agency at the rate of $10 dollars per month. Certificate No. 431894, by reason of partial inability to earn a support by manual labor. That he never served in the army or navy of the United States prior to 16th day of Sept 1862, nor subsequent to 6th day of July 1865 186..... That he believes himself to be entitled to increase of his pension on account of the following named disabilities, to-wit: on age. That he was born on the 15th day of Sept, 1838.

This application is made under the act of Feb. 6 1907

That said disabilities are not due to vicious habits, and that they are to the best of his knowledge and belief of a permanent character. ~~He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation, TRAVIS & BROWN, of Crawfordsville, Ind., his true and lawful attorneys to prosecute his claim.~~

Also personally appeared[1] J S Green residing at Naillon Tenn and[2] William Miller residing at Hartford Tenn, persons whom I CERTIFY to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw James C Johnson, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from their acquaintance with him for fifty and fifty years, respectively, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

1 J S Green

2 William Miller

(Signature by mark MUST be attested by two persons who write.)

(Signatures of two identifying witnesses.)

State of Tennessee, County of Cocke, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 12 day of January, A. D. 1907 and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words Drice erased, and the words Hartford added and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Declaration and power of attorney valid S. A. Cuddy, Chief, Law Division. GRM 1 18 07

W N Johnson
(Official Signature.)

[L. S.]

Notary Public
(Official Character.)

Post Office address; Hartford Tenn

NOTE.—This should be sworn to before a CLERK OF COURT, NOTARY PUBLIC OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE. If executed before an officer not using a seal, his official character should be certified to by a Clerk of Court, unless there is on file in the Pension Bureau a general certificate, covering his present term, and if said certificate has been filed, he should so state opposite his signature.

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SOLDIER'S APPLICATION FOR INCREASE OR ADDITIONAL PENSION,

Act of June 27, 1890, amended May 9, 1900.

State of Tenn, County of Cocke, ss:

ON THIS 12 day of January A. D. one thousand nine hundred and Seven personally appeared before me, an officer authorized to administer oaths for general purposes, within and for the County and State aforesaid, James C. Johnson

AGED about 69 years, who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, duly enrolled at the Knoxville Pension Agency, at the rate of 10 – dollars per month,

CERTIFICATE No. 431894

That he was enrolled in Co. E –, 2, Reg't Tenn Vols., in
(State rank, company and regiment, if in the Army or vessel, if in the Navy.)

the Service of the United States, in the War of the Rebellion, served at least ninety days, and was honorably discharged.

That he never served in the military or naval service of the United States before 1862 or after 1866

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of increased disability.

That he is disabled by reason of the following disabilities: disease breast and lungs left arm and left shoulder, disease chest, diarrhoea,
(NOTE.—Here name ALL the diseases or injuries from which disabled and which are not due to vicious habits.)

He was born on the ____ day of ____ 18____

That said disabilities are not due to vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent in character and disable him from earning a support by manual labor.

That he makes this application under ACT OF JUNE 27, 1890 as amended by ACT OF MAY 9, 1900, and orders of the Commissioner of Pensions approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

GEORGE BANCROFT & CO., of Washington, D. C.,

his true and lawful attorneys, to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is ~~Drice~~ Hartford
(If in a city, give street and number of residence.)

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Also personally appeared Thomas Brown residing at Drice Tennessee and W E Moore residing at Drice Tenn, persons whom I CERTIFY to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw James A Johnson, the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing declaration; that they have every reason to believe from their acquaintance with him for Sixteen and Twenty five years, respectively, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

1 Thomas Brown

2 W. E. Moore

(Signature by mark MUST be attested by two persons who write.) (Signatures of two identifying witnesses.)

State of Tennessee, County of Cocke, ss:

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 23rd day of May, A. D., 1904 and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, &c., were fully made known and explained to the applicant and witnesses before swearing, including the words ✓ erased, and the words added and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

W H Johnson
(Official Signature.)

Notary Public
(Official Character.)

L. S.

Post Office address: Drice Tennessee

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DECLARATION FOR INVALID PENSION,

Under Act of June 27, 1890, amended by Act of May 9, 1900.

and under all orders and rulings of the Secretary of the Interior and Commissioner of Pensions.

☞ To be executed before a Court of Record or some officer thereof having custody of its seal, Notary Public, or Justice of the Peace, whose official signature shall be verified by his official seal, and in case he has none, his signature and official character shall be certified by a Clerk of a Court of Record, or a City or County Clerk.

State of Tennessee, County of Cocke, SS:

On this 28th day of May, A. D., one thousand nine hundred and four, personally appeared before me, W. H. Johnson a Notary Public within and for the County and State aforesaid, James B. Johnson, AGED 65 years, a resident of the of Bruce County of Cocke State of Tenn. who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical James C. Johnson who was ENROLLED on the day of September, 1862, in 2nd Ridgement Co-E. Private State rank, company and regiment in Military, or vessel, if in the Navy. Volunteer in the service of the United States, in the War of the Rebellion, served at least ninety days, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Nashville Tenn., on the day of, 1865

That he has been never employed in the military or naval service or otherwise than as stated above

Here state what the service was, whether prior or subsequent to that stated above and the dates at which it began and ended

That he is now unable to earn a suport by manual labor by reason Total Disabled For Here name all disabilities from which you now suffer Inguinal Laber Breast & Lungs Left arm not due to vicious habits. and Left Shoulder

Date of birth about 1839

That said disabilities are not due to vicious habits, and are to the best of his knowledge and belief permanent.

That he has applied for pension under application No. That he is a pensioner under Certificate No. 431894 at the rate of $8, per month

If a pensioner, the Certificate number and rate only need be given. If not, give the number of former application if one was made.

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension-roll of the United States under the provisions of the **Act of June 27, 1890** as amended by **Act of May 9, 1900.**

He hereby appoints, with full power of substitution and revocation,

GEORGE BANCROFT & CO., of Washington, D. C.,

his true and lawful attorneys, to prosecute his claim.

His Post Office address is Bruce

If in a city give street and number of residence.

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Department of the Interior,

PENSION OFFICE,

June 2, 1883.

ADJUTANT GEN'LS OFFICE RECEIVED JUN 6 1883

Respectfully requested of the ADJUTANT GENERAL U. S. A. a report of service and disability in the case No. 482611, of

James C Johnson
Pri. Co E 2 Tenn Cavl.

Disabled by injury to left leg, shoulder, & breast, & heart disease at Battle Creek Tenn.

Sept —, 1863.

Discharged July 5, 1865.

Please give a full military history.

Wm W Dudley
Commissioner.

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War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Sept 11, 1883.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

James C. Johnson, a Private of Company E, 2d Regiment Tenn. Cavy Volunteers, was enrolled on the 16th day of September, 1862, at Sevierville for 3 years, and is reported: on the Muster Roll of said Company for Sept. & Oct. 1862, absent captured at the battle of Stone River, Dec. 29, 1862. (Roll dated Feby 27, 1863) Nov. & Dec. 1862 and Jany & Feby 1863, (4 Month's Muster), present, and so borne to June 30, 1863. July & Aug 1863 and Sept. & Oct. 1863 (4 Month's Muster) absent sick.

H.L.L. Nov. & Dec. 1863, present, and so borne to Oct. 31, 1864. Nov. & Dec. 1864, not on file. Jany & Feby 1865, present and so borne to April 30, 1865. May & June 1865, not on file. Mustered out with Company at Nashville, Tenn., July 6, 1865, a private. Regimental Return for Sept. 1863 not on file. The Regiment was in action at Stone River, Tenn., Dec. 31, 1862.

Prisoner of War Records furnish no information.

No evidence of alleged injuries or disability.

Nature of sickness not stated.

Regimental hospital records are not on file.

N.W.H. Removal Div. 3—349 H C Lap Examiner.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF PENSIONS.

Cert. No. 431,894
James C. Johnson
E 2" Tenn. Cav.

Washington, D. C., May 3, 1912

James C. Johnson
Fall River
Tenn.

Dear Sir:

Relative to your claim for pension under act of May 11, 1912, in which you allege that you are 74 years of age, and that you were born January 15, 1838, you are advised that the best obtainable evidence of the date of your birth is required by this Bureau.

If there is a public, church, or family record of your birth, you should forward a verified copy of such record.

If there is no public or church record, and a verified copy of the family record is furnished, the officer certifying to the same should state in what year the Bible, or other book in which the record appears, was printed; whether the record bears any marks of erasure or alteration; and whether, from the appearance of the writing, he believes the entries to have been made about the dates given.

If you are unable to furnish any of the evidence indicated, you should state that fact, and the reasons why you are unable to furnish it, under oath.

Please return this letter with your reply.

Very respectfully,

H. C. Davenport,

Commissioner.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant ; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant , and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me; that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he reside

Witness my hand and official seal this 3a day of December 1887

Sign here John Ford

J P for Cocke Co Tenn

ADD SEAL HERE.

NOTE.—Should this be sworn to before any other officer than a CLERK OF COURT then the proper CLERK OF COURT *must add his certificate of character on the back hereof, and not on a separate slip of paper.*

STATE OF Tenn, *COUNTY OF* Cocke, *ss.*

I, J. T. Jones, Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that John Ford, Esq., who hath signed his name to foregoing affidavit, was at the time of so doing a Justice of the Peace in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 6" day of Decr 1887.

J. T. Jones

Clerk of the County Court

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☞ If a Notary Public (or Justice of the Peace) will put his signature and seal impress (if he has one) on a sheet of paper, and a Clerk of Court will certify that they are genuine, stating when his commission was dated and when it will expire, he can execute papers to be used in ONE DEPARTMENT ONLY during his term of office without authentication by Clerk of Court. ☞ Such Certificate for each Department where many authentications are required, will save much expense. ☜

☞ Several papers executed before one N. P. or J. P. on the same date need Co. Clerk's Certificate, on one only, if all are to be used in one case.

☞ Write an affidavit just as you would write a letter, stating all the facts, circumstances, dates and places, as near as you can remember, and if of your own personal knowledge and observation, and state how you know what you say to be true.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this day by the above named affiant ; and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant , and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that I am in nowise interested in said case, nor am I concerned in its prosecution; and that said affiant is personally known to me; that he is a creditable person and so reputed in the community in which he resides

Witness my hand and official seal this 21st day of May 1888

ADD SEAL HERE.

Sign here J. T. Jones
County Court Clerk
By Allen Bryant Dep. clk.

NOTE.—Should this be sworn to before any other officer than a CLERK OF COURT, then the proper CLERK OF COURT *must add his certificate of character on the back hereof, and not on a separate slip of paper.*

STATE OF....., *COUNTY OF*....., *ss.*

I, ..., Clerk of the County Court in and for aforesaid County and State, do certify that ....., Esq., who hath signed his name to foregoing affidavit, was at the time of so doing a.....in and for said County and State, duly commissioned and sworn; that all his official acts are entitled to full faith and credit, and that his signature thereunto is genuine.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this.....day of..... ..18

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AFFIDAVIT.

Washington, D.C.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Tennessee } SS.
County of Cocke

In the matter of Pension affidavit for James C. Johnson

Who Personally came before me, a citizen in and for aforesaid County and State, James C. Johnson, aged 47 years and ....., aged ..... years citizen of ~~the Town of~~ Nailon, County of Cocke, State of Tennessee, well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to aforesaid case, as follows:

Post Office Address.

He states that he was injured in about Sept, 1863. When at the ford at battle creek in crossing the creek his horse fell, falling on his legs, and striking his breast and shoulder against a rock, Has suffered from said injury ever since getting worse all the time.

I further declare that that I have no interest in said case, and am not concerned in

State of Texas
Lawrence County

Personally appeared before me A. A. Hagan an acting Notary Public in and for said county and State David Styles (with whom I am also acquainted) who being duly sworn deposes and says that the above mentioned James C. Johnson has lived with him ever since 1896 and that statement of his family record being burned as stated above by him is true as everything he had was burned as well as the said James C. Johnson.

This May 9. 1913.

David. Styles

Sworn and subscribed in my presence this May 9-1913

A. A. Hagan N.P.

My com exp. Sept 2-1916.

PENSION H MAY 12 1913 U. S. OFFICE

State of Tenn
County of Lawrence } Personally appeared before me A A Hagan an acting Notary Public in and for said county James C. Johnson with whom I am personally acquainted who being duly sworn deposes and says that he enlisted in the war Sept 15 1862 and that he was in his 24 year of age at that time affiant further states that he had no family record as his Fathers old family bible was destroyed by fire in Jan. 19 1903. together with his discharge and everything else except a pair of pants and a coat and that there is no one living who could tell what his age is this May 9-1913.

Sworn and Subscribed to in my presence day and date above mentioned-

James C. Johnson
Attest- master to mark
A A Hagan
David Styles

A A Hagan N.P.
my com expires
Sept 2-1916.

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Cert- No 431. 894.
James C. Johnson.
E. 2. Tenn Cav,

State of Tennessee } On this the 18th day
Cocke County } of March 1884
personly appeard James C Johnson
befour me a Justice of the Peace
who makes oath in Due form
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J P for Cocke Co.

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Cert No. 431894

James C Johnson

, Ex'r.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Washington, D. C., MAY 29 1912, 191

SIR:

Will you kindly answer, at your earliest convenience, the questions enumerated below? The information is requested for future use, and it may be of great value to your family.

Very respectfully,

James C Johnson

Hartford

Tenn

A. W. Evans
Commissioner.
SPECIAL EXAMINER
U. S. PENSION BUREAU

No. 1. Are you a married man? If so, please state your wife's full name, and her maiden name. Answer: I have been my wife is dead. my first wife

No. 2. When, where, and by whom were you married? Answer: In Cocke County Tenn in 1897 by Wm McGahee Esqr and am divorced from her now. Tenn to my first woman by John Ford Esqr I was married again in 1866

No. 3. What record of marriage exists? Answer: The records got burned. when the Court house of this County burned.

No. 4. Were you previously married? If so, please state the name of your former wife, the date of the marriage, and the date and place of her death or divorce. If there was more than one previous marriage, let your answer include all former consorts. Answer: my first wifes name was Nellie Messer. my last wifes name was Harriet Rollins.

No. 5. Have you any children living? If so, please state their names and the dates of their birth. Answer: I have not

Where is your pension Certificate? I have it with me.

Date of reply, 6-3-, 1912

James C his X Johnson

☞ Answer fully each and every question.

State of Tennessee personally apperd
Sevir County } Befor me the undersined Robert Williams and made oath that in the case of James C. Johnson an Aplicant for pension No 482411 that he was acquainted with him in the servis until his discharge and that he was disabled from som cous at the date of discharge said to be the hert of a horse and was about the 5th day of July 1865 this January the 26th 1889 Thos Johnson Robert his mark Williams
witness T. J. Dennis
Sworn to and subcribed Before me this day the above Afiant and that i am acquainted with him and that he is credible person this Jan the 26th 1889

J. K. Hartsell J. P.
in and for Sevir County

State of Tenn } this day personly appeard
ck Co } Thomas Johnson Before me W.E
Megaha } in acten Justic of the peace in
for Said county & States that he was presen
at the time that Robert Williams filed the
affidavit & that i saw him Witness it Sworn
to & Subscribed to Before me this the
11 day of March 1889 W.E Megaha J P for cocke co

Thos. Johnson (Seal)

Also personally appeared Thomas Brown residing at Drice Sum and W. E. Moore residing at Drice Sum persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit, and who, being by me duly sworn, say they were present and saw James C. Johnson the claimant, sign his name (or make his mark) to the foregoing; that they have every reason to believe, from appearance of said claimant, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be; and that they have no interest in the prosecution of this claim.

Thomas Brown
W. E. Moore
Two witnesses who can write sign here.

Sworn and subscribed before me on the day first above written; and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to applicant and witnesses before swearing, and I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

W. N. Johnson
Signature.
Notary Public
Official Character.

SPECIAL NOTICE—When increase is claimed on account of same disability for wich you are now pensioned, you can execute this declaration before any official who is duly authorized to administer oaths; but, if you claim an increase on a NEW disability, it MUST be executed before CLERK OF COURT and NO ONE ELSE.

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Declaration for Re-Rating and Increase of, or Additional Pension.

James C. Johnson, Applicant,
Co., E, 2" Reg't,
Sum, Cav Vols.

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