

(ORIGINAL)

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson }
.....County.

Mrs Sarah J. McCardle

.....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.)

Sarah J. McCardle, Louisville, Jefferson County, Ky.

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

Since 1849, but I lived 2 or 3 years thereafter in St Louis.

3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name?

In St Louis, Mo. My maiden name was Sarah J. Tannehill. I first married Wm Harrington who died in St Louis.

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.)

My husband James McCardle born in New York City in 1836. We were married at Louisville, Ky, on May 25th 1867 by Esqr J. M. Stevens—a magistrate.

5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States?

In Louisville Ky in 1861: 2^d Ky Cavalry Regt. Company B.

6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment?

All during the war.

7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender?

When Morgan surrendered in Ohio after his famous raid.

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

He was.

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?

He surrendered with Morgan & was in prison at Camp Chase + Camp Douglas—+ finally paroled.

10. When and where did your husband die?

At Louisville, Ky, May 5th 1912.

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

Never divorced—I was at Morton Home + he stayed part of time at his brothers + part at nieces.

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?

Small cottage on Laurel (now E. Jacob) worth about 5 or 6 hundred dollars. I get only about \$120 a year, but have to pay taxes, repairs etc out of it.

14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family?

It is assessed at \$480.00 by assessor. I have no family. I have a married son living here named Norton M. McCardle.

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.

Write to Wm J. Petot (near neighbor) on Morton Av in this city, or D. Leo J. Monroe, or Saml Cooper on Barrett Av near Morton (corner of Page St) in Louisville, Ky.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the

22^d day of May 1912.

W. S. Hogue

N. P. of Jefferson County Ky

Sarah J. McCardle

my Commission expires }
Jan 18th 1914 - }

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson County,
Samuel T. Cooper

....., of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Sarah J. McBardle 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?
Samuel T. Cooper 950 Barret Av in Louisville
2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Sarah J. McBardle
If so, how long have you known her? Forty years + over (Dr Geo J. Monroe answers 25 yrs)
3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? She resides here in Louisville Ky, + has ever since I have known her
4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? Very well
5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? No
6. How long did you know him? About 35 or 40 years (Dr Geo J. Monroe answers 25 yrs)
7. When and where did James McBardle enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? I always understood from him that he enlisted first under Col Blanton Duncan here at Louisville in 1861
8. Were you a member of the same Company and Regiment at the close of the war? No
9. How long did he perform regular military duty? He always told me he served all through the war
10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? In Ohio on Morgan's raid - I have often heard him talk about the matter
11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? No
12. Was James McBardle the husband of applicant, present?
I have no doubt he was
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.)
15. When and where did James McBardle die? Here at Louisville a short time ago. I saw him here in feeble health a few weeks ago
16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? Here. He resided here all the time that I knew him.
17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of James McBardle?
Yes, I have known her for many years as his wife, + she is now his widow

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?

I have known of her having a small cottage on Laurel Street (now E. Jacob, I believe) for some years & have seen it often. That is all she has. Don't know what rents for
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.

Dr Geo J Monroe concurs in all but 7, 8, 9 & 10 of above answers
618 Paul Jones Bldg Louisville Ky

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *24*

day of *May* 191*2*

Samuel Cooper & Dr Geo J. Monroe
W. S. Hogue
Commission expires Jan 18 1914
N. P. J. Ky

Samuel J. Cooper
Geo J. Monroe
Witnesses.

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

I, *Wm. W. Messinger* Judge of *County Court Jefferson* County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs. *Sarah J. McCordle* the widow of *James M. McCordle* amounts to \$ *500.00* real estate and \$ *.....* personal
For *Jefferson* County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,
Jefferson County.

I, *W. S. Hogue* Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. *Sarah J. McCordle* resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the *.....* day of *.....* 19*12*, and that the witnesses, Mr. *Samuel J. Cooper & Dr Geo J. Monroe* 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 *24* day of *May* 191*2*

(SEAL)

W. S. Hogue
Notary Public *Jefferson* County *Ky*

- 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. 1432

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name *Sarah J. McBardle*

Filed *AUG 22 1912*

Widow of *James McBardle*

Approved Dec: 12th 1912
W. J. Stone Examiner

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

1912 June 1
Filed and Laid Over.
Attest G. S. Ray cler

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

AUG 24

1947956

WAR DEPARTMENT

Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."
1947956

WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, August 27, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the
Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

reported present with remark: "Reenlist-
ed in Col. Duke's Regt. Jan 1, 1862.
Has been discharged from (roll torn).
Transferred Arty. July 1, 1862."

Bo Ludlow
The Adjutant General.

The records show that one James
McCardell, private, Company B, 1st
Kentucky Mounted Rifles, which subse-
quently became Company B, 2d (Duke's)
Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States
Army, was enlisted June 1, 1862, at
Chattanooga. On the roll covering the
period from January 1 to October 31,
1862 (last roll on which borne), he
was reported present with remark:
"Tranf. Artillery July 1."

The Union records of prisoners of
war show that this man was captured at
Salineville, Ohio, July 26, 1863; that
he was paroled at Camp Douglas, Illinois,
February 13, 1865, and forwarded to
Point Lookout, Maryland, for exchange.
The following indorsement appears of
record: "Received at Boulwares and
Cox wharf, James River, Feb. 20 and 21,
1865, from Lt. Col. Jno. E. Mulford
3038 paroled prisoners of war." No
later record found.

The records also show that James
McCardle, private, Captain C. C. Cor-
bett's Company Artillery, attached to
2d Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States
Army, was enlisted June 1, 1862, at
Chattanooga. On the roll dated January
1, 1863 (only roll on file), he was

(A. G. O. 72-2)

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT,

MRS. SARAH J. McCARDLE,
widow of
JAMES McCARDLE.

Enlisted June 1, 1862, Co.
B, 2nd Kentucky Cavalry, and
he was captured July 26, 1863
in Ohio, and was exchanged
Feb'y. 21, 1865, at Cox' Wharf,
Va.

Proven by record and com-
rades.

Property: \$500.00.

I recommend that this
claim be allowed.

J. Sandy Ellis
Adjutant General.

Allowed by the State
Pension Board.

James M. McCreary
Chairman.

No. _____ W _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

AUG 22 1912 191

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

Dear Sir:

Mrs. *Sarah J McCardle*

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,
claims that her husband *James McCardle*

was a member of Company *B* Regiment *3d 14* C. S. A.,

and was *Car-*

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, }
JEFFERSON COUNTY, } SCT.

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BE IT REMEMBERED

*For
Confederate
Pension*



That heretofore, to-wit: on the

25TH

day of

May

1867.

James M. Cardle

obtained from the Clerk of the County Court, within and for the, State and

County aforesaid, a license to marry

Sarah J. Harrington

and that they were married

by

J. M. Stephens at *Louisville Ky*

on the

25TH

day of

May

1867,

in the presence

of

Chs. Clarke

and

Anna Harrington

all of which appears upon the Marriage Register on file in my office as Clerk of said Court.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, and that the foregoing is truly and completely copied from the Register aforesaid, I hereunto set my hand and affix the Seal of said Court, of which I am the custodian, at Louisville, Kentucky, this

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day of

May

1912

P. A. Ray

Clerk,

JEFFERSON COUNTY COURT, KENTUCKY.



Questions for Witness

State of Kentucky }
Fayette County } sep

Gustave Jaubert
of said State & County being
presented as a Witness
in support of the applica-
tion of Mrs Sarah J. McCar-
dle, of Louisville, Ky,
for a pension under the
Confederate Pension Law
approved March 11th 1912,
after being duly sworn to
make true answers to the
questions, & each of them, ad-
dressed to him & to state
the truth the whole truth
& nothing else but the truth
in answer to the following
questions, deposes & answers
as follows:

1 What is your name
& what your post office ad-
dress -

Answer Gustave Jaubert, Lexington Ky

2 Are you acquainted with

The applicant Mrs Sarah J. McBardle? If so how long have you known her?

Ans Have known her for about 12 or 15 years

3 Where does she reside & how long, & since when, has she been a resident of this State?

Ans She lives in Louisville, Kentucky, and has resided there since my acquaintance with her

4 Were you acquainted with her husband? How long did you know him?

Ans you know him?

Ans Have known him about forty years

5 Were you present at the marriage?

Ans Was not

6 When & where did James McBardle enlist in the War between the States, & in what company & regiment & how do you know this?

Ans Enlisted April 21st, 1861, at Louisville Ky, and served in 1st Ky. Infantry

7 In what company & Regiment did he serve? How do you know this?

Ans He and I enlisted at the same time in Company

U., 1st Reg. Infantry and served through the entire war and returned home together

8 Were you a member of the same Company & regiment at the close of the war?

Ans yes

9 How long did he perform regular military duty?

Ans Four years and one month from the time we left home until our return

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10 When & where was his company surrendered?
surrendered with Gen. J. H. Morgan

11 Were you with the Command when it surrendered?
yes

12 Was James McCardle, the Applicant's husband, present?

yes

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13 When & where did James McCardle die?

died in Louisville Ky, but do not know date.

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Did he reside in Kentucky when he died, + how long had he been a resident of Kentucky?

Ans Yes he died a resident of this state and had been for 50 years

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14

Do you know of your own knowledge that the applicant Mrs Sarah J. McBardle is the lawful widow of the said James McBardle?

Was not present at marriage but have visited their home and knew from my acquaintance with them that she was

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What property has she? And what has she disposed of in the last two years if any

Ans I do not know

(Signed) Gustave Jaubert

State of Kentucky }
Fayette County }

Subscribed + sworn to before me this 29 day of May 1912.

Theo. Lewis clerk
Fayette County Court

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STATE OF KENTUCKY,)
COUNTY OF JEFFERSON.)

JEFFERSON COUNTY COURT.

At the Court held on the 15th day of August, 1912,

IN RE application of MRS. SARAH J. McCARDLE

for Confederate pension.

This case coming on to be heard, and the Court hearing testimony in open Court, the County Attorney being present, a brief substance of the testimony of each witness is as follows:

Mrs. Sarah J. McCardle, (Applicant) 1508 Morton Av., Louisville, Ky.
Samuel T. Cooper, (Witness) 950 Barrett Av., Louisville, Ky.

testified that the applicant was the wife of the Confederate soldier named in the application; that she has resided in this State continuously since January 1, 1907; that they have known her personally for several years; that she is unable to earn a living by manual labor, and is not able to earn a living by reason of any knowledge; that she does not receive a pension from the United States, or any foreign government; that she does not possess a net income of \$300.00 per year; that she has no property to the amount of \$2500.00; that she has no contract or agreement with any one for her support, nor is she able by reason of the combined partial ability to earn a support.

I find that the applicant has been a citizen and resident continuously since January 1, 1907 of Jefferson County, and the State of Kentucky, and 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.

Muir W. [Signature]
Judge.

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THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY,

TO THE SHERIFF OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, GREETING:

You are commanded to summon

Sarah J. McCordle
Samuel J. Cooper 950 Barrett.

at 10 o'clock a.m.

to appear before the Judge of the Jefferson County Court on the *18th* day of *July* 191*2*

to testify in behalf of the *Pension* in action in said Court, between

plaintiff and Sarah J. McCordle defendant.

WITNESS, P. S. Ray, Clerk of the Jefferson County Court, this *3* day of *July* 191*2*.

P. S. RAY, CLERK.

By *J. E. Craza* D. C.

Executed July 6/1912 on Saml. J. Cooper
of M. Embler S & C
By George Bouterlier D.S.

to testify in behalf of the
to appear before the Judge of the Jefferson County Court on the

BOND ATLAS BO
TO THE JUDGE OF JEFFERSON COUNTY, KY.
THE COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY