

(DUPLICATE)

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Hickman County.

Suey Ellen Myers 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.) Suey Ellen Myers - Hickman County, Ky
2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State? Life
3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name? Born in Hickman County, Ky 1843 - Suey Ellen Via
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 in North Carolina 1840 - William Granderson Myers - Hickman County, Ky - by Rev. Frank Bone
5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States? April or May 1861 at Columbus, Ky, Co. A. 2 - Ky. Infantry
6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment? During the entire war
7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender? North Carolina in April 1865
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? Hickman County, Ky - April 3 - 1912
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? Real estate about 60 acres of land worth \$1000 - Personal about \$250 -
14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family? No except one son 40 years old
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... P. J. Vaughan Chicago R.R. #1

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the

4 day of May 1912

J. M. Keup of Hickman County.

Suey Ellen Myers

My Commission expires Feb 16 - 1914

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Hickman County.

J. R. Groom of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Lucy Ellen Myers 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? J. R. Groom, Clutson, Ky.
2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Lucy Ellen Myers?
If so, how long have you known her? over 50 years
3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? Hickman County, Ky. all her life.
4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? yes
5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? yes
6. How long did you know him? 50 years
7. When and where did William Granderson Myers enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? Company of May 61, 2nd Ky. Inf. Enlisted at the same time.
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? During the whole war.
10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? At the close of the war in North Carolina.
11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? no
12. Was William Granderson Myers the husband of applicant, present? yes
13. If not present, where was he? At the close of the war. Don't know where.
14. When and where did he leave his command? At the close of the war.
For what cause? At the close of the war.
By whose authority did he leave? At the close of the war.
- How do you know all this? (State fully and clearly.) Because I was with him from 1861 until Sept. 1864, and in the same company and regiment.
15. When and where did William Granderson Myers die? Hickman Co. - Apr. - 3 - 1912.
16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? Hickman Co. - All his life.
17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of William Granderson Myers? 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?

Farm of 60 acres adjoining my place worth about \$800 and some little personal property.

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

She has not.

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.

Witness *G. R. Gwyn* answers questions 7-17 inclusive & other witness concurs as to all the rest.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *4th* day of *May* 191*7*.

J. M. Keup N.P. } witness *G. R. Gwyn*
My Commission expires Feb 16-1914. } *Rebecca Katherine Murphy*
Witnesses. *M. J. Murphy*

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

I, *J. M. Keup* Judge of *Hickman* County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs. *L. E. Myers* the widow of *W. H. Myers* is now assessed but *W. H. Myers* real estate and \$..... personal *J. M. Keup* Trustee. For County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Hickman County. I, *J. M. Keup* Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. *L. E. Myers* resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the *all her life* day of 19....., and that the witnesses, Mr. *G. R. Gwyn* & Mrs. *Rebecca Katherine Murphy* 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 *4th* day of *May* 191*7*.
(SEAL) *J. M. Keup N.P.*
My Commission expires Feb 16-1914. *Hickman* 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.

with 70 acres of \$700.00

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. 2213

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name *Lacey Ellen Myers*

Filed *JUN 4 1912*

Widow of *William S. Myers*

Co. A. 2nd Ky. Inf. 20th Regt.

Approved
W. J. Stone
Examiner

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

Filed in open court

this May 4 1912

J. M. Potts, cm

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
JUN -6 1912
1920830
WAR DEPARTMENT

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

1920830

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON. June 8, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,

Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that one W. G. Myers, private, Company A, 2d Kentucky Mounted Infantry, Confederate States Army, was enlisted July 5, 1861; that he was surrendered May 6, 1865, at Washington, Georgia, and that, upon taking the oath of allegiance June 5, 1865, at Nashville, Tennessee, he was allowed to return to his home.



The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

Per 

MRS. LUCY E. MYERS,
WIDOW OF W. G. MYERS, who
enlisted July 5, 1861, Co. A,
2nd Kentucky Mtd. Inf'y.; sur-
rendered May 6, 1865 at
Washington, Ga. and released
June 5, 1865 at Nashville,
Tenn. upon taking the oath of
allegiance.

Proven by the record.

Property: \$1250.00

W J S

I recommend that this
claim be allowed.

Adjutant General.

Allowed by the State
Pension Board.

Chairman.

No. W

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

June 4th 1912

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

Dear Sir:

Mrs. *Lucy E Myers*

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,
claims that her husband *William G. Myers*
was a member of Company *A.* Regiment *2nd Ky* C. S. A.,
and was.....
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Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone

Examiner.

VOUCHER

I, _____ Make oath that I am the identical person named in pension Certificate No. _____, dated _____, 1 _____, in my possession and now exhibited; that I come within the law upon which said certificate was issued; that I am entitled to and hereby make claim for the payment of THIRTY-SIX DOLLARS (\$36.00) pension now due, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, from FEBRUARY 1, 1924, to MAY 1, 1924.

and that my post-office address to which I desire the check in payment mailed is as follows:

If pensioner signs by mark or illegibly, two witnesses who write must sign here.

Pensioner's signature must be written here in full as name appears in the head of this voucher

Street and No. or R. F. D. route.

Post-office.

State.

State of Kentucky, County of _____, ss.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1923, and I certify that the pensioner, above named, has this day exhibited to me his pension certificate, above described, and was fully identified as the pensioner named herein.

(L. S.)

Magistrate's signature.

Official character.

Post-office address.

(IF ANY ERASURES OR ALTERATIONS APPEAR ON THIS VOUCHER, THE MAGISTRATE MUST CERTIFY ABOVE HIS SIGNATURE TO THE JURAT THAT THEY WERE MADE BEFORE ITS EXECUTION.)

Name. **Juey E. Myers.**

May, 1924

VOUCHER

2213

\$36.00

INSTRUCTIONS TO OFFICER BEFORE WHOM THIS VOUCHER IS EXECUTED.

1. This voucher may be executed before any officer authorized to administer an oath and having a seal.
2. In every case the pension certificate must be carefully compared with the voucher by the officer who executes it.
3. The officer will also see that post-office addresses are correctly inserted in the proper spaces in the voucher, particularly the address to which the check is to be mailed. He will also give his own postoffice address after his official title on the face of voucher.
4. The officer will be held strictly responsible for the correctness of his certificate of identity in every particular.
5. Vouchers must be returned to the pension Department, by February 1st, May 1st, August 1st, or November 1st, following the execution of the vouchers in order that checks may be paid promptly each quarter.

For All acts involved in the execution or correction of vouchers must be performed in the presence of the officiating officer who must certify to the corrections over his own signature on the face of the voucher in the space indicated

1. Signature by mark should appear thus
his
John X Doe
mark

2. Street and number, P. O. box number, R. F. D. route, or "General Delivery" must appear in P. O. Address in case of residence within carrier delivery. "General Delivery" addresses will be accepted in such case only if no other address as above is available.

3. Jurat must be dated.

Juey E. Myers
is dead. check the
13 of Feb.
It shows its amt
Money coming to
should be
found to get it
Shor. Sam
Joe Myers

Regular Term 1st Monday in each month.

Hickman County Court.

Regular Term, June 3, 1912.

The application of Lucy Ellen Myers, for a pension, under the act of the General Assembly, approved March, 11th, 1912, having on the 4 day of May, 1912, been filed in open court and laid over until this regular term for hearing and now coming on to be heard, the county attorney, J.D. Via, being present and representing the Commonwealth, the parties announcing ready, the judge after hearing the testimony in open court, finds from the evidence the following state of facts, viz: That said applicant, Lucy Ellen Myers is a citizen of the United States and now resides and has been on actual bona fide continuous resident of this State, since January 1st, 1906, and longer and has not been absent therefrom, since said date, for a period, as long as one ~~year~~ ^{year}, that ~~he~~ ^{she} is not able to earn a support by manual labor; receives no pension and does not possess a net income to the amount of \$ 500.00, per year; ~~his wife has no property or income, nor is his~~ ^{now is her} support provided for by any contract or agreement.

I, hereby certify that the witnesses, G. N. Gwynn & Rebecca K. Murphy, signing this application for a pension are each and all, reputable and entitled to credit.

A brief memorandum of testimony of each of the witnesses, who are reputable and entitled to credit, heard, with names and P.O. Address, accompany this finding of these facts.

Believing this claim to be meritorious and just, I recommend that this pension be granted.

Given under my hand as judge of Hickman County, this the 3 day of June, 1912.

J. B. Brumby, Jr.
Judge Hickman County.

Hickman County Court,

Regular Term, June 3rd, 1912.

The following witnesses were this day introduced and heard in open Court, concerning the application of Lucy Ellen Myers

for a pension and each testified, in substance as follows, to-wit:

Lucy Ellen Myers, being duly sworn in ^{his} ~~her~~ own behalf, states that ~~he~~ ^{she} is a citizen of ~~Hickman County, Ky.~~

the United States and an actual bona fide resident of Hickman County, Kentucky, with P.O. at Imigo Ky R.F.D. #1 Ky.; that ~~he~~ ^{she} is not able

to earn a support by manual labor; nor is ~~he~~ ^{she} able to earn a support by reason of ~~his~~ ^{her} knowledge, art or skill in any profession, trade or craft; that ~~she~~ ^{she} does not receive a pens~~ion~~ at all or from any source that ~~she~~ ^{she} has not removed from this state nor been absent therefrom for as long a period as one year within the last past 60 years; th~~at~~ ^{at} that ~~she~~ ^{she} does not possess a net income to the amount of \$300.00 per year; nor has ~~she~~ ^{she} property of the value of \$2500.00; that ~~his~~ ^{his} wife is ~~living and does not possess property or income sufficient for the suitable support of himself and family;~~ that ~~she~~ ^{she} has no contract of any kind or character for ~~her~~ ^{her} support; that ~~she~~ ^{she} is not by reason of ~~her~~ ^{her} combined partial ability to earn a support and income or property, or any or all of these combined, able to earn an income or property, or any or all of these combined, able to earn an income equivalent to \$300.00 per year.

~~she~~ ^{she} states that ~~she~~ ^{she} is the owner of real estate of the value of \$1000⁰⁰; that the income thereof will not exceed \$200⁰⁰ per year; that ~~she~~ ^{she} owns personal property of the value of \$250⁰⁰ and the income therefrom will not exceed \$25⁰⁰ per year; that ~~she~~ ^{she} has no income from any other source.

Mr. Allen, being duly sworn states that he is a resident of Hickman County, Ky., with P.O. at Clinton R.F.D. 3 Ky., that he has known the applicant,

Lucy Ellen Myers for about 40 years and that ~~she~~ ^{she} now resides and has continuously resided in this state for about 40 years; that he has land of the value of \$1000⁰⁰ and personal property of the value of \$ small and the income from both would and does not exceed \$100⁰⁰ per year; that ~~she~~ ^{she} has no other income known to him; that ~~she~~ ^{she} is not able to earn a support by manual labor and ~~his~~ ^{his} wife has property of the value of \$; that the income therefrom does not exceed \$ per year.

Given under my hand as Judge of the Hickman County Court, this the 3rd. day of June, 1912.

J. B. B...
Judge Hickman County Court.

Commonwealth of Kentucky
STATE BOARD OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1 PLACE OF DEATH
County Hickman
Vot. Pct. Fulgham
Ino. Town
City

Registration District No. 5749
Primary Registration District No.

File No.

Registered No.

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

2 FULL NAME Lucy Ellen Myers

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Widow
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Oct 9 1945
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 80 yrs. 4 mos. 4 ds. IF LESS than 1 day... hrs. or... min.?

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

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Hickman Co. Ky.

10 NAME OF FATHER Overton Via

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Don't know

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Martha Farver

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Don't know

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Joe Myers
(Address) Wingo Ky. R. 1

15 Filed Mar 8 1924 Fred Hopkins
REGISTRAR

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Feb 13 1924
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Feb 7 1924, to Feb 13 1924, that I last saw h^e alive on Feb 13 1924, and that death occurred on the date stated above at 5th m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:

Bronchial pneumonia
(Duration) ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds.

Contributory (SECONDARY) (Duration) ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds.

(Signed) P. A. Moore, M. D.
Feb 13 1924 (Address) Wingo Ky. R. 1

*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. State ... yrs. ... mos. ... ds.
In the
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Via Comb. DATE OF BURIAL Feb 14 1924

20 UNDERTAKER Humphreys + Vaughan ADDRESS Wingo Ky

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING
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.