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FORM A

Soldier's Application for Pension

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

Name of Applicant

J. P. Anderson

County

Postoffice

Prattville

Filed

Nov 19 1912

Approved

Nov 10 1913

Pension allowed from

Jan 10 1913

Rejected

R. X. Buford

Commissioner of Pensions.

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FORM A

For Use of Soldiers, Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Smith }

I, O. M. Anderson, 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 enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that I did not desert the Confederate service, but during said war I was loyal and true to my duty, and never at any time voluntarily abandoned my post of duty in the said service; that I was honorably discharged or surrendered was discharged at close of war - at Meridian Miss

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1880, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not hold any national, State, city or county office which pays me in salary or fees one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment or other source whatever which amounts to one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor do I 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, nor does my wife own, nor does any one hold in trust for my wife, 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 that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 67 years of age
2. Where were you born? In Redford Co. Tenn.
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 42 years -
4. In what county do you reside? Smith
5. How long have you resided in said county and what is your postoffice address? 42 years - Grace of Saline, Tex. RR No. 6
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where. NO
7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farmer
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Tennessee (TX)
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. Meridian Miss Nov. 1861 - Discharged in May 1865
10. What was the letter of your company, number or name of battalion, regiment or battery? Co. B. 41st Tenn. Reg. Chestnut Div.
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service. never transferred
12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? Infantry

13. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty?.....

14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve?.....

15. 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 his application for pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) S B Anderson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 23 day of Oct, A. D. 1911

[SEAL.]

James T. Deam
County Judge Smith County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Smith

Before me James T. Deam, County Judge of Smith County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. P. Truller & P. Deary, who are personally

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know S. B.

Anderson the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said S. B.

Anderson has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D.

1880, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) S. B. Truller

(Signature of Witness) P. Deary

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 23 day of Oct, A. D. 1911

James T. Deam
County Judge Smith County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

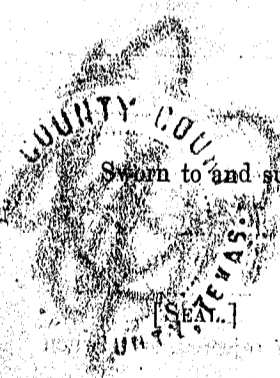
THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of

Before me, County Judge of

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 his application are correct



JESSE F. ODOM
COUNTY JUDGE SMITH COUNTY
TYLER, TEXAS

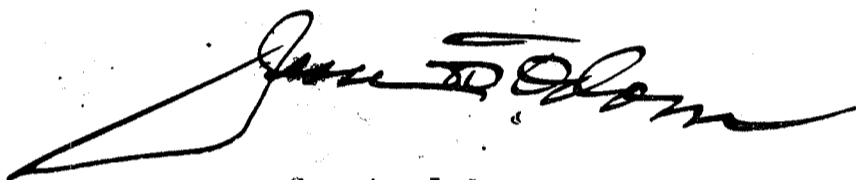
May 10th 1912.

Hon. R. A. Buford,
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed I hand you some additional proof in the application for pension of S. B. Anderson which was sent to you some time ago.

Yours very truly,



County Judge.



Grand Salaries List

R.F.C. May the 30 1910

Washington D.C.

Confederate Record Department
 will you please look up the record
 of S.B. Anderson ^{if you find some a copy of same} how ~~volunteered~~ ^{was}
 a Tennessee command the 1st
 Tennessee Regiment Company B
 Cheat hams division. It was
 paroled at Meridian Miss. in
 June or July 1865.

This is to help me get a Pension
 if possible hoping to hear from
 you soon, your friend

S.B.

(TX)

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

JUN 5 1661279 1910

WAR DEPARTMENT

Please send back

Received A.G.O. JUN 5 1910

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

WAR DEPARTMENT, 1661279

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, June 7, 1910.

Respectfully returned to

Mr. S. P. Anderson,
R. F. No. 6,
Grand Saline, Texas.

The records show that Samuel B. Anderson, private, Company B, 41st Tennessee Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted December 7, 1861. On the last roll of the company on file, dated August 31, 1864, he was reported absent with remark, "Sent to hospital sick July 10, 1864." No later record found.



The Adjutant General.

(A.G.O. 72-1)

Per H

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909 pending *in*

S. B. Anderson

Smith

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

Answers and depositions of (1) *J. A. Cunningham*

To the accompanying interrogations (2) *and Cross-Interrogations*

propounded to *him* in the above entitled cause taken before (3)

in accordance with the accompanying (7) *agreement*

To the first interrogatory the said *J. A. Cunningham*

Witness, answers *Name - J. Cunningham 68 years resident
Denver Mapwell House Nashville Tenn.*

To the 2nd Int. he answers - I personally know him as school mate and later as comrade in the Confederate Army

To the 3rd Int. he answers as about from childhood until after the war of the secession.

To the 4th Int. he answers Yes His Name is first on list of Company B. Forty First Tenn. Infanteries Regiment

To the 5th Int. he answers I think he served throughout the war

To the 6th Int. he answers - He was a private possibly a Sergeant or Corporal and I don't recall as to what

To the 7th Int. he answers. I think not

To the 1st Cross-Int. he answers - There was no other in Company by same name. I was long Orderly Sergeant so see pastures as to that

To the 2nd Cross-Int. he answers - Yes

To the 3rd Cross-Int. he answers - *as I served later as Sergeant Major of Regiment and this I cannot testify, not remembering at the close but in all that I ever knew he was described honorably and to H.O.*

(TX)

To the 4th Court of the summer -

I do not further answer may
be deduced from the foregoing
testimony

Nashville Tenn.

May 3 1912

Humphreys

Affirmed and subscribed to before me
in my office in Nashville Tennessee
this 3rd day of May 1912

E.S. Matthews, Notary Public
Davidson County Tennessee

My commission expires October 4, 1915.

EX PARTE

Pending in Smith County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

A. P. Anderson
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

The Honorable County Judge of Smith 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 J. A. Cunningham and Davidson who reside in the County of Davidson in the State of Texas 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 his 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 Smith and State of Texas, of which he is a bona fide resident.

A. P. Anderson
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness

J. A. Cunningham

- 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 A. P. Anderson who is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said A. P. Anderson and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said A. P. Anderson 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 A. P. Anderson 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 A. P. Anderson 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 A. P. Anderson 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.



To be Propounded to J. A. Cunningham

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said A. P. Anderson 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 A. P. Anderson 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 A. P. Anderson serving in the same company or regiment, or special service in which you say the said A. P. Anderson enlisted, if you have stated that said A. P. Anderson 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.P. Anderson 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.P. Anderson 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.P. Anderson is the identical person serving as testified by you?

Cross INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said J.P. Anderson 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.P. Anderson deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)

County of Smith
I, James D. Brown

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.

James D. Brown
County Judge Smith County, Texas.

J.P. Anderson
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

In Re

Application for Confederate Pension.

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS.

Smith County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

J.P. Anderson
Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

propounded to

J.P. Anderson

Witnesses.

EX PARTE

S.B. Anderson,
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

Pending in Smith County,
Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of
said County.

The Honorable County Judge of Smith 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 E.J. Green
and who reside in the County
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 his claim for a pension under the Act of March 26, 1909, the applica-
tion 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
Smith and State of Texas, of which he is a bona fide resident.

S.B. Anderson

(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness

E.J. Green

- 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 S.B. Anderson who is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said S.B. Anderson and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said S.B. Anderson 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 S.B. Anderson 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 S.B. Anderson 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 S.B. Anderson 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.



To be Propounded to E.J. Green

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said S.B. Anderson 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 S.B. Anderson 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 S.B. Anderson serving in the same company or regiment, or special service in which you say the said S.B. Anderson enlisted, if you have stated that said S.B. Anderson 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 S.B.Anderson
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 S.B.Anderson
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 S.B.Anderson
is the identical person serving as testified by you?

Cross INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said S.B.Anderson
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?

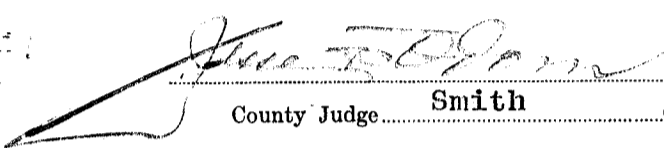
Cross INT. 4. Do you know whether or not the said S.B.Anderson
deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

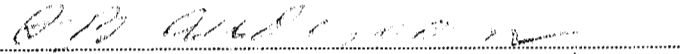
THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

County of Smith.

I, Jesse F.Odom, 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
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County Judge Smith County, Texas.


(Applicant) ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

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Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES
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Witnesses.

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

S.B.Anderson,

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

in Smith

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

Answers and depositions of (1) E.J.Green, who resides in

County,

State of Mississippi

to the accompanying interrogations (2) and cross-interrogatories

propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3)

in accordance with the accompanying (7) agreement

To the first interrogatory the said E.J.Green

Witness, answers E.J. Green. b7. ... Rienz. Miss. Alcorn County.

To the second int., he answers: Yes.

To the 3rd. Int., he answers: First knew him in Middle Tennessee Ever since we were boys together.

To the 4th. int., he answers: Yes. as a soldier

To the 5th Int., he answers: Company B. 41st Tennessee Regiment. Do not know when. Nor where. Nor how long.

To the 6th. Int., he answers: Do not know.

To the 7th. Int., he answers: Do not know.

To the 1st. cross-Int., he answers: Because in 1864 he was at my father's home on a furlough and my sister and mother nursed him for several months. I never knew any other S.B. Anderson that served in any other Co or Regiment.

To the 2nd. Cross-int., he answers: Yes.

To the 3rd. Cross-Int., he answers: To the best of my knowledge he died.

To the 4th. Cross-int., he answers: I do not know.



Sign here:

E. J. Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 19th day of March, 1912.

E. L. Selby
Notary Public

THE STATE OF Mississippi.

County of Alcorn

I, *E. L. Selby* a Notary Public
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

do hereby certify that E. J. Green is

and ~~is~~ personally known to me to be a credible citizen of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of E. J. Green

the witness ~~is~~ 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 19th day of March, 1912.

(L. S.)

E. L. Selby
Notary Public

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, any Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds of Texas

Use this for answers

File No.

In _____ County, Texas.
Before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

A. B. Anderson

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION
OF

E. J. Green

Witness _____ for Applicant.

Filed _____ day

of _____, 1912

By _____, Clerk.

By _____, Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Dallas }

I, J. B. Anderson,

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late S. B. Anderson, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 21419 and whose original county is Smith

The said pensioner S. B. Anderson died on the 10th day of August, 1923, in the town of Silver Lake, County of Tarrant, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. J. Carter 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 expenses incurred by the said pensioner S. B. Anderson

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 Dallas County of Dallas

State of Texas, that my postoffice address is 1722 St. Louis Street Dallas, Texas

Signed J. B. Anderson

Before me, [Signature] in and for the County of Dallas, State of Texas, personally appeared J. B. Anderson who being by me duly sworn, did certify to and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

Public in and for Dallas Co., Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, W. C. [Signature], do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of Munday, County of Wood, State of Tex that I had charge of the body of S. B. Anderson, who died in the town of [Signature], County of Smith, State of Tex

on the 10 day of Aug, 1923 That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 10 day of " " 1923. That said body was buried in the

Jamilton Cemetery, which is located in the County of Smith State of Tex and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be

issued to the said J. B. Anderson, who makes the foregoing application.

Signed W. C. [Signature] Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, R. H. Coleman, M.D., do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mr. S. B. Anderson in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were arteriosclerosis.



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.

Signed R. H. Coleman, M.D. Physician.

Physician's Address Mineola, Tex.

Aug 10th
[Signature]