

ORIGINAL

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Graves County.

Deborah A. Grace

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.)
Deborah A. Grace, Wings, Ky.
2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State?
for life.
3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name?
born April 14th 1852 Graves County, Ky. Deborah A. Chandler
4. When and where was your husband born? State his full name, and where you and he married, and who performed the marriage ceremony? (If possible, attach certified copy marriage license in every case.)
Grace, born Nov. 28, 1847, Trigg Co. Ky. Married in Graves County, Ky. Robt. Mahan. Samuel T.
5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States?
See pension certificate No. 1703-
6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment?
7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender?
8. Was your husband present at the time and place when his Company Regiment surrendered?
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?
July 4th 1915 Wings, Ky.
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?
One house and lot. \$700.00 No. Income.
14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family?
none.
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.
J. R. Crutchfield

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the
15 day of July 1915.
J. J. McNeely, Notary Public.
of Graves County.

Deborah A. Grace



Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Graves County.

J. R. Crutchfield & T. B. Stark, of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Deborah A. Grace 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. Crutchfield and T. B. Stark, Wings, Ky.
2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. Deborah A. Grace? yes
If so, how long have you known her? Forty years Eight years
3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? Wings, Ky. For life.
4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? yes.
5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? T. B. Stark, present
6. How long did you know him? Forty Eight years.
7. When and where did he enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? See records under pension Certificate No 1705.
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? —
10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? —
11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? —
12. Was —, the husband of applicant, present?
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 he die? at Wings, Ky, July 4" 1915.
16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? Resided at Wings Ky. All his life.
17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of Samuel T. Grace? yes. answered by T. B. Stark

The husband of this applicant held pension Certificate No 1705; which was paid herewith.



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?

One house & lot. No income.

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

None.

NOTE.—Let the witness who can answer the greatest number of 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.

Questions as to marriage not concurred in by J. R. Crutchfield

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of July 1915

J. J. McNeely, Notary Public, my commission expires at the adjournment of the next Senate of Ky.

J. R. Crutchfield, J. B. Stark, Witnesses.

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

I, W. V. Gregory, Judge of Graves County, Kentucky,

hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this county to Mrs. Lebera A. Grace

the widow of A. J. Grace amounts to \$200 real estate and \$170 personal. W. V. Gregory, Judge.

For Graves County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Graves County.

I, J. J. McNeely, Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. Deborah A. Grace resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the 15 day of July, 1890 and that the witnesses, Mr. J. R. Crutchfield & J. B. Stark 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 15th day of July, 1915

(SEAL)

J. J. McNeely, Notary Public, My commission expires at the adjournment of the next Senate of Ky. Graves 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.

No. 3393

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name DEBORAH A. GRACE

Filed AUG 17 1915

Widow of S. T. GRACE

*Allowed Oct 1st 1915
W. J. Stone
Commissioner*

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



Indorsement.

PENSION EXAMINER'S OFFICE,

FRANKFORT, KY.

DeBORAH A. GRACE
widow of
S. T. GRACE,

Who enlisted Aug. 1864, in
Co. C, 7th Kentucky Inf'y. and
was surrendered and paroled
at Citronelle, Ala. May 16, 1865.
Proven by the records.

Property: \$700.00.

Approved:

W J Stone.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, December 11, 1912.

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

The name Samuel T. Grace has not
been found on the rolls, on file in
this office, of Company C, 7th
Kentucky Infantry, Confederate
States Army, and no record has been
found of the capture or parole of a
man of that name as of the organi-
zation mentioned.

The records of prisoners of war
show that one Sam. Grace, private,
Company F, 8th and 12th Kentucky
Cavalry, Confederate States Army,
was surrendered at Citronelle, Ala-
bama, May 4, 1865, and paroled at
Columbus, Mississippi, May 16, 1865.

[Signature]
The Adjutant General.

(A.G.O.74)

State of Kentucky, |
County of Graves. | Sct.

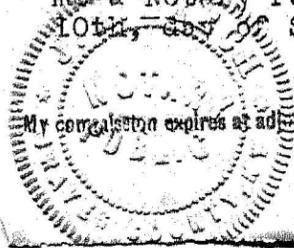
We J.H.Chandler and wife Lucinda Chandler after being duly
sworn, say, that we are residents of Graves County, Kentucky, and have
been residents of Graves County, Kentucky, for the last 67 years
and that we have known S.T.Grace deceased, who was also a residence of
Graves County, Kentucky, for the last 45 years, and that said
S.T.Grace dec'd. and our daughter Deborah Chandler Grace were married
at our residence in our presence and with our own knowledge and consent
in Graves County, Kentucky, on October 20th, 1872 by the Rev. Bob Mahan
now deceased.

Given under our hands this the 10th, day of September 1915.

[Signature]

[Signature] (age 90 yrs)
her
[Signature] (age 83 yrs)
wife

Subscribed and sworn to by J.H.Chandler and wife Lucinda Chandler before
me a Notary Public in and for the State and County aforesaid, this the
10th, day of September, 1915.



[Signature]
Notary Public, Graves County, Ky.

No. S.

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

December 5th, 1912

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

Dear Sir:

Samuel T. Grace,

who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims
to have been a member of Company C - 7th Kentucky

Regiment Infantry C. S. A., and to have been

Paroled at Columbus, Miss. April 1865.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

SECTION 12 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

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

No. 3393

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Deborah A. Grace

Payable Quarterly

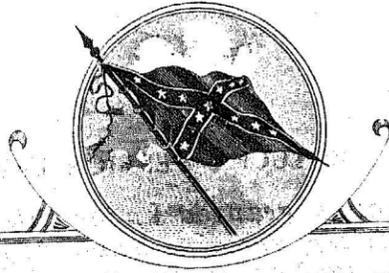
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Treasurer of Kentucky

at

Frankfort, Kentucky.

No. 3393



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

That in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky;
Deborah A. Grace, widow of S. J. Grace
who was a member of Company "C" Regiment 7th
Ky Inf.
Confederate States Army, is entitled to a pension at the rate of ^{Twelve} twelve
dollars per month, to commence on the 27th day of
March one thousand nine hundred and 32

Given at the office of the Commissioner of Pensions
this 30th day of June
one thousand nine hundred and 32

John H. Lucas
Commissioner.

SECTION 12 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

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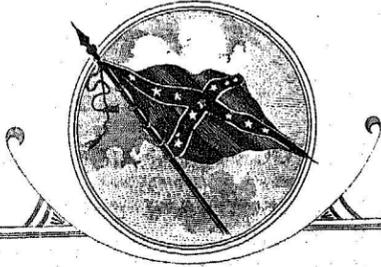
by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

at

Frankfort, Kentucky.

No. 3393



Duplicate

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

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

Deborah A. Grace widow of S. J. Grace
who was a member of Company "C" Regiment
Seventh Ky Infantry
Confederate States Army, is entitled to a pension at the rate of Twelve
dollars per month, to commence on the 17th day of
August one thousand nine hundred and 15

Given at the office of the Commissioner of Pensions

this 19th day of March
one thousand nine hundred and 25

J. T. Geary
Commissioner

No. 3393

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Deborah A. Grace

Payable Quarterly

by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

at

Frankfort, Kentucky.

SECTION 17 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

§ 445-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.

No. 3393



COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

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

Deborah A. Grace, widow of S. J. Grace

who was a member of Company "C" Regiment 7th,
Ky 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

A. F. Day
Commissioner.

No. 3393

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Delvrah A. Grace

Payable Quarterly

by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

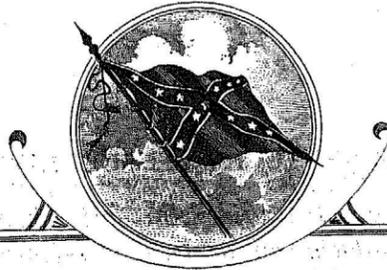
at

Frankfort, Kentucky.

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.

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COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

That in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky;
Deborah A. Grace, widow of S. J. Grace
who was a member of Company "C" Regiment 7th
Ky Infantry
Confederate States Army, is entitled to a pension at the rate of twenty
dollars per month, to commence on the 27th day of
March one thousand nine hundred and 32

Given at the office of the Commissioner of Pensions
this 21st day of April
one thousand nine hundred and 33

J. M. Lucas
Commissioner

State of Kentucky,

Graves County Court. Regular Term, Monday, August 16, 1915.

In the matter of application for pension of Mrs. Debora A Grace, whose post office address is Wingo, Graves County, Kentucky, the court makes the following report of findings, viz: The applicant is the widow of S T Grace, who was beneficiary of pension granted by the department of Confederate Pensions of Kentucky on the 11th day of December, 1913, certificate No. 1705; she owns a house and lot in Wingo, Ky. worth \$500. and personal property to the amount of \$300., no income. Then came J W Campbell and B E Choate, of Wingo, Kentucky, witnesses herein, who after having been duly sworn testified as follows: "We know Debora A Grace, the applicant, to be the widow of S T Grace, she owns a house and lot in Wingo, Ky. worth about \$500. and \$300. in notes, she has no income nor support.

Wherefore in view of the foregoing facts it is the judgment of the court that the applicant should be granted a pension and the court so recommends.

A copy-

Attest:  Clerk.