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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.

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Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters

Anderson County.

R.F. # 2.
Postoffice *Montalba, Texas*

Filed *July 31st 1913*

Approved *Sept 1 1913*

Pension allowed from *Dec 1 1913*

Rejected *George*

Commissioner of Pensions

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FORM B

For Use of Widows of Soldiers who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

I, Mrs. Lucinda Martha Walters

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 Joel Saunders Walters, deceased, who departed this life on the 2 day of March, A. D. 1912, 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 12 day of August, A. D. 1867, in the county of Jones, in the State of Miss.

My husband, the said J. S. Walters, 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 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 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? 62 years
2. Where were you born? Anderson Co - S. C.
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 37 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? 37 years - R. F. # 2 - Montalvo, Texas.
5. What was your husband's full name? Joel Saunders Walters.
6. What was the date of his death? March 2 - 1912.
7. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? In Miss -
8. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. Enlisted in 1863 - served until close of war

9. 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 C - 12th Miss. Regiment. Never transferred.

10. 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. Went out in Infantry - Volunteer - a Private.

11. Have you transferred to others 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 be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant)

Lucinda M. Walters

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30 day of June A. D. 1913

E. V. Swift

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, E. V. Swift, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. C. S. Gore and W. G. Gore, 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.

Lucinda M. Walters, applicant for a pension as the widow of J. S. Walters

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Joel S. Walters 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) Wm. C. Gore

(Signature of Witness) W. G. Gore

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30 day of June, A. D. 1913

E. V. Swift

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

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State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. C. S. Gore and W. G. Gore, 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 Lucinda M. Walters

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) Wm. C. Gore

(Signature of Witness) W. G. Gore

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30 day of June, A. D. 1913

E. V. Swift

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, E. V. Swift, County Judge of Anderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. G. Gore & Mrs. Lucy H. Walters, 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: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

We were not in the war with him - But both of us visited J. S. Walters in the army, when he was in camp and carried him provisions and bedding - We know he was he the Southern Army - We visited him two or three times and each time found him camped with his company.

(Signature of Witness) W. G. Gore

(Signature of Witness) Mrs. Lucy H. Walters

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30 day of June A. D. 1913

E. V. Swift
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

Certificate of State and County Assessor

I, O. B. Rogers, State and County Assessor in the County of Anderson, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters

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 579 dollars.

which is her home - nothing outside of home
Given under my hand, this 30 day of June, A. D. 1913

O. B. Rogers
State and County Assessor. (TX)



GEO. W. KYSER, COMMISSIONER

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
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 Col. S. Hatters who is
reported to have enlisted in Company "C", Regiment 12th Miss Infantry
in service of the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The widow of the person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension
granted by the State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,

Geo. W. Kyser



Commissioner of Pensions.

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
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THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON, August 15, 1913.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas, Austin.

No record has been found of the service, capture or parole of a man named Joel S. Walters as of Co. C, 12th Mississippi Inf., C. S. A.

The records show, however, that one Joel S. Walters, pvt., Co. K, 37th Mississippi Inf., C.S.A., enlisted May 7, 1862, ^{at Fort Mifflin} On the muster roll for July and Aug., 1862, last on which borne, he was reported, "Discharged disability Aug. 28/62." No later record of him as of this organization has been found.

The records also show that one Joel S. Walters, pvt., Co. G, 9th Mississippi Cavalry, C.S.A., enlisted September 3, 1863, ^{at Camp} On the muster roll for Nov. and Dec., 1864, last on file, he was reported, "Absent. Detailed home Nov. 6/64 to remount himself." Nothing additional found bearing on the inquiry.

H. O. Heistand
Adjutant General.

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Received A.G.O., AUG 11 1913

EX-PARTE

Pending in Anderson County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County

Lucinda Martha Walters
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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 Jas T Arrington and Wm Ulmer who reside in the County of Jasper in the State of Miss - 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 of claim for a pension under the Act of March 26, 1909, 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 she is a bona fide resident.

Lucinda Martha Walters
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness vs.

Jas T Arrington and Wm Ulmer -

- 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 Jed Saunders Walters whose wife is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said J. S. Walters and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said J. S. Walters 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 J. S. Walters enlisted and served in the Confederate army? When? Where? And the time of service? If you personally 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 personally know that J. S. Walters was commissioned as an officer directly by the President of the Confederate States? What was his rank and line of duty?
- INT. 7. Do you further know if J. S. Walters was, under the provisions of the conscript law, detailed for any kind of special service in the field, shops, armories, etc., of the Confederacy? What was the nature of his service, and how long did he serve?

CROSS INTERROGATORIES.

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To be Propounded to Jas T. Arrington and Wm. Ulmer.

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said J. S. Walters 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, or special service in which J. S. Walters 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 J. S. Walters serving in the same company or regiment, or special service in which you say the said J. S. Walters enlisted, if you have stated that said J. S. Walters enlisted and served in the navy of the Confederacy, then state whether or

not you know any other soldier or sailor of the same name as said J. S. Walters applicant serving in the same command, or the special service to which he was assigned?

If you say that you so know other soldiers or sailors of the same name of J. S. Walters 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 J. S. Walters is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said J. S. Walters served honorably from the date of his enlistment until the close of the late Civil War between the States, or until he was discharged from said company and regiment, or the special service to which he had been assigned?

CROSS INT. 4. Do you know whether or not the said J. S. Walters deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson
I, E. V. Swift,

County Judge of said County, in said State, do hereby waive 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.

E. V. Swift

County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

Mrs. Lucinda Martha Walters

(Applicant) Attorney for Appellant.

In Re

Application for Confederate Pension.

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS.

County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES propounded to

Witnesses.

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT for CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending.

Lucinda Martha Walters
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

Anderson
County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge
of said County.

Answers and depositions of (1) Jas. T. Arrington, of Jasper County, State
of Mississippi, postoffice near Moss, Jasper County, Miss.

to the accompanying interrogations (2) and Cross Interrogatories
propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) H. H. Mitchell, a Notary Public
of Jones County, Mississippi.
in accordance with the accompanying (7)

To the first interrogatory the said Jas. T. Arrington
Witness, answers My names is Jas. T. Arrington, - Age 72 years, residence is
Jasper County, Mississippi, - postoffice is Moss, Jasper County, Miss.,
R. F. D. #1.

To the second interrogatory, said witness answers, - Yes.

To the third interrogatory, said witness answers, - " I
knew Joel Sanders Walters several years in Jones County, Mississippi,
several years prior to 1863, and intimately during the late war between
the States until its close.

To the fourth interrogatory, said witness answers, - Yes,
as a soldier.

To the fifth interrogatory, said witness answers, Yes, -
Company "C", of the 12th Mississippi Regiment, -enlisted at Paulding, the
Jasper County, Miss., about the first of 1863, and served until the
close of the Civil war, -about two years.

To the sixth interrogatory, said witness answers, - No. -
that said J. S. Walters was a private.

To the seventh interrogatory, said witness answers, -No.

Answers of the same witness to Cross Interrogatories, in
the above cause; said Jas T. Arrington answers Cross Interrogatory No. 1
as follows, - " I myself was also a member of said Company "C" of the 12th
Mississippi Regiment, serving therein with thw said J. S. Walters, from
early in 1863 until the surrender. And I did not know of any other
man in said Company or regiment by the name of J. S. Walters.

To Cross Interrogatory No 2, said witness answers, TX
Yes, -positive.

To cross Interrogatory No. 3, said witness answers, -Yes,
Joel Sanders Walters served honorably from the date of his enlistment
to the close of the late Civil War between the States.

To Cross Interrogatory No. 4, said witness answers, -
that said J. S. Walters did not desert his command, nor voluntarily a-
bandon his post of duty or the service during said war .



- (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.

Signature of Witness,

Jas. T. Arrington

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of July, 1913

H. H. Mitchell
Notary Public, for town of Sandersville, Jones County, Miss.

My Commission Expires Jan. 27, 1916.

THE STATE OF Mississippi

County of Jones

I, H. H. Mitchell, A Notary Public
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken)

of Jones County, Missi do hereby certify that Jas. T. Arrington,
and of Jasper County, Mississippi, is ^a personally known to me to be a credible citizen of said
County and State, and that the foregoing answers of

....., the witness before named, and
....., whose name appears signed to the foregoing deposition, were made before
me and were sworn to and subscribed before me, by said witness (4)

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 5th day of July, 1913

(L. S.)

H. H. Mitchell

Notary Public.

My Commission Expires Jan. 27, 1916.

NOTE.—In Texas, any Clerk of the District Court, any Judge and Clerk of the County Court, or any Notary Public or Justice of the Peace, within their respective Counties, are authorized to take depositions.

Out of the State and within the United States—any Clerk of a Court of Record having a seal, and Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds of Texas.

File No.

In County, Texas.
Before the Honorable Judge of Said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant for Pension

DEPOSITION
OF

Witness for Applicant.

Filed day

of 191

..... Clerk.

By Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT for CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

Lucinda Martha Walters,
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

Anderson
County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge
of said County.

Answers and depositions of (1) William Ulmer, of Jasper County, Mississippi
(near P. O. Moss.)

to the accompanying interrogations (2) and cross interrogatories
propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) H.H. Mitchell, Notary Pub-
lic, for town of Sandersville, Jones County, Mississippi.
in accordance with the accompanying (7)

To the first interrogatory the said

Witness, answers My name is William Ulmer,- Age, 68 years,- residence Jas-
per County, Mississippi;- postoffice, Moss, Jasper County, Miss.

To
The the second interrogatory, the said witness answers,
Yes.

To the third interrogatory, the said witness answers,-
I first became acquainted with Joel Sanders Walters after enlisting,
(1863) and knew him well until the close of the Civil war.

To the fourth interrogatory the said witness answers,-
Yes;- and that the said Joel Sanders Walters performed the duties of
a soldier.

To the fifth interrogatory, said witness answers,-Yes,
and names regiment as The 12th Mississippi Regiment, -known to many as
"Miller's Regiment"- (Cavalry), and names Company as "Company C.":
time of service, two years,- 1863-65. Enlisted in Jasper County, Miss.

To the sixth interrogatory, said witness answers,- No.,
that the said J.S. Walters was a private, and not an officer.

To the seventh interrogatory, said witness answers, No.

Answers of the same witness to Cross interrogatories, in
above cause, said witness answers Cross Interrogatory No 1. as follows,
"I myself was also a member of said Company "C", of the 12th Mississ-
ippi Regiment, serving therein during the time mentioned, and I do not
know of any other J.S. Walters in this same Company or Regiment.

To the second Cross Interrogatory said witness answers,
Yes,-I am positive.

To the third ~~interrogatory~~ Cross interrogatory, said
witness answers, that said J.S. Walters was honorably discharged at
the close of the late Civil War between the States.

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CROSS
To the fourth interrogatory said witness answers, that
the said J.S. Walters did not desert his command, nor voluntarily aban-
don his post of duty or the service during the war.



- (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.

Signature of Witness,

Wm. Ulmer

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th day of July, 1913

H.H. Mitchell

My Commission Expires Jan. 27, 1916

Notary Public, for town of Sandersville, Jones County, Miss.

THE STATE OF Mississippi

County of Jones

I, H.H. Mitchell, Notary Public,
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken)

Jones County do hereby certify that William Ulmer and of Jasper County, Miss., is are personally known to me to be a credible citizens of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of Jasper, Miss.

the witness before named, and whose name appears signed to the foregoing deposition, were made before me and were sworn to and subscribed before me, by said witness (4)

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 5th day of July, 1913

(L. S.)

H.H. Mitchell

Notary Public

My Commission Expires Jan. 27, 1916.

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File No.....

In..... County, Texas.
Before the Honorable Judge of Said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant for Pension

DEPOSITION

OF

Witness..... for Applicant.

Filed..... day

of....., 191.....

....., Clerk

By....., Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$.....

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson } I, H.A. Walters

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 2/984 and whose original county was Anderson

The said pensioner Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters, died on the 25 day of July, 1930, in the town of Palestine R.F. D #2, County of Anderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. Sadie Day who was related to the pensioner as Daughter

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 Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters

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. If it has the twenty five dollar fee is returned

I am related to the pensioner as (Friend) Son that my postoffice address is Palestine, R.F. D #7, Street or R. F. D., Texas

Sworn to before me this 2 day of August, 1930, Signed H.A. Walters, Mrs. Hurley Sutton, Notary Public in and for Anderson Co., State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, W.B. Sage, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Palestine, County of Anderson, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters, who died in the town of Palestine R 2, County of Anderson, State of Texas on the 25 day of July, 1930. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 25 day of July, 1930, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said H.A. Walters who makes the foregoing application.

Signed W.B. Sage Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, W.C. Staudshurk, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. Lucinda M. Walters in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Chronic hepatitis and acute apoplexia

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-eighth Legislature and approved March 2, 1923.

Signed W.C. Staudshurk, Physician's Address Palestine, Tex TX

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