

PENSIONERS now on the ROLL are NOT required to make new application, but must file annual certificate.

(No application will be entertained not on the printed form.)

FORM No. 5

ON of a widow of a Soldier, Sailor, or Marine of the Late Confederacy Under Act Approved February 23, 1918, as Amended by Act Approved March 16, 1920.

1924. Sarah J. Johnson do hereby apply for a pension under the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved March 10, 1918, and on and after February 22, 1918, subject to Congressional enactment.

I do solemnly swear that I am a citizen of the State of Virginia, and that I have been an actual resident of the said State for two years next preceding the date of this application, and that I am the widow of Benjamin Franklin Johnson, who was a soldier (infantry or militia) in the service of the Confederate States in the year between the States, and that, to the best of my knowledge during the said war my husband was loyal and true to his country, and never, at any time during his presence or voluntarily abandoned the part of duty in the said service, and that I was never separated from my said husband, and that I never voluntarily abandoned him during his term, but remained with him up to the date of his death, and that I am a widow at the date of said application, and that I am now residing at a pension under the provisions of said act. And I do further swear that I do not have any estate or other interest, direct or indirect, which pays me in salary or any thing having the effect to secure a pension under the provisions of said act. And I do further swear that I have received no pension from the United States (Confederate States) during the war, nor do I receive from any estate whatsoever, salary or other pension of present or future value in the United States (Confederate States) during the war, nor do I receive from any estate or property, salary or pension, or interest, in fee or for life, of the assessed value of Ten Dollars (\$10.00) during the war, nor do I receive any pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and that I am without pecuniary means of support from any source, and I do further swear that the answers given to the following questions are true:

All questions must be answered fully. Widows married after May 1, 1875, are not entitled to pensions.

1. What is your name? Sarah J. Johnson
2. What is your age? 73 years
3. Where were you born? Southampton Co Va
4. How long have you resided in Virginia? all of my life
5. How long have you resided in the City or County of your present residence? life years.
6. Where do you reside? If in a city, give street address.
Postoffice Evon
County of Southampton Virginia
7. With whom do you reside?
James M. Johnson
8. What was your husband's full name?
Benjamin Franklin Johnson
9. When, where and by whom were you married?
When? Jan. 16th 1868 Rev. Sammie Holmes
Where? Southampton Co Va
By whom? Rev Sammie Holmes
10. When and where did your husband die?
About 12 years ago in Dept. Southampton
11. What was the cause of his death?
Rheumatism
12. Give name and address of physician who attended your husband at the time of his death. (See Certificate "D.")
Name Dr. J. M. Dole
Address Evon Va
13. Have you married since the death of your husband? If yes, give full particulars.
No
14. In what branch of the army did your husband serve?
1st Battalion Heavy Artillery Regiment
Company A from Southampton Company

15. Who were his immediate superior officers?
Colonel _____
Captain Wm H Buller
16. Give the names and addresses of two comrades who served in the same command with your husband during the war.
(See Certificate "B.")
Name Lee W. Gay
Address Marblefield Va R. H. D.
Name _____
Address _____
17. Give the names and addresses of two persons who are familiar with the circumstances of your husband's service and death.
(See Certificate "C.")
Name Jas Morrison - Belle
Address Ever R H D
Name Lee W. Gay
Address Ever R H D
18. What assistance do you receive, and what income have you from all sources?
None. Board furnished by my son
J. H. Johnson
NOTE - By income is meant the total gross receipts derived by you from all crops (whether sold or used), wages and other sources valued in dollars.
19. How much property do you own?
Real Estate \$ None.
Personal Property \$ 20.00
20. Was your husband on the pension roll of Virginia? If yes, in what county or city was his pension allowed?
Yes
21. Have you ever applied for a pension in Virginia before? If yes, why are you not drawing one at this time?
Yes
22. Is there a camp of Confederate Veterans in your city or county? I don't know
23. Give here any other information you may possess relating to the service of your husband or the cause of his death which will support the justice of your claim.

A signature made by X mark is not valid unless attested by a witness.

WITNESS E. H. Johnson
James C. Fuller

I, M. P. Ruddy a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County
Southampton, in the State of Virginia, do certify that the applicant whose name is signed to the foregoing application, person-
appeared before me in my County, aforesaid, having the aforesaid application read to her and fully explained, as well as the
statements and answers herein made, the said applicant made oath before me that the said statements and answers are true.

Given under my hand this 15 day of Feb, 1921

NAME James J. Cahoon ^{her} _{self} Signature of Applicant.

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M. P. Pullen Jr.
Signature of Officer.