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1895.

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County: Richmond

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June 1st

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QUESTIONS FOR APPLICANT.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

Richmond County.

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Cecil R. Williams

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) Cecil R. Williams, No. 10 Green Lee St., Augusta, Ga.

2. Where did you reside on January 1st, 1894, and how long have you been a resident of this State? On Olive Street, Augusta, all my life.

3. When and where were you born? April 7, 1842, House on Green, Augusta.

4. Did you volunteer in the Confederate Army or in the Georgia Militia? Yes, in May, 1861, at Augusta.

5. When and where did you enlist? June 1861, at Augusta.


7. How long did you remain in that company and regiment? Until the surrender.

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. Was not discharged until surrender and was not transferred.

9. For how long a period did you discharge regular military duty? Three years and a half.

10. Where, when and under what circumstances were you discharged from service? April 15, 1865.

11. What is your present occupation? Agent of Radical Relief Association.

12. How much can you earn per annum by your own exertions or labor? $50 per month.

13. What has been your occupation since 1865? Farmer, carpenter, blacksmith, etc. I was a laborer for 3 years.

14. What sum would be necessary for your support for this pension year, and how much are you able to contribute thereunto either in labor or income? $750 to $1,000, $50.

15. What is your present physical condition and how long have you been in such condition? My health is very bad, confined to bed, during the last three years. I have been ill for the past year.

16. Upon which of the following grounds do you base your application for pension, viz.: first, "age and poverty," second "infirmity and poverty" or third "blindness and poverty"? Defining poverty.

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? I am suffering from a disease in my head, and as I have said, I cannot do any hard work.

18. What property, effects or income do you possess? None whatsoever.

19. What property, effects or income did you possess in 1863 and in 1894 and what disposition, if any, did you make of same? None at all.

20. In what County did you reside during those years and what property did you then return for taxation? Richmond Co., no property return.

21. How were you supported during the years 1863 and 1894? By what work I could do, and by my means who fed me.

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? $100 per year in 1893, $100 in 1894, $50.

23. What was your employment during 1863 and 1894? What pay did you receive in each year? Carpenter, etc., at the Palace hotel in Augusta. I made $100 in 1893, etc., and 1894.

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. Wife not living.

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QUESTIONS FOR WITNESS.

STATE OF GEORGIA,

County

Cicero Shinwater, of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Cicero Shinwater 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?
   I live in Rome, in Rome County.

2. Are you acquainted with Cicero Shinwater, the applicant, if so how long have you known him?
   I have known him about 1960.

3. Where does he reside, and how long has he been a resident of this State?
   He resides in Augusta, Augusta County.

4. Do you know of his having served in the Confederate army or the Georgia militia? How do you know this?
   I do not know of him having served.

5. When, where and in what company and regiment did he enlist? 1861-1865, Rome.

6. Were you a member of the same company and regiment?
   Yes.

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?
   I do not know.

8. What property, effects or income has the applicant? (Give your means of knowledge.)
   I do not know his means, but believe he is a poor man.

9. What property, effects or income did the applicant possess in 1893 and 1894, and what disposition, if any, did he make of same?
   I do not know.

10. What is the applicant's occupation and physical condition?
    Last time I saw him he was a feeble man.

11. Is the applicant unable to support himself by labor of any sort, if so, why?
    I do not know.

12. How was he supported during the years 1893 and 1894? I do not know.

13. What portion of his support for these two years was derived from his own labor or income?
    I do not know, but suspect very little.

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?
    I cannot say, as I do not know him well.

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

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of April, 1895.

Signed.

[Signature]

Ordinary

of Rome, Rome County.