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[Full-text transcription of: Petition for the benefit of Thomas W. Loyd]

Petition
For the benefit of
Thomas W. Loyd

No. 9

Decr 11th

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Messrs Thompson
Rogers
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Thomson

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Messrs Wm. R. [Blythe] esqr
and D. Thompson esqr
Jefferson City
Mo

Camden Mo }
28th Nov }

To the Honorable the Senate and House of
Representatives of the State of Missouri

Your Petitioner Thomas [H.] Loyd of the
County of Ray would respectfully represent that
In the month of October in the year of our Lord

1838 he was a regular Militiaman in the company of Mounted Militia under the command of Capt. Samuel Bogard of said county, that said Militia were employed in the Service of the State in the suppression of the Mormon disturbances, and that in the battle which occurred on the 25th day of said month of October between said militia and the Mormons your petitioner received so many and such serious wounds from the hands of the enemy as to be thereby disabled from effective manual labor, and that there is now no reasonable hope that such disability will or can be remedied. Your petitioner further represents that he is near twenty-five years of age, that he is poor and that he has a family which as well as himself depends upon his labor for support. Your petitioner therefore prays that an act maybe passed for his benefit granting him a pension during his life or during the continuance of his disability and your petitioner will pray &c.

Thomas [H] Loyd

The undersigned neighbors and acquaintances of Thomas [H] Loyd above named state that they know the facts stated in said petition to be true, and urge upon the Legislature the justice and propriety of granting the prayer of the petitioner.

George Riggs

Owen Loyd

Samuel Loyd

Samuel Tarwaters

John Tarwaters

Ephraim Clark

Jacob Tarwaters

Jacob Tarwaters Jun

Dowdle Rowland

Charles C Rowland

[Illegible]

John Wells

Alfred E. Rhody

Samuel M Dunaway

Willis L [illegible]

John M Rowland

G W Chapman

John Tarwaters

Alvin Vaughn

Joel Ball

Wm. A. Carroll

John [Bloaters]

Jas [Preed]

Wm A Soules

John [Rifpe]

William Good

John Lakey

[Pervensey] Loyd

[Illegible] M [Loyd]

[David Tailor]

[L or S [illegible] Barr]

William Tarwaters

[Jenny Loyd]

[illegible]

Jno. A. V Deauchamp
Edward Sisson & Co
Obadiah Taylor
Charles F. [Wehe]
[Pyder Hauer]
Samuel Ramfof
W M Snowton
Conrad Snowton
Thos E Tate
John H Holman
William L. Jackson
R Tolin
Goldsmith Flethie
James Wells

Jenny Loyd
Michael [artimon]
A. B. Ralph