

STATE OF TEXAS

County of WARRANT  
State of Texas  
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Form B.

WIDOW'S APPLICATION FOR A PENSION

7-3-31  
The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems necessary.

Name of Applicant: Mrs. Victoria E. Powers

Postoffice: Walden County: WARRANT

Filed: 12-5-22  
Approved: 12-5-22  
Pension allowed from: 12-1-22

Rejected: [Signature]  
Comptroller of Public Accounts: [Signature]

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared [Name] who personally appeared before me, County Judge of [County] County, Texas, and he/she/it being duly sworn, depose and testify that the foregoing application is true and correct, and that the facts therein stated are true and correct, and that the applicant is entitled to the pension herein provided for by law, and that the facts therein stated are true and correct, and that the applicant is entitled to the pension herein provided for by law, and that the facts therein stated are true and correct, and that the applicant is entitled to the pension herein provided for by law.

(Signature of Witness) \_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Witness) \_\_\_\_\_  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 1922  
County Judge \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

State and County Assessor in the County of WARRANT State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. Victoria E. Powers whose name is added to the foregoing application for a pension under the Act of the thirty-third Legislature, approved April 1915, is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a homestead of the value of \$1000.00 Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of \$110.00 Dollars.  
Given under my hand, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ A. D. 1922  
State and County Assessor: [Signature]

For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who Are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg

I, Mrs. Leontia E. McCornie do hereby make application to the Comptroller of Public Accounts 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 James W. McCornie deceased, who departed this life on the 20 day of October, A. D. 1922, in the county of Gregg 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 10 day of February, A. D. 1874, in the county of Smith in the State of Texas

My husband, the said James W. McCornie, 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; 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? 76 years old
- 2. Where were you born? Charlotte, Mecklenburg County, North Carolina
- 3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 53 years
- 4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? 12 years, Gladewater, Texas
- 5. Did your husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number Yes, 34963
- 6. What was your husband's full name? James Washington McCornie
- 7. What was the date of his death? 20 day of October, 1922
- 8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? See 34963

9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge See 34963

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 see 34963

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 see 34963

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)

Leontia E. McCornie

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22 day of November, A. D. 1922

W. A. Ray  
Gregg

[Seal.]

County Judge Gregg County, Texas.

\*Where applicant has remarried it is necessary that she state facts covering particulars of last marriage, date, to whom married, and date of last husband's death. She must also state that she is now a widow.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Gregg

Before me, W. A. Ray, County Judge of Gregg County,  
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared L. J. Everett & W. W. Wood, 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. Erillia E. McCune, applicant for a pension as the widow of James W. McCune  
deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of James W. McCune 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) L. J. Everett

(Signature of Witness) W. W. Wood

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 22 day of November, A. D. 1922

W. A. Ray  
County Judge Gregg County, Texas.

[Seal.]

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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

Before me, \_\_\_\_\_, County Judge of \_\_\_\_\_ County,  
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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) L. J. Everett

(Signature of Witness) W. W. Wood

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19\_\_\_\_\_

County Judge \_\_\_\_\_ 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 applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge)

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(Signature of Witness) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Witness) \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 19 \_\_\_\_\_

[Seal.]

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

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR



*J. B. Person* State and County Assessor in the County of *Gregg*

State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. *Cynthia E. McConie* 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 *\$900.00*

\_\_\_\_\_ Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of *\$40.00* \_\_\_\_\_ Dollars.

Given under my hand, this *4* day of *Dec* A. D. 19*22*

*J. B. Person*  
State and County Assessor.

# APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg

I, Sam J. Kay

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Cynthia E. Mc-Comie, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 38645 and whose original county was Gregg.

The said pensioner Mrs Cynthia E Mc Comie, died on the 9th day of June, 1931, in the town of Gladewater, Texas.

County of Gregg, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Sam J. Kay, My home who was related to the pensioner as Son-in-law

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. Cynthia E. Mc-Comie

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)

that my postoffice address is \_\_\_\_\_

Street or R. F. D.

Gladewater, Texas. Rt. #2

City

State

Signed

Sam J. Kay

Sworn to before me this 27th day of July, 1931

Notary Public in and for

Gregg

State of Texas.

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

## CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, W. M. Chrisman, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Gladewater, County of Gregg, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Cynthia E. McComie, who died in the town of Gladewater, County of Gregg, State of Texas on the 9 day of June, 1931. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 9 day of June, 1931, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Mr. Sam J. Kay who makes the foregoing application.

Signed

W. M. Chrisman

Undertaker.

## CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, C. F. Osborne M.D. do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs Cynthia E. Mc Comie in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were acute heart failure

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

C. F. Osborne M.D.

Physician's Address

Gladewater, Texas

JUL 29 1931

Geo H. Sheppard  
COMPTROLLER

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