

We have satisfied ourselves that the within named deceased service person/widow/widower had a legal residence in the County of LACKAWANNA and that the payment of \$ _____ allowance should be made to:

_____ Commissioner

_____ Commissioner

_____ Commissioner

_____ Commissioner

WARRANT ORDER:

Warrant Order No. _____ should be drawn in payment of this account, to the order of

(Controller or Treasurer)

VETERAN/WIDOW/WIDOWER BURIAL INSTRUCTIONS

1. A Deceased Service Person is defined as any person at the time of death, serving in, or having served in and being Honorably separated from the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, or any Women's Organization officially connected therewith, (1) during any war or armed conflict in which the United States has been, is now or shall hereafter be engaged , or (2) in a zone where a campaign or state or condition of war or armed conflict (established by the records of the Department of Defense of the Federal Government) then existed. (Sec. 1908, "The County Code" of 1955, as amended).
2. Application must be made by the personal representative, if any, of the deceased service person, and if no such Personal representative has qualified then by any next of kin, individual, or Veteran's Organization, who or which assumes responsibility for the cost of burial of the body. (Sec. 1911 "The County Code" of 1955, as amended).
3. Application must be made within one year from the date of death, except where the deceased service person died while in the service, when the application may be made any time thereafter. No application will be given consideration unless fully completed.
4. The following paper must be attached to the application:
 - (a) Official death certificate, or if not procurable, either (1) an affidavit of one or more persons personally acquainted with the deceased and the fact of his death, or (2) proof of the record of death kept by the attending physician, or (3) of the record of burial kept by the undertaker by whom he was buried or (4) of the record of the church, burial association, or cemetery company maintaining the cemetery in which he was buried.
 - (b) Honorable Discharge or other official record showing war service or service in zone where campaign or State or condition of war existed. Copies of War or Navy Department or Air Force records on file with State Department of Military Affairs will be accepted.
 - (c) Proof of legal residence in this county, except in cases where such residence is not required.

PENALTY

Every person making a false oath is guilty of a felony and on conviction will be sentenced to pay a fine not exceeding \$3000.00 or to undergo imprisonment by separate or solitary confinement, at a labor not exceeding seven years or both, and will be forever disqualified from being a witness in any matter in controversy. (Sec. 322 Act of June 24, 1930, P.L. 872).

(To be detached and mailed if payment is made to undertaker)

_____ 20 _____

We have this day drawn a check, in the amount of \$ _____ to the order of _____

As payment of the County Contribution toward the burial expenses of _____

Commissioners of the County Of LACKAWANNA

By _____
(Department of Veterans' Affairs)