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FORM A

Soldier's Application for Pension

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

J. Q. Turbott
Dine Department

J. Q. Turbott

Auberson County

Postoffice: *Tennessee Colony*

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Pension allowed from

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FORM A

For use of Soldiers, who are in indigent circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Anderson }

I, J.R. Ferrentine, do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-first Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved March 26, A. D. 1909, on the following grounds:

I enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that I did not desert the Confederate service, but during said war I was loyal and true to my duty, and never at any time voluntarily abandoned my post of duty in the said service; that I was honorably ~~discharged or~~

~~surrendered~~ disbanded at Hempstead Texas at close of war because war was at end

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1880, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not hold any national, State, city or county office which pays me in salary or fees one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment or other source whatever which amounts to one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor do I receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, nor does my wife own, nor does any one hold in trust for my wife, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the assessed value of over one thousand dollars; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

(TX)

1. What is your age? 65 years
2. Where were you born? Alabama
3. How long have you resided in Texas? Since 1852
4. In what county do you reside? Anderson
5. How long have you resided in said county and what is your postoffice address? Since 1873 - P.O. Tennessee Colony
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where. No.
7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farming
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Texas
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. About 3 yrs 1862 to 65
10. What was the letter of your company, number or name of battalion, regiment or battery? Company "A" 18th Texas Infantry
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service. Not transferred
12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? infantry

13. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty?

Not commissioned

14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve?

Not detailed

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

Have not

Wherefore your petitioner prays that his application for pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant)

J. R. Turrentine

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *25th* day of *July*, A. D. 19*09*.

O. B. Funderbush

[SEAL.]

County Judge *Anderson* County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[NOTE.—There must be at least two credible witnesses.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of *Anderson* }

Before me *O. B. Funderbush*, County Judge of *Anderson* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *J. F. Turrentine & J. E. Turrentine*, who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know

J. R. Turrentine the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said *J. R. Turrentine*

J. R. Turrentine has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1880, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness)

J. F. Turrentine

(Signature of Witness)

J. E. Turrentine

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *13* day of *August*, A. D. 19*09*.

O. B. Funderbush

[SEAL.]

County Judge *Anderson* County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(If possible, the two witnesses should have served with the applicant in the army, and, if so, let them, or either, state it in their oath, their source of knowledge; also any information regarding applicant's army service.)

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 credible 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 his application are correct



E. A. BOLMES, Commissioner

OFFICE OF
Commissioner of Pensions
 State of Texas
 Austin

To the Adjutant General,
 War Department,
 Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record
 of J. R. Turrentine who is reported to have enlisted in
 Company A, Regiment 18th Texas Infantry
 in the service of the Confederate States Army.

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

Very respectfully,

E. A. Bolmes

Commissioner of Pensions.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
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Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."

WAR DEPARTMENT,
1567795

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,


WASHINGTON, September 20, 1909.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas,
Austin.

The records show that J. R. Turrentine, private, Company A, 18th Texas Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted April 5, 1862. On the roll of the company for January and February, 1864, last roll on file, he is reported corporal, present. No later record of him has been found.

[A. G. O. 72-1]


The Adjutant General

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

Answers and depositions of (1)

A C Harrison
Joe Barnes

to the accompanying interrogations (2)

of Cross

propounded to *them* in the above entitled cause taken before (3)

A C Harrison N. P. Cherone

in accordance with the accompanying (7)

To the first interrogatory the said

A C Harrison answers

Witness answers

1st Ques A C Harrison 68 yrs

Alto H - Joe Barnes answers

Name Joe Barnes 64 yrs - Alto J

Each answers - 2 - Yes - 3 - since

1862 in Cherone Co. Tex - 4 yrs

5 - yrs Co A - 18 Tex Inftry in 1862

at Alto H. from May 1862 to close

of war - 6 No - he was not in the

navy - 7 - No -

(TX)

Cross 1 - Our own personal

knowledge - No other one by that

Name - No 2 - We are - No We do

4 - He did not - No 5 - To the best of our

knowledge he has not been out

of the State -

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 2 day of Aug, 1909

Joe Barnes
A. C. Harrison

THE STATE OF Tex
County of Cherokee

I, A. C. Harrison
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

a Notary Public do hereby certify that Joe Barnes &
and A. C. Harrison are personally known to me to be credible citizens of said
County and State, and that the foregoing answers of Joe Barnes & A. C. Harrison
the witness 2 before named, and

whose name appear signed to the foregoing deposition, were made before me
and were sworn to and subscribed before me, by said witness (4) promptly

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 2 day of Aug, 1909

(L. S.)

~~Joe Barnes~~
~~A. C. Harrison~~
A. C. Harrison

NOTE.—In Texas, any Clerk of the District Court, any Judge and Clerk of the County Court, of any Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, within their
respective Counties, are authorized to take depositions.
Out of the State and within the United States—any Clerk of a Court of Record having a seal, any Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds of Texas.

File No. _____
In _____ County, Texas.
Before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION
OF

Witness _____ for Applicant

Filed _____ day
of _____ 190 _____
Clerk.
By _____ Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____

TX

- (1) Here give the name and residence of each witness.
- (2) Here state "and cross interrogatories," if any.
- (3) Here give the name and official character of the person taking the deposition.
- (4) Here state "respectively," if more than one witness.
- (5) Here state whether "Commission, or agreement," if Commission was waived.

EX PARTE

J. R. Jurentine
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

Pending in Anderson County,
Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said
County.

The Honorable County Judge of Anderson County, Texas,
will please take notice that, five days after the service hereof, applicant herein will apply to the Clerk of the County Court
of said County and State, for a commission to take the depositions of A. C. Harrison
and Joe Barnes who reside in the County of Cherokee in the State of Texas
in answer to the following interrogatories and such cross interrogatories as may be propounded by the County Judge
of said County, which will be read in evidence upon the hearing of applicant's claim for pension in behalf of applicant;
said testimony is material and indispensable to applicant in furnishing the required proof to his claim for a pension under
the Act of March 26, 1909, the application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and the facts
necessary and required to be proven under the provisions of said Act, applicant believes can not be proven by any wit-
ness residing in the County of Anderson and State of Texas, of which he is a bona fide resident.



J. R. Jurentine
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness

A. C. Harrison & Joe Barnes

- INT. 1. What is your name? Age? Present place of residence and postoffice address?
- INT. 2. Do you personally know, or did you at any time know J. R. Jurentine who is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long have you known the said J. R. Jurentine applicant for pension and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said J. R. Jurentine applicant for pension enlisted in the service of the Confederacy and performed the duties of a soldier or a sailor?
- INT. 5. Do you personally know in what company and regiment the said J. R. Jurentine applicant, enlisted and served in the Confederate army? When? Where? And the time of service? If you personally knew and so have stated that he enlisted and served in in the Confederate navy, then state: When? Where? And how long he so served?
- INT. 6. Do you personally know that J. R. Jurentine applicant for pension, was commissioned as an officer directly by the President of the Confederate States? What was his rank and line of duty?
- INT. 7. Do you further know if said applicant was, under the provisions of the conscript law, detailed for any kind of special service in the field, shops, armories, etc., of the Confederacy? What was the nature of his service, and how long did he serve?

CROSS INTERROGATORIES.

To be Propounded to A. C. Harrison & Joe Barnes

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1: If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said applicant, and that you know that he enlisted in the service of the Confederacy and performed the duties of a soldier or sailor, and having named the company and regiment or special service in which applicant so enlisted and served, then please state fully what is your source of such knowledge? And state whether or not you know or at any time you knew of any other soldier or sailor by the name of J. R. Jurentine serving in the same company or regiment or special service in which you say the said applicant J. R. Jurentine enlisted, or if you have stated that said applicant enlisted and served in the navy of the

Confederacy, then state whether or not you know any other soldier or sailor of the same name as said applicant serving in the same command, or the special service to which he was assigned?

If you say that you so knew other soldiers or sailors of the same name of applicant's, then can you and how do you identify and locate the one from the other or others?

CROSS INT. 2. Are you positively certain that said applicant for pension, is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said applicant for pension served honorably from the date of his enlistment until the close of the late Civil War between the States, or until he was discharged from said company and regiment, or the special service to which he had been assigned?

CROSS INT. 4. Do you know whether or not the said applicant deserted his command or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty, or the service during said war?

CROSS INT. 5. Do you personally know that the said applicant has been a lawful resident citizen of Texas since prior to July 1, 1880?

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

County of...

I, County Judge of said County, in said State, do hereby waive copy of interrogatories, notice and issuance of commission, and it is hereby agreed that the answers to the hereinabove direct and cross interrogatories of the said herein named witness may be attached hereto.

County Judge... County, Texas.

(Applicant) Attorney.....for Applicant.

Application for Confederate Pension.

In Re

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS

County, Texas,

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

propounded to

Witnesses.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Smith } I, W. P. Brogan,

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Joe R. Turrentine, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 14551 and whose original county is Anderson

The said pensioner Joe R. Turrentine, died on the 2nd day of March, 1923, in the town of Tyler, County of Smith, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. Lou Ella Harton who was related to the pensioner as daughter

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 Joe R. Turrentine

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-in-law and that my home is in the town of Tyler County of Smith State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Tyler Tex

Signed W P Brogan

Before me, W P Brogan, Notary Public in and for the County of Smith, State of Texas, personally appeared W. P. Brogan who being by me duly sworn, did certify to and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

in and for: Smith County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, J. H. Daniel, do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of Tyler, County of Smith, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Joe R. Turrentine, who died in the town of Tyler, County of Smith, State of Texas on the 2 day of March, 1923. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 2 day of March, 1923. That said body was buried in the Rose Hill Cemetery, which is located in the County of Smith State of Texas, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said W. P. Brogan, who makes the foregoing application.

Signed J H Daniel

Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, W. P. Brogan, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Joe R. Turrentine in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were acute indigestion caused by a fall.

Signed W P Brogan

Physician (TX)

Physician's Address Tyler Tex,

Mar 2nd
W P

WARRANT FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

COUNTY OF TARRANT

I, the undersigned, being a duly qualified coroner for the County of Tarrant, Texas, do hereby certify that the body of _____ who died on the _____ day of _____ 1923, in the town of _____ County of _____ Texas, was found on the _____ day of _____ 1923, at the residence of _____ The coroner died in the home of _____ who was present at the time of the death. That the warrant which application in hereby made for shall be applied to return all or part of the expenses incurred by the said coroner. I further certify that the warrant for the current quarter has not been cashed by the coroner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the deceased as (friend) _____ and that my office is in the town of _____ County of _____ State of _____ that my postoffice address is _____

Signed _____

I, _____ Coroner for the County of _____ State of _____ do hereby certify that _____ who died in the _____ County of _____ State of _____ on the _____ day of _____ 1923, at the _____ of _____ County of _____ State of _____ That said body was prepared for burial by me on the _____ day of _____ 1923. That said body was buried in the _____ County, which is located in the County of _____ State of _____ and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said _____ in accordance with the provisions of the Act passed by the Legislature of the State of Texas, Chapter 2, 1917.

(Seal of Office)

CERTIFICATE OF BURIAL

I, _____ Coroner for the County of _____ State of _____ do hereby certify that I am an undertaker in the _____ County of _____ State of _____ and that I had charge of the body of _____ who died in the _____ County of _____ State of _____ on the _____ day of _____ 1923. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the _____ day of _____ 1923. That said body was buried in the _____ County, which is located in the County of _____ State of _____ and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said _____ in accordance with the provisions of the Act passed by the Legislature of the State of Texas, Chapter 2, 1917.

Signed _____

Undertaker

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, _____ a duly qualified physician, do hereby certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended _____ in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his illness was _____

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I further certify that I am of the opinion that the Burial Warrant above requested should be issued in the case of the above mentioned applicant in accordance with Act passed by the Legislature of the State of Texas, Chapter 2, 1917.

Signed _____

Physician's Address _____