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FORM B

Widow's Application for Pension

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

Name of Applicant.

*Mr. G. A. Snawford*

*Anderson* County.

Postoffice

*Scottish*

Filed *MAR 10 1910*

Approved *AUG 31 1910*

Pension allowed from *JUN 1 1910*

Rejected

*APPROVED*  
*J. B. Baird*  
Commissioner of Pensions

Commissioner of Pensions.

VON BOECKMANN-JONES CO., PRINTERS, AUSTIN

FORM B

For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Anderson

I, Mrs Elizabeth Ann Crawford, 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 am the widow of William Benjamin Crawford, deceased, who departed this life on the 3rd day of February, A. D. 1866, in the county of Anderson, in the State of Texas

I have not remarried since the death of my said husband, 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 5th day of July, A. D. 1858 in the county of Anderson, in the State of Texas

My husband, the said W B Crawford, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that he did not desert the Confederate Service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to March 1, A. D. 1880, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not 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, 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 I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 73 years -
2. Where were you born? Alabama
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? Since 1849
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? About 18 years - Catfish, Texas
5. What was your husband's full name? William Benjamin Crawford
6. When and where were you married? In Anderson Co. Tex, July 5, 1858
7. What was the date of his death? July 3, 1866
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Texas
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. Served about 3 yrs - discharged at close of war
10. What was the name or letter of the company, or name or number of the battalion, regiment or battery of artillery 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. Company "E" 13th Texas, dismounted Cavalry
11. 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. Not commissioned Cavalry - Not commissioned - TX Not detailed for service as a nurse in hospital for most of time
12. 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 her application for a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) Elisabeth A Crawford

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of Sept, A. D. 1909

O B Funderburk

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Anderson }

Before me O B Funderburk, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. W. Miller & H. Crawford, 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.

E. A. Crawford, applicant for a pension as the widow of W. B. Crawford

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of W. B. Crawford deceased; that they personally know

that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose service in the army she claims a pension, and that

they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) A. W. Miller

(Signature of Witness) H. Crawford

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of Oct, A. D. 1909

O B Funderburk

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Anderson }

Before me O B Funderburk, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. W. Miller & H. Crawford, who are personally

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know the above-

named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said Mrs. E. A. Crawford

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to March 1, A. D. 1880, and that they have no

interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) A. W. Miller

(Signature of Witness) H. Crawford

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of Sept, A. D. 1909

O B Funderburk

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Anderson

Before me O. B. Funderburt County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. W. Miller & James Eastland, 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 her application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim. And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of the applicant's husband in the Confederate Army:

*I personally know that W B Rowland enlisted and performed the duties of a soldier in Company "E" 13 Tex Cavalry during the war for I served with him in said company*

(Signature of Witness)

A. W. Miller

(Signature of Witness)

James Eastland

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 18<sup>th</sup> day of March, A. D. 1910

O. B. Funderburt

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, Bend Jackson, State and County Assessor in the County of Anderson, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. Mrs E. A. Crawford,

whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-first Legislature, approved March 26, A. D. 1909, is charged on the land and personal property rolls of the said county, in her name, or the name of a trustee, with estate, real, personal and mixed, at the assessed value of Nothing dollars.

Given under my hand, this 25 day of Oct, A. D. 1909

Bend Jackson  
State and County Assessor.





E. A. BOLMES, Commissioner

OFFICE OF  
**Commissioner of Pensions**  
 State of Texas  
 Austin

APR 24 1910

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

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record  
 of William B. Crawford who is reported to have enlisted in  
 Company E, Regiment 13th 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,

Commissioner of Pensions.



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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE  
WAR DEPARTMENT  
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OFFICE OF  
Commissioner of Pensions  
State of Texas  
Austin

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

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, August 29, 1910.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,  
State of Texas,  
Austin.

The records show that Wm. B. Crawford, private, Company E, 13th Texas Cavalry, Confederate States Army, enlisted June 24, 1862. On the roll of the company for January and February, 1864 (last roll on file), he is reported absent sick, in Anderson County, Texas. No later record of him has been found.



The Adjutant General,

(A.G.O.72-1)

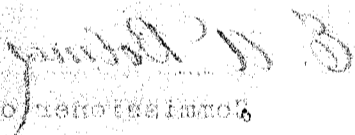
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his proof of service.

Very respectfully,



Commissioner of Pensions.





LON. A. SMITH, Comptroller  
W. T. GASTON, Chief Clerk

Comptroller's Department  
State of Texas  
Austin

March 28, 1922

Mr. Jno. Crawford

LaRue, Texas

Dear Sir:

Complying with your request of March 27, 1922

I am enclosing mortuary warrant application blanks on account of the death  
of Mrs. E. A. Crawford, a Confederate pensioner.

You will please have these blanks executed in proper form and return to  
this Department, when a warrant for \$30.00 will be issued in favor of party  
filing claim.

Yours very truly,

*Lon A. Smith*

Comptroller.



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THE E. L. STECK CO., AUSTIN

MORTUARY WARRANT ACCOUNT

LaRue, Texas, Texas, ~~XXXXX~~ April-1-1922

STATE OF TEXAS

To Jno. Crawford Dr.

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY LaRue, Texas

Account of Death of Pensioner No. 18814, County Anderson  
Pensioner's Name in full Mrs J.E. Crawford

Account must be itemized, but Mortuary Warrant will not be issued for more than Thirty Dollars.

I Burial Coffin \$40.00



The above account for Forty DOLLARS  
is just, due and unpaid.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 1 day of April, 1922

*W.O. Wood*

*W.G. Larrison*

Notary Public, Henderson, County, Texas.

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APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson } I, Jno. Crawford

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late E.A. Crawford, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 18814 and whose original county is Anderson

The said pensioner E.A. Crawford, died on the 23 day of March, 1922, in the town of LaRue, Texas, R.F.D.#3 County of Anderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Jno. Crawford who was related to the pensioner as son

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 E.A. Crawford

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 and that my home is in the town of LaRue, Tex. R#3, County of Anderson State of Texas, that my postoffice address is LaRue, Texas R#3

Signed J H Crawford (Jno)

Before me the undersigned authority in and for the County of Henderson, State of Texas, personally appeared Jno. Crawford, who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office) W. H. Laugham in and for Henderson, Texas. Notary Public

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of, County of, State of, that I had charge of the body of, who died in the town of, County of, State of, on the day of 192. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 24th day of March, 1922. That said body was buried in the County Line Cemetery, which is located in the County of Anderson State of Texas, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said J. H. Crawford, who makes the foregoing application.

Signed J. J. Hollingsworth, M.D. Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, P. H. Scarborough, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended E. A. Crawford in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Pneumonia that is what caused his death

Signed P. H. Scarborough, Physician. Physician's Address Palestine, Tex. R.R. 1

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-fifth Legislature, and approved March 2, 1917.

