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FORM B.

WIDOW'S APPLICATION
FOR A PENSION

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Name of Applicant

Mrs Mary E Jones

Anderson County.

R. F. D. or Street No. *3*

Postoffice *Inductive Park*

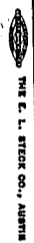
Filed *Aug 10-1927*

Approved *Aug 22-1927*

Pension allowed from *June 1-1927*

Rejected

A W Russell
Comptroller of Public Accounts.



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Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson

I, Mrs. Mary J. Jones do hereby make application to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, A. D. 1913, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of W. L. Jones deceased, who departed this life on the 27 day of Decr, A. D. 1898 in the county of Greene 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 23 day of February, A. D. 1843, in the county of Natchitoches parish in the State of Louisiana*

My husband, the said W. L. Jones, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States and he did not desert the Confederate service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, 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 above the sum of \$300.00 per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does anyone hold in trust for my benefit or use, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the value of one thousand dollars, exclusive of the home of the value of not over \$2000; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State of the United States, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age, and date of birth? 98 years
2. Where were you born? Randolph County Georgia
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? since 1874
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? 48 years
5. What is your postoffice address? Palestine, Texas, Route #3
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? No

If rejected, state when and where.

7. Did your husband draw a pension? No If so, give his file number
8. What is your husband's full name? Nicholas Long Jones

9. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Louisiana

10. How long did your husband serve? 2 years 6 months If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge Enlisted in June 1860

11. 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.) His company was Company K and Capt. Hollingsworth was his Capt. 28th Louisiana Regiment

12. 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. Company K 28 Louisiana Infantry

13. Do you own any property other than that rendered for taxes in your county? If so, state value of same and county where located. No

14. Have you transferred to another any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? No

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

(Signature of Applicant) X Mary J. Jones

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8 day of August A. D. 1927

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, E. H. Shelta, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mary J. Jones

E. E. Mack & O. C. Gilson, 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. Mary J. Jones, applicant for a pension as the widow of N. L. Jones deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of N. L. Jones 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) E. E. Mack

(Signature of Witness) O. C. Gilson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8 day of August, A. D. 1927

E. H. Shelta

[Seal.]

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Anderson

Before me, E. H. Shelta, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared E. E. Mack

and O. C. Gilson, 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

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) E. E. Mack

(Signature of Witness) O. C. Gilson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8 day of August, A. D. 1927

E. H. Shelta

[Seal.]

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

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 other information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Anderson

Before me, E. H. Shelton, County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas,
on this day personally appeared _____, who

are personally known to me to be creditable 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 applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (Witnesses must state fully the source of their knowledge of service of applicant's husband)

They state that they know from hearsay, and the general information of the community and from older people than themselves that W. J. Jones was a confederate soldier but that they never served with him in the army.

(Signature of Witness) E. E. Mack
(Signature of Witness) O. C. Gilson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8 day of August, A. D. 1927
E. H. Shelton

[Seal.] County Judge Anderson County, Texas.



CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, R. R. Sadler State and County Assessor in the County of Anderson State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. Mary J. Jones whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-third Legislature, approved April 7, 1913, is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a homestead of the value of no property of any value Dollars, and, in addition to homestead, of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of _____ Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 8 day of August, A. D. 1927
R. R. Sadler
State and County Assessor,
Irene Manley - Dpty

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FORM B

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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.

Mary J. Jones

Anderson County.

Postoffice Galveston P. O.

Filed AUG 24 1909

Approved

M. J. Jones

Pension allowed from

AUG 31 1909

Rejected

Commissioner of Pensions.

FORM B

For use of Widows of Soldiers who are in indigent circumstances.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Anderson

I, Mrs Mary J. Jones, 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 N. L. Jones, deceased, who departed this life on the 28 day of Dec, A. D. 1878, in the county of Freestone, 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 3 day of Feb, A. D. 1857 in the county of Red River Parish in the State of Louisiana

My husband, the said N. L. Jones, 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? 66 yrs
2. Where were you born? Randolph County, Ga.
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 34 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? 34 yrs. P.O. Palestine Texas, Route 3
5. What was your husband's full name? Nicolas Long Jones
6. When and where were you married? Feb 3-1857 - In Louisiana
7. What was the date of his death? Dec. 28, 1878
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Louisiana
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. Enlisted in Apr. 1862, & discharged because of ill health, Sept 1863
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 of service. Company "K" of the Crescent Regiment of La. He served under Capt. Holloway. Was never transferred
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 how long did he serve? He enlisted in the Infantry. Was ~~not~~ never commissioned I don't know whether he was ever detailed or not
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)

Mary J. Jones

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of Aug., A. D. 1909

Jno. R. Moore Dist Clk

County Judge *Anderson* County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

By *Eddie Morris, Dpty.*

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 *M. Campbell & C. J. Clark*, 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.

Mary J. Jones

applicant for a pension as the widow of *W. L. Jones*

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of *W. L. Jones* 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) *M. Campbell*

(Signature of Witness) *C. J. Clark*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of Aug., 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 *M. Campbell*, 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 *Mary J. Jones*

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) *M. Campbell*

(Signature of Witness) *Jesse R. Ballarney*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13th day of August, 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..... }

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 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:

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[Handwritten signature]
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(Signature of Witness).....
[Handwritten signature]
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(Signature of Witness).....

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this.....day of....., A. D. 19.....

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County Judge.....County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, *Ben D Jackson*, State and County Assessor in the County of *Decker*, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. *Mary J. Jones*,

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 *11* day of *Aug*, A. D. 19*09*

Ben D Jackson
State and County Assessor.



*Account without Leave
from Sept. 1. 1862*

Approved: BBI
Endorsements Hereon for Comptroller's Use Exclusively

FORM No. 2—AMENDED
OCTOBER 1, 1902

Confederate Pension Application

Name of Applicant

Mary J. Jones

Shrinerman County

Postoffice

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Comptroller's File No.

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

this **SEP 24 1907**
day of

A. D.

Chief Pension Clerk

Disapprove

I hereby **Disapprove** the within application for pension, this **SEP 24 1907** day of

J. D. [Signature]
Comptroller

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners 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.

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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. Mary J. Jones respectfully represents that she is a resident citizen of Anderson County, in the State of Texas; that she is the widow of Nicholas L. Jones, 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 Nicholas L. Jones 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 Mary J. Jones
- Q. What is your age? Answer 64
- 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 Since 1874
Salestine P. O. 3
- 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 bad
- Q. What was the name of your deceased husband? Answer Nicholas L. Jones
- Q. Were you married to him anterior to March 1, 1866? If so, on what date were you married to him and where? Answer Yes. In Feb 3rd 1859, In Red River Parish La.
- Q. What was the date of his death? Answer Died Dec-26-1878
- 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 Yes
- Q. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Answer La.
- Q. How long did your husband serve? Give date of enlistment and discharge. Answer about 15 months.
Enlisted in June 1862, ~~was~~ served till Sept. 1862
- Q. What was the name or letter of your husband's company and name or number of his regiment? Answer Co "B,"
Present Regiment
- Q. State whether he 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 None
- 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 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 Yes
- 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 your husband for whose services you claim a pension, ever desert the Confederacy? Answer No
- Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of March, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer Yes

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) Mary Jones

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27 day of April A. D. 1907

(SEAL.)

County Judge Andrew 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

27

day of

April

A. D. 1907

before me came on to be heard the application

of Mrs.

Mary J. Jones

widow of

Nicholas L. Jones

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 herein

before appear. I also certify that the said applicant

Mrs. Mary J. Jones

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.

Mary J. Jones

as widow of

Nicholas L. Jones

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

Palustrine

this

15th

day of

May

A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

County Judge

R. E. Erwin

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.

Mary J. Jones

widow of

Nicholas L. Jones

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

day of

A. D.

day of

May

A. D. 1907

this

15th

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

Palustrine

(Signature of Commissioners)

A. J. York
W. H. Farish
W. P. Herrington
W. M. Brown

TX

(SEAL)



Comptroller's Department
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 N. L. Jones, who is
reported to have enlisted in Company K
Regiment 28th.

Louisiana Infantry

in service in the Confederate States Army.

Very respectfully,



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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON August 17, 1927.

Respectfully returned to

Comptroller,
State of Texas,
Austin, Texas.

The name N. L. Jones has not been found on the muster rolls of any organization of Infantry, State of Louisiana, C.S.A., designated the 28th Regiment, (Co. K).

Nor has any record been found of his service, capture or parole as of the 28th. La. Inf., C.S.A.

The records show that one N. L. Jones, who enlisted at Natchitoches, served in Co. B, 11th. Battn. La. Inf. and Co. K, Consolidated Crescent Regt. La. Inf., C.S.A.

Residence: Natchitoches Parish, La.

Lutz Wahl
Major General,
The Adjutant General.

By *TC*

The State of Texas

County of Anderson Before me R. E. Erwin County Judge in and for Anderson County, Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. F. A. Barrs who after being by me duly sworn on oath says, that she resides in Anderson County, Texas P. O. address is Palestine, and that she is 71 years of age. That she personally knows Mrs. Mary J. Jones applicant for a confederate pension and has known her ever since she was a child, first knew her in La. I know that she is the widow of Nicholas L. Jones and that she was married to said Nicholas L. Jones deceased Feb. 3rd, 1859 at Red River Parish La; I further know that Nicholas L. Jones ^{decd} Dec. 26th 1878, and that the applicant for a pension on account of the service of her deceased husband has never re-married. ~~Mr~~ Nicholas L. Jones served in Co. B Crescent Regiment which was formed in La. My husband G. W. Barrs served in the same Co. with the said Nicholas L. Jones and it is my recollection that Nicholas L. Jones served in the army for about 15 months, I was in communication with my husband during his absence from home and during his service in said Co. as was ~~is~~ also Mrs. Mary J. Jones with her husband, and we often enclosed each of our letters in the same enclosure. I also personally know that the applicant Mrs. Mary J. Jones widow of the said Nicholas L. Jones deceased is unable to support herself by labor of any sort. *Nicholas L Jones's family come to Texas in 1875.*

F. A. Barrs

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this the 27th day of April A. D. 1907.

R. E. Erwin
Co. Judge Anderson Co. Texas:

TX



Comptroller's Department

State of Texas

Austin AUG 29 1907

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

Nicholas L. Jones who is reported to have enlisted in
 Company *B*, *Green* Regiment *Louisiana Infantry*
 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



Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."
1280298

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, September 11, 1907.

Respectfully returned to the

Comptroller,
State of Texas,
Austin.

The name Nicholas L. Jones has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company B, Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry, C.S.A.

The records show that one N. L. Jones was a private of Company B, 11th Battalion, Louisiana Troops, C.S.A. On the company rolls covering the period from May 6 to October 31, 1862, he is reported present, enlisted May 6, and year not stated. On roll for March and April, 1863 (the last on file), he is reported absent without leave, furloughed for 30 days September 1, 1863. (This battalion was consolidated with the Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry, and with the 16th Battalion, Louisiana Infantry, also designated Confederate Guards, Response Battalion, November 3, 1863, and formed the Consolidated Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry). On the rolls of Company K of the Consolidated Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry, C.S.A., for January and February, 1864 (the only roll on file), he is reported absent without leave, being furloughed from Monroe Hospital for 30 days from September 1, 1862.

The name Nicholas Jones is borne on a roll of prisoners of war of de-

tachments of regiments surrendered at New Orleans, Louisiana, May 26, 1865, and paroled at Natchitoches, June 14, 1865, which roll shows that he was a private of Company K, Consolidated Louisiana Regiment, and that his residence was Natchitoches, Louisiana.

[Signature]
The Adjutant General.

Austin, Texas,
August 29, 1907.

Nicholas L. Jones
Co. B. Crescent Regt. Le. Inf. C.S.A.

J. W. Stephens, Comptroller

Requests record of above-named, whose widow is an applicant for state pension.

Received August 29 1907

VON BOECKMANN-JONES CO., PRINTERS, AUSTIN

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OFFICE OF
Commissioner of Pensions
State of Texas
Austin

E. A. BOLMES, Commissioner

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

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record
of *M. L. Jones* who is reported to have enlisted in
Company *K*, *Crescent* Regiment, *Louisiana Infantry*
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,

E. A. Bolmes



Commissioner of Pensions.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT, 1561429

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,


WASHINGTON, September 2, 1909.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas, Austin.

It is shown by the records that N. L. Jones, private, Company K, Consolidated Crescent Regiment, Louisiana Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted May 6, 1862. On the roll of the company for January and February, 1864 (only roll on file), he is reported, "Absent without leave, being furloughed from Monroe Hospital, Sept. 1, 1862, for 30 days."

The records further show that Nicholas Jones, same rank and organization, surrendered at New Orleans, Louisiana, May 26, 1865, and was paroled June 14, 1865.



The Adjutant General.

LA. G. O. 7211

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Mary J. Jones

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)

N. N. Clark of Palestine, Texas.

to the accompanying interrogations (2)

And Cross Interrogatories propounded to Jno. P. Moore, Dist. Clk.

in accordance with the accompanying (7)

Commission

To the first interrogatory the said

N. N. Clark

Witness, answers.

Int. 1. N. N. Clark - age 59 - P.O. Palestine, Texas, R. F. D. 5

Int. 2. I did.

Int. 3. I have known N. L. Jones since I was 9 yrs old. I first knew him in La.

Int. 4. I do.

Int. 5. I do personally know that N. L. Jones served in Company K of The Crescent regiment of La. He served from Apr. 1862 to Sept. 1863. He enlisted and served in the Infantry until he was discharged on account of ill health.

Int. 6. He was a non commissioned officer. Private soldier.

Int. 7. N. L. Jones was never detailed for special service.

To cross Interrogatories Witness N. N. Clark answers:

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Cross Inty. 1. I did not serve in the army with N. L. Jones, but I lived near where his regiment was stationed and I had a brother who served in the same regiment with the applicant. I saw the applicant N. L. Jones in the Army several

times with his uniform on.
I never at any time knew
any other man by the name
of N. L. Jones.

Cross Out. 2. I am positively
certain that the said N. L. Jones
is the identical person serving.

Cross Out. 3. N. L. Jones did
serve honorably, until his
discharge.

Cross Out. 4. He never
performed the service.

W. W. C. W. C.

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- (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.

1 The State of Texas }
2 County of Anderson }

3 Before me, O. O. Funder-
4 burk, County Judge in and for
5 Anderson County Texas on this
6 day personally appeared M. V.
7 Campbell, known to me to be
8 a credible person, who being
9 by me sworn on oath says:
10 I personally knew in his lifetime
11 W. L. Jones whose widow is
12 and applicant for a pension
13 I personally knew that the
14 said W. L. Jones enlisted and
15 performed the duties of a
16 soldier in the civil war
17 He was in Company K, Pres-
18 cent Regiment Louisiana Infantry.
19 I was not in the same Com-
20 pany but my father was, I
21 know that applicant's husband
22 left his home to go to the
23 war, he came home sick
24 during the war and was
25 now able to return. He
26 was under the care of
27 a doctor and now did
28 get well but died in
29 1878 - I have often heard
30 my father speak of his
31 service in the war.

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A good soldier and never
did desert his post
of duty.

Mr Campbell

Subscribed and sworn to be
for me this 13th day of
August 1904
O. J. [unclear]
C. J. [unclear]

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To the Hon Commissioner's Court, Anderson County,
Texas.

The State of Texas

County of Anderson Before me, R E Erwin, County Judge, in and
for Anderson County, Texas, on this day personally ^{appeared} W W Clark, who
after being by me duly sworn on oath says, that he resides in Ander-
son County, Texas, that his P O Address is Palestine, that he is
57 years of age, that he personally knows Mrs Mary J Jones, applicant
for ^a Confederate Pension and has known her all his life, first knew
her Natchitosh Parish, La. I know that she is ^{the} widow of ~~ESSES~~ ^{Nicholas} L
Jones and that she was married to said Nicholas L Jones Decd. about
the year 1859. I further know that Mrs Mary J Jones has never re-
married and that she is now the widow of Nicholas L Jones. I fur-
ther know that Nicholas L Jones Decd. served in Company D, Cresent
Reg. which was formed in La. My borther Jim Clark served in the
same company with Nicholas L Jones, and I lived in the same neighbor-
hood from which Nicholas L Jones ^{left} went to go to the war and was
living in the same neighborhood when he returned. We were in com-
munication with my borther during the war and from statements made
by him and from knowledge I have from other sources I know that
Nicholas L Jones served the Condeateracy and it is my recollection
that he served about two years. I postivelu know that he is the
same Nicholas L Jones that served in the Company stated above and
that he was the husband of Mary J Jones, applicant for Confederate
Pension, ^{and that N. L. Jones & his family came to Texas in 1875 and} I also know that the applicant Mary J Jones widow of the
said Nicholas L Jones Decd. is unable to support herself by labor
of any sort. I further know that Mrs Mary J Jones has no property
and is very much in need of such pension as she may receive from
the state.

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W W Clark

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 7th day of May A D 1907.

R E Erwin County Judge,
in and for Anderson County, Texas.

Handwritten note: I think he will pay with it in the year 1875. and it will be his money here

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson

I, I. M. Kizer

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Mary J. Jones, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 43226 and whose original county was Anderson

The said pensioner Mrs. Mary J. Jones, died on the 28 day of July, 1928, in the town of Near Elkhart, County of Anderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of O. C. Gilson who was related to the pensioner as Mother-in-law

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 O. C. Gilson

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)

that my postoffice address is

Elkhart City

Street or R. F. D.

Texas.

State

Signed I. M. Kizer

Sworn to before me this 4th day of August, 1928

Notary Public in and for Anderson State of Texas

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, J. W. Paul, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Near Elkhart, County of Anderson, State of Tex that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Mary J. Jones, who died in the town of Near Elkhart, County of Anderson, State of Tex on the 28 day of July, 1928. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 29 day of July, 1928, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said O. C. Gilson who makes the foregoing application.

Signed J. W. Paul Undertaker



CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, Dr. J. M. Parks, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. J. Jones in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were old age

Signed Dr. J. M. Parks Physician's Address Elkhart Tex

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

43226 7-31-28

