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FORM B.

WIDOW'S APPLICATION  
FOR A PENSION

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

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Name of Applicant.

*Julia A. Turner*  
*Carrollson* County.

R. F. D. or Street No.

Postoffice

Filed September 9th, 1931.

Approved Sept. 18th, 1931.

Pension allowed from Oct. 1st, 1931.

Rejected

*W. H. Sheppard*  
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson

I, Mrs. Julia A. Turner, do hereby make application for a pension pursuant to the provisions of Articles 6204 to 6227, inclusive, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925 as amended by S. B. No. 27, passed by the Forty-first Legislature at its Fifth Called Session and all other laws of this State relating thereto.

I am a widow of Samuel D. Brown deceased, who departed this life on the 7 day of April, A. D. 1891, in the county of Anderson in the State of Texas (married Ben J. Turner Sept 13 1896)

I have ~~not~~ remarried since the death of my said husband; (or in case of remarriage that I am now a widow); 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 June A. D. 1867, in the county of Anderson, in the State of Texas

My husband, the said Samuel D. Brown, served as a Confederate soldier (or sailor) in the war between the States of the United States; or (that he was a soldier who, under special laws of the State of Texas during said war, served in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raiders or Mexican marauders); or (that he was a soldier of the militia of the State of Texas who was in active service during said war.) That my said husband served honorably from the date of his enlistment until the close of the war, (or until he was discharged or paroled in some military organization regularly mustered into the army or navy of the Confederate States until the surrender). He was honorably discharged or paroled 1865

Close of war  
(Give date and cause.)

That I have been a bona fide resident of this State continuously since the 30 day of Nov A. D. 1858

1. What is your age, and date of birth? 84 Dec 6 1846
2. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? 73 years.
3. What is your postoffice address? Wardville Texas.
4. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? No
5. If rejected, state when and where
6. Did your husband draw a pension? No If so, give his file number
7. Give, if possible, the postoffice address of your deceased husband at the time of his enlistment Wardville Anderson Co. Tx
8. What was your husband's full name? Samuel D. Brown
9. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Texas.
10. How long did your husband serve? over 3 years.
11. If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge, 1862. 1865
12. What was the name or letter of the company, or number of the regiment 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. (If applicant's husband was a pensioner give his file number, which is evidence sufficient for proof of service.) do not remember the number. Walker Division Co. D.

13. 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

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

(Signature of Applicant) Julia A. Turner

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27 day of August A. D. 1931

C. R. Emerson Notary Public  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[Seal]

\*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.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Anderson

Before me, S. R. Emerson Notary Public County Judge of Anderson County,  
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. P. L. Bradford and

J. D. Adams, 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. Julia A. Turner, applicant for a pension as the widow of Samuel D. Brown

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Samuel D. Brown deceased; that they personally know that she has ~~not~~ remarried since the death of her husband, for whose services in the army she claims a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.\*

(Signature of Witness) Mrs. P. L. Bradford

(Signature of Witness) J. D. Adams

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 27 day of Aug, A. D. 1931.

S. R. Emerson Notary Public

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

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Before me, S. R. Emerson Notary Public County Judge of Anderson County,  
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. P. L. Bradford and

J. D. Adams, 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 Mrs. Julia A. Turner

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since Nov 30 1888 and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) Mrs. P. L. Bradford

(Signature of Witness) J. D. Adams

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 27 day of Aug, A. D. 1931.

S. R. Emerson Notary Public

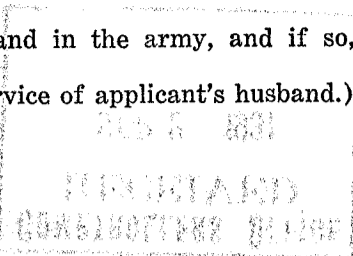
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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(If possible the one witness should have served with the applicant's husband in the army, and if so, let him state it in his oath, also any other information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Anderson



Before me, C. R. Emerson, Notary Public, County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Sept A Wright and J D Adams

, who is personally known to me to be a creditable citizen, who, being by me sworn, on oath states 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 my (his or her) knowledge and belief, and that they are (he or she) has no interest in this claim. And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of applicant's husband in the Confederate Army:

(Witness must state fully the source of (his or her) knowledge of service of applicant's husband)  
S. Sept A Wright of Palestine Tex. says that he is 86 years old and knows that Sam D. Brown joined J. B. Hanks company at Mount Prairie Anderson Co Texas in 1862 and served until the war closed.  
S. John D Adams of Palestine Tex. says he is 79 years old and knows that Sam D Brown joined Capt J. B. Hanks company at Mount Prairie Anderson Co Texas and served until the close of the war.

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 27 day of September, A. D. 1931

C. R. Emerson, Notary Public,  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]



THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Anderson

CLERK'S CERT. OF OFFICIAL CHARACTER—Class 2

I, M. P. Edmondson, Clerk of the County Court of said County (which is a Court of Record), do hereby certify that C. P. Emerson

whose name is subscribed to the annexed Widow's Application for Confederate Pension was at the date of the same, and is now, a Notary Public in and for said County, duly commissioned and qualified, and authorized by law to administer oaths and take acknowledgments of instruments, and full faith and credit are due to all his official acts as such.

And I do further certify, that the signature attached to the annexed Paper is his proper signature, and is genuine.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the said County Court, at my office in Palestine, Texas this 1st day of September, 1931.

M. P. Edmondson Clerk  
County Court Anderson County, Texas.

By A. Cook Deputy



GEO. H. SHEPPARD, COMPTROLLER  
J. M. EDWARDS, CHIEF CLERK

# Comptroller of Public Accounts

## State of Texas

### Austin

September 9th, 1931.

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

Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record  
of Sam D. Brown,, who is  
reported to have enlisted in Company "D"  
Regiment Texas Cavalry, Walker's Division

in service in The Confederate States Army.

Very respectfully,

*Geo. H. Sheppard*

COMPTROLLER OF STATE OF TEXAS.

Mrs. Julia A. Turner.

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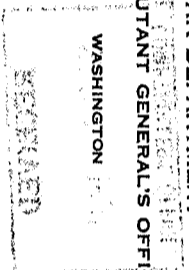
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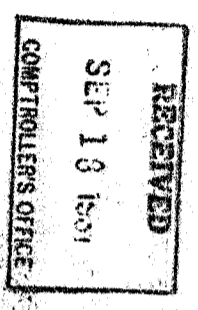
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Comptroller,  
State of Texas,  
Austin, Texas.

The records show that Samuel D. Brown, private, Company D, 13th Regiment Texas Cavalry (Burnett's Regiment, 13th Texas Mounted Vols.) Confederate States Army, enlisted February 22, 1862, at Round Prairie, Anderson County, Texas, also shown as Houston County, Texas, age 22 years. Muster roll for January and February, 1864, last roll on file, shows him present.  
No later record has been found.



*C. H. Bridges*  
Major General,  
The Adjutant General.  
By *SSA*



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I. M. EDWARDS, CHIEF CLERK  
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September 4, 1931.

Mrs. Julia A. Turner,  
Montalba, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Turner:

Enclosed I am returning your application for pension for the reason it is sworn to before C. R. Emerson, a notary public.

When applications are sworn to before a notary public they must be accompanied by the certificate of the County Judge of the county of your residence, as required by Article 6209 page 1770, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925.

When the certificate has been attached return the application to this office and your right as a pensioner will have due consideration.

Yours very truly,

JHT:E  
encl.

State Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.

Ms Julia A.  
Turner

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF ANDERSON  
Anderson County, Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. P. L. Bradford,  
J. Q. Adams and Geo. A. Wright whose signatures appear on affidavits  
of witnesses on the above and foregoing page, are reputable citizens  
of Anderson County, over twenty-one years of age and of sound mind.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office, this the 1st day of  
Sept. A. D. 1931.

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M. P. Edmondson, County Clerk,  
Anderson County, Texas.

By D. L. Cook Deputy.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS °  
COUNTY OF ANDERSON °

I, B. J. Kennedy, County Judge in and for Anderson County, Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. Julia A. Turner whose signature appears as applicant for Widow's Pension, is a reputable citizen of the County and has been a bona fide resident of this County for a period of more than six months next before the date of said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this the 2 day of TX  
September, A. D. 1931.

*B. J. Kennedy*  
County Judge, Anderson Co., Texas.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS °  
COUNTY OF ANDERSON ° I, B. J. Kennedy, County Judge in and  
for Anderson County, Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. P. L.  
Bradford, J. Q. Adams and Geo. A. Wright whose signatures appear  
on affidavits of witnesses on the above and foregoing page, are  
reputable citizens of Anderson County, Texas, over the age of  
twenty-one years and of sound mind.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office, this the 1st day  
of September, A. D. 1931.

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*B. J. Kennedy*  
Anderson County Judge,  
Anderson County, Texas.

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APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson } I, Lizzie Hendrix  
do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of  
the late Julia A. Turner, who was a pensioner of the State of  
Texas, and whose file number was 57260 and whose original county was Anderson

The said pensioner Julia A. Turner, died on the  
18<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1934, in the town of at her home near Montalba,  
County of Anderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in ~~the~~ <sup>her</sup> home ~~at~~ <sup>in which she lived with the undersigned</sup>  
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  
funeral expenses incurred by the said pensioner Julia A. Turner.

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) Daughter  
that my postoffice address is Montalba, Texas  
Street or R. F. D.

City Montalba  
Signed Mrs Lizzie Hendrix  
Exec. Adm. of Est. of Julia A. Turner, Deceased  
Sworn to before me this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1934

Must return before  
40 days expires from  
date of Pensioners' death

H. C. Campbell / H. Campbell  
Notary Public in and for Anderson Co. State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, S E South, do certify that I am undertaker in the  
town of Palentine, County of Anderson, State of Texas  
that I had charge of the body of Julia Ann Turner, who died in the  
town of Montalba, County of Anderson, State of Texas  
on the 18 day of Jan 1934. That said body was prepared for burial by me  
on the 19 day of Jan 1934, and that I am of the opinion that  
warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Mrs. Lizzie L. Hendrix  
who makes the foregoing application.

Signed S E South  
Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, E W Fivick M.D., do certify that I am a practicing  
physician, and that I attended Mrs Julia Ann Turner in his last illness, and  
am of the opinion that his ailments were Rheumatism & Age

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.

Signed E W Fivick M.D.  
Physician's Address Palentine Texas

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