

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson County.

Louisa Snowden

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 follows:

1. What is your full name and where do you reside? (Give State, County and Postoffice.)
Louisa Snowden
Kentucky, Jeff. Co. 315 Paul Jones Bldg
Louisville, Ky.
2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State?
Always
3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name?
Newport, Kentucky Co.
Louisa Mayo
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.)
Robert Taylor Snowden, Near Goshen, Oldham Co., Ky.
Married in Newport, Kentucky by Rev. Cunningham
5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States?
Christiana March 2nd Co. 2nd Reg. Cal. Inf. Ind. Mass.
6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment?
During the war
7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender?
Washington, Georgia
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?
Newse Valley
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?
None
14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family?
Three daughters one son
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.
Frank S. Barbo, 15-57 Moton Ave. Louisville, Ky.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the

11th day of April 1912.

N. B. Winchester
Notary Public
of Jefferson County.

My Commission expires Jan. 1914

Louisa Snowden

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson County.

Frank S. Barbour and Hancock Taylor of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Louisa Snowden 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? Frank S. Barbour 1505- Morton Ave. 2nd Dist - Hancock Taylor 1400- Morton Ave. Louisville, Ky.

2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Snowden - yes
If so, how long have you known her? Forty-Three years

3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? Jefferson County, - all of her life

4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? yes

5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? I was

6. How long did you know him? all of my life

7. When and where did Robert T. Snowden 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? yes

9. How long did he perform regular military duty? From the time he enlisted until the close of the War

10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? Washington, Ga.

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

12. Was Robert H. Snowden, the husband of applicant, present? yes

13. If not present, where was he?

14. When and where did he leave his command?

For what cause?

By whose authority did he leave?

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

Was with him

15. When and where did Robert T. Snowden die?

May 20th - 1910 - at Beech Valley, Oldham Co. Ky.

16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? Beech Valley Ky

had resided in Kentucky all of his life

17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of Robert T. Snowden

I do.

* and have no doubt - the first witness has told the truth throughout having known both of them from early youth.

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?
None

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.

I knew Robert T. Snowden from his early youth. I know he was the husband of the applicant. I know he died at Jeff. Valley and that he left virtually nothing. I know every reason to feel assured that he was a Confederate Soldier. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of April 1912. H. S. Banker Company C-7th Ky C. 504

day of April 1912.

N. B. Winchester
Notary Public

Hancock Taylor

Witnesses.

My commission expires Jan. 1914

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

I, Muir W. Weisinger, Judge of County Court, Jefferson County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs. Louisa Snowden the widow of Robt. Tarlton Snowden amounts to \$ real estate and \$ personal

Muir W. Weisinger, Trustee Judge
For Jefferson County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson County

I, N. B. Winchester, Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. Louisa Snowden resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the 11th day of birth 19... and that the witnesses, Mr. Frank J. Barton and Hancock Taylor 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 11th day of April 1912.

(SEAL)

N. B. Winchester N.P.
Jefferson County

my commission expires Jan. 1914

- 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. 402

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name

Louisa Snowden

Filed

JUN 28 1912

Widow of

Robt. J. Snowden

*Approved
W. J. Stone
Examiner*

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

1912 April 22

Filed and Laid Over.

Attest P. S. Rapp



UNITED STATES
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
WASHINGTON, D. C.

LOUISA SNOWDEN.

WIDOW OF ROBERT. T. SNOWDEN, who
enlisted Oct. 30, 1862, Co. C,
2nd Kentucky Cavalry, and was
captured in Ohio July 26, 1863,
and exchanged Feb'y. 20, 1865 and
was surrendered and paroled at
Augusta, Ga. May 13, 1865.

Proven by the records and
comrades.

Indigent.

W J S

I recommend that this claim
be allowed.

J. Paul Ellis
Adjutant General.

Approved by
State Pension Board

James B. Mcbray
Chairman

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

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, July 2, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The Confederate records show that
Robert Snowden, private, Company C,
2d Kentucky (Duke's) Cavalry, Con-
federate States Army, was enlisted
October 30, 1862 (also shown March 24,
1862).

The Union records of prisoners of
war show that Robert T. Snowden was
captured at Salineville, Ohio, July
26, 1863, paroled at Camp Douglas,
Illinois, February 13, 1865, forwarded
to Point Lookout, Maryland for ex-
change, and received at Boulware &
Cox's Wharf, James River, February 20,
1865, for exchange. Said records
also show him surrendered at Augusta,
Georgia, May 13, 1865, and paroled at
Augusta, Georgia (date not shown).

Henry P. Law
Adjutant General.

124 Claire ave -
Louisville, Ky -

Mr. J. T. George
Case of Confederate Pensions,
Frankfort, Ky -

Dear Sir:

This is to notify you
that my mother, Mrs Louisa
Snowden, ^{End of Trueman's} of this city passed away
on April 12th 1925. She was ill
a long while and if there is any
part of the quarterly pension due
her estate of course we shall be
glad to have it to help meet the
heavy expense incurred by her ill-
ness.

Also wish to state that my

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

aunt, Mrs Lavinia Singleton,
who also made her home with me
part of the time, the address you
have being R. R. 1, Box 178, Louisville
passed away while visiting relatives
in Madison, Wis. on Feb.
22nd 1925.

In reference to the letter per mail
I thought you had been notified so
I should have done so.

Hoping to hear from you in ref-
erence to Mrs Snowden's pension,
Pam,
Very sincerely yours,
(Mrs) Ella Snowden Luck-

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. Louisa Snowden

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,

claims that her husband Robert I. Snowden

was a member of Company C Regiment 2^d Ky. C. S. A.,

and was Car.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone

Examiner.

IN RE application of Louisa Snowden for Confederate Pension.

The County Attorney being present and evidence concerning this claim being heard in open Court, the substance of the testimony of each witness heard is as follows:

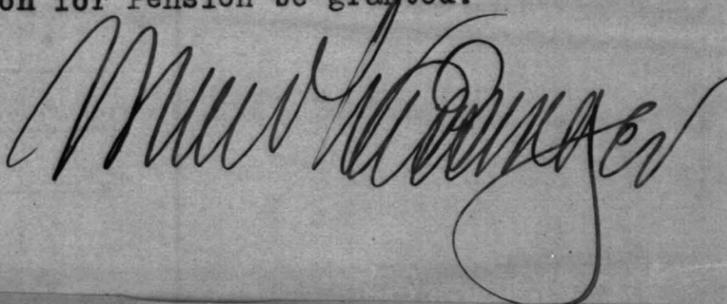
Hancock Taylor, 1400 Morton Ave., Louisville, Ky., Witness.

Frank S. Barbour, 1505 Morton Ave., Louisville, Ky., Witness

testified that the applicant is the widow of Robert T. Snowden that she is about 65 years of age, that the reason she did not appear in Court was that she was visiting out of the State and did not know of the trial, that she was living with him as his lawful wife at the time of his death, that she has never married since, that she has resided in this State since January 1, 1907, continuously, that she is unable to earn a support in any way, that she receives no pension from any State or Government, that she has no income or property of any kind, that she has no agreement with anyone to take care of her, and that she is unable to earn a support by reason of property or income or both combined.

I find in this case that Louisa Snowden is the widow of Robert T. Snowden, that she has been a citizen and resident continuously since January 1, 1907, of Jefferson County, and the State of Kentucky, and that she has no means of support of any kind and that the two lay witnesses are reputable witnesses entitled to credit.

I recommend that the application for Pension be granted.



Louisville, Ky.
April 28th, 1925

Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Ky.

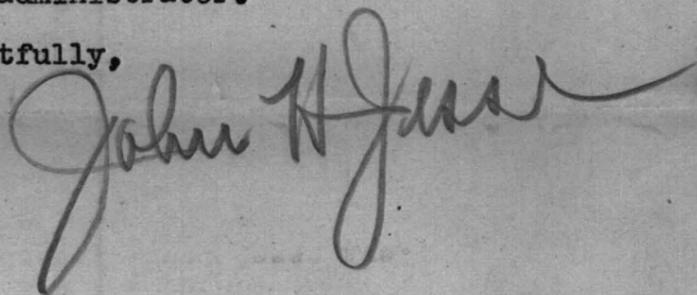
Gentlemen:

I am enclosing herewith copy of the Order of the Court, making the appointment for the administrator for the estate of Louisa M. Snowden; also copy of the certificate of death from the Registrar's office.

This is per your request in a recent letter to Mrs. C.W.Luck.

You will please forward the papers that are necessary to Frances S. Jesse, 2630 Jesse Ave., Louisville, Ky. who is the administrator.

Respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "John H. Jesse". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name "Respectfully,".

JHJ/LPC

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

LOUISVILLE, KY.

No. 845

J. F. Blackbery, State Registrar of Vital Statistics, do hereby certify the following to be a true and correct copy of the CERTIFICATE OF DEATH of

PLACE OF DEATH *Ms Louisa Mays Snowden*
County of *Jefferson* on file in THE BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS of Kentucky.

Registration District No. *755* File No. _____
Voting Precinct No. _____ Primary Registration District No. *2275* Registered No. *1490*

Incorporated Town _____ (No. *2630 Jesse Ave. St.*, Ward _____)
City *Louisville* (If death occurred in a Hospital or Institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

(If death occurs away from USUAL RESIDENCE give facts called for under "Special Information.") Full Name *Ms Louisa Mays Snowden*

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *Female* 4 COLOR OR RACE *White* 5 Single *Widow*
Married
Widowed
or Divorced
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH *Jan 3 1846*
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE *79 yrs. 3 mos. 9 ds* IF LESS than
1 day hrs
or min?

8 OCCUPATION
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work
(b) General nature of industry business or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) *Newport, Ky*

10 NAME OF FATHER *Henry Hunt Mays*

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) *Marietta Ohio*

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER *Louise Winston*

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) *Boone Co. Ky*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) *Rich. D. Prudden*

(Address) *2630 Jesse Ave.*

Filed *Apr 13 1925* *Dr. J. A. Cautcher* Registrar.

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *April 12 1925*
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased *for 14 Weeks*, 192 *to April 12*, 192 *5*
that I last saw *her* alive on *April 12*, 192 *5*

and that death occurred on the date stated above at *10:15 P*

m. The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Fractured Left Hip

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds

Contributory *Senility*
(Secondary)

(Signed) *P. M. Goldsborough* M. D.
Apr 12 1925 (Address *257 Frankfort*)

State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence _____

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL *Newport, Ky* DATE OF BURIAL *Apr 13 1925*

20 UNDERTAKER *John Maas* ADDRESS *Boone Co. Louisville Ky*

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto subscribed my name and caused the official seal to be affixed, at Louisville, Ky., this *27* day of *April* in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and *Twenty Five*

J. F. Blackbery
State Registrar.

