

For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who Are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Bexar

I, Mrs. Margaret A. Lowrance 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 Miles A. Lowrance deceased, who departed this life on the 17th day of Nov., A. D. 1900, in the county of Kerr 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 24th day of June, A. D. 1860, in the county of Dr. Witt in the State of Texas

My husband, the said Miles A. Lowrance, 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? 82 - June 19-1921 -
2. Where were you born? McRae Co., Tennessee
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? Since 1859
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? Since 1907 - 837 E. Cincinnati Ave., San Antonio, Texas
5. Did your husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number. No
6. What was your husband's full name? Miles Abernathy Lowrance
7. What was the date of his death? Nov. 17 - 1900
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. until end of War
Enlisted in the fall of 1861 - Disbanded when war was over

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

Do not remember - Was not transferred that I know of
Was frontiersman - blacksmith - later information - Capt. Hunter

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. Don't remember but was kept on frontier duty as blacksmith

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

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) Margaret A. Lowrance
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of July, A. D. 1921

County Judge Augustus McCarty Bexar County, Texas.

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*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.

1861 - Confederate Army of Fredericksburg.