# SOLDIER'S PENSION CLAIM

## UNDER THE ACT OF 1917.

(FORM A.)

STATE OF FLORIDA

County of Calhoun

On this 9th day of August, A. D. One Thousand Nine Hundred and Eighteen personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the county and State aforesaid, Lewis C. Davis, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is 70 years of age, having been born on the 25th day of October, 1847, in the County of Calhoun, in the State of Florida. That he is a bona fide citizen of the county of Calhoun, State of Florida. That he has resided in the State of Florida continuously since the 25th day of October, 1847

That he is the identical person who enlisted at Abe Springs, under the name of Lewis C. Davis, on the Don't know day of Don't know, 186 3, in Company Don't know of Captain Luke Lott's Regiment Don't know of the State of Florida in the service of the Confederate States.

(Here state whether the service claimed was in the Confederate States Army or in the service of a State.)

and who was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Isla, Calhoun County, in the State of Florida, on the At close of war day of, 1865, on account of Close of war

(Here state fully any other military service performed by applicant.)

No other military service

(Here give date and place of capture, imprisonment, exchange or parole.)

None

That I served faithfully until HONORABLY DISCHARGED from the service of the Confederate States in the year 1865, and did not desert the service of the Confederate States nor take the oath of allegiance to the United States until after the surrender of the Confederate Armies.

(Here state whereabouts at close of Civil War.)

That I was Isla, Florida

— 1863, in Company of Captain Luke Lott Home Guards Regiment of the State of Florida, which organization was regularly mustered into the service of the Confederate States of America; that he knows of his own personal knowledge that Lewis C. Davis enlisted in Company of Captain Luke Lott Home Guards Regiment of the State of Florida at Dola, in the State of Florida, on the — day of —, 1863; that he served faithfully in the said organization until the — day of —, 1865; when he was HONORABLY DISCHARGED on account of Close of War, at Dola in the State of Florida, and did not desert the Confederate States service nor take the oath of allegiance to the United States before the close of the War.

(Here state whether the soldier was transferred to another organization, or not, and if captured or imprisoned, state when and where.)

No

I know personally of the above stated service, because I served with Lewis C. Davis in Company of Captain Luke Lott, Home Guards Regiment of the State of Florida, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Dola, in the State of Florida, on the — day of —, 1865, by reason of Close of War, and I did not desert the Confederate States service nor take the oath of allegiance to the United States before the close of the War.

J. L. Sanford

Late of Company of Captain Luke Lott Home Regt. Guards

Sworn and subscribed before me this 9th day of August, 1918, and I hereby certify that the above declaration was fully made known to the affiant before swearing, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the pension claim sought to be established by this declaration.

Jas. D. Lawrence

Notary Public State at Large.

(FORM F.)

## Affidavit to be Made by Comrade

STATE OF Florida
County of Bay

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, personally came William Strange of Wewahitchka County of Readhorn, State of Florida, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical person who enlisted at Dola in the State of Florida on the — day of — 1863, in Company of Capt Luke Lott Home Guards Regiment of the State of Florida, which organization was regularly mustered into the service of the

That I do not own property, including real estate, personal property, stocks, bonds, mortgages or other collateral securities of any kind in this or any other State, nor does my wife own with me jointly or separately, property to exceed in value the sum of five thousand dollars, exclusive of my or our home and one acre of land upon which said home stands.

That the following is a true and correct statement of all the property owned by me or by my wife, jointly and separately in this or any other State:

Real estate, located at Allanton, Bay County Fla, $ 2000 00

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Cattle, horses and other live stock, $ 375 00

Personal property, $ 100 00

Stocks, $

Bonds, $

Mortgages, notes and other securities, $

Total, $ 2475 00

That I have heretofore applied for a pension from the State of Florida and refer to Claim No. none for the proof contained therein.

That my postoffice address is Allanton, County of Bay, State of Florida.

Lewis C Davis

(Claimant must sign name in full.)

Attest:

(1) Jno. D. Trammell

(2)

Sworn and subscribed before me this Ninth day of August, A. D. 1918; and I hereby certify that the above declaration, etc., were fully made known and explained to the applicant before swearing; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

Jno. D. Trammell
Notary Public State at Large.

(FORM B.)

STATE OF FLORIDA

County of Calhoun

We, the undersigned citizens of ~~Calhoun~~ Bay County, State of Florida, do hereby certify that we personally know Lewis C. Davis, who is an applicant for a pension under the Laws of Florida, and that from our own personal knowledge, and from the best information available, we believe that the applicant does not own property (including the property of his wife) to exceed in value the sum of $5,000, exclusive of his home and one acre of land upon which said home stands, and that the statements made by him relative to the value of his property are true and correct.

(To be signed by two citizens.)

L. H. Beadnell

John Beadnell.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 9th day of August, 1918

Jno. D. Trammell
Notary Public State at Large.

Confederate States of America; that he knows of his own personal knowledge that Lewis C. Harris he enlisted in Company of Capt. Luke Lott's Home Guards Regiment of the State of Florida at Tula, in the State of Fla, on the — day of —, 1863; that he served faithfully in the said organization until the — day of —, 1865; when he was HONORABLY DISCHARGED on account of Close of War, at Tula in the State of Fla!, and did not desert the Confederate States service nor take the oath of allegiance to the United States before the close of the War.

(Here state whether the soldier was transferred to another organization, or not, and if captured or imprisoned, state when and where.)

no

I know personally of the above stated service, because I served ~~with~~ in Company — Regim — of the State of Florida, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at ..... in the State of ....., on the ..... day of ....., 1865, by reason of Close of War, and I did not desert the Confederate States service nor take the oath of allegiance to the United States before the close of the War.

William his X marks Strange

Late of Company ..... Regt.

Sworn and subscribed before me this 19 day of Aug., 1919, and I hereby certify that the above declaration was fully made known to the affiant before swearing, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the pension claim sought to be established by this declaration.

Andrew Allen
Notary Public, State of Florida
My commission expires September 11, 1919

NOTE: If the applicant has ever applied for a pension from this State before he may receive the benefits of all proofs made at that time by stating when such application was made.