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FORM A.

**SOLDIER'S APPLICATION
FOR A PENSION**

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.

A. C. Brazier
Smith County.

R. F. D. or Street No.

Postoffice *Lindale Tex*

Filed *Mar 17-1926*

Approved *Mar 29-1926*

Pension allowed from *Mar 1-1926*

Rejected

S. H. Gursell
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

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Soldier's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Smith

I, A.C. Braziel do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions 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, 1913, 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 the war I was loyal and true to my duty, and never at any time abandoned my post of duty in the said service; or (that I was in the service of the State of Texas during the war, to protect said State against the Indians and Mexicans for more than 6 months). That I was honorably discharged or surrendered April 1865 at the close of the war.

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State 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 hold any National, State, city or county office which pays me a salary or fees of \$300.00 per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment or other source whatever which amounts to \$300.00 per annum, nor do I receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of \$300.00 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, exclusive of a home of the value of not more than \$2000.00; 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? 82
2. Where were you born? Troop County Georgia
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 56 years.
4. In what county do you reside? Smith
5. How long have you resided in said county? 56 years. What is your postoffice address? Lindale, Texas.
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? No.
7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? None. What is your physical condition? fair
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? First in Georgia Company.
9. How long did you serve? about 2 1/2 years. Give if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. I enlisted the early part of 1862, about the middle of the year. Served until close
10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? Company "C" of the 25th Georgia Battalion or Regiment was what I first enlisted in; There were just three of us left of that outfit after the fall of Atlanta, I then was transferred to the 8th Alabama Cavalry where I served with Company "E" until close.
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service. I was transferred from Co "C" of the 25th Georgia Bn or Regiment to the 8th Alabama Cavalry, Company "E".
12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? First in the Infantry. Then in the Cavalry.
13. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home? \$1800.00
14. What is the assessed value of your other property? None.
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 a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) A C Braziel TX
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4th day of March A. D. 192 6.

[Seal] W. S. Pace
County Judge Smith County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Smith

Before me, W. D. Pace County Judge of Smith County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. J. Pierce and
T. N. Jones, who are personally known to me to be creditable citi-
zens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know A. G. Brazel, the
above named applicant for pension, and that they personally know that the said A. G. Brazel
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) J. J. Pierce

(Signature of Witness) T. N. Jones

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 15 day of March, A. D. 1926

W. D. Pace

[Seal.]

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 of them, state in their oath their source of knowledge, also any information regarding applicant's army service.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Joylov

Before me, Carroll D. Speck, County Judge of Joylov County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared R. A. Miller, 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 his application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army, (State fully your source of knowledge)

I served with the applicant
six or eight months at Atlanta, Ga.
My company was then transferred to
First Confederate Battalion at
Coahocher Va. I served with
him in 25th Georgia Regiment
at Bolivar.

(Signature of Witness) R. A. Miller

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 8 day of March, A. D. 1926

[Seal.] Carroll D. Speck
County Judge Joylov County, Texas.



CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, J. L. W. Keel, State and County Assessor in the County of Smith State of Texas, do certify that A. C. Brazel, or his wife, or his trustee, or trustee for his wife, whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-third Legislature, approved April 7, 1913, and amended by Regular Session Thirty-eighth Legislature, is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a homestead of the value of \$1800 Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of none Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 15 day of March, A. D. 1926

J. L. W. Keel
State and County Assessor.

The State of Texas

County of Smith Before me, Will D. Pace, County Judge of Smith County
Texas, on this day personally appeared Walton B. Parker, who is known to me,
and who being duly sworn, deposes, and states upon oath as follows, to-wit:

I, Walton B. Parker, know A.C. Brazial, and I know that his statements
with reference to his service in the Confederate Army are true and correct.
I was with him in school with him at Swamp Creek before he went into the army.
I know that he went into the army; that he served honorably the confederate
cause and that after the war he was honorably discharged from said service.
I know this of my own knowledge and there in no hearsay about it. I was there
at the time. I know that he was a member of the 25th Regiment of Georgia.
He first went into the Georgia regiment and then was sent to a cavalry outfit
from Alabama.

Witness my hand and seal at Tyler Texas this the 15th day of March 1926.

Walton B. Parker

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 15th day of March 1926.

Will D. Pace

County Judge of Smith County Texas.





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 A C Brazil, who is
reported to have enlisted in Company C
Regiment or Battalion, 25th
Georgia Infantry
also Co E, 8th Alabama Cavalry

in service in the Confederate States Army.

Very respectfully,

L. H. Farwell

TX

Comptroller of State of Texas.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
WASHINGTON March 23, 1926.

Respectfully returned to

Comptroller,
State of Texas,
Austin, Texas.

The records show that A.C. Braziel,
Co. E, 8th Ala. Cav., C.S.A., (for which
there are no muster rolls on file)
date & place of enlistment not shown,
was paroled May 19, 1865, at Montgomery
Ala., a Private.

Date of Capture not shown.

No other record found.

The name A.C. Braziel has not been
found on the muster rolls of Co. C,
25th. Regt. Ga. Inf., C.S.A., which cover
in part the period from July 22, 1861
to Oct. 31, 1862. Nor has it been
found on the muster rolls of Co. C,
25th. Battn. Ga. Inf., C.S.A., which
cover in part the period from Sept.
9, 1862 to Aug. 31, 1863. Nor has any
record been found of his service, cap-
-ture or parole as of the 25th. Georg-
is Inf., C.S.A.

Robert C. Davis

Major General,
The Adjutant General.
By *T.C.*

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Co. E 8th Ala. Cav. C.S.A.
Georgia
Regiment or Battalion, etc.
referred to was enlisted in Company
of _____ who is
record of _____ to locate
I was the honor to receive the military

DEPT. OF THE ARMY

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE
FEB 21 1934
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APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Smith } I, M H York

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late A. C. Braziel, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 41999 and whose original county was Smith

The said pensioner A C Braziel, died on the 14th day of Feb., 1934, in the town of Lindale, Texas
County of Smith, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of A C Braziel who was related to the pensioner as own home

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 A C Braziel

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) Friend that my postoffice address is Lindale, Texas Street or R. F. D.

City State

Signed M H York
Feb, 1934

Sworn to before me this 19 day of Feb, 1934

J. Morris
Smith

Notary Public in and for Smith State of Texas.

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

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, M H York, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Lindale, County of Smith, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of A C Braziel, who died in the town of Lindale, County of Smith, State of Texas on the 14th day of Feb. 1934. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 14th day of Feb. 1934, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said M H York who makes the foregoing application.

Signed M H York Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, D. L. Archer, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended A. C. Braziel in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Broncho Pneumonia

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 D. L. Archer
Physician's Address Lindale TX

50665 Feb
Cancelled

Feb. 17, 1934

