

Pen I own

Geo. W. Jones of  
Lebanon Tenn

Age 91 years / mo 11 days  
was a drummer boy at Ste  
Linn's Mo in 1814. Was born  
at Vincennes Indiana April 21  
1804. Was Sergeant of the body  
guard of Gen Jackson at Suckey,  
in Nov 1823 & in May following  
at same place to the Marquis de  
La Fayette. Was graduated in  
Transylvania University at Lex Ky  
18 July 1825. A few months at Ste  
Linn's Mo from 1825 to 1827. Was Lt  
U.S. Dist Court at Ste Linn from Nov 25  
till 1829. Was P Master at Insu  
anna Mo under the Michigan Insu  
Museum from 1830 till 1835. Was ad  
de Camp to Gen Henry Dodge thro  
the Black Hawk War in 1832. Was  
Col & Gen of Militia in Mich. Insu  
& Chief Justice at Mend Point  
from Aug 1832 till 1st of Nov 1832  
was elected as Delegate to Congress  
from Michu Insu in Oct 1835, got into  
the Union as her sole rep in Dec  
1836 after getting the Insu of Missouri  
established on the 4th July 1836. Got  
Tenn made a County on 4th July 1837  
& gave the names to Missouri & Tenn  
was U.S. Penon Agent from Dec 31  
till about 1850. Was General Agent  
for Missouri from Dec 1839 till July

1841 when I was removed by  
President Tyler. Was Clerk of the  
District Court U.S. at New Point from  
1841. Nov till March 1845  
when Pres James K. Polk  
my warm personal friend re-  
turned me to the office of Sec Genl  
U.S. at Newburg Iowa, then Mrs.  
In Dec 1848 I was elected James  
1st U.S. Senator was re-elected  
2d Dec 1852 served until the 4  
March 1859 when Pres Buchanan  
my devoted friend appointed me  
Minister of the U.S. to Bogota  
S of Columbia. Iowa, Senators  
Barlow Grimes my devoted  
personal friends had my nomi-  
nation unanimously Comfy  
by the Senate. Served as U.S. Minister  
from 8 March 1859 till July 62  
was recalled from Bogota  
in Nov 1851. I sent as a politi-  
cal prisoner into Fort La Fayette  
I kept there until released by  
Secr Em Stanton by order of A  
Lincoln both being my warm  
friends. Congress unanimously prop-  
ed two acts of Comfy. One placing  
my name upon the pension roll  
for my services as Drum Major in the  
War of 1812. & in 1840 directing the Secy  
of the Treasury to adjust my accounts of my  
services to Bogota & pay me what was due