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WIDOW'S APPLICATION
FOR A PENSION

Dead
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The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.

Mrs Lucy J Davis
Widow of H H Davis dead
Franklin County.

R. F. D. or Street No. *2*

Postoffice *Moberly, Mo*

Filed November 28th, 1931.

Approved Nov. 28th, 1931.

Pension allowed from Dec. 1st, 1931.

Rejected

Geo. H. Sheppard
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

I, Mrs. Lucy J. Davis, do hereby make application for a pension pursuant to the provisions of Articles 6204 to 6227, inclusive, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 as amended by H. B. No. 150, passed by the Forty-second Legislature at its Regular Session and all other laws of this State relating thereto.

I am a widow of H. H. Davis, deceased, who departed this life on the 23 day of November, A. D. 1931, in the county of Henderson, in the State of Texas.

I have not remarried since the death of my said husband; (or in case of remarriage that I am now a widow); and I do solemnly swear that I was never divorced from my said husband no

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 1 day of April

A. D. 1875, in the county of Madison, in the State of Mississippi

My husband, the said H. H. Davis, served as a Confederate soldier (or sailor) in the war between the States of the United States; or (that he was a soldier who, under special laws of the State of Texas during said war, served in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raiders or Mexican marauders); or (that he was a soldier of the militia of the State of Mississippi who was in active service during said war.) That my said husband served honorably from the date of his enlistment until the close of the war, (or until he was discharged or paroled in some military organization regularly mustered into the army or navy of the Confederate States until the surrender). He was honorably discharged or paroled See application on file

Comptroller's Office

(Give date and cause.)

That I have been a bona fide resident of this State continuously since the late part of July day of July, A. D. 1878

1. What is your age, and date of birth? 76 years born April 12 1856
2. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? 48 years
3. What is your postoffice address? Mohawk, Texas, RFD # 2
4. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? no
5. If rejected, state when and where no
6. Did your husband draw a pension? yes If so, give his file number 42690
7. Give, if possible, the postoffice address of your deceased husband at the time of his enlistment Raymond, Miss.
8. What was your husband's full name? Henry Hestlip Davis

9. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Mississippi

10. How long did your husband serve? 2 years - see his Application

11. If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge See his file no. Austin

12. What was the name or letter of the company, or number of the regiment 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. (If applicant's husband was a pensioner give his file number, which is evidence sufficient for proof of service.) See his file number in Comptroller's Office.

13. 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 See file no.

14. To what race do you belong? white

(TX)

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

(Signature of Applicant)

Lucy J. Davis

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27 day of November, A. D. 1931.

W. B. R.

[Seal]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[Note.—There must be at least two creditable witnesses.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Henderson }

Before me, C. B. Baker, County Judge of Henderson County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Earl Jones & Daph B. Tillison,
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. Lucy J. Davis,
applicant for a pension as the widow of H. H. Davis deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of H. H. Davis deceased; that they personally know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose services in the army she claims a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.*

(Signature of Witness) Earl Jones

(Signature of Witness) Daph B. Tillison

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 27 day of November, A. D. 1931.

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

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who are personally known to me to be creditable citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know the above named applicant for pension, and that they personally know that the said Lucy J. Davis has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since 20 yrs. we know,
and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) Earl Jones

(Signature of Witness) Daph B. Tillison

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 27 day of November, A. D. 1931.

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

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(If possible the one witness should have served with the applicant's husband in the army, and if so, let him state it in his oath, also any other information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
County of _____ }

Before me, _____, County Judge of _____ County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared _____

_____, who is personally known to me to be a creditable citizen, who, being by me sworn, on oath states that (he or she) is 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 (his or her) knowledge and belief, and that (he or she) has no interest in this claim. And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of applicant's husband in the Confederate Army:

(Witness must state fully the source of (his or her) knowledge of service of applicant's husband) _____

*see Copy of H. H. Davis file number
42690 in office. For service.*

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, A. D. 19____.

[Seal.]

County Judge _____ County, Texas.



COMPTROLLERS OFFICE

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APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of HendersonI, Callie Davis

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Lucy J. Davis, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 50404 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner Lucy J. Davis, died on the 16 day of Oct., 1933, in the town of Payne Springs

County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Callie J. Davis 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. Lucy J. Davis

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

I am related to the pensioner as (Friend) Daughter

that my postoffice address is Mabank, Texas. R.F.D. #2.
Street or R. F. D.

City

State

Signed

Sworn to before me this 27 day of Oct., 1933

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

Notary Public in and for Henderson State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, Henry Eubank, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Mabank, County of Kaufman, State of Texas, that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Lucy J. Davis, who died in the town of Mabank, County of Henderson, State of Texas on the 16 day of Oct., 1933. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 16 day of Oct., 1933, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Callie J. Davis who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Henry Eubank
Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, L. L. Cockrell, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. Lucy J. Davis in her last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Paralytic

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

Signed

Physician's Address

L. L. Cockrell
Justice T. H.

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Oct. 18, 1933

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cancelled
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