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FORM B.

### Widow's Application for a Pension

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

*Dead*

Name of Applicant.

*Mr. Eliza Mc Kinzie*

*Anderson* County.

*Care Hubbard Calloway*

Postoffice

*Palentine, Texas*

Filed *OCT 9 - 1916*

Approved *Oct 28 - 1916*

Pension allowed from *Dec 1 - 1916*

Rejected

*J. J. Jones*

Commissioner of Pensions.

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For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF

Anderson.

I, Mrs. Eliza Mc Kenzie, 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 Oliver Mc Kenzie, deceased, who departed this life on the 25 day of July - A. D. 1910, in the county of Grath, 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 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 26 day of Feb'y 1871, in the county of Anderson, in the State of Texas.

My husband, the said Oliver Mc Kenzie, 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 \$1,000.00; 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? 73 years of age -
2. Where were you born? In Arkansas -
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? ~~Some~~ Came to Texas when I was 3 year old.
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? About 36 years; Palestine, Texas
5. Did husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number. No, saw Hubbard Callaway
6. What was your husband's full name? Oliver Mc Kenzie
7. What was the date of his death? July 25 - 1910
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. Enlisted in 1862, and served until end in 1865 -

10. What was the name or letter of the company, or name 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. First organized as Company G - 20th Texas Cavalry - later it was called Company B - 20 Texas - Macey was Colonel.

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. Started out as Cavalry - later dismounted.

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 be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) Eliza Mc Kenzie



Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7 day of Oct A. D. 1913

E. V. Swift  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS)

COUNTY OF Anderson

Before me, E. V. Swift, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared G. A. Wallace + G. W. Still, 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. Eliza McKinzie, applicant for a pension as the widow of Oliver McKinzie,

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Oliver McKinzie 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) G. A. Wallace.

(Signature of Witness) G. W. Still

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7 day of Oct A. D. 1916

E. V. Swift

[Seal.]

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

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known to me to be credible 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 Eliza McKinzie

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) G. A. Wallace.

(Signature of Witness) G. W. Still

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7 day of Oct A. D. 1916

E. V. Swift

[Seal.]

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.



The State of Texas, #  
County of Anderson. #

Before me, E. V. Swift,  
County Judge in and for Anderson County, Texas, on this day  
personally appeared John R. Calloway, known to me to be a  
reputable person, who being by me duly sworn on his oath says;  
My name is John R. Calloway, I am <sup>66</sup> 67 years of age; I have lived in  
Anderson County since 1853; I knew Oliver Mc Kinzie well; he  
was a Soldier in the Confederacy; he stayed at our home during  
the Civil War, and went to the war from our home; he stayed some  
four years, and made a good soldier; he left his horses with me  
when he went to the war in 1861; I saw him during the war with  
his uniform on; he came home on a furlough during the war;  
he joined a Texas Regiment, and from reputation he made a good soldier.  
He came home in 1865 , at the close of the war; I have heard him  
talk the war over and the battles he fought, over with his  
comrades.

John R. Calloway

Subscribed and sworn to before me this September 9th. 1916.

E. V. Swift

County Judge, Anderson County, Texas.



The State of Texas,  
 County of Anderson.

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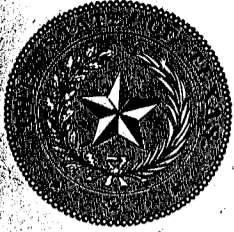
Before me, E. V. Swift,  
 County Judge in and for Anderson County, Texas, on this day personally  
 appeared Drayton Payne, known to me to be a credible and worthy  
 person, who being by me duly sworn on his oath deposes and swears;  
 My name is Drayton Payne; I am 79 years of age; I have lived  
 in this County since I was seven years of age; Yes, I knew Oliver  
 Mc Kinzie in his lifetime; he is now dead; ~~his~~ his wife is applying  
 for a Confederate pension; I know she is his wife; Oliver Mc Kinzie  
 was a Confederate Soldier; he was a member of Company B, General  
 Maxey's Regiment; he belonged to <sup>20th</sup> Texas Regiment; started out  
 as Cavalry, and later dismounted cavalry; Captain Bussy was our  
 Captain when the war ~~started~~ started, and at the close of the war  
 Captain Smith was the Captain; I, the affiant was in the same  
 Company with ~~the~~ the said Oliver Mc Kinzie; I know the said ~~Mx~~ Kinzie  
 made a good soldier; he never deserted and never voluntarily abandoned  
 his post of duty; Oliver Mc Kinzie enlisted about the first part of  
 the war and served for about four years, and until the end of the war.

Drayton Payne

Subscribed and sworn to before me this September 9th. 1916.

E. V. Swift  
 County Judge, Anderson  
 County, Texas





J. C. JONES, Commissioner

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS  
STATE OF TEXAS  
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To the Adjutant General,  
War Department,  
Washington, D. C.


Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of Oliver M. Kingil who is  
reported to have enlisted in Company G, Regiment 20 Texas Cavalry  
later Co. B. Col. Moxey

in service in the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The widow of person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension granted  
by the State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,

  
J. C. Jones.  
Commissioner of Pensions.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14, 1916.

Respectfully returned to

Commissioner of Pensions  
State of Texas  
Austin

with the information that name  
Oliver McKinzie  
has not been  
found on rolls Col.  
20 Tex Cav C.S.A  
covering period from  
Apr 10 to May 10, 62  
nor as of any Co. 9 (2nd Regt)  
Tex Inf (also known as  
Maxey's Regt) that has  
anything been found rela-  
tive to service, capture  
or parole of such man.  
Other records show  
O. McKinzie Pvt. Co. G  
20 Tex Cav C.S.A Enl.  
July 11/62 at Camp Mc  
Culloch and paid \$50 Bounty  
No later record found.

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H. J. McLean  
The Adjutant General.

Per  
Form No. 100-2-A. G. O.  
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**E. V. SWIFT**  
Attorney at Law  
**COUNTY JUDGE**  
Anderson County

Palatine, Texas,

Dear Mr. Jones:

I enclose pension application of Mrs. Eliza Mc Kinzie.  
I believe Mrs. Mc Kinzie to be entitled to a pension  
and hence recommend that it be granted. She has no property  
at all, and nothing in this world.

Yours very truly,

*E. V. Swift*  
County Judge.



APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Howards I, J. W. Hampton

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Eliza McKenzie, who was a pensioner of the

State of Texas, and whose file number was 33434 and whose original county was Anderson

The said pensioner Mrs. Eliza McKenzie, died on the 24th day of May, 1924, in the town of Carriacou

County of Howard, State of Texas

The pensioner died in the home of Ed J. Jellow Home who was related to the pensioner as —

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. Mrs. Eliza McKenzie

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) Friend that my postoffice address is Carriacou Box 100 Howards

Carriacou Texas Street or R. F. D. Two City State

Sworn to before me this 7 day of June, 1924 Signed J. W. Hampton Notary Public

W. Hampton Notary Public in and for Howards Co. State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, —, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Carriacou County of Howards State of Texas

that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Eliza McKenzie who died in the town of Carriacou County of Howards State of Texas

on the 24th day of May, 1924. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 24th day of May, 1924, and that I am of the opinion that

warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said J. W. Hampton who makes the foregoing application.

Signed B. B. [Signature] Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN



I, Dr. Robert Miller, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. Eliza McKenzie in his last illness, and

am of the opinion that his ailments were Diabetes & Gangrene of both feet

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.

May 24th  
RSK

Signed Robert Miller Physician's Address Carriacou, Texas

Howards  
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Must return before to day of [unclear]