

(DUPLICATE)

Questions for Applicant

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Shelby County.

Mrs. D. J. Maddox (D. J.) Eminence, Henry Co. Ky. 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.)
Mrs. David Thomas Maddox, Eminence, Henry Co. - Ky.
2. How long and since when have you been a resident of this State?
Sixty-two years
3. When and where were you born and what was your maiden name?
In Henry County in 1850. Melissa J. Lecompte.
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.)
In Shelby Co. near Shelbyville - David Thomas Maddox: at my father's home. Rev. Wm. Force.
5. When and where and in what Company and Regiment did your husband enlist or serve during the war between the States?
Co. H 63rd Kentucky Cavalry; also Taylor Berry (Capt.) Reg. Chicks.
6. How long did your husband serve in said Company and Regiment?
About one year and a half.
7. When and where did your husband's Company and Regiment surrender?
My husband was badly wounded, and left at Breckinridge, Miss. Hospital. I don't know when he surrendered.
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?
Answered in the above questions.
10. When and where did your husband die?
At his home, Eminence, Ky. - Nov. 23rd 1892.
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?
None. no income.
14. Have you a family? If so, who compose such family?
Yes: Winnie, Jos. Sara, Leckie, Flora, Lizzie, Edna Maddox. Mrs. C. M. Ellis - Mrs. Booker Ellis.
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.
Mr. N. G. Crabb, Eminence, Ky.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this, the
21 day of *June* 191*2*.
Pessie G. Escott, Notary Public
of *Shelby* County.

Mrs. D. J. Maddox

Questions for Witnesses

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Shelby County.
.....*W. J. Thomas* and *W. B. Crabb*..... of said State and County, having been presented as a witness in support of the application of Mrs. *David Thomas Maddox*..... 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? *W. J. Thomas, Shelbyville Ky., P. O. No. 1.* *W. B. Crabb, Eminence, Ky.*
2. Are you acquainted with the applicant, Mrs. *David Thomas Maddox*?
If so, how long have you known her? *from childhood*
3. Where does she reside, and how long and since when has she been a resident of this State? *Eminence, Kentucky. All her life.*
4. Were you ever acquainted with her husband? *yes*
5. Were either or both of you present at the marriage? *W. J. Thomas was present at reception after the wedding.*
6. How long did you know him? *from childhood.*
7. When and where did *D. T. Maddox* enlist in the war between the States, and in what Company and Regiment did he enlist, and how do you know this? *Enlisted in 14th Infantry Co. returned into 6th Ky Cavalry, was with him*
8. Were you a member of the same Company and Regiment at the close of the war? *Yes at close of war was scattered after this raid.*
9. How long did he perform regular military duty? *1 yr + 6 mos.*
10. When and where was his Company and Regiment surrendered?
11. Were you with the command when it surrendered? *No*
12. Was *D. T. Maddox*, the husband of applicant, present? *No - wounded.*
13. If not present, where was he? *left at Vermillionville, Mo.*
14. When and where did he leave his command? *at that place.*
For what cause? *wounded.*
- By whose authority did he leave? *E. Kirby, 1st Div. Com. department East Tenn.*
- How do you know all this? (State fully and clearly.) *Was a Comrade with him and obtained the a written permit in person.*
15. When and where did *D. T. Maddox* die? *Shelby County Ky. Nov. 1893.*
16. Where did he reside at his death, and how long had he been a resident of Kentucky at his death? *Shelby County Ky. lived here all his life.*
17. Do you know of your own knowledge that applicant is the lawful widow of *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?

Has no property. Same as above.

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.

Both witnesses know that husband of applicant served. — saw him in service. W. J. Thomas served with him and answered all above questions. W. B. Crabb was in Confederate Army, but did not serve with him, but knows all questions in regard to property of Thomas to be true.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *21st* day of *June* 191*2*.

Bessie H. Escott
Notary Public.

W. B. Crabb

Witnesses.

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

I, *Ralph Gillet* Judge of *Shelby* County, Kentucky, hereby certify that the property assessed on the tax books of this County to Mrs. *W. T. Maddox* the widow of *David Thomas Maddox* amounts to \$ *no* real estate and \$ *no* personal *Ralph Gillet Co. Judge* Trustee. For *Shelby County* County, Ky.

Certificate of Clerk of Court or Notary Public

STATE OF KENTUCKY,

Shelby County, I, *Bessie H. Escott* Clerk or Notary Public, in and for said county, hereby certify that the applicant, Mrs. *David Thomas Maddox* resides in said county, and has been a bona fide resident of this State since the *4* day of *June* 19*12*, and that the witnesses, Mr. *W. J. Thomas* and Mr. *W. B. Crabb* 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 herem 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 *21st* day of *June* 191*2*.
My Commission expires Jan. 11-1916.

(SEAL)

Bessie H. Escott
Notary Public, *Shelby* County, *Ky.*

- 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. 825

**Widow's
Indigent Pension**

Name *Mr. David Thomas Maddox*

OCT 22 1912

Filed *Jan. 21st 1912*

Widow of *Mr. David Thomas Maddox*

E. Grimmer - Ky.

*Approved Mar 8th 1913
W. J. Snow Examiner*

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

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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, October 25, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,
Confederate Pension Department,
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The name David Thomas Maddox has not been found on the company muster roll of Company H, 6th Kentucky Cavalry, Confederate States Army, dated April 29, 1862, nor on the muster roll of February 28, 1863, the only rolls of that company on file, and no record has been found of the capture or parole of a man of that name and organization.

[Signature]
The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 74)

Indorsement

Confederate Pension Department

STATE OF KENTUCKY

FRANKFORT.

MRS. D. T. MADDOX,
widow of
DAVID T. MADDOX,

There is no record proof of enlistment or service. Two comrades testify that he was a member of the 6th Kentucky Cavalry and that he served about 1 year and 6 months and was wounded at Vermillionville, Miss. rendering him unfit for further service.

Indigent.

W J Stone.

I recommend that this claim be allowed.

[Signature]
Adjutant General.

Approved by State Pension Board.

[Signature]
Chairman.

No. W.

HEADQUARTERS

Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER

FRANKFORT, KY.

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

Dear Sir:

Mrs. D. J. Maddox

who is an applicant for pension under the Kentucky Widows' Pension Law,
claims that her husband David Thomas Maddox
was a member of Company H Regiment 6th Ky. U. S. A.,
and was Coan

Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

W. J. Stone
Examiner.

STATE OF KENTUCKY, /
County of Shelby, / SGT.

I, Luther Black Clerk of the Shelby County Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the marriage bond between ~~Lissia~~ D.T.Maddox and Lissia J.LeCompte, as shown by the records of my said office.

Witness my hand and seal this June 21, 1912.

Luther Black Clerk
of the Shelby County Court.

By _____ D.C.



January 14th, 1913.

Mrs. M. J. Maddox,
Eminence, Kentucky.

Dear Madam:-

I am in receipt of yours of the 8th. Your application has not been reached for consideration by the Pension Board, but since the receipt of your letter I have examined the proof in your case, and find that there is no record proof of your husband's enlistment or service, but the testimony of W. J. Thomas and W. B. Crabbe will complete your case, and I am sure the pension will be allowed when the application is reached for consideration by the Board. Just when that will be I am unable to tell, as it reached this office late in October, and there are several hundred to be examined before it can be reached.

Very respectfully,

Examiner.

WJS-C

SHELBY COUNTY COURT.

I, Ralph Gilbert, Judge of the Shelby County Court, certify that the hereto attached application for pension under the Confederate Pension Bill was filed on the date transcribed on the back thereof and laid over for exceptions until the second County Court day thereafter; that thereupon said applicant together with his witnesses appeared in open Court and swore under oath as to the facts as set out in said application, and that the witnesses thereto, together with the applicant, are reputable and entitled to credit. The names and Post Office addresses of the witnesses are a part of the application and that I recommend the applicant to be entitled to the benefits of said Act.

In testimony of which, witness my hand this June 13th, 1912.

Ralph Gilbert

Judge Shelby County Court.