

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gibson

County }

Henry Cordell

of *Shulton County Georgia*

hereby authorize

to receive and receipt for the pension allowed and request that he remit same to

Cordell at *Camden Ga* by *Chick*

Witness my hand and seal this

5

day of *April*

1895.

Executed in presence of

Wm Johnson *Henry Cordell*
Gibson *Chick*

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Cordell Henry
No. 803
Gibson Co.

INDIGENT PENSION
1895.

Name *Henry Cordell*
County *Gibson*

Ground *Age 67 years & 6 months*

July 1 1896 1895.

RICHARD JOHNSON,

Secretary Executive Department.

WARRANT HANDED TO

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POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County,

Richmond County, *Henry Cordell* hereby authorize *Wm. C. Wright* of *Fulton County Georgia*

to receive and receipt for the pension allowed and request that he remit same to *Cordell* at *Cordell's* by *Chick*

Witness my hand and seal this *5* day of *April* 1895.

Executed in presence of

Wm. C. Wright *Henry Cordell*
Richmond *Richmond*

QUESTIONS FOR APPLICANT.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County,

Richmond County, *Henry Cordell* of said State and County, desiring to avail himself of the Pension Act approved December 15th, 1894, hereby submits his proofs, and after being duly sworn true answers to make to the following questions, deposes and answers as follows:

1. What is your name and where do you reside? (give State, County and post office). *Cordell P. D. Richmond County Ga*
2. Where did you reside on January 1st, 1894, and how long have you been a resident of this State? *Pickens County Ga and in the State 27 years*
3. When and where were you born? *in 1830 - Surry Co. N. C.*
4. Did you volunteer in the Confederate Army or in the Georgia Militia? *Confederate Army*
5. When and where did you enlist? *April 1 - 1862 at Pickens County Ga*
6. In what company and regiment did you enlist? *Co. D - 20th N. C. Regt.*
7. How long did you remain in that company and regiment? *Three years*
8. If you were discharged from same and joined another, or if you were transferred to another, give an account of such discharge or transfer? *No transfer or discharge*
9. For how long a period did you discharge regular military duty? *Three years*
10. When, where, and under what circumstances were you discharged from service? *after 3 years*
11. What is your present occupation? *Nothing suitable to labor*
12. How much can you earn per annum by your own exertions or labor? *Nothing*
13. What has been your occupation since 1865? *Nothing*
14. What sum would be necessary for your support for this pension year, and how much are you able to contribute thereto either in labor or income? *100th Dollars*
15. What is your present physical condition and how long have you been in such condition? *Spinal Palsy, Liver Trouble, Stomach, Heart, Etc. etc. and in the State 27 years*
16. Upon which of the following grounds do you base your application for pension, viz.: first, "age and poverty," second "infirmary and poverty" or third "blindness and poverty"? *upon the 1st and 2nd*
17. If upon the first ground, state how long you have been in such condition that you could not earn your support? If upon the second, give a full and complete history of the infirmity and its extent. If upon the third state whether you are totally blind and when and where you lost your sight? *5 and 6 years old - and do not own any property at all and on account of illness above named I am completely Emancipated and cannot write at any work or calling*
18. What property, effects or income do you possess? *None*

19. What property, effects or income did you possess in 1893 and in 1894 and what disposition, if any, did you make of same? *about 40 acres of land in Pickens County Georgia worth about 40 dollars and I leave this to my Son for support during the last years of his life*
20. In what County did you reside during those years and what property did you then retain for taxation? *I Pickens County and retained 40 acres of land worth 40 dollars*
21. How were you supported during the years 1893 and 1894? *By my Son*
22. How much did your support cost for each of those years, and what portion did you contribute thereto by your own labor or income? *about twenty five dollars*
23. What was your employment during 1893 and 1894? What pay did you receive in each year? *Nothing*
24. Are you married and have you a family? If so, is your wife living and how many children have you? Give age and sex of children and their means of support? *yes yes - 2 - 1 son - 1 daughter - 20 & 22 years old - very poor almost as dull as mine*

INDIGENT PENSION

1895.

Name *Henry Cordell*
County *Richmond*

Ground *Age - Spinal Palsy & Poverty*
July 1st 1895

RICHARD JOHNSON,

Secretary Executive Department.

WARRANT HANDED TO

Wm. C. Wright
Geo. W. Harrison, State Printer, Atlanta.

25. Are you receiving a pension under any law of this State, if so what amount and for what disability?

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the

5 day of April 1895.

Ordinary

of

County.

QUESTIONS FOR WITNESS.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County.

I, *Henry Cordell*, of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of *Henry Cordell* for pension under the Act approved December 15th, 1894, and after being duly sworn true answers to make to the following questions, deposes and answers as follows:

1. What is your name and where do you reside? *O. J. Southard, Pickens County, Georgia.*

2. Are you acquainted with *Henry Cordell*, the applicant, if so how long have you known him? *Yes, from 1862 to 1894.*

3. Where does he reside, and how long has he been a resident of this State? *He resides in Georgia about 27 years.*

4. Do you know of his having served in the Confederate army or the Georgia militia? How do you know this? *Yes, he served in the Confederate army in 1862-25 of Sept in the 2nd Regt.*

5. When, where and in what company and regiment did he enlist? *in 1862 - in the 2nd Regt. in the 2nd Regt.*

6. Were you a member of the same company and regiment? *I was.*

7. How long did he perform regular military duty, and what do you know of his service as a Confederate soldier, and the time and circumstances of his discharge from the service? *He was discharged in 1864, and he was discharged in 1864.*

8. What property, effects or income did the applicant? (Give your means of knowledge.) *None, he has no property or income.*

9. What property, effects or income did the applicant possess in 1893 and 1894, and what disposition, if any, did he make of same? *None, he has no property or income.*

10. What is the applicant's occupation and physical condition? *He is a farmer, and he is a farmer.*

11. Is the applicant unable to support himself by labor of any sort, if so, why? *Yes, he is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.*

12. How was he supported during the years 1893 and 1894? *He was supported by his family.*

13. What portion of his support for these two years was derived from his own labor or income? *Nothing, he was supported by his family.*

14. Give a full and complete statement of the applicant's physical condition that entitles him to a pension under the Act of December 15th, 1894? *He is old and completely broken down, and he is unable to do any work.*

What interest have you in the recovery of a pension by this applicant? *None.*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

the 5 day of April 1895.

Applicant.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIANS.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County.

Personally came before me

W. W. Watkins

and

J. S. Tarkenton

both known to me as reputable physicians

of said county, who being severally sworn, say on oath that they have examined carefully

Henry Cordell, applicant for pension under the Act of 1894, and after such personal examination, say that his precise physical condition is as follows:

That he now suffers with a spinal affection, that he can't stoop to his knees, can't use his right arm to his mind, can only hobble about, can't now do any work resulting in Paralysis.

We further say on oath that the physical condition of applicant renders him unable to labor at any work or calling sufficient to earn a support for himself, and that we have no interest in said pension being allowed.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

the 5 day of April 1895.

W. W. Watkins

ORDINARY'S CERTIFICATE.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County.

I, *W. W. Watkins*, Ordinary in and for said County, hereby certify that

the applicant *Henry Cordell* resides in said County, and was a bona

fide resident of this State on the first day of January, 1894, and that the witnesses, viz: *O. J. Southard, J. S. Tarkenton, W. W. Watkins*

are of trustworthy character and that their statements are entitled to full faith and credit.

I further certify that before answering the foregoing questions, the applicant and each witness took the oath hereon prescribed, and that the full text of the affidavits was read to the applicant and witnesses before same were signed.

I further certify that the tax digest of *Pickens County* County show that applicant

returned for taxation in his name in 1893, *Pickens County* dollars

of property, and in 1894, *Pickens County* dollars of property.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this *5th* day of *April*, 1895.

W. W. Watkins Ordinary of *Pickens* County.

NOTE.

Before any questions are answered, the Ordinary shall swear applicant and the witnesses in the following words: "You shall true answers make to each of the questions asked of you; and the evidence you shall give will be the whole truth, so help you God."

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County,

I, Henry Cordell, hereby authorize Allen J. Cordell of Spalding Co. Ga.

to receive and receipt for the pension paid hereon and request that he remit same to me by check.

at Atlanta Ga.
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 1st day of January, 1897.

Executed in presence of

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

State of Georgia,

County,

I, Henry Cordell, hereby authorize A.D. Candler of Atlanta Ga.

to receive and receipt for the pension paid hereon and request that he remit same to me through the Ordinary by check at Atlanta Ga.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 1st day of January, 1898.

Executed in presence of

J. C. Candler
Ordinary

Cordell, Henry
Gilmer Co
ACT OF 13 DEC., 1896.
(For These Already Enrolled.)
No. 721
INDIGENT
Soldier's Pension.
1897.
Name _____
County _____
1/14 1897.
RICHARD JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Pensions.
WARRANT HANDED TO
ADC
REC'D W. HARRISON STATE PRINTER, ATLANTA.
No date

Cordell, Henry
Gilmer Co
ACT OF 13 DEC., 1896.
(For These Already Enrolled.)
No. 1577
INDIGENT
SOLDIER'S PENSION,
1898.
Name Henry Cordell
County Gilmer
WARRANT ISSUED
1/14 1898.
RICHARD JOHNSON,
Commissioner of Pensions.
WARRANT HANDED TO
ADC
REC'D W. HARRISON STATE PRINTER, ATLANTA.
No date

For Applicants Heretofore Allowed Pensions.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

Personally appears Henry Cordell of Gilmer County, State of Georgia, who being duly sworn, says on oath that he is a *bona fide* citizen and resident of said County and State, and has resided in said State continuously ever since the day of April of 1867; that he is 62 years old and by occupation a Farmer; that he enlisted in the military service of the Confederate States (or of the State of SC) during the war between the States, and served for the term of 9 months in Company D, of 25th Regiment of North Carolina vols; that his physical condition is as follows: 62 years old, spinal affection with paralysis, rendering him unable to labor at any kind of calling; that his property consists of the following items: nothing

of the value of nothing Dollars, that by reason of his physical condition and poverty he is unable to support himself by his own exertion or labor, and that he receives no pension but the one herein applied for.

Deponent desires to participate in the benefits of the Act, approved December 15th, 1894, and the acts amendatory thereof, and makes application for the pension to which he is entitled for the year 1897. I have heretofore as a resident of Gilmer county been allowed a pension for the year 1890.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 1st day of January, 1897. Henry Cordell Ordinary.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

I, John C. Allen Ordinary of said County, do certify that I am well acquainted with Henry Cordell the applicant in the foregoing affidavit, and am well satisfied that the statements made by him in his said affidavit are true, and I know he is the individual he represents himself to be and that he resides in this County.

Given under my official signature and seal, this 8 day of January, 1897.



John C. Allen Ordinary Gilmer County.

NOTE—The blank spaces must be filled.

For Applicants Heretofore Allowed Pensions.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

Personally appears Henry Cordell of Gilmer County, State of Georgia, who being duly sworn, says on oath that he is a *bona fide* citizen and resident of said County and State, and has resided in said State continuously ever since the day of of 1867; that he is 63 years old and by occupation a Farmer; that he enlisted in the military service of the Confederate States (or of the State of SC) during the war between the States, and served for the term of 9 months in Company D, of 25th Regiment of SC vols; that his physical condition is as follows: spinal affection with paralysis, rendering him unable to work at any calling; that his property consists of the following items: nothing

of the value of nothing Dollars, that by reason of his physical condition and poverty he is unable to support himself by his own exertion or labor, and that he receives no pension but the one herein applied for.

Deponent desires to participate in the benefits of the Act, approved December 15th, 1894, and the acts amendatory thereof, and makes application for the pension to which he is entitled for the year 1898. I have heretofore as a resident of Gilmer county been allowed a pension for the year 1897.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 1st day of January, 1898. Henry Cordell Ordinary.

State of Georgia,

Gilmer County.

I, John C. Allen Ordinary of said County, do certify that I am well acquainted with Henry Cordell the applicant in the foregoing affidavit, and am well satisfied that the statements made by him in his said affidavit are true, and I know he is the individual he represents himself to be and that he resides in this County.

Given under my official signature and seal, this 1st day of January, 1898.



John C. Allen Ordinary Gilmer County.

NOTE—The blank spaces must be filled.

CODE SEC. 1284.

(For Those Already Enrolled.)
 20 Nov 1902

No. 318

INDIGENT

SOLDIER'S PENSION,
 1899.

Name Henry Cordell
 County Gilmer

WARRANT ISSUED

1899

RICHARD JOHNSON,
 (Commissioner of Pensions.)

WARRANT HANDED TO

W. A. W.

Geo. W. Harrison, State Printer, Atlanta.

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

I, Henry Cordell, hereby authorize

John W. A. Wright of Atlanta Ga.

to receive and receipt for the pension allowed, and request that he remit same to
me through the Ordinary at Ellijay Ga.
 by Check

Witness my hand and seal this 7th day of January 1899.

Executed in presence of
Henry Cordell (L. S.)

POWER OF ATTORNEY.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

I, Henry Cordell, hereby authorize

John W. A. Wright of Atlanta Ga.

to receive and receipt for the pension allowed and request that he remit same to
me through Ordinary at Ellijay Ga.
 by Check

Witness my hand and seal, this 7th day of January 1902.

Henry Cordell (L. S.)

Executed in presence of

J. C. Collins
Ordinary

CODE SECTION 1284.
 (FOR THOSE ALREADY ENROLLED.)

No. 5437

From Pickett 1907
 INDIGENT

SOLDIER'S PENSION
 1902.

Name Henry Cordell
 County Gilmer
 Co. D-25th Regiment U. S. C.

WARRANT ISSUED

1902

JOHN W. LINDSEY,
 (Commissioner of Pensions.)

WARRANT HANDED TO

Geo. W. Harrison, State Printer, Atlanta.

For Applicants Heretofore Allowed Pensions.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

Personally appears Henry Cordell of Gilmer County, State of Georgia, who being duly sworn, says on oath that he is a *bona fide* citizen and resident of said County and State, and has resided in said State continuously ever since the 1867 day of 1867; that he is 64 years old and by occupation a farmer; that he enlisted in the military service of the Confederate States (or of the State of Georgia) during the war between the States, and served for the term of 2 years in Company D, of 25th Regiment of N.C. Vols.; that his physical condition is as follows: Spinal affection with paralysis rendering him unable to labor at any work or calling

that his property consists of the following items:

No

of the value of No Dollars, that by reason of his physical condition and poverty he is unable to support himself by his own exertion or labor, and that he receives no pension but the one herein applied for.

Deponent desires to participate in the benefits of the Act, approved December 15th, 1894, and the acts amendatory thereof, and makes application for the pension to which he is entitled for the year 1899. I have heretofore as a resident of Gilmer county been allowed a pension for the year 1898

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the

7 day of January, 1899.

Ordinary.

State of Georgia,

Gilmer County.

I, J.C. Allen, Ordinary of said County,

do certify that I am well acquainted with Henry Cordell the applicant in the foregoing affidavit, and am well satisfied that the statements made by him in his said affidavit are true, and I know he is the individual he represents himself to be and that he resides in this County.

Given under my official signature and seal, this

day of January, 1899.

Ordinary Gilmer County.

NOTE.—The blank spaces must be filled.

NOTE.—Affidavit should not be attested before January 1st, 1899.

FOR APPLICANTS HERETOFORE ALLOWED PENSIONS.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

Personally appears Henry Cordell of Gilmer County, State of Georgia, who being duly sworn, says on oath that he is a *bona fide* citizen and resident of said County and State, and has resided in said State continuously ever since the 1867 day of 1867; that he is 66 years old and by occupation a farmer that he enlisted in the military service of the Confederate States (or of the State of Georgia) during the war between the States, and served for the term of 3 years in Company D, of 25th Regiment of N.C. Vols.; that his physical condition is as follows: Spinal affection and paralysis rendering him unable to do any work whatever

that his property consists of the following items:

No property

of the value of No Dollars, that by reason of his physical condition and poverty he is unable to support himself by his own exertion or labor, and that he receives no pension but the one herein applied for.

Deponent desires to participate in the benefits of the Act, approved December 15th, 1894, and the Acts amendatory thereof, and makes application for the pension to which he is entitled for the year 1902. I have heretofore as a resident of Pickens county been allowed a pension for the year 1901

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the

7 day of January, 1902.

Ordinary.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Gilmer County.

I, J.C. Allen, Ordinary of said County, do certify that I am well acquainted with Henry Cordell the applicant in the foregoing affidavit, and am well satisfied that the statements made by him in his said affidavit are true, and I know he is the individual he represents himself to be and that he resides in this County.

Given under my official signature and seal, this

day of January, 1902.

Ordinary Gilmer County.

NOTE.—The blank spaces must be filled.
NOTE.—Affidavit should not be attested before January 1st, 1902.

Georgia,

Holmes

County.

I the undersigned do certify that Henry Cordell now of the
County Wilkes is the same person who as Indigent
pensioner was on the pension rolls of this county, and drew a pension of 60 dollars
for 1900, and the bearer is same man.

Given under my hand and official seal of office

Jan'y 4th

1901.

C. J. Conditon Clerk [L. S.]

SEAL

Question 20-- As in Explanation to Question
20-- applicant Henry Cordell in the
year 1893 & 1894 lived in Pickens County and the
Tass digest there will show that he returned 100--
acres of land in his name when in fact he did
not own but 40 acres of said land that he made
return for his son and also for Henry
Cordell who then lived in Wilkes County and
the land returned by applicant was the property
of Samuel Brown Cordell and C. M. Cordell &
W. C. Cordell 40 acres that said Samuel & C. M. & W. C.
then all this applicant owned of said
land the value thereof was not more than
400 dollars that said land was as stated given
to his son for support and help as applicant
unable to support this land.
Given to and subvented } Henry Cordell
before me April 5 1897 } Wm. H. H.
W. H. H.
Ordinary