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FORM A.

3-1-11
Soldier's Application
for a Pension

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

Name of Applicant.

R. J. Fain
Smith

County.

Postoffice

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Filed

May ~ 1914

Approved

J. R. Mohr, Jr.

Pension allowed from

June 1st 1914

Rejected

George Kynd
Commissioner of Pensions.

E. L. Seck, Printing, Bookbinding, Austin

FORM A

For Use of Soldiers Who Are In Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Smith

I, R. J. Fair do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the 53rd 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 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; 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 at Greensboro N. C. at
Close of war

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1900, 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 \$1000.00; 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 yrs
2. Where were you born? Russell Co. Ala.
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 45 yrs
4. In what county do you reside? Smith
5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address? 45 yrs.
Arp P.O.
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 What is your physical condition? bad
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Alabama
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. 1 1/2 years
10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? Co "B" 45th Ala. Regiment TX
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service
Not 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?

Not Commissioned

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

Not detailed

15. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home?

\$600⁰⁰

16. What is the assessed value of your other property?

\$850⁰⁰

17. 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)

R. J. Fair

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

9th

day of

May

A. D. 19*14*

[Seal.]

James E. Odom

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 E. Odom*, County Judge of *Smith* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *R. W. Hamilton & J. H. L. Bonner*, who are personally

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

R. J. Fair, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the

said *R. J. Fair* has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior

to January 1, A. D. 1900, and that they have no interest in his claim.

(Signature of Witness)

R. W. Hamilton

(Signature of Witness)

J. H. L. Bonner

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

9th

day of

May

A. D. 19*14*

[Seal.]

James E. Odom

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 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 per-

(Signature of Witness).

(Signature of Witness)

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

[Seal.]

County Judge.....County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, H.B. Matthews, State and County Assessor in the County of Smith

State of Texas, do certify that R. J. Fair, 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, is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a homestead of
the value of \$600 Dollars,
and of other property, real or personal, or both of the value of \$880
Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 22nd day of May, A. D. 1914

H B Matthews
State and County Assessor.

By Wmst Day
Office Deputy

27862

EX-PARTE**R.J.Fair**

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 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 R.M.Fair
and _____ who reside ^s in the County
of Bowie 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 cannot be proven by any witness _____ residing in the County
of Smith and State of Texas, which he is a bona fide resident.

R.J.Fair
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness_____.

- INT. 1. What is your name? Age? Present place of residence and postoffice address? R.M. Fair - 414 Selma Ave, Pexar, Kan. Tex
- INT. 2. Do you personally know, or did you at any time know R.J.Fair who
_____ is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said R.J.Fair
and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said R.J.Fair
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 R.J.Fair
enlisted and served in the Confederate Army? When? Where? And the time of service? If you per-
sonally 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 R.J.Fair
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 know further if R.J.Fair 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 R.M.Fair

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you person-
ally know or did know said R.J.Fair 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 R.J.Fair 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 knew of any other soldier or
sailor by the name of R.J.Fair serving in the same company or regiment, or special
service in which you say the said R.J.Fair enlisted, if you have stated that said
R.J.Fair 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 R.J. Fair
applicant serving in the same command, or the special service to which he was assigned?

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

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said R.J. Fair
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 R.J. Fair
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 an-
swers to the hereinabove direct and cross interrogatories of the said herein named witness may be attached hereto.

Jesse F. Odom

County Judge Smith County, Texas.

R. J. Fair

(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

R. J. Fair

Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

propounded to

R. J. Fair

Witnesses.

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending.

R.J.Fair

in Smith

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

Answers and depositions of (1) R.M.Fair

to the accompanying interrogations (2) and cross-interrogatories
propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) the undersigned
in accordance with the accompanying (7) agreement

To the first interrogatory the said R.M.Fair

Witness, answers

To the 2nd Int., he answers:

I do - I was with him in
Co - B - 45th Alabama Reg -

To the 3rd Int., he answers:

from his birth

To the 4th Int., he answers:

I do

To the 5th Int., he answers:

See answer to 1st & 2nd Int.

To the 6th Int., he answers:

No - he was a private

To the 7th Int., he answers:

He volunteered.

To the 1st Cross-Int., he answers:

Didn't know any other
R. J. Fair he was in the same Co. with me

To the 2nd Cross-Int., he answers:

~~I do~~ I am

To the 3rd Cross-Int., he answers:

He did

To the 4th Cross-Int., he answers:

He did not

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of May, 1914

R. M. Fair
Notary Public Bowie County Tex.

THE STATE OF Texas,

County of Bowie.

L. J. Greenmore
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

Notary Public do hereby certify that R.M. Fair

and is personally known to me to be credible citizens of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of R.M. Fair

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) R.M. Fair

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 15th day of May, 1914
(L. S.)

L. J. Greenmore
Notary Public Bowie County Tex.

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

R. M. Fair
Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION

of
R. M. Fair

Witness for Applicant.

Filed _____ day
of _____, 191
By _____, Clerk.
Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$

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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.

EX-PARTE

R.J.Fair

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 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 W.A.Hughes and who reside in the County of Arkansas 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 cannot be proven by any witness residing in the County of Smith and State of Texas, which he is a bona fide resident.

R. J. Fair

(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness.

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

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said R.J.Fair 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 R.J.Fair 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 knew of any other soldier or sailor by the name of R.J.Fair serving in the same company or regiment, or special service in which you say the said R.J.Fair enlisted, if you have stated that said R.J.Fair 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 R.J.Fair
 applicant serving in the same command, or the special service to which he was assigned?

If you say that you know other soldiers or sailors of the same name of R.J.Fair
 then can you and how do you identify and locate the one from the other or others?

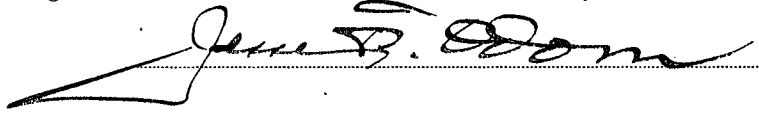
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 is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said R.J.Fair
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 was discharged from said company and regiment, or the special service to which he had been assigned?

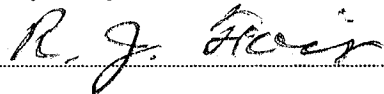
CROSS INT. 4. Do you know whether or not the said R.J.Fair
 deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS }
 County of Smith.

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 do hereby waive copy of interrogatories, notice, time and issuance of commission, and it is hereby agreed that the an-
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County Judge Smith County, Texas.



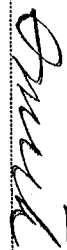
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Application for Confederate

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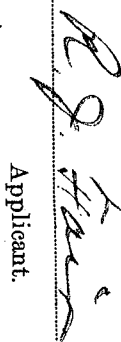
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County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

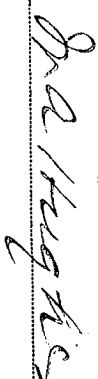
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Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

propounded to



Witnesses.

EX PARTE

R.J.Fair

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

in Smith

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

Answers and depositions of (1) W.A.Hughes

to the accompanying interrogations (2) and cross-interrogatories

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

in accordance with the accompanying (7) agreement

To the first interrogatory the said W.A.Hughes

Witness, answers W.A.Hughes, Age 75 years; Upal, Polk County, Arkansas

To the 2nd Int., he answers: Yes, ever since the year 1863, he at that time entered the same Co. & Regiment with me at Dalton, Ga.

To the 3rd Int., he answers: ever since the year 1863 in the fall of the year as I remember it

To the 4th Int., he answers: yes

To the 5th Int., he answers: He enlisted in Company "B" 45th Alabama Reg. of Inf. and served until close of war in Tennessee and Georgia

To the 6th Int., he answers: No.

To the 7th Int., he answers: no, he was in the regular service

To the 1st Cross-Int., he answers: I belonged to the same company and regiment with him and there was no one of the same name there except his two brothers

Richard Fair and ~~Geo.~~ J.G. Fair
To the 2nd Cross-Int., he answers:

To the 3rd Cross-Int., he answers: yes, I have seen him and also corresponded with him frequently since the close of the war

To the 4th Cross-Int., he answers: He did not

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 20 day of May, 1914.

W.A. Hughes

W.L. Posner
County Clerk

THE STATE OF Arkansas.

County of _____

I, _____
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

do hereby certify that W.A. Hughes

and is ~~are~~ personally known to me to be credible citizens of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of W.A. Hughes

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) W.A. Hughes

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 20 day of May, 1914.
(L. S.) W.L. Posner
County Clerk

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DEPOSITION

of

W.A. Hughes

Applicant for Confederate Pension

EX PARTE

Before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

County, Texas.

In Smith

File No.

Witness for Applicant.

Filed _____ day _____

of _____ 191 _____

_____, Clerk.

By _____, Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____

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OUR SPECIALTY
OSHKOSH BE-GOSH OVERALLS

JASON SHIRTS
STAR BRAND SHOES

RAY SALES COMPANY

Men's Wear

JACKSONVILLE, TEXAS

July
28th. 1939

Mr. Geo. Sheppard
Comptroller
Austin Texas.

Dear Sir;

I received my last Confederate pension that was sent to me, and beg to advise that I have lost same, so I would like to get a duplicate, and have payment stopped on the lost one.

Yours very truly

R.J. Fair



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Smith

Warr for June 1939
75-3 - \$60.00

1050 Kicapoo
Jacksonville Tx
Bond - 7-29-39



BOND

This BOND must be sworn to by the owner of the original warrant, and also signed by the owner and two sureties before it will be approved and duplicate warrant issued.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

EXECUTE AND RETURN THIS BOND AND
DUPLICATE WARRANT WILL BE ISSUED.

County of Cherokee

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared R. J. Fair,
who, after being by me duly sworn on oath, says that he is the true owner of Confederate Pension War-
rant No. 75-3 for the sum of Fifty + 00/100 Dollars,
drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on June 30-1939, in favor of
R. J. Fair, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed, or has not been received.

(SEAL)

R. J. Fair

Owner of Warrant.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 31st day of July, 1939

John B. Boy
Notary Public in and for
Cherokee Co., Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Cherokee

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, R. J. Fair,
as principal, and T. L. Ray and Sam Overton, as sureties,
are held and bound unto W. Lee O'Daniel, Governor of the State of Texas, and
his successors in office, in the sum of One Hundred + 00/100 Dollars,
for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and
administrators, jointly and severally.

Whereas, the above named principal has filed with the Comptroller affidavit, stating that he is
the true owner of said Confederate Pension Warrant, drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on the
date shown in the above affidavit, in favor of said payee, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed; and

Whereas, duplicate of said Confederate Pension Warrant, in favor of the original payee, will be issued;

Now, therefore, the condition of the above obligation is such that the owner of said warrant will hold the
State harmless and return to the Comptroller, upon demand being made therefor, such duplicate or copies, or
the amount of money named therein, together with all costs that may accrue against the State, on collecting
the same.

Given under our hands, this 31st day of July, A. D. 1939

R. J. Fair

Principal.

T. L. Ray

Surety.

Sam Overton

Surety.

DUPLICATE

Approved Aug 2 day of Aug 2nd, 1939

Geo. H. Sheppard
Comptroller.

County Smith

Number 27862

Address R. F. D. Jacksonville Street.
(City or Town) Texas.

OUR SPECIALTY
OSHKOSH SE-GOSH OVERALLS

RAY SALES COMPANY

Men's Wear

JACKSONVILLE, TEXAS



~~July~~ August 2nd. 1939

Mr. Geo. H. Sheppard

Austin Texas

Dear Sir;

I beg to advise that I have found the June Confederate Pension check # 753, so if not already issued duplicate, do not, I will hold this one until you notify me, of course if duplicate has been issued you can advise and I will send this one to you

Yours very truly

R. J. Fair

27862

R. J. Fair



August 3, 1939

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Mr. R. J. Fair
Jacksonville, Texas.

Dear Mr. Fair:

I am in receipt of your letter of August 2 in which you state that you found the original Confederate Pension Warrant No. 753 dated June, 1939.

It will be necessary for you to return the original Warrant to this office for cancelation and you cash the duplicate warrant which has already been mailed out to you. The original warrant will not be paid by the State Treasurer as we stopped payment on same when you notified this office it had been lost.

Please return the original warrant as early as possible and you can cash the duplicate.

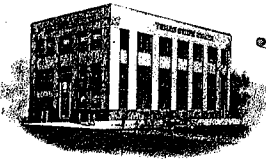
Yours very truly,

TX

Geo. H. Sheppard
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

JHT:EE

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JACKSONVILLE, TEXAS, 193 No.

TEXAS STATE BANK 88-1520

PAY TO THE
ORDER OF



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DOLLARS

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HILL LITHO WACO

I reserved duplicate so
I am returning the Original

75-3
Original recd
& destroyed Retain

Pickett S. Holmes
Franklin D. Holmes

WILLIAMSON-HOLMES
FUNERAL CHURCH

Telephone
2213

Jacksonville, Texas

March 1, 1941.

Mr. C.L. Fair,
Jacksonville, Texas.

Re: Funeral account of Mr. Robert James Fair.

Casket as selected -----	\$287.00
Embalming & preparation -----	25.00
Clark "Custodian" grave vault -----	150.00
Suit, hose, & underware -----	15.00
Hearse services & cemetery equipment ----	20.00
Opening grave -----	8.00

Total -----	\$505.00
Paid March 8, 1941 -----	505.00

This is a true and correct statement of the funeral expenses of
Mr. Robert James Fair.

Signed
Williamson Holmes Funeral Church
By

Pickett S. Holmes



Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th day of March, 1941.

James B. J.

Notary Public in and for Cherokee County, Texas. (27862)

S2313-1038-2m

Please have application for Mortuary Warrant properly executed and have Undertaker attach to it a sworn itemized statement showing the cost of each item furnished for the burial of the pensioner. Return to Geo. H. Sheppard, Comptroller, Austin, Texas.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Cherokee } I, Mrs. R. J. Fair (Mrs. Sallie Fair)

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late R. J. Fair, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 27862 and whose original county was Smith

The said pensioner R. J. Fair, died on the 1st day of March, 1941, in the town of Jacksonville

County of Cherokee, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of owned by himself and myself who was related to the pensioner as

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 R. J. Fair

I further certify that the warrant for the current month has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as wife that my postoffice address is 1050 Kickapoo St.

Jacksonville, Texas City

Signed Mrs. Sallie Fair

Sworn to before me this 26th day of March, 1941

Notary Public in and for Cherokee State of Texas.

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

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, Franklin D. Holmes, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Jacksonville, County of Cherokee, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of R. J. Fair, who died in the town of Jacksonville, County of Cherokee, State of Texas on the 1st day of March, 1941. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the day of March, 1941, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Mrs. R. J. Fair who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Franklin D. Holmes Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, J. N. Bone, M.D., do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended R. J. Fair in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Influenza - followed by Hypertensive 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 J. N. Bone, M.D.

Physician's Address Jacksonville, Texas.

no march 1941
warrant issued

March 5, 1941.

27862

Execute and return at once.

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Signed: *[Signature]* Undertaker

who makes the foregoing statement
 without having been sworn to the said
 on the 28th day of March 1941
 on the 28th day of March 1941 and that I am of the opinion that
 town of *[Town]* State of *[State]*
 that I had charge of the body of *[Name]* who died in the
 town of *[Town]* State of *[State]*
 County of *[County]* State of *[State]*
 do certify that I am undertaker in the

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

Notary Public in and for *[County]* State of Texas

Sworn to before me this 28th day of March 1941

Signed: *[Signature]* 1941

[Signature]
 Notary Public

that my postage address is *[Address]*

I am related to the deceased as *[Relationship]*

best of my knowledge and belief.

I further certify that the amount for the funeral has not been cashed by the deceased, to the
 funeral expenses incurred by the said deceased *[Amount]*

That the within which application is hereby made for burial be applied to paying all or part of the
 who was related to the deceased as *[Relationship]*

The deceased died in the home of *[Name]* and myself

County of *[County]* State of *[State]*

Let day of March 1941 in the town of *[Town]*

The said deceased *[Name]* died on the

Texas and whose true number was *[Number]* and whose official number was *[Number]*

the date *[Date]*