Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Webster County.

Jennettie Holland of said State and County, desiring to avail herself of the pension allowed to Indigent Widows of Soldiers, General Assembly, approved March 11, 1912, hereby submits her proofs, and after being duly sworn true answers to make to the following questions, deposes and answers as follow:

1. *What is your full name and where do you reside? (Give State, County and Postoffice.)* Jennettie Holland and reside at Clay, Ky.

2. *How long and since when have you been a resident of this State?* All my life

3. *When and where were you born and what was your maiden name?* In Caldwell County Ky. Sept 1st 1831, Jennettie Johnson

4. *When and where was your husband born—state his full name, and where were you and he married, and who performed the marriage ceremony. (If possible, attach certified copy marriage license in every case.)* Caldwell County Kentucky in 1833, Alexander Holland, was married in Lyon County Ky. by John Cash, a Justice of Peace

5. *When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States?* In 1861 at Camp Boone, Tenn, in 2nd Ky regiment and his company officers were H. B. Lyon and Robt L Cobb, afterwards known as Cobb's Ky Battery

6. *How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment?* He served in the army from 1861 to 65

7. *When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender?* In 1865 at Columbus Miss, to General Canby

8. *Was your husband present at the time and place when his Company and Regiment surrendered?* yes

9. *If not with his command at surrender, state clearly and specifically where he was, when he left command, for what cause and by what authority?* was present

10. *When and where did your husband die?* In 1902 at Clay Ky

11. *At the time of your husband's death, were you living with him as his lawful wife?* yes

12. *Have you married since the death of your soldier husband?* no

13. *What property, real or personal, or income do you have or possess, and its gross value?* I have a house and lot, for my lifetime, valued at $150.00

14. *Have you a family? If so, who compose such family?* no

15. *Name some friend, giving his name and postoffice address, who will be willing to have us write to him about your case if necessary.* Dr. G. W. White, Clay Ky.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 29 *day of* April 1912

J. T. White, Notary Public

of Webster County.

my com. Expires Jany 22/16,

att. J. T. White
att. J. A. Johnson

Jennettie Holland by mark

Filed Regular May Term May 20 1912
B. M. Sutton, Jno. C.

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Webster County.

James H McGill and Dr. G.W. White, of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Jennettie Holland for a pension under Confederate Pension Law, approved March 11, 1912, after being duly sworn, true answers to make to the following questions, deposes and answers as follows:

1. What is your name and what is your postoffice address? Clay Ky. James H McGill Dr. G.W. White Clay Ky.

2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Jennettie Holland yes
If so, how long have you known her? about 35 years

3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? at Clay Ky, ever since we knew her

4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? yes

5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? no

6. How long did you know him? from about 35 yrs ago until his death

7. When and where did Alexander Holland enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? Do not know time of enlistment but he was under Gen. Lyon, from being with him.

8. Were you a member of the same Company and Regiment at the close of the war? In same Brigade and saw him many times

9. How long did he perform regular military duty? During my service in 1864 & 65 anyway

10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? In 1865 at Columbus Miss.

11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? not just at the time but a few days before

12. Was Alexander Holland, the husband of applicant, present?
Do not know, but am sure he was

13. If not present, where was he? —

14. When and where did he leave his command? 1865 at Columbus Miss.
For what cause? Was at the close of war and they were surrendering to come home as society
By whose authority did he leave? He surrendered to Gen Canby
How do you know all this? (State fully and clearly.) From being with him only a few days before, & having surrendered at the same place and General and left for home before he did.

15. When and where did Alexander Holland die?
at Clay Ky, about 1902

16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? at Clay Ky, at least 35 years and I think all of his life

17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of Alexander Holland
yes

18. *Has she remained unmarried since her soldier husband's death, and is she now his widow?* yes

19. *What property, effects or income has the applicant, if any, and how do you know this of your own knowledge?*
She has a very old house in which she lives and no income that I know of.

Has applicant conveyed any property, in the last two years or given any away, if so, what was it, and to whom?
no

NOTE.—Let the witness who can answer the greatest number of the questions do so; then let the other witness state in the space below how much of the testimony of the first witness he concurs in, and whether or not he can answer any of the questions not answered by the first witness.

The second witness Dr. White concurs in all except military record of which he knows nothing

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29 *day of* April 1912.
J. T. White Notary Public
my com expires Jany 22/16

James H. McGill
Dr. G. W. White
Witnesses.

THE FOLLOWING CERTIFICATE OF THE COUNTY JUDGE MUST BE FILLED OUT WHETHER THE APPLICANT OWNS ANY TAXABLE PROPERTY OR NOT.

I, ... *Judge of* ..... *County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs.* ..... *the widow of* ..... *amounts to $* ..... *real estate and $*..... *personal*

..... *Trustee.*

For ..... *County, Ky.*

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Webster *County.*

I, J. T. White ~~*Clerk or*~~ *Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs.* Jennettie Holland *resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the* ..... *day of* for many years *19..., and that the witnesses, Mr.* James H. McGill and Dr. G. W. White *are of trustworthy character, and that their statements are entitled to full faith and credit.*

I do further certify that before answering the foregoing questions, the applicant and said witness took the oath herein prescribed, and the full text of the affidavits was read to the applicant and witnesses before the same was signed and subscribed.

Witness my hand and official seal this 29 *day of* April 1912.

(SEAL)

J. T. White Notary Public
Webster County.
my com expires Jany 22/16

Note—1. Before any questions are answered, the Clerk or Notary shall swear applicant and the witnesses in the following words: "You do solemnly swear that you will true answers make to each of the questions asked of you, and the evidence you shall give will be the whole truth; so help you God."
2. Additional affidavits may be attached, if blank spaces are insufficient.
3. All affidavits must be made before an officer using a seal.
4. Only widows who were the wives of soldiers need apply—and are now widows. Those married since Jan. 1st, 1890, not entitled.
5. Two witnesses are necessary to make out claims.
6. Attach certified copy marriage license in every case, or certificate of County Court Clerk, under seal, that license is filed in his office duly certified by officiating minister, or the affidavit of the officiating minister, or the affidavit of a witness of the ceremony, or the affidavit of two witnesses who knew them as man and wife, prior to January 1, 1890, and knew that they were living together on the date of his death.

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS.

The Widows' Pension Law, passed by the Kentucky Legislature, provides for the widows of *soldiers only,* and they must have been residents of the State of Kentucky since January 1, 1907.

Widow must have married prior to 1890.

To be eligible the applicant must have remained a widow after the death of her soldier husband, and must be indigent.

Read the questions in the application carefully and answer them fully.

Read the law, and unless you come clearly under the laws it will be useless to file application.

No. 721

Widow's Indigent Pension

Name Jeanette Holland

Filed JUL 6 - 1912

Widow of Alexander Holland

Approved
by J. Stone
Examiner

All blanks on this filing to be filled by the Pension Board

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT

Address: "The Adjutant General, War Department, Washington, D. C."

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, July 10, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that one A. N. Holland, private, Company A, 3d Kentucky Infantry, later mounted, Confederate States Army, enlisted July 5, 1861, at Camp Boon, Tennessee. On the company roll for May and June, 1864, last on which his name is borne, he was reported present. No later record of him has been found.

The records also show that one A. Holland, private, Captain Cobb's Company, Kentucky Light Artillery, Confederate States Army, enlisted April 18, 1863, at Manchester. On the company roll for March and April, 1863, dated June 21, 1863, the only one on which his name is borne, he was reported present. No later record found.

Henry P. McCain

Adjutant General.

(A.G.O.72-1) *Per*

Indorsement.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

FRANKFORT, KY.,

MRS. JENNETTE HOLLAND, WIDOW OF A. N. HOLLAND, who enlisted July 5, 1861, Co. A, 3rd Kentucky Infantry, and was surrendered and paroled at Columbus, Miss. in May 1865.

Proven by the record and comrades.

Indigent.

W J S

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

J. Wandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 35.)

No. ..... W .....

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

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GEN. W. P. HALL,
Adjutant General, U. S. A.,
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Jennettie Holland

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law, claims that her husband Alexander Holland was a member of Company ..... Regiment 3d Ky. C. S. A., and was Officers H. B. Lyon and Robt L. Cobb 1 Reg. after-wards known as "Cobb's Ky. Battery"

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

Approved by State Pension Board.

James B. McCreary
Chairman.

Webster County Court.
Regular June term June 17th 1913
B M Sutton County Judge Presiding
C W Barnett County Atty Present.

In Re
Jennettie Holland application for pension, Application filed regular term May 30-1913. This day comes witnesses J Slaughn and Jas H. McGill after hearing their evidence the court finds that said Jennettie Holland is widow of Alexander Holland (decd) has not remarried since his death some 10 yrs ago. she is a resident of Webster County Ky. has so resided in state of Ky. for last 10 yrs or more owns a life time interest in house & lot in Clay Ky. valued at $400.00 unable to earn a support, her annual income does not exceed $300.00 The court recommends the granting of claimant a pension on merits of claim and Prob/

B M Sutton Judge

Substance of evidence given by witnesses J Slaughn and Jas H McGill whose post office is Clay Ky. each testified that they have known said Claimant

for last 30 yrs. she is widow of
Alexander Holland (died) has not
remarried since his death some
10 yrs ago she is a resident of
Webster County Ky has so resided in
State of Ky. for last 30 yrs or more
owns lifetime interest in house
and lot in Clay Ky valued at $400.00
and unable to earn a support
Her annual income is
about $40 or $50.00

B M. Sutton Judge

State of ~~Tennessee~~ Louisiana
~~County~~ Parish of Orleans

Personally appeared before a Notary Public for the County and state aforesaid, J. M. Coleman, who makes oath that he was personally acquained with Alexander Holland, deceased, a resident of Clay, Ky. at the time of his death and know that said Holland was a Confederate soldier in the war between the states enlisting at Camp Boone, Tenn. in 1861, in 3rd, Ky. regiment and his Company officers were H.B.Lyon, afterwards General Lyon. 1st, Lieut. Robert L. Cobb, 2nd, Lieut. F.P.Gray and 3rd, Lieut. B.A.James, soon after said Holland enlisted, his company was detached and made an artillery Company, known during the war as Cobbs Ky. Battery.

Iwas a member of same company and regiment as said Holland, at the close of the war and know that he was with his Company when it surrendered at Columbus, Miss. in 1865. and know that he performed regular military duty from 1861 to the surrender in 1865.

I know all this for the reason that I was with him during said service. I know that said Holland remained with the command until after the surrender at the close of the war, taken the oath and left for home in regular form.

J M Coleman

Subscribed and sworn to before me a Notary Public by J.M.Coleman this the 6th day of May 1912.

Ernest D. Lowe Notary Public.

(SEAL) My commission ~~expires~~ _____
Runs during good behavior