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WIDOW'S APPLICATION FOR A PENSION

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

30915 yrs

Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Laura O. Gladish

Waller County.

Postoffice Hempstead

Filed July 26, 18

Approved July 29, 18

Pension allowed from June 1

Rejected

Commissioner of Pensions.

For Use of Widows of Soldiers who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Haller

I, Mrs. Laura O. Gladish, 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 Richard A. Gladish, deceased, who departed this life on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1918, in the county of Haller 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 24 day of April, A. D. 1860, in the county of Franklin, in the State of Alabama

My husband, the said Richard A. Gladish 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? 77
2. Where were you born? Tishomingo County Mississippi
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 58 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? Resided in this County of Haller 58 years
5. Did your husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number. Yes
6. What was your husband's full name? Richard Allen Gladish
7. What was the date of his death? May 27th - 1918
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Texas
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you give date of enlistment and discharge. 862. - About 2 years, in the Army
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. Captain Aulston Company U.S.A. 1st Cavalry Regiment -
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. Cavalry, private 2 years



12. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law?

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) Laura O Gladish

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of July, A. D. 1918

A. Hoopescomb
County Judge Haller County, Texas.

[Seal.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Haller

Before me, A. E. Lipscomb, County Judge of Haller County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. H. Day Sr. & J. A. Foster, 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. Laura O. Gladish, applicant for a pension as the widow of Richard A. Gladish deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Richard A. Gladish 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) J. H. Day Sr.

(Signature of Witness) J. A. Foster

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of July, A. D. 1918

A. E. Lipscomb

County Judge Haller County, Texas.

[Seal.]

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Haller

Before me, A. E. Lipscomb, County Judge of Haller County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Tom Blaney & W. B. Urban, 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 Laura O. Gladish 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) Tom Blaney

(Signature of Witness) W. B. Urban

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of July, A. D. 1918

A. E. Lipscomb

County Judge Haller 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 Haller }

Before me, A. Shipman, County Judge of Haller County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Rebecca Deed & B. H. Lawrence, 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).....

(Signature of Witness)

Robt M. Oade

(Signature of Witness)

G. W. Lawrence

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 24th day of July A. D. 1918

A. Shipman

County Judge Haller County, Texas.

seal.]

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, C. H. Unland, State and County Assessor in the County of Waller,

State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. Laura O Gladish whose name is signed

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 None

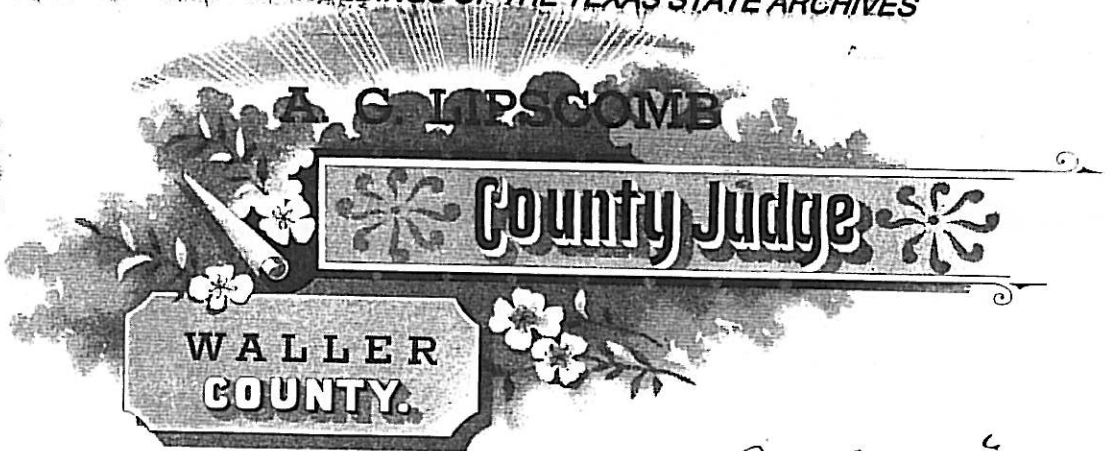
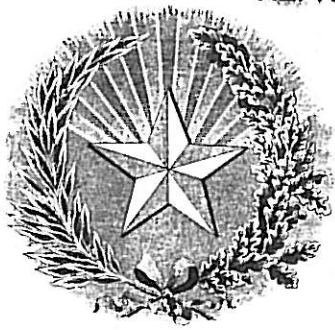
_____ Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, the value of Three hundred thirty & 20/100 Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 24 day of July A. D. 1918

C. H. Unland

State and County Assessor.





Hempstead, Texas, July 24th 1918

Pension Department

Austin Texas,

Dear Sirs;

You will please find enclosed application of Mrs. Laura O. Gladish widow of Richard A. Gladish deceased, who was drawing a Confederate Pension at the time of his death May 23rd 1918.

Please send me blank to fill out to cover funeral expenses.

Yours Truly,
 A. G. Linscomb
 County Judge



MORTUARY WARRANT ACCOUNT

Newstead Texas, Octo. 27th 1921

STATE OF TEXAS

To P. A. Gladish Dr.

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY Newstead, Texas.

Account of Death of Pensioner No. 35296, County Waller

Pensioner's Name in full Mrs. J. O. Gladish

Account must be itemized, but Mortuary Warrant will not be issued for more than Thirty Dollars.

To J. B. Curry Undertaker - Coffin -
Hearse - and etc \$210.⁰⁰



The above account for Thirty Dollars

is just, due and unpaid.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of October 1921

Notary Public, L. Valles County, Texas

REPRODUCED FROM THE HOLDINGS OF THE TEXAS STATE ARCHIVES

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Waller

I, R. A. Gladish

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. L. O. Gladish, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whole file number is 35296 and whose original county is Waller

The said pensioner Mrs. L. O. Gladish died on the 27th day of October, 1920 in the town of Near Newstead County of Waller, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of R. A. Gladish who was related to the pensioner as son

That the warrant, which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the expenses incurred by the said pensioner. L. O. Gladish

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) son and that my home is in the town of Near Newstead, County of Waller, State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Newstead, Texas

Signed R. A. Gladish

Before me A. Motary Public in and for the County of Waller, State of Texas, personally appeared R. A. Gladish, who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

Keet McDade Motary Public in and for Waller County, Texas

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, J. B. Cuny, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Newstead, County of Waller, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. L. O. Gladish, who died in the town of Near Newstead, County of Waller, State of Texas on the 27th day of October, 1920 That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 28 day of October, 1920 That said body was buried in the Kirby Chapel Cemetery, which is located in the County of Waller State of Texas and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said R. A. Gladish, who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Jim B. Cuny Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, L. L. Mahan, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. L. O. Gladish in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were roughly disease of the kidney



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-fifth Legislature, and approved March 2, 1917.

Signed L. L. Mahan Physician.
Physician's Address Newstead, Texas