

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson County.

Mrs. Mildred J. Wilhoyte 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.)
Mildred J. Wilhoyte Prospect Jefferson County Ky.
2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State?
all my life
3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name?
Born August 21 1836 Odham Co. Ky. Mildred J. Clow
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 E. Wilhoyte was born in Odham Co Ky. Born May 10 1838. Married at Prospect J. Co. Ky. by G. G. Taylor
5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States?
Sept 1862 Tennessee Co Is 9th Ky Cav
6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment?
until the close of the war
7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender?
May 1865. Washington Georgia
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?
Served with no other Command
10. When and where did your husband die?
Jan 16 1910 Prospect Ky
11. At the time of your husband's death, were you living with him as his lawful wife?
I was
12. Have you married since the death of your soldier husband?
I have not
13. What property, real or personal, or income do you have or possess, and its gross value?
I have a home and 6 acres of land, Value \$1500. I have no income whatever from my place I take boarders for my living.
14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family?
yes four children, two married and two at home, three of my children girls and one boy
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.
E. C. Hoagland, Prospect, Ky + J. R. Clow Sky-light Ky.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the 24th day of April 1912
E. C. Hoagland, Notary Public
of Jefferson County.

Mildred J. Wilhoyte

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Oldham

County.

J. E. Vincent

of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. Mildred J. Wilhoyte 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. E. Vincent - Crestwood Oldham Co Ky
 2. Are you acquainted with the applicant Mrs. Mildred J. Wilhoyte? If so, how long have you known her? Since she was a girl
 3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? Prospect - Jefferson Co Ky all her life
 4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? I was
 5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? I was not
 6. How long did you know him? Since he was a boy
 7. When and where did Sept. 1862 Tennessee enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? Co. G 9th Ky Cavalry. Commanded Col W. B. Breckinridge
 8. Were you a member of the same Company and Regiment at the close of the war? I was not - I was a member of Co. E First Ky Cavalry
 9. How long did he perform regular military duty? from his enlistment - until the close of the war
 10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered? Washington Georgia in May 1865
 11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? I was
 12. Was James E. Wilhoyte the husband of applicant, present? he was
 13. If not present, where was he? Served in no command but the 9th Cav
 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.) We were boys together my Mother was his father's sister and was with him often while in the army
15. When and where did he Jan. 16 1910 die? Prospect Ky
 16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? Prospect Ky all his life
 17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of James E. Wilhoyte? I do

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

19. What property, effects or income has the applicant, if any, and how do you know this of your own knowledge?
She has a house and a small lot of land at Prospect Ky

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.

subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of May 1912
by J. E. Vincent
Notary Public, Oldham, County, Ky.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of *May* 1912
J. E. Vincent
Notary Public
My Commission Expires Jan'y 12, 1916

J. E. Vincent
J. M. Glare
Witnesses.

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

I, *Wm. Weissinger* Judge of *Jefferson* County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to *Mrs. Mildred J. Wilhoite* the widow of *James E. Wilhoite* amounts to \$ *1650.00* real estate and \$ *8420.00* personal
For *Jefferson* County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Jefferson County, }
J. E. Vincent Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, *Mrs. Mildred J. Wilhoite* resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the *Birth* day of *19*, and that the witnesses, Mr. *J. E. Vincent* 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 *18th* day of *April* 191*2*
(SEAL) *J. E. Vincent*
Notary Public *Jefferson* County.
My Commission Expires Jan'y 12, 1916.

- 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. *762502*

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name *Mildred J. Wilhoite*

Filed *AUG 1 - 1912*

Widow of *James C. Wilhoite*

Approved Feb 8" 1913
W. J. Stone Examiner

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

1912 May 25

Filed and Laid Over

Attest. P. S. Ray Clerk

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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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 6, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that J. E. Willhoit, private, Company G, 9th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted September 10, 1862; that he surrendered May 9, 1865, and subscribed to the oath of allegiance May 25, 1865, at Nashville, Tennessee.

Henry P. McCain
Adjutant General.

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Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT,

MRS. MILDRED J. WILHOITE,
widow of
JAMES E. WILHOIT,

Enlisted Sept. 10, 1862, Co. G, 9th Kentucky Cavalry, and surrendered May 9, 1865, and was released at Nashville, Tenn. May 25, 1865, upon taking the oath of allegiance.

Proven by the record and comrades.

Property: \$2,070.00.

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

Adjutant General.

No. _____ W. _____

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

AUG 1 - 1912 191 _____

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

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Mildred J. Wilhoyte

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,
claims that her husband James E. Wilhoyte
was a member of Company D Regiment 9th Ky. C. S. A.,
and was Co.

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

JEFFERSON COUNTY

JEFFERSON COUNTY COURT

At a County Court held on the 18th day of July, 1912,

In re application of Mildred J. Wilhoyte, for Confederate Pension.-
This matter being called for hearing and the Court hearing testimony
in open Court, the County Attorney being present, the testimony of
each witness is as follows:

Mildred J. Wilhoyte	Prospect, Kentucky,	Applicant
J. R. Clore	Skylight, Kentucky,	Witness
J. E. Vincent	Crestwood, Kentucky	Witness

testified that applicant was the widow of James E. Wilhoyte, that she
was living with him as his lawful wife at the time of his death,
that she has resided in this Commonwealth continuously since January
1, 1907, that she is unable to earn a support by manual labor or in
any way, that she receives no pension from the United States or
any government, that she possesses no income or has no property whatever,
that she has no agreement or contract with any one for her support, that
she is unable to earn a support by reason of combined partial ability
of both.

I find that the applicant has been a citizen and resident continu-
ously since January 1, 1907, of Jefferson County and the State of Kentucky
that she has no means of support of any kind and that the two lay witness-
es are reputable witnesses, entitled to credit.

I recommend that the application for pension be granted.

Judge.