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Soldier's Application.

UNDER ACT 1910.

County

Name

Company

Regiment

Approved

J. W. LINDSEY,

Commissioner of Pensions

CHAS. P. BYRD, State Printer, Atlanta.

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AFFIDAVIT OF TWO FREEHOLDERS.

STATE OF GEORGIA.

Gilmer County.

Personally before me comes N L Tankersley & J O Crawford who on oath says that they are freeholders residing in said County and we know A J Cole the applicant for pension and we know the property that is now in the use, possession and control of himself and wife and of its cash value to wit: (Make List by items and value.)

210 acres land value \$1200
Number 20. value 2 Houses 250.00 - 282
1482

1. What property, if any, has been sold or given away by the applicant or his wife since 4 Nov 1908? (State it fully by items.) 1 yearling to M B Smith 16

2. When and to whom was it sold or given to? 1909 to M B Smith

3. What was the price paid or stated to be paid? \$16

4. What relation is the party to applicant? None

5. What disposition was made of the proceeds of the sale? used for expenses

6. Was the disposition of this property made in good faith and full value? Yes
or was it made to obtain a pension? No

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 8 day of Nov 1910
T H Pabor Ordinary,
of Gilmer County.

ORDINARY'S CERTIFICATE.

STATE OF GEORGIA.

Gilmer County.

I, T H Pabor Ordinary of said County, certify that I know the applicant A J Cole for Pension is the person he represents himself to be and resides in said County. That I also know John Hammond & N L Tankersley witness swearing to the service and John Hammond & J O Crawford who are freeholders, that they are all residents of said County and were duly sworn by me before signing the foregoing affidavit and they are all truthful and trustworthy and their statements are entitled to full faith and credit. That the Tax Results of 1908 shows that A J Cole and wife value for tax is in 1908 \$1404 for 1909 \$1395 for 1910 \$1482

Sworn under my hand and official seal of office this 8 day of Nov 1910

T H Pabor Ordinary,
of Gilmer County.

NOTES 1. Before any questions are answered the Ordinary shall swear applicant and all witnesses in the following words "You do solemnly swear that you will truthfully make to each question asked you and the evidence you shall give shall be the whole truth, so help you God."
2. Additional affidavits may be attached if blank spaces are sufficient.
3. All affidavits must be made before the Ordinary and certified by him.
4. If applicant has no property at all in his possession, use or control of said wife affidavit of freeholders unnecessary.

QUESTIONS FOR WITNESS AS TO SERVICE.

STATE OF GEORGIA.

Gilmer County.

John Hammond of said State and County is hereby presented as a witness in support of the application of A J Cole for the pension provided by the Act of 1910, in said State, and after being sworn true answers to make to the questions propounded, answers as follows:

1. What is your name and where do you reside? John Hammond Ellijay, Gilmer Co Ga

2. How long and since when have you known A J Cole the applicant? 48 years or longer since 1862

3. Where does he now reside, and since when has he been a bona fide, continuing resident in this State and how do you know? In Gilmer Co Ga 18 years to my knowledge
I have lived in the State with him

4. When, where and in what Company and Regiment did A J Cole enlist during war from 1861 to 1865? (Give date and place) May 12 1862 Fort Elbert, Ga. C H. 65th

5. How did you obtain your information of this Service? I was in the army with him every day

6. How long within your own personal knowledge did he perform actual military service with this Company and Regiment? (give date) 2 years & 9 mos From May 12 1862 to 1865

7. When and where was his Command surrendered or discharged (give date and place) April 1865 at Greensboro N C

8. Were you personally present at the Surrender? No

9. If not, where were you and how came you there? I surrendered at Kingston, Ga. I was sick and wounded

10. Was the applicant personally present with his Command at surrender? No

11. If not where was he and how came him there? He with all soldiers north of the Chattahoochee River were ordered to join Gen. Kafford

12. When did he leave his Command? In Feb 1865 Where was his Command when he left it? at Milledgeville Ga for what cause did he leave? was furloughed

By whose authority did he leave? His superior officers and how long was he granted leave? 30 days How do you know all that you have stated to be true? of my own knowledge (Tell clearly and specifically) I was

then and there present with him

13. In what way was he prevented from returning to his Command? By order of Gen. Kafford How do you know? of my own knowledge

14. What effort did he make to return to his Command and how do you know? None - Could not make this order

15. Was applicant captured as a prisoner? No If so, when and where? Notime now

In what prison was he held? None and when released?

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 8 day of Nov 1910
T H Pabor Ordinary,
of Gilmer County.

APPLICATION FOR SOLDIER'S PENSION UNDER ACT 1910

Questions for Applicants to Answer

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer a County of said State and County, hereby applies for the pension provided by Act of 1910, to Confederate Soldiers, and submits his sworn statement, with his testimony to make out the same, and after being duly sworn true answers to make to the questions propounded, answers as follows, to wit:

1. What is your name and where do you reside? (Give County and Post office)
A. J. Cole Gilmer Post Office
2. How long and since when have you been a continuous resident citizen of this State?
69 years since 1841
3. Did you enlist in the Army of the Confederate States or of the Organized Militia of this State from 1861 to 1865?
Army of the Confederate States
4. When and where, and in what Company and Regiment did you enlist? (Give the arm and place of Service)
May 12, 1862, at Gilmer, Ga. Co. H. 1st Regt. Inf. 1st Div. 1st Army
5. How long did you remain in the actual military service with said Company?
about 2 yrs & 8 months from 1862 until Jan. 1865
6. When and where was your Company and Regiment surrendered or discharged from the service?
April 1865 at Durham, N.C. 2d Commanded at Durham, N.C. 2d Army
7. Were you actually present with your Command when it was surrendered or discharged?
Yes
8. If you were not actually present, state specifically and clearly where you were.
I was present May 12, 1862 at the battle of Gettysburg
- a. Where was your Command when you left it?
at the battle of Gettysburg
- b. When did you leave the Command?
About Jan. 1865
- c. For what cause did you leave?
By my own desire
- d. By whose authority did you leave?
By my own desire
- e. For how long was your leave granted? In what way?
20 days by my own desire
- f. Why did you not return to your Command after leave expired?
I was ordered to go back
- g. In what way were you prevented?
By the illness of my wife
- h. What effort did you make to return?
None I stayed in the home
- i. Were you captured during the war?
No
- j. If so, when, and where? In what prison were you held and when were you released?
No
9. What property of every description was owned in the use, possession and control of yourself and wife, and its cash value on the 4 Nov. 1908? (Make list by items and value)
210 acres land value \$1200
Furniture 20 articles 2 horses 250 value 250
10. What property of any kind have you or your wife disposed of and for what price since 4 Nov. 1908. To whom and for what price?
1 yearling to M. B. Smith
11. What property of any description of any kind, and of any value now owned and in the use, possession and control of yourself and wife and its cash value? (Make itemized list)
210 acres land value \$1200
Furniture 20 articles 2 horses 250 value 250
12. What annual or monthly income or earnings of yourself and wife and the amount of the same?
None
13. Are you drawing a pension of any amount from the Government?
No
14. Have you ever applied for the Georgia pension law and if not, why not?
Not allowed

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the

day of Nov 1910

AFFIDAVIT OF TWO FREEHOLDERS.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

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yes

or was it made to obtain a pension?
No

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the

8 day of Nov 1910

T. H. Taber Ordinary,

of Gilmer County.

ORDINARY'S CERTIFICATE.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

I, T. H. Taber Ordinary of said County, certify that I know the applicant A. J. Cole for Pension is the person he represents himself to be and resides in said County. That I also know John Hammond & N. L. Tankersley who are freeholders, that they are all residents of said County and were duly sworn by me before signing the foregoing affidavit and they are all truthful and trustworthy and their statements are entitled to full faith and credit. That the Tax Results of 1908 shows that A. J. Cole and wife

value for tax is in 1908 \$ 1404 for 1909 \$ 1395 for 1910 \$ 1482

Sworn under my hand and official seal of office this 8 day of Nov 1910

T. H. Taber Ordinary,
of Gilmer County.

- NOTES 1. Before any questions are answered the Ordinary shall swear applicant and all witnesses in the following words "You do solemnly swear that you will true answers make to each question asked you and the evidence you shall give shall be the whole truth, so help you God."
2. Additional oaths may be required if the Ordinary deems it necessary.
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4. If applicant has no property at all in his possession, use or control of self and wife, affidavits of freeholders unnecessary.

GEORGIA, Gilmer County.

I, Robert Ordinary of said county, do certify
that I personally know A. J. Cole, the applicant, and that she
is the lawful widow of A. J. Cole, and was on
the Service Pension Roll of said Gilmer county, and was paid
a Pension from Gilmer county for 1913, and at the time
of his death on the 13th day of Jan, 1914, there was due to
him and unpaid his Pension of Eighty Dollars from the State
of Georgia, and I know C. M. Tatum the within
witness, and he is of a truthful and trustworthy character and entitled to full credit.

Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of Feb, 1914.

Robert Ordinary,
Gilmer County.

Cole, A. J.
Gilmer Co.

No. _____

1914

Application for Pension Due Deceased Soldier

UNDER ACT 1891

To be paid to Widow or Dependent Children

BY

Mrs.

A. J. Cole

Widow of

A. J. Cole

of

Gilmer

County

Co.

Regt.

Vol.

Approved and paid

1914.

J. W. LINDSEY,

Commissioner of Pensions

GEORGIA, _____ County.

I hereby authorize and constitute _____ of said county, my
lawful attorney to collect and receipt for me in my name the Pension due me for 19____, through my
deceased husband, _____, who was on _____
Pension Roll and paid from _____ for 19____.

Witness my hand this _____ day of _____, 19____.

Attested before me:

Application for Pension Due Deceased Soldier

To be paid to his widow or dependent children.

UNDER ACT APPROVED OCTOBER 9, 1891

STATE OF GEORGIA, Silverson County.

Personally before me comes Mrs. R. D. Cole, of said county, after being duly sworn, on oath says that she is the widow of A. G. Cole who was duly enrolled as a service Pensioner from the county of Silverson and was paid a Pension of Twenty Dollars from Silverson county for 1913, and that the said A. G. Cole died in Silverson county on the 13th day of Jan 1914, and at the time of his death a Pension of \$6.00 was due him from Silverson county and unpaid for 1914. Applicant further swears that she married the said A. G. Cole on the 13th day of April 1892 in Silverson county and State of Georgia, and resided with him from the date of marriage to his death as his lawful wife, and is now his dependent widow, and she asks that the Pension so due and unpaid be paid to her.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of Feb 1914.
M. H. Hart Ordinary. } R. D. Cole (L. S.)
Silverson County.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESS.

GEORGIA, Silverson County.

Personally before me comes C. M. Tatum, who on oath says that he knew A. G. Cole while in life and that he knows Mrs. R. D. Cole the above applicant; that he knows that the said A. G. Cole and R. D. Cole were in due form of law married in the county of Silverson in the State of Georgia on the 13th day of April 1892 and that they resided together as husband and wife from date of marriage to the day of his death on the 13th day of Jan 1914, and I now know that she is his dependent widow.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of Feb 1914.
M. H. Hart Ordinary. } C. M. Tatum
Silverson County.

OFFICE OF

THE ORDINARY.

OF THE COUNTY OF GEORGIA.

T. H. TABOR, Ordinary.

Ellijay, Ga., ----- 191

Georgia, Gilmer County:

Personally came before the undersigned Ordinary A. W. Munkersley who on oath says:

I know A. J. Cole I was in the Western Army with him. We were both paroled early in 1865. We both came to Gilmer County, and we together with all soldiers north of the Chattahoochee River were ordered to go in under General Wofford. I know that A. J. Cole belonged to Capt. Brown's Co. and Edmondson's Bat. and that he surrendered on May 12 1865 at Kingston, Ga.

Subscribed before me

This 8th day of Nov 1910

T. H. Tabor,

Ordinary

A. W. ^{his} Munkersley
may

Georgia, Gilmer County:-

Personally came before the undersigned Ordinary L. M. Coffee of said County who on oath says:-

I know that Gen. Hood issued General order No 1 to allow one out of every 15 Confederate soldiers then and there ready for duty to be paroled as stated by Mr. A. J. Cole in his affidavit. I was then with him in the army.

Subscribed before me,

This May 27, 1911

T. H. Tabor

Ordinary

L. M. Coffee

Georgia, Gilmer County:-

I, T. H. Tabor Ordinary of said County do hereby state that I am personally well acquainted with B. & Charles and L. M. Coffee witnesses for A. J. Cole in the foregoing application for pension and that that they are truthful and trustworthy and their statements worthy of full faith and credit. Witness my official signature and seal of office this May 27 1911

T. H. Tabor

Ordinary

Georgia: Gilmer County:-

Personally came before the undersigned
Ordinary B. G. Charles, of said County
who on oath says:

I know A. J. Cole, the
applicant. I know that his affidavit is true
regarding Gen Hood's order No 1, and that he
was furloughed under it and that all soldiers
north of the Chattahoochee river were ordered
to go in the army under Gen. Wofford. A. J.
Cole did so, as I also did. A. J. Cole joined
C. B. (Capt Brown's) Edmundson's Batt. and
served in it till the close of the war and was
with me under Gen Wofford May 12, 1865,
at Kingston Ga.

I know of my own knowledge that A. J.
Cole first enlisted in May 12, 1862, in Co. H.
"65" Ga. and afterwards ^{served} as above stated by him
and that he never was absent without leave.

To my certain knowledge he had an honorable
leave of absence from his first Command and
he obeyed orders in joining his last Command.
I was in the same regiment with A. J. Cole in
his first service and in the same Brigade with
him in his last service. He made a good sol-
dier. I know whereof I speak. We enlisted
and surrendered & gotten

known to and subscribed before me,

This May 27, 1911

J. H. Gabor

Ordry.

B. G. Charles

Georgia, Gilmer County:-

Personally came before the under-
signed, Ordinary A. J. Cole, of said
County, who on oath says:

I am 70 years
old (nearly August). As set out in my applica-
tion, I enlisted in the C. S. Army on May 12, 1862
and served all the time to May 12, 1865, except
while absent on furlough. I never was absent
without leave. In Jan, 1865, I was furloughed
under General Order No 1, of Gen Hood and
came home to Gilmer Co. Ga. This order gave me
a soldier a furlough, out of every 15, then and there
present for duty. This gave me an honorable
leave of absence. ^{from Gen Hood's Command} I went home direct and was
ordered, with all ^{Confederate} soldiers ~~to join the Wofford~~

then north of the Chattahoochee river to join
Gen Wofford and I obeyed this order before
my furlough of thirty days expired by joining Capt
Brown's Co. "B" - Edmundson's Batt. which was not
numbered. I also see in the Gilmer Co. Pension

Record & Roll that some of my Comrades are
now drawing a State Pension under the name
of Edmundson's Batt with no number given.
I served in this Co. Batt. till the close of the war and
surrendered at Kingston Ga. May 12, 1865, with Wofford.

I did hard service in this Command, being in several
engagements. Col. Tom Polk Edmundson's ^{on Command} was killed
in one of these engagements, close to me, and I ~~fully~~
fully submit that the entire statement, clearly accounts
for an honorable absence from my first Command

and ~~and~~ continued service from enlistment
th ~~surrendered~~ in 1865. I have but one leg now
my blood stained, they are on the battlefield of ~~Griffin~~ ^{Griffin} Tenn.
known to and subscribed before me.
This May 27, 1911
J. H. Gabor

A. J. Cole

GEORGIA, GILMER COUNTY.

I, W. A. Cox, Ordinary of said County hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true copy of the marriage license of Andrew J. Cole, and Rebecca S. Debord as shown by the record of Marriage license Book "B" page 173, in office of Ordinary of Gilmer County.

Given under my hand and seal of Office this 31st day of February 1914.



Ordinary Gilmer County

MARRIAGE LICENSE

OF

AND

ISSUED _____ 19

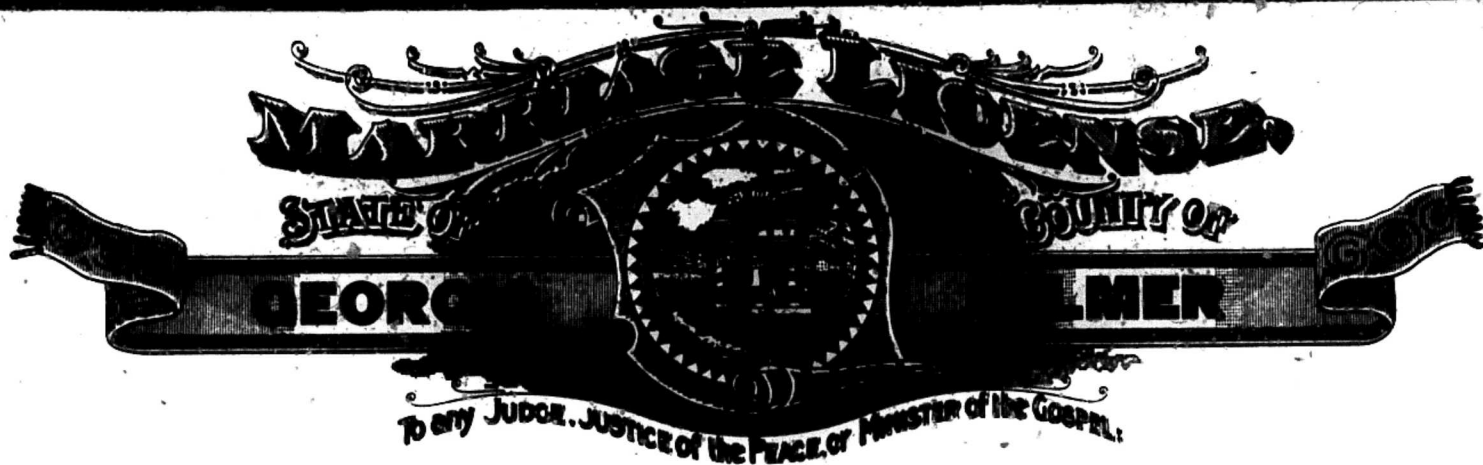
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BOOK _____ OF MARRIAGE LICENSES.

ORDINARY.

MARSHALL'S BUSINESS CO., MARIETTA

Book B. Page 173



Asbury J. Cole and *Rebecca S. Osburn*
You are hereby authorized to join
in the Holy State of Matrimony, according to the Constitution and
Laws of this State, and for so doing, this shall be your License.
And you are hereby required to return this License to me, with your
Certificate hereon of the fact and date of the Marriage.
Given under my hand and seal, this *18th* day of
April *1882*.

J. C. Allen L.S.
Ordinary

STATE OF GEORGIA

CERTIFICATE

GILMER COUNTY.

I Certify that *A. J. Cole* and *Rebecca S. Osburn*
were joined in Matrimony by me this *13th* day of *April* *1882*.

Recorded *Feb. 1st*

1883

J. C. Allen Ordinary.

D. C. Osburn M &