



UNITED CONFEDERATE VETERANS

DESCRIPTIVE LIST

Waco
Fort Worth, Texas, July 8th 1905
Name John Morris King
When and Where Born Sept 3rd 1846 Thomaston Georgia
When and Where Enlisted July 31st 1862 - Atlanta Georgia
Rank Private Company K. 5th Ga Regiment Jackson's Brigade Cheatham's
Peck's Division Hardens Corps Tennessee Army From King

SIGN THIS, AND GIVE NAMES OF TWO REFERENCES REMARKS

(Under this head will be included changes in Commands, important battles in which engaged, and other important facts connected with your CONFEDERATE record.)

During the rein of "Freedmen's Bureau"
In Georgia I had trouble and used a gun
on a negro. And came to Texas - and for
a long time I was virtually dead to
the people at home. - Most all of my
Co are dead or gone now. - But I send
you Certificate from Gordon Camp #1480
at Thomaston Georgia showing that I
served in Co K. 5th Ga Regt. -

I had trouble with Prof Richardson
at The Georgia Military Institute at
Marietta Ga. and to avoid being
Expelled. or suspended. I left and was
mustered in to service At Atlanta Ga and
was sent to Co K 5th Ga (as my three brothers
belonged to same). I joined the regiment
at Knoxville Tenn about Sept 1862. In
Nov the regt was sent to Bridgeport Tenn
to guard a rail road bridge -





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Fort Worth, Texas, 190

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The latter part of Dec 62 - We were ordered to Murfreesboro Tenn. On the 31st of Dec 1862 we supported Brackenridge in the forenoon and in the afternoon forded a creek nearly 4 to 5 ft deep and supported Cheatham - (It was awfully cold) We attacked the Enemy in a rail road cut - and lost heavily. We could not dislodge them - We laid down a while - and then fell back into a Cedar Thicket - It was awfully cold and no fire - And our wounded to care for. &c Col Black was killed Capt Horseley wounded - and my brother assumed Command of Co K - as he was 1st Lt. - Some false report sent Jackson's Brigade to look after a flank movement and we did not get in the fight on Jan 2nd 1863 - When Bragg began to retreat from Murfreesboro. Our regiment was

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For North Texas

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REMARKS

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One of the first of the Confederate Veterans to be organized in North Texas was the North Texas Confederate Veterans Association, which was organized in 1892. The association was organized by a group of men who had served in the Confederate Army, and who were interested in the welfare of the Confederate Veterans. The association was organized in the city of Dallas, Texas, and its first meeting was held in the city of Dallas, Texas. The association was organized by a group of men who had served in the Confederate Army, and who were interested in the welfare of the Confederate Veterans. The association was organized in the city of Dallas, Texas, and its first meeting was held in the city of Dallas, Texas.

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Sent back to Bridgeport to guard
the bridge again. Also to guard
a pontoon bridge at Battle Creek.
about 5 miles above the railroad
bridge. I was one of the detail
sent to Battle Creek. Where I remained
until July 1863. When I was trans-
ferred to the Engineer department
of the Army. Under Maj Pickett -
At Dalton Georgia ¹⁸⁶⁴ After Joe Johnston
took command of the Sherman
Army. I was assigned to Col Pressman
Acting Chief Engr on Johnston's staff.
When Hood took command at
Atlanta Ga I was made asst to
Lt Percy Roberts. Under Major
Green of the 3rd Regt of Engr Troops.
+ I was under fire quite often but
only slightly wounded at Jonesboro
Ga and Franklin Tenn. -

I left the Army (on a mule) at
Hughes Ferry on Broad River S.C.
May 5th 1865 intending to join the
Trans-Miss department. but when

June - More appointments - but not
 May 2nd 1863 - intending to join the
 shipping company on board ship S.C.
 I left the army for a while at
 the end of the summer -
 only slightly troubled at first
 I was under five weeks of
 leave of the 3rd Regt of Eng. Regt -
 The Army Reports - under report
 Atlanta to I was made sent to
 Under Wood took command at
 Acting Chief Eng. an fortification staff -
 Army - I was assigned to the Bureau
 took command of the Bureau
 At Atlanta Georgia, after for fortification
 of the Army - under Maj. Dickett -
 - forced to the Engineer Department
 until July 1863 - when I was trans-
 sent to Battle Creek - where I remained
 bridge - I was one of the detail
 about 2 miles above the railroad
 a railroad bridge at Battle Creek -
 the bridge again - also to ground
 sent back to Springfield to ground

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I reached Thomaston Ga. I found Wilson's Cavalry raid had burned and stolen so much - and left every thing in such a deplorable fix - I remained and helped on the plantation - until I had trouble with the negro, who had been my father's trusted manager or driver for years and years. -

During the time I was on the farm - ¹⁸⁶⁵ I went before Judge James M Greene in Thomaston Ga and took the oath of Allegiance to the U S Govt. -

During my service in the Army - I did my duty as best I could. - Altho sick at times - I never went to a hospital. -

Yours Fraternally &c
Jno M King
Waco Texas

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W. T. Shaw
Dan Parker.
H B McGar

I reached Stomach in 2 hours
William Barclay said that I was
and then so much - and left my
thing in such a disordered
remained and helped on the
Klein's. Until I had trouble
with the ropes, but had some
for their trusted manager or
for years and years.

During the time I was on the
form - I went before Judge James
Mr. Brown in Stomach in the
took the cost of litigation to the
U.S. Court.

During my service in
the Army - I did my duty as best
I could. With sick at times - I
went to a hospital.

James Barclay &
for writing
these lines

Wm. Barclay
James Barclay
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