

Robert Bowling's Application for Relief for Disability

APPLICATION FOR RELIEF BY MAIMED SOLDIERS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

County of Washington

Personally appeared before me B.F. Porter Judge of Probate in and for said County. Capt [sic] Robert L. Bowling who, being duly sworn, deposeth [sic] and saith that he was a citizen of this State at the time he rendered the Military Service hereinafter referred to; that he was at the time of the passage of "An Act for the relief of Maimed Soldiers," approved March 1st, 1881, and is now, a resident of said State. Applicant further deposeth [sic] and saith, that he was a member of Company A of 32 Regiment of Alabama Volunteers in the Military Service of the Confederates States, and while in such service, and in the discharge of his duty, he was on the 31st day of December 1863 at Murfreesboro in the State of Tennessee wounded. In consequence of which wound he has been materially disabled by a gunshot wound in left arm rendering it useless. The bones from wrist to elb [sic] shattered and one near wrist all take out applicant further deposeth [sic] and saith that he has [STATE WHAT HE HAS RECEIVED] not received the benefit of former Acts for the relief of maimed soldiers, as passed by the several Legislatures of this State, and that he is entitled to the relief provided for under the Act "For the relief of Maimed Soldiers," approved March 1st, 1881. And that he is now engaged in business as a Farmer in the State of Alabama.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of April 1881.

BF Porter Judge of Probate of Washington County.

R L Bowling Applicant.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,

COUNTY OF Washington I hereby certify that the original copy of the foregoing application and affidavit is on file in my office, and that I believe that the statements made therein are entitled to credit.

Given under my hand, this the 9th day of April 1881.

B. F. Porter

JUDGE OF PROBATE OF Washington COUNTY.

*Lost an arm or leg or has been materially disabled, and if disabled state the disability.

Original to be filed in the office of Judge of Probate.