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June 12-1953

34985

FORM B.

Deceased  
June 12-1953Widow's Application  
for a Pension

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

19974

Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Fannie P. Lincoln

Henderson County.

Postoffice Pauline, Henderson  
Co. Texas

Filed 3-7-18

Approved 3-20-18

Pension allowed from 3-1-18

Rejected

J. C. Long

Commissioner of Pensions.

## For Use of Widows of Soldiers who are in Indigent Circumstances

## THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Henderson

I, Mrs. Hannie P. Lincoln, do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, A. D. 1913, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of J. A. Lincoln, deceased, who departed this life on the 20 day of Feb, A. D. 1918, in the county of Harris, in the State of Texas, at St Paul Sanitarium, undergoing operation

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 5 day of July, A. D. 1893, in the county of Lee, in the State of Texas.

My husband, the said J. A. Lincoln, 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 January 1, A. D. 1900, 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 \$300.00 per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does anyone hold in trust for my benefit or use, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the value of one thousand dollars, exclusive of the home of the value of not over \$1000.00; 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? 57 years
2. Where were you born? Washington Co Texas
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 57 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? 13 years - Pauline, Texas
5. Did your husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number. Yes, 19974
6. What was your husband's full name? John Alexander Lincoln
7. What was the date of his death? Feb. 20, 1918
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Reference is made to his application & proofs records in your office
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you give date of enlistment and discharge. Don't know but note same reference as in question 8.
10. What was the name or letter of the company, 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. Don't recall, but refer to his application & proofs for this information, his said application was made while he resided in Texas.

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. Reference to same records in your office.

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12. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? No

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

(Signature of Applicant)

Hannie P. LincolnSworn to and subscribed before me, this 14 day of March, A. D. 1918.County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]

# AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }  
COUNTY OF Henderson

Before me, J. A. D. D. D., County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared V. J. Stirmen & H. C. Scott, who are personally known to me to be creditable citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know that Mrs. Fannie P. Lincoln, applicant for a pension as the widow of J. A. Lincoln deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of J. A. Lincoln 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)

V. J. Stirmen

(Signature of Witness)

H. C. Scott

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4 day of March, A. D. 1918

J. A. D. D. D.

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]

# AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }  
COUNTY OF Henderson

Before me, J. A. D. D. D., County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared V. J. Stirmen & H. C. Scott, 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 Fannie P. Lincoln has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1900, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness)

V. J. Stirmen

(Signature of Witness)

H. C. Scott

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4 day of March, A. D. 1918

J. A. D. D. D.

County Judge Henderson 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 \_\_\_\_\_ }

Before me, \_\_\_\_\_, County Judge of \_\_\_\_\_ County,  
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, who personally  
known to me to be creditable 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; (State fully  
your source of knowledge) : \_\_\_\_\_  
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(Signature of Witnses) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Witnses) \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 191 \_\_\_\_\_

[Seal.]

County Judge \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas.

## CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, A. B. Culbertson, State and County Assessor in the County of Harris  
State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. Fannie P. Lincoln whose name is signed  
to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-third Legislature, approved April 7, 1913,  
is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a homestead of the value of no  
\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both,  
of the value of no Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 7th day of March A. D. 191 8.

A. B. Culbertson  
by H. J. Daniels State and County Assessor.





## BOND

This BOND must be sworn to by the owner of the original warrant, and also signed by the owner and two sureties before it will be approved and duplicate warrant issued.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Hudson

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mrs. J. A. Lincoln, who, after being by me duly sworn on oath, says that                      is the true owner of Confederate Pension Warrant No. 13266 for the sum of \$25.00 Dollars, drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on                     , in favor of Mrs. J. A. Lincoln, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed, or has not been received.

(Seal)

Mrs. J. A. Lincoln  
Owner of Warrant.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 10<sup>th</sup> day of Jan., 1923

W. P. Hobby for Hudson Co., Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That Mrs. J. A. Lincoln, as principal, and C. M. Shelby and R. G. Massock, as sureties, are held and bound unto W. P. HOBBY, Governor of the State of Texas, and his successors in office, in the sum of \$50.00 Dollars, for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally.

Whereas, the above named principal has filed with the Comptroller an affidavit, stating that she is the true owner of said Confederate Pension Warrant, drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on the date shown in the above affidavit, in favor of said payee, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed; and

Whereas, duplicate of said Confederate Pension Warrant, in favor of the original payee, will be issued;

Now, therefore, the condition of the above obligation is such that the owner of said warrant will hold the State harmless and return to the Comptroller, upon demand being made therefor, such duplicate or copies, or the amount of money named therein, together with all costs that may accrue against the State, on collecting the same.

Given under our hands, this 13 day of January, A. D. 1923

Mrs. J. A. Lincoln  
Principal.

C. M. Shelby  
Surety.

R. G. Massock  
Surety.

Approved 15 day of Jan, 1923

Lon A. Smith  
Comptroller.

County Henderson

Number 34985

Address R. F. D. 3914 Weldon Street.

Dallas, Texas.  
(City or Town)



BOND

This bond must be approved by the owner of the original warrant, and also signed by the owner and two witnesses before it will be approved and duplicate warrant issued.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of *Rockwall*

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared *Mrs. J. A. Lincoln* who, after being by me duly sworn on oath, says that *she* is the true owner of Confederate Pension War-  
rant No. *13365* for the sum of *\$25.00* Dollars, drawn by the Comptroller of the  
State of Texas, on *Mrs. J. A. Lincoln*, and that

the same is in fact lost or destroyed, or has not been received.

(Seal)

Owner of Warrant

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the *10th* day of *January*, 1923

for *County of Texas*

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of *Rockwall*

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That *Pat M. Hoff* as principal, and *J. B. Mearns* as sureties,  
are held and bound unto *W. A. Hoff*, Governor of the State of Texas, and his successors in office, in the  
sum of *\$50.00* Dollars, for the payment of which said sum well and truly to be made,

we do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally.

Whereas, the above named principal has filed with the Comptroller of the State of Texas, a statement that he is  
the true owner of said Confederate Pension War-  
rant, drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on the  
date shown in the above affidavit, in favor of said payee, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed; and  
Whereas, duplicate of said Confederate Pension War-  
rant, in favor of the original payee, will be issued;  
Now, therefore, the condition of the obligation is such that the owner of said warrant will hold the  
State harmless and return to the Comptroller, upon demand being made therefor, such duplicate or copies, or  
the amount of money received therefor, together with all costs that may accrue against the State, on collecting  
the same.

Given under our hands, this *10th* day of *January*, A. D. 1923

Principal

Surety

Surety

Comptroller

Henderson

County

Number

Address R. F. D. *3014 Weldon*

Dallas, Texas

(City or Town)

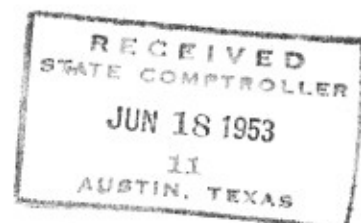
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REUBEN A. HALL, CHIEF JUSTICE  
I. N. WILLIAMS, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE  
ELMER L. LINCOLN, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

M. E. MERRILL, CLERK  
EDNA GARNER, CHIEF DEPUTY  
INEZ BENTLEY, STENOGRAPHER

**COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS**  
SIXTH DISTRICT  
TEXARKANA, TEXAS

June 17, 1953.



Honorable Robert S. Calvert,  
State Comptroller,  
Austin, Texas.

Dear Mr. Calvert:

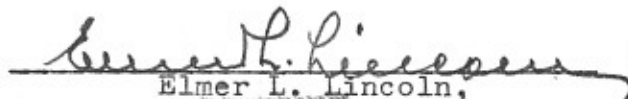
My mother, Mrs. J. A. Lincoln, who has been a recipient of a Confederate Widow's Pension, died in Dallas, June 12, 1953.

I have in her behalf a "Notice to Confederate Pensioners" to the effect that a Mortuary Warrant not to exceed \$100.00 will be paid on actual funeral expenses.

If this is correct, please forward me the necessary application to be made, and information to be furnished. To simplify matters, the application will be made in favor of the funeral home which handled the funeral.

34985-  
Henderson

Yours truly,

  
Elmer L. Lincoln,  
P. O. Box 239.

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Mortuary Blank  
+ Notice  
June 18-1953



# The Associated Press.

3914 Weldon Street,

Dallas, Texas, January 13, 1923.

Hon. Lon A. Smith, Comptroller,

Austin, Texas.

• Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith bond duly executed in favor of my mother, Mrs. J.A. Lincoln, for a duplicate Confederate Veteran's pension check for the last quarter of 1922 which was never received by her.

Will you please issue a duplicate voucher and affidavit for future payments, and mail to her at the above address.

Yours truly,

*L.R. Lincoln*



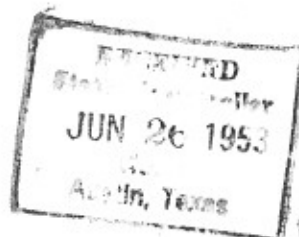


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INEZ BENTLEY, STENOGRAPHER

**COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS**  
SIXTH DISTRICT  
TEXARKANA, TEXAS

June 25, 1953.



Honorable Robert E. Calvert,  
State Comptroller,  
Austin, Texas.


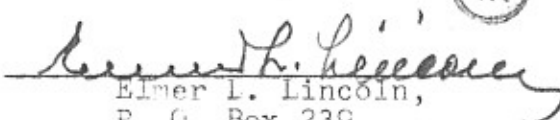
Dear Sir:

Re: Mortuary Warrant,  
Mrs. J. A. (Fannie P.) Lincoln,  
No. 34985.

Herewith returned is application for mortuary warrant for my mother, containing the certificate of the undertaker and accompanied by the itemized and verified statement of funeral expenses in favor of Sparkman-Brand, Inc., of Dallas, Texas.

It will be agreeable for the warrant to be issued to me or to the mortician above named.

Yours truly,

  
  
Elmer L. Lincoln,  
P. O. Box 239.

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enclosures.



SPARKMAN-BRAND, INC.

M O R T I C I A N S

ROSS AVENUE AT PEARL

DALLAS, TEXAS

June 23, 1953  
Our 60th Year

Mr. Elmer L. Lincoln  
P. O. Box 239  
Texarkana, Texas

Re: Mrs. Fannie P. Lincoln  
Deceased

Casket and Services	\$526.00
Railroad Fare	14.71
TOTAL	<u>\$ 540.71</u>

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct  
copy of the funeral expenses for Mrs. Fannie P.  
Lincoln.



*G. W. Christian*  
G. W. Christian  
Vice President

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 23rd day  
of June, A. D. 1953.

*Lert A. Stitt*  
Notary Public, Dallas, Co.

MEMBER  
National Selected Morticians  
BY INVITATION

REUBEN A. HALL, CHIEF JUSTICE  
I. N. WILLIAMS, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE  
ELMER L. LINCOLN, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE

M. E. MERRILL, CLERK  
EDNA GARNER, CHIEF DEPUTY  
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**COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS**  
SIXTH DISTRICT  
TEXARKANA, TEXAS

July 8, 1953.



Hon. Robert S. Calvert,  
State Comptroller,  
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I have had no reply from you to my letter of June 25, 1953, in which I enclosed to you an application for Mortuary Warrant for the deceased pensioner, Mrs. Fannie P. Lincoln, carried, I believe, on your records as Mrs. J. A. Lincoln.

I will thank you to give me some information about it. Payment of funeral expenses is being delayed because I have not received the Warrant, nor have I been advised that it was issued to Sparkman\*Brand, Inc., the Morticians, at Dallas.

Thanking you for your immediate attention, I am,

Yours truly,



*Elmer L. Lincoln*  
Elmer L. Lincoln,  
P. O. Box 239.

*Mortuary warrant  
mailed June 10 - 1953*

*Lincoln*

B1755-350-1m

Please have application for Mortuary Warrant properly executed and have the Undertaker attach to it a sworn itemized statement showing the cost of the funeral. Return at once to Robert S. Calvert, Comptroller of Public Accounts, Austin, Texas

STECK-AUSTIN

# APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

136701

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Bowie

I, Elmer L. Lincoln

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. J. A. (Fannie P.) Lincoln, who was a pensioner of the State of

Texas, and whose file number was 34985 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner Mrs. J. A. (Fannie P.) Lincoln, died on the

12th day of June, 1953, in the town of Dallas

County of Dallas, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. Ed Simms

who was related to the pensioner as Daughter, 7800 Amherst Ave., Dallas, Texas

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. J. A. (Fannie P.) Lincoln

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 Court of Civil Appeals, P. O. Box 239,

Street or R. F. D.

Texarkana

Texas

City

State

Signed Elmer L. Lincoln

Sworn to before me this 22nd day of June, 1953

Inez Bentley

Notary Public in and for Bowie County, State of Texas.

## CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, G. W. Christian

do certify that I am undertaker in the

town of Dallas, County of Dallas, State of Texas

that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Fannie P. Lincoln, who died in the

town of Dallas, County of Dallas, State of Texas

on the 12th day of June, 1953. That said body was prepared for burial by me

on the 12th day of June, 1953, and that I am of the opinion that

warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Elmer L. Lincoln

who makes the foregoing application.

Signed G. W. Christian

G. W. Christian

Undertaker.



## CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I,

do certify that I am a practicing

physician, and that I attended

in his last illness, and

am of the opinion that his ailments were

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

June 18, 1953.

Execute and return at once.