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FORM NO. 1.

CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION.

(TX)

Name of Applicant

John Franklin

Andrew

County

Post Office

Palisade

Comptroller's File No.

5587

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

I recommend the application be

Approved

this 13th day of August

A. D. 1899

Wm. J. Deane
Pension Clerk

I hereby approve the within application for pension this 13th day of August

A. D. 1899
Comptroller

No application rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners should be forwarded to Comptroller.

APPLICATION of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

COUNTY OF Anderson

To the Honorable County Judge of Anderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, John Friddell 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 John Friddell
- Q. What is your age? Answer 78 years
- 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 20 years
P. O. Palestine 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 Carpenter but not able to engage in that now
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Feeble from age
- 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 Age
- Q. State in what company and regiment you enlisted in the Confederate army, and the time of your service? Answer Coast Hitch Company was detailed in government work in Fulton County Ga. about 4 years under Capt. Henslee
- Q. If you served in the Confederate navy state when and where, and the time of your service. Answer No
- 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 None
- 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 I am
- Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer I am
- 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

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) John Ferrell

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26 day of July A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

J. H. Anderson
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, J. H. Anderson

County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. H.

Ferrell

who ^{is} personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me duly sworn on oath, state that ^{he} personally know ^{he} the above named applicant for a pension, and that ^{he} personally know that the said John Ferrell enlisted in the service of the Confederacy, and performed the duties of a soldier (or sailor) as claimed by him in the above and foregoing application, and that ^{he} further know that he, the said applicant, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness) J. H. Ferrell

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 26 day of July A. D. 1899

(SEAL)



J. H. Anderson
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson } Before me L. W. Henderson
County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. M. Colley

....., 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 John Friddell 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: Mr. John Friddell is free from all age being now twenty nine years of age - He is very stopped and in my judgement is not able to learn a living.

(Signature of Physician) J. M. Colley M.D.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of August A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

L. W. Henderson
County Judge Anderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson } I, L. W. Henderson
County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 14th day of August A. D. 1899, before me came on to be heard the application of John Friddell

..... 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. M. Colley who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant John Friddell 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 John Friddell 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 Palustrine Texas this 14th day of August A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

L. W. Henderson
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 John Friddell for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted

by Hon. L. W. Henderson County Judge of this Anderson County, to the Commissioners Court of this Anderson County, at a regular term thereof on the 15th day of August A. D. 1899, 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 this 15th day of August A. D. 1899.

(Signatures of Commissioners.)

Wm. Boyles
G. C. Parby
Geo. C. Simmons
J. E. Fitzgerald

(SEAL)

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No. _____

In Emmely Court,

Anderson County,

To August Term, 1899

John A. Maddell

v.s.

W. Lee Kim for Bondman

Commission to Take Deposition

OF

J. W. Maddell

Issued 21st day of July 1899

W. W. Anderson Judge

Emmely Court, Anderson Co., Texas,

By _____ Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

* To any Clerk of a Court of Record, having a Seal; any Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds, duly appointed under the laws of Texas, for the State of Texas in and for the County of Dallas State of Texas

* The State of Texas to any Notary Public, or any Minister, Commissioner or Chargé d'Affaires of the United States, resident in and accredited to _____ or any Consul General, Consul, Vice-Consul, Commercial Agent, Vice-Commercial Agent, Deputy Consul, or Consular Agent of the United States, resident in said Country of _____

WE HEREBY AUTHORIZE AND REQUIRE YOU, OR EITHER OF YOU, to Summon

J. W. Furdell

_____ a resident of your County, to come before you forthwith, and that you then and there take his answers, under oath, to the attached copy of interrogatories Interrogatories, and that you return the same, without delay, to the Clerk of this Court. as herein provided :

1. That you reduce his answers, so taken, to writing, in proper form, and cause the same to be subscribed and sworn to by said witness.....
2. That you certify, under your hand and seal of office, that said answers were sworn to and subscribed before you.
3. That you seal up in an envelope the answers so taken, together with the annexed Interrogatories and this Commission, with your name across the seal.
4. That you endorse on the envelope the name of the parties to the suit, and the name of said witness.....
5. That you direct the package "To the Judge ~~Clerk~~ of the County Court of Anderson County, _____ Texas."
6. That if said package is sent by mail, the Postmaster, or his Deputy, shall endorse thereon that he received it from your hands, and sign his name thereto ; or if you entrust it to private conveyance, as provided by statute, you will apprise the person receiving it that it *must* be delivered to the Clerk of *this* Court by *himself in person* ; which evidence, so taken as above, is to be used on the trial of a ~~suit now pending in the~~ an application Court of _____ County, in said State of Texas, wherein

for Pension under the laws of the State of Texas
approved May 12th 1899 Plaintiff and
in which John Furdell is applicant Defendant.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but make return of this Writ as the law directs.

WITNESS my hand and seal of office, at Palmer, Tex this 26 day of July 1899



J. W. Furdell Clerk,
Judge County Court, Anderson Co., Texas.

By _____ Deputy.

(TX)

Ex parte John Friddell
Confederate Soldier
application for Pension
under Act of May 12th 1877.

Pending before the
Hon. G. H. Hudson, Co. Judge
of Anderson County, Texas.

Sir: You will take notice that five days after service hereof I shall apply for a commission to take a deposition of J. W. Friddell and _____ who reside in Dallas County, Texas, in answer to the following interrogatories to be used upon hearing of the application of said John Friddell for a pension under Act May 12th 1877.

To Hon. G. H. Hudson }
Co. Judge Anderson Co. }

Interrogatories to be propounded to
and J. W. Friddell witnesses for

applicant

Int. 1st. Where do you ~~and each of you~~ reside

Int. 2nd. Are you ~~each~~ acquainted with the applicant John Friddell and if yea, when, where and how long have you known him.

Int. 3rd. If in answer to the foregoing interrogatories you have said that you are personally acquainted with the said John Friddell then please state if you know where he now resides and give your means of information as to his present residence and how long has he resided there. What is his age as near as you can tell. Give a brief description of him his height, complexion, color of eyes &c.

Int. 4th. If in answer to the foregoing interrogatories you have said that you are personally acquainted with the said John Friddell then please state if within your personal knowledge the said Friddell ever enlisted in the service of the Confederate States and performed the duties of a soldier in such service, and if so in what company and

Regiment. When, where and how long did he serve and was he honorably discharged from such service, and, if yes, when and where was he discharged, and state fully your means of information. Please answer all interrogatories fully. John Fiddell Applicant

Cross Interrogatories propounded by the Co. Judge of Anderson County, Texas.

+ Int. 1st. Did you or either of you serve in the same command with the said John Fiddell?

+ Int. 2nd. Were you or either of you present when said John Fiddell was discharged from the Confederate States Army. If so when and where was he discharged.

+ Int. 3rd. When and where did you see said John Fiddell last, and if you have said that he now resides in Anderson County, how do you know.

L. W. Anderson
Co. Judge

Exp'ts John Fridell
Confederate Soldier
Application for Pension

Pending before the Hon. H. W.
Hudson, Co Judge of
Anderson Co Texas.

Answers and depositions of J. W. Fridell
of the city of Dallas Dallas Co Texas. to
the accompanying interrogatories
propounded to him in the above
entitled cause. Taken before me S. H.
McBride a Notary Public in and
for Dallas County Texas. in accordance
with the accompanying commission

Answers of the witness.

Answer
1st
Intg To the first Interrogatory he answers

No 1. City of Dallas, Dallas Co Texas.

Answer
2nd
Intg No 2. I am. he is my Father
was born in Newton Co Ga &
now about 51 years old
So I have known him that
long.

Answer
3rd
Intg No 3. He now resides in Palastine
Texas. being my Father I naturally
keep up with his whereabouts
He went to Palastine Anderson
Co 1879. Has been there ever
since. He is now about 74
years old. I think he is about
5 ft 8 or 10 inches high. Brown eyes.
did have dark hair. Complexion
fair. He is slightly stoop shouldered.

Answer
to
Intg

No 4.

Yes, my father enlisted in
Service of the Confederate States.
He ~~enlisted~~ enlisted in the
latter part of 1861 or the first part
of 1862. I am not certain which.
My father was first detailed out
by Capt Ironsides. & was afterwards
transferred to Col Durants Company.
or at least, he was under Col.
Durant. as well as I can
remember. My father
was under Col Durant from
the time he went in until
the war closed. He was first
in station near Decatur & after-
wards sent to Gersonborough Ga
& staid there until discharged
which discharge was at the
close of the war, & I think
it was Gersonborough he was
finally discharged. I do not
remember the date but it was
in 1865. as well as I remember

X Cross Intg X

Answer
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- No 1 I. was not in the war
 - No 2 I was not present
 - No 3 I have not seen my
father in about 4 years.
I know he is in Palestine
by corresponding regularly.
Being my father I always know
when he lives.
- J. W. Fiddell

The State of Texas }
 County of Dallas }.

I, S. N. McBride a Notary
 Public in and for Dallas Co Texas,
 do hereby Certify that the foregoing
 answers of J. W. Fiddell the witness
 before named, were made before me,
 and were sworn to and subscribed
 before me by the said witness
 on the 31st Day of July A.D. 1899
 Given under my hand & seal of
 Office this the 31st Day of July A.D.
 1899.

(TX)

S. N. McBride
 Notary Public
 Dallas Co Tex

The State of Texas }
 County of Anderson } Before me L.W. Bradson
 County Judge of Anderson County
 State of Texas on this day personally appeared
 Cyrus Helms and R.J. Harris who are
 personally known to me to be credible citizens
 who being by me duly sworn on oath state that
 they personally know John Feridell the above named
 applicant for a pension and that they personally
 know that the said John Feridell is unable
 to support himself by labor of any sort
 Cyrus Helms
 R.J. Harris

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the
 26th day of July A.D. 1899

L.W. Bradson
 The Judge

(TX)