

Soldier's Application for Pension.

STATE OF FLORIDA

Wauvado County

On this *24th* day of *June*, 1902, personally appeared before me, Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said county and State, *John J. Higgins* who being by me duly sworn, declares he is the identical person who enlisted on or about the *12th* day of *January*, 1861, in Captain *Elijah Nunn's* Company, county of *Noxubee*, in the State of *Mississippi*, and that while in actual service in said company, *32nd* Regiment, of the State of *Mississippi*, and in line of duty as such soldier, at *Atlanta*, State of *Georgia* on or about the *27th* day of *July*, 1864, and was honorably discharged at the expiration of my service ^{about} on the *last* day of *April* 1865 in *Bealigh* county, State *North Carolina*; I *took part in the battle at Atlanta, Georgia*

(Here state fully and clearly all the facts, showing the injury, its character, and

and received a bullet wound in my head which especially the extent of the injury and disability resulting therefrom.)

rendered me unfit for service for about forty days. I am nearly seventy three years of age, am a sufferer from Rheumatism and am unable to do manual labor. I have no income from any source sufficient for a livelihood.

old age and feeble health
and that as the direct result of said injuries, thus received in line of duty during the war, I am now unable to gain a livelihood by manual labor; that I have continuously since January 1st, 1885, been a citizen of Florida; that neither I, nor my wife, nor both combined, own real and personal property to the value of \$800 in this or any other State, and have not purposely disposed of our property for the purpose of availing ourselves of the provisions of the pension laws of Florida; that I am not otherwise enabled, or in a position to earn, and have no income from any source sufficient for a livelihood by manual labor, and that I never deserted the Confederate service, and that I receive a pension from no other source.

Sworn and subscribed before me this *24th* day of *June*, 1902
Frank E. Saxon
Clerk Circuit Court, *Wauvado* County.

John J. Higgins

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