

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Lyon County.

Selina Nowlin 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.) *Name Selina Nowlin, Lyon Co. Ky. P.O. Eddyville Ky.*
2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State? *All of my life.*
3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name? *Balloway Co. Ky. July 16, 1839. Selina Bonner.*
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.) *Balloway Co. Ky. 1833. David Louis Nowlin. Married in Balloway Co. Ky. by Rev. W. L. Rowland.*
5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States? *Sept 1861. Balloway Co. Ky. Co. 4. 7th Regt. Mt. Inf. U. S. A.*
6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment? *Sept 27, 1864.*
7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender? *Don't know.*
8. Was your husband present at the time and place when his Company and Regiment surrendered? *No.*
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 killed in Battle Sept 27, 1864.*
10. When and where did your husband die? *At Templey Shop, Tenn. Sept 27, 1864.*
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? *Have no property and no income.*
14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family? *No.*
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. *Rev. W. J. Beal, Murray, Ky.*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the

13 day of *May*, 191*2*

U. S. King, Clk.

of *Lyon* County, *Ky.* County.

by *D. H. Howland, D. C.*

Selina Nowlin

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Calloway County.
J. K. P. Wells of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Selina Nowlin 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. K. P. Wells
Murray Ky - R#4
2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Selina Nowlin
 If so, how long have you known her?
3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State?
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? From 1861 - until he was killed in battle
7. When and where did David Louis Nowlin enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? Oct 1861 - Oct at Camp Burnett - Co 9. 7th Kentucky. I was present
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 date of enlistment until killed in battle -
10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? 1865 - at Columbus Miss -
11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? Yes
12. Was David Louis Nowlin, the husband of applicant, present? No -
13. If not present, where was he? Killed - at Tailor Shop - Sept 27 - 1864
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.) I was present when he enlisted and I saw him immediately after he was killed
15. When and where did David Louis Nowlin die?
as above -
16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death?
was a native of Calloway County, Kentucky until the war -
17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of only by hearsay

18. Has she remained unmarried since her soldier husband's death, and is she now his widow? *Yes - I*

Will do -

19. What property, effects or income has the applicant, if any, and how do you know this of your own knowledge?

I know nothing of her present circumstances

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

Not that I know of -

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 H. Utterback of same Co & Regiment states that he knew of David Lewis Nowlin's enlistment & service but was not present at his death - same statement by O. T. Foster

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *15*

day of *May* 191*7*

M. D. Talton
Notary Public

H. P. Wells (1st Lieut)
H. Utterback
O T Foster
Witnesses.

My Commission Expires Jan. 22, 1918

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

I, *D. P. Gray* Judge of *Lyon* County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs. *Selina A. Nowlin* the widow of *David Lewis Nowlin* amounts to \$ *Does not list any property* real estate and \$ *personal* personal

For *D. P. Gray* Trustee.
For *D. P. Gray* County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Lyon County.

I, *E. H. James* Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. *Selina A. Nowlin* resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the *all of her life* day of *all of her life* 19*17*, and that the witnesses, Mr. *J. K. P. Mills, H. Utterback and O. T. Foster* 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 *12* day of *May* 191*7*.

(SEAL)

E. H. James
Notary Public

My term expires *Feb. 8 1916* 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.

Mrs Selma Nowlin

No. 000

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name *Selma Nowlin*

JUL 30 1912

Filed *May 22 1912*
Working Club

Widow of *David L. Nowlin*

Approved
W. J. Stone
Examiner

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



ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
AUG - 11 1912
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WAR DEPARTMENT

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, August 1, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that D. L. Nowlin, lieutenant and captain, Company G, 7th Kentucky Mounted Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted October 10, 1861. On the roll of the company for May and June, 1864 (last on file), he was reported present. No later record of him has been found.

Henry P. Mc Cain
Adjutant General.

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Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

MRS. SELINA NOWLIN,

WIDOW OF DAVID L. NOWLIN, who enlisted Oct. 10, 1861, Co. G, 7th Kentucky Mtd. Inf'y. and he was killed Sept. 27, 1864; record proof of service to June 1864; two comrades testify to his having been killed in battle.

Indigent.

W J S

I recommend that this claim be allowed

J. Sandwell
Adjutant General

SECTION 17 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

§ 415-b. No pension granted under this act while due or to become due to a pensioner, shall be liable to attachment or levy or seizure by, or under, any legal or equitable process whatever, whether same remains with the State, or in course of transmission to the pensioner entitled thereto.

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

No. 909

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Selina Nowlin

Payable Quarterly

by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

at

Frankfort, Kentucky.

Handwritten notes and signatures in the background of the certificate, including a large signature that appears to be 'Selina Nowlin'.

Vertical handwritten notes and signatures on the right side of the certificate, including a signature that appears to be 'J. Sandwell'.

No. _____ W. _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

JUL 30 1912 191

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

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Selma Nowlin

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,
claims that her husband Dave L. Nowlin

was a member of Company G Regiment 7th Ky. C. S. A.,

and was 1 Mtd Inf

Approved by State Pension Board.

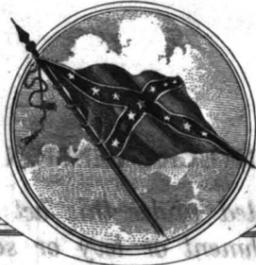
James M. McCreary
Chairman.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

No. 909



SECTION 17 OF THE KE... LAW PROVIDES THAT
§ 415-b. No pension shall be made to attach to the estate of a pensioner, shall be liable to attachment, or shall be subject to seizure by, or under, any legal or equitable process whatever, after some time remaining with the State or in course of law.

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

That in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky;

Selvia Woolin, widow of Dave L. Woolin

who was a member of Company "G" Regiment 7th
Kentucky Mounted Infantry

Confederate States Army, is entitled to a pension at the rate of Twenty
dollars per month, to commence on the 15th day of
March one thousand nine hundred and 28

Given at the office of the Commissioner of Pensions

this 15th day of April
one thousand nine hundred and 28

B. F. Day
Commissioner.

W. P. RUSSELL,

DEALER IN

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Pottertown, Ky., Almo, Route 1 June 19 1902

State of Kentucky

County of Calloway.

The undersigned ~~W. A. Fitts~~

Being duly sworn

according to law, declares that on

March 7th - 1853 that he was

at St. St. Bonners, and saw David Z. Nowlin
and his wife Selina Bonner united in
marriage.

W. A. Fitts

att

subscribed and sworn to

~~W. A. Fitts~~ by me out by

W. A. Fitts This June 19-02

R. H. Talwell, clerk

By W. P. Russell bc

401 West Bdway,
Mayfield, Kentucky.

July 20, 1928.

Commissioner of Pensions,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

Dear Sir:

Inclosed I send you certified copy of my ap-
pointment by the Graves County Court as administrator
of Selina Nowlin, deceased, who died on July 3, 1928.

If there is any further information which you
wish, please notify me and I will furnish the same
to you.

Yours truly,

D. L. Nowlin

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June term Lyon County Court.

June 24, 1912.

In the matter in the application of Mrs. Selina Nowlin for
pension, act March 11, 1912.

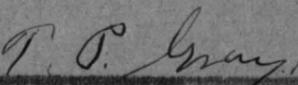
Cme the following witnesses, who being duly sworn testified in
relation to said claim as follows;

My name is Dave Nowlin, I am 50 years of age, resident Lyon County
occupation merchant.

I have known the applicant, Mrs. Nowlin all of my life, she has lived
in Lyon County for 25 years, she owns no property, she has no other
means of support, she is not able to make a living by manual labor.

My name is J.E.Burgess, I am 67 years of age, I reside in Lyon County
occupation farming, I have known the applicant Mrs. Nowlin for 10 years
she has lived in Lyon County for 10 years, she owns no property
she has no income, she is not able to earn a living by manual labor.

I, T.P.Gray, certify that the above named witnesses are reputable
citizens of Lyon County and are entitled to credit.
Witness my hand as Judge of the Lyon County Court, this 24th, day of
June, 1912.


Judge of the Lyon County Court.

W. P. RUSSELL,

DEALER IN

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Pottertown, Ky., Almo, Route 1 June 29 1912

State of Kentucky,

County of Calloway,

The undersigned W. P. Russell

Being duly sworn according to law, declares that on March 7th 1853 that he was at W. O. Banners, and saw David L. Howlin and his wife Selina Banner united in marriage.

Subscribed and sworn to before me
By W. P. Russell this
June 29 - 1912

att

R. H. Talwell clerk
By W. P. Russell S. B.