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FORM B

Widow's Application for Pension

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The Commissioner of Pensions reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.

Mrs L G Little

Smith

County.

Postoffice

Jules

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Pension allowed from

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APPROVED
O. J. Barnes
Commissioner of Pensions

Commissioner of Pensions.

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FORM B

For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Smith

I, Mrs L. E. Little, do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-first Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved March 26, A. D. 1909, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of J. S. Little, deceased, who departed this life on the 14 day of Sept, A. D. 1904, in the county of Smith, in the State of Texas

I have not remarried since the death of my said husband, and I do solemnly swear that I was never divorced from my said husband, and that I never voluntarily abandoned him during his life, but remained his true, faithful and lawful wife up to the date of his death. I was married to him on the 22 day of Nov, A. D. 1870, in the county of Smith, in the State of Texas

My husband, the said J. S. Little, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that he did not desert the Confederate Service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to March 1, A. D. 1880, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the assessed value of over one thousand dollars; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 56 years
2. Where were you born? in Rank County Texas
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 13 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? 53 years Tipton Texas
5. What was your husband's full name? James S. Little
6. When and where were you married? in Smith County Texas
7. What was the date of his death? 14th Sept 1904
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? In Texas

9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. Enlisted in 1863 and served until close of war

10. What was the name or letter of the company, or name or number of the battalion, regiment or battery of artillery in which your husband served? If he was transferred from one branch of service to another, give time of transfer, description of command and time of service. Company K. 34 Reg Texas Cavalry

11. Name branch of service in which your husband served, whether infantry, cavalry, artillery or the navy, or if commissioned as an officer by the President, his rank and line of duty, or if detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, the nature of such service, and time of service. In the Cavalry Service



12. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? I have not

Wherefore your petitioner prays that her application for a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) *Mrs. L. E. Litter*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *18th* day of *January*, A. D. 19*10*.

J. A. Bullock
County Judge *Smith* County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[NOTE.—There must be at least two credible witnesses.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of *Smith*

Before me *J. A. Bullock*, County Judge of *Smith* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *S. M. Shelton* & *J. E. Morgan*, who are personally

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know that Mrs.

Mrs. L. E. Litter, applicant for a pension as the widow of *J. S. Litter*

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of *J. S. Litter* deceased; that they personally know

that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose service in the army she claims a pension, and that

they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) *S. M. Shelton*

(Signature of Witness) *J. E. Morgan*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *22^d* day of *Jan*, A. D. 19*10*.

J. A. Bullock
County Judge *Smith* County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[NOTE.—There must be at least two credible witnesses.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of *Smith*

Before me *J. A. Bullock*, County Judge of *Smith* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *S. M. Shelton* & *J. E. Morgan*, who are personally

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know the above-

named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said *Mrs. L. E. Litter*

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to March 1, A. D. 1880, and that they have no

interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) *S. M. Shelton*

(Signature of Witness) *J. E. Morgan*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *22^d* day of *Jan*, A. D. 19*10*.

J. A. Bullock
County Judge *Smith* County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(If possible, the two witnesses should have served with the applicant's husband in the army, and, if so, let them, or either of them, state it in their oath; also any information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Smith

Before me J. H. Bullock, County Judge of Smith County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. E. Morgan, who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me sworn, on oath state that they are personally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in her application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim. And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of the applicant's husband in the Confederate Army:

J. E. Morgan, says he and J. Little were in some
Company - "K" 34th Reg. Cavalry - that he knows personally
from having served with said Little that he served
and served with in some Company about 15 months
think a good soldier and was decent
E. W. Smith, says he knew J. Little, and knows that
he was in Co. K, 34th Reg. Cavalry - that he was
with said Little after the war and knows their facts
personally.

(Signature of Witness) J. E. Morgan

(Signature of Witness) E. W. Smith

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1910

J. H. Bullock
County Judge Smith County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, Mrs L E Little, State and County Assessor in the County of Smith, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs.

whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-first Legislature, approved March 26, A. D. 1909, is charged on the land and personal property rolls of the said county, in her name, or the name of a trustee, with estate, real, personal and mixed, at the assessed value of \$600 dollars.

Given under my hand, this 2nd day of May, A. D. 1910

By Wm H Day Mrs L T Jarvis
Office Deputy State and County Assessor.



VON BOECKMANN-JONES CO., AUSTIN, TEXAS

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E. A. BOLMES, Commissioner

OFFICE OF

Commissioner of Pensions

State of Texas

Austin

AUG 30 1910

To the Adjutant General,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of J. J. Little who is reported to have enlisted in Company K, Regiment 34th, probably Terrells Texas Cavalry in the service of the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The widow of the person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension granted by this State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,



E. A. Bolmes

Commissioner of Pensions.

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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, Sept. 7, 1910.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas,
Austin.

The name J. I. Little has not been found on the roll of Company K, 34th (Terrell's) Texas Cavalry, Confederate States Army, for January and February, 1864, only roll on file in this office, and no record has been found of the capture or parole of a man of this name and organization.



The Adjutant General.

[A. G. O. 72-1]

Per

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Smith } I, C.S. Little

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. L.E. (Laura) Little, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 19276 ¹⁹²⁷⁶ whose original county was Smith county

The said pensioner Mrs. L.E. (Laura) Little died on the 28th day of May, 1939, in the town of xxxxx home of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Smith 2 miles East of Flint, Texas County of Smith, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Smith who was related to the pensioner as daughter

That the warrant, which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the funeral expenses incurred by the said pensioner Mrs. L.E. (Laura) Little

I further certify that the warrant for the current month has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as Son that my postoffice address is R.F.D.# 5,

Tyler

Street or R. F. D. Texas

City

State

Signed C.S. Little

Sworn to before me this 30th. day of May, 1939

Travis Smith

Notary Public in and for Smith State of Texas.

Must return before 40 days expires from date of Pensioners' death

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, J.F. Daniel, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Tyler, County of Smith, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. L.E. Little, who died in the town of Flint, County of Smith, State of Texas on the 28 day of May, 1939. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 28 day of May, 1939, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said C.S. Little who makes the foregoing application.

Signed J.F. Daniel

Undertaker.



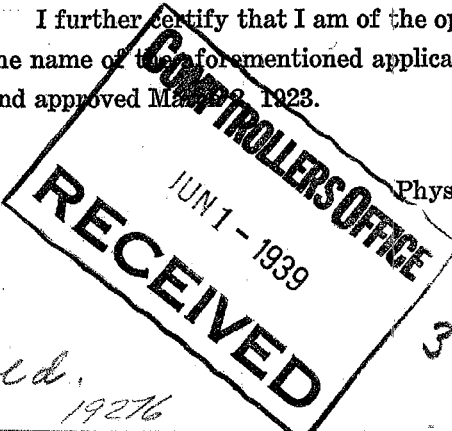
CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, G.M. Warden MD, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. L.E. Little in her last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were carcinoma of gall bladder or cirrhosis of liver. This was also opinion of Consulting Physician Dr J.M. Francis of Jack Donville Tex

I further certify that I am of the opinion that the Mortuary Warrant above requested should be issued in the name of the forementioned applicant, in accordance with Act passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislature and approved March 2, 1923.

Signed G.M. Warden MD

Physician's Address Bullard Texas



Hold. 19276

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