

(ORIGINAL)

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

McCracken County.

Emma Catherine Vaughn 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.)

Emma Catherine Vaughn, McCracken County, Kentucky, ^{address} Kevil, Ky Route # 3

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

3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name? Born March 9th 1850, in Logan County, Ky. — Emma Catherine Powell

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.) Born Sept. 8, 1839 Logan County, Ky. — William Peterson Vaughn: married in Springfield Tenn. — Brother Carter Plasters. (Have no copy) Married Sept. 22, 1868

5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States? Enlisted in Company "B" — 2nd Ky. Cavalry; Morgan's Command, 1862 (about Sept) ⁱⁿ Robinson County, Tenn.

6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment? *Until the end of the war or until he was injured at Missionary ridge.*

7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender? *Don't know. He came home at end of war; never having recovered from wound received at Missionary ridge*

8. Was your husband present at the time and place when his Company and Regiment surrendered? *Thinks not*

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 was injured at Missionary ridge & he was unable to get out. He was shot with minie ball through side, just missing his heart. He has scars front & in back, always.*

10. When and where did your husband die? *April, 17, 1907, at Lovelaceville, Ky near*

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? *Nothing*

14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family? *Have nine children, all married. Live with one of my sons.*

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. *Cap. Flourteroy, Kevil, Ky. Route # 3*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the

10th day of Dec. 1913.

x Geo. S. Singleton Clerk
of McCracken County.

her
Emma Catherine Vaughn
mark

By H. A. Katterjohn Witness

Ed. Rudolph

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

McCracken County.
J. W. Boren, M. G. Sale, Jennie L. Lyson
 of said State and County, having
 been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Emma Catherine Vaughn
 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? James Weille Boren
Paducah, Ky. Marmaduke Golladay Sale
2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Emma Catherine Vaughn? Yes
 If so, how long have you known her? Fifty years
3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? McCracken County
and has been a resident of this state all her life.
4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? Yes
5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? No. Have known ever since
marriage that they lived together as man & wife until his death.
6. How long did you know him? Life time
7. When and where did William P. Vaughn enlist in the war between the

States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? First witness was in same company
& served with him until Mangum's raid (about July '63) in Ohio. He thinks that Vaughn went to Ohio; witness did
not go. Second witness saw him at different times in the army during the war, saw him come home at end of war

8. Were you a member of the same Company and Regiment at the close of the war? Yes. But that part of
the company going to Ohio never joined us again.
9. How long did he perform regular military duty? Four years
10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? Spartanburg, S. C., 1865 - April
11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? Yes
12. Was W. P. Vaughn, the husband of applicant, present? No
13. If not present, where was he? According to information was injured.
14. When and where did he leave his command? At Missionary ridge, (believe but
don't know.
 For what cause? Injury
 By whose authority did he leave?

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

15. When and where did Wm. P. Vaughn die? 1907
in ~~Mc~~ Ballard County, Ky.
16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death?
McCracken County, had been resident all life
17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of W. P. Vaughn? 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?
... *Don't know of anything she has.*
... *3rd witness knows she has nothing.*

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.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *10th* day of *Dec.* 191*3*.
+ *Gus G. Singleton*
by H. A. Kattorjehud

J. W. Boren
M. G. Sale
Witnesses.
Jennie Larrison

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

I, *Jas. Lang* Judge of *M^cCracken* County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs. *Emma Catherine Vaughn* the widow of *W. P. Vaughn* amounts to \$ *00⁰⁰* real estate and \$ *00* personal. *Jas. W. Lang* Trustee. For *M^cCracken* County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

M^cCracken County.
I, *Gus G. Singleton* Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. *Emma Catherine Vaughn* resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the day of 19*13*., and that the witnesses, Mr. *J. W. Boren, M. G. Sale & Jennie Larrison* 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 *10th* day of *Dec.* 191*3*.
(SEAL) *Gus G. Singleton*
M^cCracken County.
H. A. Kattorjehud

- 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. 3294

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name *Emma Catherine Vaughan*

Filed *APR 13 1915*

Widow of *W. P. Vaughan*

Allowed Apr 26 1915
W. J. Storer
Commissioner

All blanks on this Pension Board.

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Indorsement.

PENSION EXAMINER'S OFFICE,

FRANKFORT, KY.

EMMA C. VAUGHN
WIDOW OF
W. P. VAUGHN

Who enlisted Sept. 10, 1862,
in Co. B, Duke's 2nd Kentucky
Cavalry; was captured Aug. 16,
1863, and released May 11, 1865,
at Ft. Delaware upon taking
the oath of allegiance. Proven
by the record.

Indigent.

Approved:

W J Stone.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

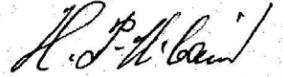
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, April 16, 1915.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records of this office show
that William Vaughn, private, Co.
B, 2d (Duke's) Kentucky Cavalry,
C. S. A., enlisted Sept. 10, 1862;
that, as William P. Vaughn, he was
captured August 16, 1863, at Clarks-
ville, Tenn., and that he was re-
leased May 11, 1865, at Fort Dela-
ware.



The Adjutant General.

No. W

APR 13 1915

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

April 13th 1915

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

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Emma Catherine Vaughn

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,
claims that her husband William P. Vaughn
was a member of Company "B" Regiment 2d Ky. C. S. A.,
and was Cavalry

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

in the matter of McCracken County Court Emma Catharine Vaughan

applicant for pension under the act granting pensions to disabled and indigent confederate soldiers.

It is remembered that on the 12th day of April 1915 at a regular court held and for the County of McCracken and State of Kentucky

came Emma Catharine Vaughan the above named applicant, who introduced

B. F. Knott — whose post office address is Revel Ky. D. 3-

and E. B. Wren whose post office address is Revel Ky. D. 3-

as witnesses in his behalf, and the witnesses being by me duly sworn appeared as follows, in substance—

That they are both personally acquainted with the applicant

Mrs Vaughan, and that they have both known her for the past

10 or 15 years, during all of which time she has been a citizen and a

resident of the State of Kentucky; that the said Mrs. Vaughan

is unable to earn a support by manual labor or by her knowledge of

any art or skill in a profession; that she does not receive a pension

from the United States, from any State, or from any foreign govern-

ment, that she does not receive an income of more than three hundred

dollars per year and that he has no property; that she has no

~~property~~ except her household goods; that her support is not provided

for by reason of any contract with any one and that she is unable

to earn a support or income of three hundred dollars per year by

reason of the combine her partial ability to earn money by manual labor,

by her property, or by any other means.

I, James N. Long, Judge of the McCracken County Court, do hereby cer-

tify that the above is a true and correct statement in substance of

the evidence given by the foregoing witnesses on the hearing of this

application on the day and date first above mentioned; I further

certify that both the above witnesses are personally known to me and

that they are entitled to full faith and credit when sworn as witness

es. I have examined the papers in this case and I recommend that a

pension be granted to the above applicant.

Given under my hand as Judge of the McCracken County Court this the

12th day of April — 1915.

J. As. L. Long Judge
E. B. Wren

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
 State Board of Health
 BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

File No. _____
 Registered No. 2

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County McCracken
 Inc. Town _____
 City _____ (No. _____ St. _____ Ward)
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)
 Registration District No. 939
 Primary Registration District No. 6437

2 FULL NAME Emma C. Daughn

(a) Residence. No. _____ St. _____ Ward. _____
 (Usual place of abode) (If nonresident, give city or town and State)
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S., if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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

16 DATE OF DEATH Dec 26 1934
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

5a If ~~married~~, widowed, or ~~divorced~~
 (or) WIFE of William Daughn

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from 11/6/34, 1934 to Dec 26, 1934, that I last saw her alive on Dec 15, 1934, and that death occurred on the date stated above at 2 P. m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:
Leukemia of the liver

6 DATE OF BIRTH May 7-1901
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 33 yrs. 9 mos. 17 ds. IF LESS than 1 day _____ hrs. or _____ min?

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

(Duration) 2 yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

9 BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Logan Co Ky
 (State or country)

Contributory (Secondary) _____
 (Duration) _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.

10 NAME OF FATHER Daniel Powell

18 WHERE WAS DISEASE CONTRACTED
 If not at place of death? _____

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (city or town) Logan Co Ky
 (State or country)

Did an operation precede death? No Date of _____

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER D. K.

Was there an autopsy? No

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (city or town) D. K.
 (State or country)

What test confirmed diagnosis? _____
 (Signed) L. G. Young, M. D.
1/12/35, 1935 (Address) Knights Ky. R. 2

14 (Informant) C. A. Daughn
 (Address) R. J. Kevill

*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means and nature of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal. (See reverse side for additional space.)

15 Filed 1/15, 1935 C. C. Morris
 Registrar

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL New Hope DATE OF BURIAL Dec 27, 1934

20 UNDERTAKER James Brown-Kevill, Ky Kevill, Ky
 ADDRESS _____

MARGIN RESERVED FOR RECORDING
 WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD
 N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

Keril, Ky.
Jan 8/35

Congederate Pension Dept.
Frankfort, Ky.

Sir —

Mr Emma C. Vaughn died
Dec 26 - 1934.

Pension certificate No. 3294

Yours Truly,

Mr Charles A Vaughn,

Son of Emma C. Vaughn,

Kevil, Kentucky.
Route No. 1,
January 30, 1935.

Mr. John M. Lucas,
Commissioner of Confederate Pensions,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:-

I am enclosing herewith, pursuant to your instructions, a copy of the death certificate of Emma C. Vaughn, deceased, and also a certified copy under seal of the appointment of myself, Charles A. Vaughn, as administrator of the estate of Emma C. Vaughn, deceased. Please make your check payable unto the last named person of the amount set forth in your letter to me dated January 11, 1935.

I understand that Mr. Jones, the undertaker, at Kevil, Kentucky, has already sent in his claim for burial services in this case.

Very truly yours,

Charles A. Vaughn
Administrator of the estate of
Emma C. Vaughn, deceased.