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FORM NO. 1—AMENDED.  
OCTOBER 1, 1902.

Confederate Pension Application.

Name of Applicant,

A. D. Sealbors

Anderson County,

Post Office Medley

Comptroller's File No.

13129

I have carefully examined the within application for pension, together with the proof in support thereof, and I recommend that the application be **Approved**

this SEP 28 1907 day

A. D.

*E. W. Pollock*  
Chief Pension Clerk

**Approved**

I hereby **Approve** the within application for pension, this SEP 28 1907 day of

A. D.

*J. M. Johnson*  
Comptroller

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioner's Should be Forwarded to Comptroller.

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NOTE—The law provides that pensions can begin only on the first day of April and October of each year.

FORM No. 1. Amended October 1, 1902.

APPLICATION of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899. Hereafter use no other blank but this.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

COUNTY OF Anderson

To the Honorable County Judge of Anderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, A. D. Scallion respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Anderson County, in the State of Texas, and that he makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved May 12, A. D. 1899, the same being an act entitled "An act to carry into effect the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that aid may be granted to disabled and dependent Confederate soldiers, sailors, and their widows under certain conditions, and to make an appropriation therefor," and I do solemnly swear that the answers I have given to the following questions are true.

NOTE—Applicant must make answer to all of the following questions, and such answers must be written out plainly in ink.

- Q. What is your name? Answer A. D. Scallion IX
- Q. What is your age? Answer Sixty Three
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Anderson
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your post office address? Answer Seven years  
years. P.O. Neched Texas.
- Q. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law heretofore, and been rejected? If so, state when and where. Answer No.
- Q. What is your occupation if able to engage in one? Answer Farming
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer very poor.
- Q. If your physical condition is such that you are unable by your own labor to earn a support, state what caused such disability. Answer Rheumatism
- Q. In what State was your command originally organized? Answer Alabama
- Q. How long did you serve? Give date of enlistment and discharge. Answer about 4 years  
Enlisted in May 1861. Discharged April 1864
- Q. What was the name or letter of your company and name or number of your regiment? Answer Company A. 17th Alabama.
- Q. State whether you served in the infantry, artillery, cavalry, or the navy. Answer in infantry
- Q. State whether or not you have received any pension or veteran donation land certificate under any previous law, and if you answer in the affirmative state what pension or veteran donation land certificate you have received. Answer No.
- Q. What real and personal property do you now own, and what is the present value of such property? Give list of such property and value. Answer Fifty acres land worth  
two hundred dollars

- Q. What property, and what was the value thereof, have you sold or conveyed within two years prior to the date of this application? Answer 2 mules \$200<sup>00</sup> one horse \$65<sup>20</sup>
- Q. What estate has your wife in her own right, real and personal, and what is its value? Answer None
- Q. What income, if any, do you receive? Answer None
- Q. Are you in indigent circumstances; that is, are you in actual want, and destitute of property and means of subsistence? Answer with the exception of 50 acres of land
- Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer Yes
- Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer No
- Q. Did you ever desert the Confederacy? Answer No
- Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of January, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer Yes
- Q. If you originally enlisted in the Confederate service from the State of Texas, were you at the date of the passage of this act, a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas? Answer Yes

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

(Signature of Applicant) A. D. Scallion

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16 day of April, A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

[Signature]  
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 [Signature]  
 County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. B. McDonald and Lewis Pruitt  
 who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me duly sworn on oath, state that they personally know A. D. Scallion the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said A. D. Scallion is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness) J. B. McDonald

(Signature of Witness) Lewis Pruitt

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of August, A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

[Signature]  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

Before me R. G. Erwin

County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Dr. J. T. Seale

, who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, who being by me duly sworn on oath, states that he has carefully and thoroughly examined A. D. Scallion

applicant for a pension, and finds him laboring under the following disabilities which render him unable to labor at any work or calling sufficient to earn a support for himself: Chronic sore leg and Rheumatism

(Signature of Physician) J. T. Seale

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 30 day of July A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

County Judge Anderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

I, R. G. Erwin

County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 16

day of April A. D. 1907, before me came on to be heard the application of A. D. Scallion

for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law of this State, approved May 12, A. D. 1899; that the answers of said applicant to the questions propounded were made under oath as the same appear in writing in the foregoing application; that the affidavits of the witnesses who are credible citizens were made before me as the same hereinbefore appear, and that the foregoing affidavit of Doctor J. T. Seale

who is a reputable practicing physician of this county, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant A. D. Scallion

is not an inmate of the Texas Confederate Home, nor otherwise disqualified under the provision of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all the proceedings had before me relative to the said application for a pension by the said A. D. Scallion

I find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and I hereby approve said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Palestine this 15th day of August A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

County Judge Anderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of

Anderson County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of A. D. Scallion

for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted by Hon. R. G. Erwin

County Judge of this Anderson County, to the Commissioners of this Anderson County, at a regular term thereof on the 12

day of August A. D. 1907, and after a careful consideration of the same we find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided for by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and we hereby approve said application.

Witness our hands and seal of office at Palestine this 16th day of August A. D. 1907

(Signature of Commissioners)

(SEAL)

A. L. Nash  
W. H. Lavin  
W. P. Harrington  
W. H. Brown





## Comptroller's Department

State of Texas

Austin

J. W. STEPHENS, COMPTROLLER  
JOHN T. SMITH, CHIEF CLERK

To the Adjutant General

To the Military Secretary,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of

*A. D. Sealkovis* who is reported to have enlisted in  
 Company *A*, *14<sup>th</sup>* Regiment *Alabama 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.



Very respectfully,

*J. W. Stephens*  
 Comptroller

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SEP 14 1907

Austin, Texas.  
Aug. 30, 1907

A. D. Scallions,  
Co A 17th Ala. Inf C S A

J. W. Stephens, Comptroller

Record

Received, A. G. O., SEP 3 1907

Address: "The Adjutant General,  
War Department, Washington, D.C."

**WAR DEPARTMENT,**  
1281680

**THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,**

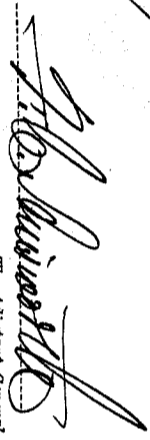
WASHINGTON, September 14, 1907.

*Respectfully returned to the*

Comptroller,  
State of Texas,  
Austin.

It is shown by the records that A. D. Scallions, private, Company A, 17th Alabama Infantry, C.S.A., enlisted September 5, 1861. On the muster roll of that company for September and October, 1863, the last on file, he is reported as present. The Union records of prisoners of war show that A. D. Scallion, a private of the above named organization, was paroled in June, 1865, but the date and place of his capture is not shown.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

  
The Adjutant General.  
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Answers of J R Howard to the question  
ponying memorandum:

1<sup>st</sup> J R Howard, 59 yrs & resides in  
Rosebud Falls & 24

2<sup>nd</sup> I know A D Bealson

3<sup>rd</sup> Howard known him since 1861. Knew him  
1<sup>st</sup> in 1861 in Ala. at Camp Davis.



4<sup>th</sup> I do.

5<sup>th</sup> He was in Co. A. 17<sup>th</sup> Ala regiment  
He enlisted in 1861 in Lowndes Co. Ala  
He served during the war about 4 yrs  
He enlisted in 1861 in Lowndes Co. Ala  
& served about 4 yrs.

6<sup>th</sup> I do. J. R. Howard

Subscribed and sworn to before  
me by witness J R Howard  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of Apr 1907

J. O. ...  
Secretary, ...  
of ...

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ROBERT J. ...

OF ...

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J. ...

E. ...

C. ...

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Rosebud, Texas, ..... 190.....

Answer of Elizabeth Howard to accompany direct interrogatory

1<sup>st</sup> Elizabeth Howard, 58 years old a  
lives at Rosebud, Falls Co Texas

2<sup>nd</sup> I know him

3<sup>rd</sup> I have known him 58 years  
lives in Frowns Co, Ala, 68 years ago

4<sup>th</sup> I do.

(TX)

5<sup>th</sup> He was in 17<sup>th</sup> Ala, and in Co.  
A. to best of my recollection. He en-  
listed with the Co. that left there Co.  
for war. In Frowns Co. Ala at Hope  
were church. He remained 4 years  
till close of war. He enlisted in  
summer of '60, in Frowns Co, Ala

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and send 4 year

6<sup>th</sup> I do

<sup>her</sup>  
Elizabeth Howard  
<sup>more</sup>

Witness

J. O. Goshin

Subscribed & sworn to by  
Witness Elizabeth Howard  
before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of  
April 26<sup>th</sup> 1907

(TX)

J. O. Goshin  
Notary Public  
Fidelity Bond

EX PARTE

*A. S. Scallons*  
APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Pending in the Honorable Commissioners' Court of  
*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 *J. R. Howard*  
and *Elifeth Howard*, who reside in the County of *Falls* 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 May 12, 1899, 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 witness residing in the County of *Anderson* and State of Texas,  
of which he is a bona fide resident.

*A. S. Scallons*  
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witnesses

*J. R. Howard and Elifeth Howard.*

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 *A. S. Scallons*,  
who is an applicant for pension under Act of May 12, 1899?

Int. 3. How long have you known the said *A. S. Scallons*, applicant for pension,  
and when and where did you first know him?

Int. 4. Do you personally know that the said *A. S. Scallons* 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 *A. S. Scallons*  
applicant, enlisted and served in the Confederate army? When? Where? And the time of service? If you person-  
ally knew and so have stated that he enlisted and served in the Confederate navy, then state: When? Where? And  
how long he so served.

Int. 6. Do you further know that *A. S. Scallons*, the said applicant for  
pension, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort?



Cross Interrogatories

To be Propounded to

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 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 \_\_\_\_\_ serving in the same  
company or regiment in which you say the said applicant \_\_\_\_\_  
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 sailor of the same name as said \_\_\_\_\_, applicant serving in the same command.

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. If you have answered Direct Interrogatory No. 6 in the affirmative, then please state your source of knowledge or information. Is not this your answer simply based on conjecture?

Cross Int. 4. Do you know whether or not the said \_\_\_\_\_, applicant for pension, ever deserted the service in the Confederate army or navy?

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THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
COUNTY OF Anderson }

I, R. G. Quinn, County Judge of said County, in said State, do hereby waive a copy of interrogatories, notice, time 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.

R. G. Quinn  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas

A. D. Seale  
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

IN RE  
APPLICATION FOR  
CONFEDERATE PENSION

IN COMMISSIONERS' COURT,

Anderson County, Texas,  
Pending before County Judge of said County.

A. D. Seale  
EX PARTE  
APPLICANT

INTERROGATORIES  
PROPOUNDED TO  
R. G. Seale  
R. G. Seale  
Witnesses.