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FORM No. 2—AMENDED

OCTOBER 1, 1902

Confederate Pension Application

Name of Applicant

Mrs. Augusta E. Scarberaugh,

ANDERSON

County,

Postoffice Brushy-Creek,

Comptroller's File No. 13685

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

SEP 26 1908

this day of

A. D.

E. A. Odling
Chief Pension Clerk

I hereby ~~approve~~ the within application for pension, this SEP 26 1908 day of

A. D.
Comptroller

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners should be Forwarded to Comptroller.

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

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FORM No. 2. Amended October 1, 1902.

APPLICATION of Indigent Widow of 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, Mrs. Augusta E. Scarborough respectfully represents that she is a resident citizen of Anderson County, in the State of Texas; that she is the widow of John L. Scarborough, deceased, who was a Confederate soldier (or sailor), and that she makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension as the widow of said John L. Scarborough deceased, 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 Augusta E. Scarborough.
- Q. What is your age? Answer Seventy-three (73) years.
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Anderson.
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your postoffice address? Answer I have lived in Anderson County, Texas, 55 years—Brushy Creek, is my post office.
- Q. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law heretofore, and been rejected? If so, state when and where. Answer I have not.
- Q. What is your occupation if able to engage in one? Answer Nothing but a little house-
hold work.
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer It is not good, my age makes me feeble.
- Q. What was the name of your deceased husband? Answer John L. Scarborough.
- Q. Were you married to him anterior to March 1, 1866? If so, on what date were you married to him and where? Answer I was married March 9th 1853. Anterior to Mar. 1st 1866
- Q. What was the date of his death? Answer January 30th 1900.
- Q. Are you unmarried, and have you so remained unmarried since the death of your said husband for whose services you claim a pension? Answer I am unmarried, have never remarried since my husband's death.
- Q. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Answer Texas.
- Q. How long did your husband serve? Give date of enlistment and discharge. Answer He served about three (3) years, enlisted about April 1st 1862, and served to the end of the war.
- Q. What was the name or letter of your husband's company and name or number of his regiment? Answer 1st in "Co. G" 20th Texas Cavalry, Later, Johnson's Battalion "Co. B," Dismounted Cavalry
- Q. State whether he served in the infantry, artillery, cavalry, or the navy. Answer Cavalry & 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 I have not received any pension or donation

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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 *I own one pony, worth 50\$ and one Cow worth 10\$. I do not own any real estate.*

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 *My son sold 1 yearling for me for seven dollars (7\$)*

Q. What income, if any, do you receive? Answer *I have no income*

Q. Are you in indigent circumstances; that is, are you in actual want, and destitute of property and means of subsistence? Answer *I have no means of support, other than living with my children.*

Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer *I am unable to work.*

Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer *I have not.*

Q. Did your husband for whose services you claim a pension, ever desert the Confederacy? Answer *He did not.*

Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of March, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer *I have lived in Texas continuously since 1845.*

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

(Signature of Applicant) *her August^a E. Scarborough*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *9th* day of *June* A. D. *1908.*

(SEAL.)

J. M. Emerson
Notary Public County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(NOTE--There must be at least two credible witnesses.)

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 duly sworn on oath, state that they personally know that Mrs. _____, applicant for a pension as the widow of _____, deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of the said _____, deceased, that they personally know _____ that the said Mrs. _____

_____, widow of the said _____ deceased; is unable to support herself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ A. D. _____

(SEAL.)

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

Anderson

I,

R. E. Erwin

County Judge of

Anderson

County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the

9th

day of

June

A. D. 1908

, before me came on to be heard the application

of Mrs.

Augusta E. Scarborough

widow of

Jno. L. Scarborough

deceased, for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law of this State, approved May 12, A. D. 1890; 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. I also certify that the said applicant Mrs. Augusta E. Scarborough is not disqualified under any the provisions of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all of the proceedings had before me relative to the said application for a pension by the said Mrs. Augusta E. Scarborough as widow of Jno. L. Scarborough deceased, I find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided for by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and I hereby approve said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office at

Palestine

this

12th

day of

Aug

A. D. 1908

(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 Mrs.

Augusta

E. Scarborough

widow of

Jno. L. Scarborough

deceased, for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted

by Hon.

R. E. Erwin

County Judge of this

Anderson

County, to the Commissioners Court of this

Anderson

county, at a regular term thereof on the

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day of

Aug

A. D. 1908

, 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

12

day of

Aug

A. D. 1908

(SEAL)

(Signature of Commissioners)

J. F. Nash

W. H. Larish

W. M. Harrington

W. M. Brown





Comptroller's Department

State of Texas

Austin

SEP 8 - 1908

J. W. STEPHENS, COMPTROLLER
JOHN T. SMITH, CHIEF CLERKTo the ^{Adjutant General} Military Secretary,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of
John L. Scarborough who is reported to have enlisted in
 Company *G.*, *20th* Regiment *Texas Cavalry*
 in the service of the Confederate States army.

Purpose: The ^{widow of 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



1889

Austin, Texas

Sept. 8, 1908

John P. Scarborough

C.S. 20 Texas Cav
D.S.A.

Texas - State of

J. M. Stephens Comptroller

For record of service,
in interest, of the Medical
who is an applicant
for State Pension.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT,
1424189

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,


WASHINGTON, Sept. 15, 1908.

Respectfully returned to the

Comptroller,
State of Texas, Austin.

The records show that John L. Scarborough, private, Company G, 20th Texas Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted March 1 1862, in Anderson County, Texas, and he is accounted for as present on the muster roll of the company for March and April, 1862, the last roll on file. No record of capture or parole in his case has been found.

[A.G.O. 72-1]


The Adjutant General.

Received A.G.O. SEP 11 1908

Application of Mrs. A. E. Scarborough for a Confederate Pension, before the Hon. Com. of Anderson Co Tex -

Before me W. H. Wain Co Justice and for Anderson Co Texas ⁹¹⁸ ~~918~~ ^{multifid} who after being duly sworn deposes and says that he is 71 years old and his P.O. address is Frankston, Texas. That he is personally acquainted with Mrs. A. E. Scarborough applicant for a pension here known since 1862. She was married to J. L. Scarborough decd. before the war and has never remarried. was acquainted with her husband J. L. Scarborough from 1862 up to the date of his death. He served in the ~~10th~~ Co and Regiment with me for about three years. first served in Co G, 20th Regiment afterwards conscripted with Co E. and became Co B of Johnsons 20th Battalion. He never denied the Confederacy and I know that applicant is unable to earn a support by labor of any sort.

G. B. Willingham

(TX)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day July 1908

W. H. Wain

Application of Mrs. W. E. Scarborough for a Confederate Pension before the Hon Com Court Anderson Co, Tex.

Before me W. H. Smith Co Judge in and for Anderson County Texas on this day personally appeared W. A. Evans who after being by me duly sworn on oath says that he is personally acquainted with Mrs W. E. Scarborough applicant for a Confederate pension and know that she is the widow of J. L. Scarborough (decd.) for whom he claims a pension.

she was married to J. L. Scarborough before the war, and she has never remarried I have known applicant since 1855. up to the present also knew her deceased husband from the up to the date of his death said date. J. L. Scarborough served in the Confederacy for about three years and performed the duties of a soldier in Co G. Busses 20 Reg of Texas Cavalry attached with Co E. and become Co B. of Johnsons 20 Battalion. I know that J. L. Scarborough never deserted the Confederacy. Also know that the applicant is unable to support her self by labor of any sort.

(over)

S. A. Emmons
Subscribed and sworn to before
me this 14th day July 1908
W. H. Jones