(ORIGINAL)

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Graves County.

Mrs Agelee Doublin of said State and County, desiring to avail herself of the pension allowed to Indigent Widows of Soldiers, General Assembly, approved March 18, 1914, hereby submits her proofs, and after being duly sworn true answers to make to the following questions, deposes and answers as follows:

1. What is your full name and where do you reside? (Give State, County and Postoffice.) Mrs Agelee Doublin Lynnville Graves County Ky R F D No 2.

2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State? All of life 76 years

3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name? Born in Graves County Ky Sept 18-1852 Maiden name Agelee Burnett

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. (A copy of the marriage license or affidavits of two or more persons who know when the applicant was married to her husband, must accompany the application) Born in Graves County Kentucky Aug 7th 1841 Full name James Tyler Doublin Were married in Graves County Sept 10th 1868 by John Sheridan Methodist Minister performed Ceremony

5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States? In Graves County Ky - In Spring of 1861 in the 3rd Ky Infantry Co "E"

6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment? From enlistment until 1865

7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender? Do not know but was paroled at Columbus Miss 1865 after the Surrender of Lee

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? —

10. When and where did your husband die? In Graves County Kentucky Oct 24th 1928

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? No personal property Owner Fifty Acres of land worth $1200.00 Has no income Left a small rent from real property less than $50.00 per year

14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family? No One depending upon me for Support

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 Con Doublin Lynnville Graves County Ky - R F D No 2.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 17 day of Oct, 1928

J A Oliver clerk

of Graves County.

By J H A Carter

Her

Mrs. Agelee X Doublin

mark

{ See Application Jas T. Doublin on file in Pension Dept - May 20-1912. }

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
Grayson County.

Con Doublin, of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Cejelle Doublin for a pension under Confederate Pension Law, approved March 18, 1914, 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? Con Doublin Leitchfield Grayson County Kentucky R F D No 2.

2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Cejelle Doublin

If so, how long have you known her? Twenty Years

3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? In Grayson County Kentucky, and has so resided since I have known 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? for Twenty years

7. When and where did — enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? —

8. Were you a member of the same Company and Regiment at the close of the war? —

9. How long did he perform regular military duty? —

10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? —

11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? —

12. Was —, the husband of applicant, present?

13. If not present, where was he? —

14. When and where did he leave his command? —

For what caues? —

By whose authority did he leave? —

How do you know all this? (State fully and clearly.) —

15. When and where did James Travis Doublin die? Leitchfield Grayson County Ky. Oct 4th 1928

16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? He resided at Leitchfield Grayson County Ky - R F D No 2 and had resided in Ky since I had known him

17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of 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 no personal property, owns 60 acres of land worth about $8,200 no income except small rent of less than $50 for year from land

20. *Has applicant conveyed any property, in the last two years or given any money, if so, what was it, and to whom?*

No.

NOTE.—Let the witness who can answer the greatest number of 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.

Henry Critten on being called as a witness states that the foregoing statements of Ora Franklin are true to his personal knowledge—and he can make no further statements

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 12th *day of* Dec. 1928

R R Jones
D.D.C.

Ora Franklin
Henry Critten
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,

..... *County.*

I, ... *Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby*

certify that the applicant, Mrs. ..... *resides in said county, and has been*

a bona fide resident of this State since the ..... *day of* ..... 19....., *and that the wit-*

nesses, Mr. .....

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 witnesses 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 ..... *day of* ..... 192.....

(SEAL) .....

..... *County.*

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. 4343

Widow's Indigent Pension

Name Gilie Roadcap

Filed 10/15 1928

Widow of James G Roadcap

Reason of Incompetent Post 2 of 1928 Dry Com

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

Clerk

CONFEDERATE PENSION DEPARTMENT

FRANKFORT, KENTUCKY

Azilee Doublin, widow of James T. Doublin, who enlisted in Com. E, 3rd Ky Infantry and served until the close of the war.

Proven by the records.

Property $1200-

B. F. Day
Comm.

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

County Of Graves, ss.

The affiants, James Routen and W A McCuan with whom I am personally acquainted, and known to me to persons of veracity and good standing in the community where they reside, and who being called as witnesses in behalf of the applicant Azilee Doublin, in support of her application for a pension under the Confederate Pension Act of the state of Kentucky, after being duly sworn depose and state as follows, viz,

That they each have personally known the said applicat for more than 60 years each, and knew her soldier husband James T.Doublin, during his lifetime, and know that the said applicant is the lawful widow of the said James T. Doublin, and each of said witnesses state that they personally know that the applicant and her late husband James T.Doublin, resided together as man and wife prior to Jan. 1st. 1890. and were so residing at the time of his death.

Attest- E J McCuan U C

his
James x Routen
mark

W A McCuan
mark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me by James Routen and W A McCuan this the 12 day of Oct 1928.

J A Allen clerk G.C.

By Alice Melton D.C.

Official Position.

State of Kentucky,

Regular Term, Monday 19th Day of November 1928.

Graves County Court.

Azilee Doublin, in re
for Confederate pension.

The application of Azilee Doublin for a Confederate pension from the State of Kentucky as the widow of James T Doublin, deceased, having been filed in this court on October 15th 1928 coming on to be heard and W A Crittendon and Robert Crittendon being in open court and being first duly sworn, testified as follows, viz: "That they and each of them are well acquainted with the applicant, Azilee Doublin, that they have known her for many years and are acquainted with her financial condition; that she owns a small tract of land in Graves County, Kentucky, worth not exceeding $1000.00 and she owns personal property not exceeding the value of $100.00; and that her income from all sources is less than $300.00 per annum; that she is old and not able to do any work of any kind whatever; that she is a resident of Graves County, Kentucky and has been for forty or fifty years or more; that she is dependent and needs the pension sought herein; that they have no interest whatever in said claim, nor are either of them related to the applicant, Azilee Doublin."

The court, after being advised, doth order and adjudge that said application and pension be granted to said Azilee Doublin; and that the same be certified by the clerk of this court to the Pension Commissioner at Frankfort, Kentucky.

I. H. Hughes, Judge

State of Kentucky,

County of Graves, Sct.

I, J. A. Olive, Clerk of the county court in and for the county and state aforesaid, d o certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an order made in the

Graves County Court, in regard to the application and granting of a Confederate Pension to Azilee Doublin as appears of record in order book 24 in the Graves county court clerk's office.

Given under my hand and official seal of office, this the 21st day of November, 1928.

J. T. Cline, Clerk

Nov, 26, 1928-

Mrs. Azelee Doublin,
Lynnville, Ky
Graves Co.,

My dear Madam:

Your application for pension received in this office to-day, and shall be given immediatte attention,

Yours Truly,

Comm.

wrote her Nov 28th asking for marriage
dates

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

County Of Graves, ss.

The affiant W.A.McCuan, with whom I am personally acquainted, and known to me to be a person of veracity and good standing in the community where he lives,and who being presented as a witness in support of the application of Azilee Doublin, for a pension under the Confederate Pension Act, and who after being duly sworn states as follows;viz;

That he is personally acquanted with the said applicant Azilee Doublin, and was personally acquainted with her late husband James T.Doublin, deceased, and he further states that he was present at the marriage of James T.Doublin, and Azilee Doublin, in Graves County, Kentucky in the year 1867. Sept 10th. and saw and heard the marriage ceremony uniting them as man and wife performed, and that they were united in marriage, by the Rev. Johnnie Sherdian,Methodist minister, who is now dead, and he further states that the Courthouse in Mayfield, the County seat of Graves County, was burned in the year 1887.in Dec. and that the records showing the cirtificate of marriage of said parties was burned, and all records pertaining thereto.

Attest- E J McCuan D.C. W. A. McCuan

Subscribed and sworn to before me thisthe ___Dec.1928.

J. A. Ollive Clerk L.C.

By Alie Mellon D.C.

State of Kentucky,

Dounty of Graves, Sct.

I, J. A. Olive, Clerk of the Graves County Court, do hereby certify that on December 18th 1887, the Graves County Court house was destroyed by fire, together with all the records prior to that date of all marriages in Graves County, which record was completely destryyed and never restored, and there is at this time, no record in my office of James T Doublin to Azilee Burnett, and I further certify that Mrs Azilee Burnett and said James T Doublin were married prior to that date, and I further certify that James T Doublin is dead and that his widow Azilee Doublin is now residing in Graves County, Kentucky, this the 9th day of January, 1929.

J A Olive, Clerk

By N A Courter D. C.

Office Stevens Building
North Side Square

Senator First District
Hickman, Fulton, Graves Counties

O. H. Brooks
Attorney at Law
Mayfield, Ky.

Jan. 9th. 1929.

Hon. S.F.Day,Commissioner
Confederate Pensions,
Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:

As per your request of Nov. 28th. am sending you the only documentary evidence I can procure, relative to the marriage of James T. and Azelee Doublin, and that is the affidavit of a witness to the marriage, and also the clerk's certificate that the marriage records are destroyed, and as I understand the law, this comes within the requirements, the Minister performing the marriage ceremony being dead, the only evidence that can be procured is the affidavit of a witness to the ceremony, and of two witnesses that they lived together as man and wife prior to 1890. and this appears to meet the conditions set out in the Statute and application blanks, which I trust will be sufficient to enable to act favorbly on this application.

Yours very truly,

O. H. Brooks