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FORM A.
Dead

**Soldier's Application
for a Pension**

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

Name of Applicant. *J. G. Furlen*
Smith County.
Postoffice *Lindale P.M. 2.*

Filed *Mar. 10^m 1914.*
Approved *Dec. 1. 1913*
Pension allowed from *Mar. 1. 1914*
Rejected _____

Geo. W. Kysel
Commissioner of Pensions.
Commissioner of Pensions
E. L. Steck, Printing, Bookbinding, Austin

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FORM A

For Use of Soldiers Who Are In Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Smith

I, J. C. Trewellen to 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 I surrendered at

Galveston, Texas at 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. 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? 65 years past
2. Where were you born? Upton County Ga.
3. How long have you resided in Texas? since 1855
4. In what county do you reside? Smith
5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address? since 1855 - Luddell St 2
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? Farming What is your physical condition? fully good
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Texas
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. about 18 months from latter part of 1863 to close of war
10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? Company "N" 35 Texas Cavalry (IX)
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service. was not transferred
12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? Cavalry

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 Conscribed

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

I don't know & think it is about \$600 in all.

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

None

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)

J. L. Flewellen

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of March, A. D. 1914

[Seal.]

Jesse F. 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

Jesse F. Odom

County Judge of

Smith

County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

J. A. Pool & F. M. Boyd

, who are personally

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

J. L. Flewellen, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the

said *J. L. Flewellen* 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)

J. A. Pool

(Signature of Witness)

F. M. Boyd

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 7th day of March, A. D. 1914

[Seal.]

Jesse F. 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 Smith

Before me,

Jesse F. Odom

County Judge of

Smith

County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. A. Pool & J. M. McDougal

who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me sworn, on oath state that they are per-

sonally 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 his claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And J. A. Pool further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

I J. A. Pool know that the foregoing applicant served in the Confederate Army as we served together in Company "H" 35 Texas Cavalry and 6 months he did not desert the Army.

J. M. McDougal states that he is 68 years of age; that he personally knows that J. C. Flewellen enlisted and served in the Confederate Army as claimed by him; that affiant served in the same company and regiment with applicant; that they were members of Company H, 35th Texas Cavalry; that applicant served for about twenty months; that he made a good soldier and did not desert.

(Signature of Witness)

J. A. Pool

(Signature of Witness)

J. M. McDougal

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 9th day of March, A. D. 1914.

Gene D. Olson

[Seal.]

County Judge Smith 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 J. C. Flewellen, 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 \$ 900⁰⁰ Dollars,

and of other property, real or personal, or both of the value of \$ 230⁰⁰ Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 7th day of March, A. D. 1914.

H. B. Matthews

State and County Assessor.



June 21st, 1917

Mr. M. H. Landers,
Mineola, Texas

My dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter informing me of the death of pensioner J. C. Flewellen, # 26742, Smith County, beg to state that the widow should apply at the County Judge for blanks and make application for pension in her own name, at once.

I am inclosing application and affidavit to be used in filing claim for Mortuary Warrant account of death of above mentioned pensioner.

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner

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Copy filed

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July 2nd, 1917

Mr. M. H. Landers,
Mineola, Texas.

My dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of 30th ult., beg to state that the blanks mailed you on 21st ult will be honored when received, hence prefer not to send another set, until these are actually lost or destroyed.

The death having been reported, the blanks will be honored at any time they are mailed me.

Assuring you that if they are lost or destroyed, I shall be pleased to send a duplicate set, and sincerely hoping that you will understand my position in the matter, I am,

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner



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Copy filed
26742.

The First National Bank

OF MINEOLA

J. H. LANDERS, PRESIDENT
 C. C. SISLER, VICE-PRES.
 HIRAM APEL, VICE-PRES.
 R. J. GASTON, CASHIER
 C. C. SIMS, ASST. CASHIER
 W. B. SINGLETARY, ASST. CASHIER

Mineola, Texas, June 30, 1917.

Mr J. B. Jones,
 Commissioner of Pensions
 Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Please send me a blank for affidavit of applicant and certificate of physician as to death of J. C. Fleweller Pensioner No. 76 742 - Smith Co. Texas, so as to permit his widow to obtain mortuary warrant.

I sent the blank to Dr Joe Beckton, Greenville Texas several days ago for his certificate as Mr. Fleweller died of an operation in his hospital; and as he has not yet returned it, I fear Mrs Fleweller will not be able to get it back from him in time, and as Mr Fleweller died on the 8th of June.

Yours respectfully
 M. H. Landers



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Mineola, Texas, June 14, 1917

Hon J. C. Fair
 Austin, Texas,

26742

Dear Sir:

Mr E. C. Fleweller, widow of J. C. Fleweller who died June 8, 1917 desires some information about her husband's pension and whether she will be entitled to a warrant on installment due July 15 next. She also wishes instructions as to method of application for continuance of the pension to which her husband was entitled.

J. C. Fleweller's application is numbered 20742 Smith *
 County, Texas.

Yours truly,
 M. H. Landers

Address:

M. H. Landers
 Mineola, Tex.

GREENVILLE, TEXAS. *June 8* 1917

M. *C. W. Jewell*

Minola Tex.

IN ACCOUNT WITH

NEER & COMPANY

**FUNERAL DIRECTORS
AND EMBALMERS**

PHONES 21

*Casket
Hearse*

40.00

10.00

50.00

Paid June 8 1917

J. B. Neer



THE MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RAILWAY COMPANY OF TEXAS
WICHITA FALLS LINES (IN TEXAS)
TEXAS CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY
TRANSPORTATION OF CORPSES.

TEXAS TRANSIT PERMIT.

THIS CERTIFICATE MUST BE PRESENTED TO THE LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH FOR APPROVAL
PHYSICIAN'S OR CORONER'S CERTIFICATE.

Name of Deceased Joe Jeweller June 8 1917
Date of Death June 8 1917
Age 72 Years Months Days
Place of Death Greenville, Tex
Cause of Death shock following operation
I hereby certify that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Residence Greenville County of Hunt State of Tex
Joe Beaton M. D. or Coroner.

PERMIT OF LOCAL BOARD OF HEALTH.

This Permit must be Properly Signed, and with Physician's Certificate Presented to the Railroad or Express Agent before a body can be shipped,
In the City of Greenville County of Hunt State of Texas on the 8th day of June 1917
Permission is hereby given to remove for burial at Minerva, Tex
in the county of Wood State of Tex the body of
Joe Jeweller who died at
Greenville County of Hunt on the 8th
day of June Aged 72 Years months days. The cause of
death being Shock following operation which is a Non Contagious disease.
(Contagious or Non-Contagious.)
Signed, W. T. Chandler President.
(If City or Town affix Corporate Seal.)
OBSERVE RULES GOVERNING ON BACK OF THIS PERMIT. Local Board of Health. Clerk.
This permit and preceding Certificate must be DETACHED AND DELIVERED TO THE PERSON IN CHARGE OF THE CORPSE. (OVER.)

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The Missouri, Kansas & Texas R. Y. Co. of Texas
 Wichita Falls Lines (in Texas)
 Texas Central Railroad Company

Transportation of Corpses.

TRANSIT PERMIT.

(For use in Texas)

From.....
 To.....
 State of.....
 Body of.....
 Carrier.....
 R. R.
 R. R.
 R. R.
 R. R.
 R. R.
 R. R.

This permit must accompany the body to its destination, and be delivered with it.

W. A. KELLOND,
 General Baggage Agent.

DIRECTIONS.

26742 Revision

RULES OF THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THE TRANSPORTATION OF DEAD BODIES

- RULE 1. The transportation of bodies of persons dead of Diphtheria, Small Pox, Asiatic Cholera, Leprosy, Typhus Fever, or Yellow Fever, is absolutely forbidden.
- RULE 2. The bodies of those who have died of Anthrax, Scarlet Fever, Erysipelas, Typhoid Fever, Erysipelas, Measles, and other contagious or communicable diseases, must be wrapped in a sheet thoroughly saturated with a strong solution of bi-chloride of mercury, in the proportion of one ounce of bi-chloride of mercury to a gallon of water, and encased in an air-tight zinc, tin, copper, or lead-lined coffin, or in an air-tight iron casket, hermetically sealed, and all enclosed in a strong, tight wooden box, or the body must be prepared for shipment by being wrapped in a sheet and disinfected by a solution of bi-chloride of mercury as above, and placed in a strong coffin or casket, and said coffin or casket encased in a hermetically sealed, (soldered) zinc, copper or tin case, and all enclosed in a strong outside wooden box of material not less than one inch and a half thick.
- RULE 3. In cases of contagious, infectious or communicable diseases, the body must not be accompanied by articles which have been exposed to the infection of the disease. And in addition to permit from Board of Health or proper health authority, Agents will require an affidavit from the shipping undertaker, stating how body has been prepared, and kind of coffin or casket used, which must be in conformity with rule 2.
- RULE 4. The bodies of persons dead of diseases that are not contagious, infectious or communicable, may be received for transportation to local points in same State, when encased in a sound coffin or metallic case, and enclosed in a strong, wooden box, securely fastened so it may be safely handled. But when it is proposed to transport them out of the State to an interstate point (unless the time required for transportation from the initial point to destination does not exceed eighteen hours,) they must be encased in an air-tight zinc, tin, copper or lead-lined coffin, or an air-tight iron casket, or a strong coffin or casket encased in a hermetically sealed (soldered) zinc, copper or tin case, and all enclosed in a strong, outside wooden box of material not less than one inch thick. In all cases the outside box must be provided with six iron chest handles.
- RULE 5. Every dead body must be accompanied by a person in charge, who must be provided with a ticket, and also present a full, first-class ticket, marked "corpse," and a transit permit from Board of Health, or proper health authority, giving permission for the removal, and showing name of deceased, age, place of death, cause of death, and (if of a contagious or infectious nature) the point to which it is to be shipped, medical attendant and name of undertaker.
- RULE 6. The box containing corpse must be plainly marked with paster, showing name of deceased, place of death, cause of death, in addition to which certificate of attending physician, showing cause of death, must be attached to the box, the point to which it is to be shipped, number of transit permit issued in connection, and name of person in charge of the remains. There must also be blank spaces at bottom of paster for Station Agent at initial point to fill in the form and number of passage, ticket, where from, where to, and route to destination, of such ticket.
- RULE 7. It is intended that no dead body shall be moved which may be the means of spreading disease, therefore all disinterred bodies, dead from any disease or cause, will be treated as infections and dangerous to the public health, and will not be accepted for transportation unless said removal has been approved by the State Board of Health, and the consent of the health authority of the locality to which the corpse is consigned, has been first obtained, and the disinterred remains enclosed in a hermetically sealed (soldered) zinc, tin or copper-lined coffin or box, or box encased in hermetically sealed (soldered) zinc, tin or copper case.
- RULE 8. No corpse must be received for transportation, even if accompanied with proper certificates, as provided for above, if fluids are escaping from the case, or if it has become offensive in any degree.

Return this affidavit to J. C. Jones, Commissioner of Pensions, Austin, Texas, on or before July 15, 1917.

SMITH

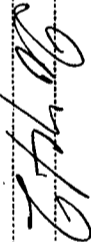
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AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of _____

ORIGINAL COUNTY APPLICATION NO. _____



This is to certify that I am the identical person to whom a pension has been granted under Articles 6267-6285, R.S. 1911, an Act approved April 7, 1913.

I also certify that the county in which my application was originally made and the file number of said application, according to the records in the office of the Commissioner of Pensions, are the same as given in the upper right-hand corner of this affidavit.

I further certify that the same conditions exist as did at the time my application for pension was made, that I do not own real or personal property to the value of One Thousand Dollars, exclusive of my homestead, the value of which does not exceed One Thousand Dollars; that my annual income, not including my pension, does not exceed Three Hundred Dollars; that I am a bona fide resident of the State of Texas, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home.

Signature of Pensioner.

I hereby certify that I am personally acquainted with the pensioner whose signature appears above and that the statements made by _____ are true and correct.

Witness

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared the above-named parties, well known to me, who state under oath that the statements herein contained are true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____ A. D. 191_____

(SEAL)

_____ in and for _____ County, Texas.

*This is to certify that the undersigned, _____ and _____, are disinterested, credible witnesses and are in no wise related to the applicant whose signature is

affixed to the above statement; that the applicant resides in _____ County, Texas, P. O. _____; that the applicant is the identical person to whom a pension has been granted, and that the conditions which existed at the time of making said application and on which the pension was originally granted still exist; that the applicant signed the above statement in my presence.

Witness my hand this _____ day of _____ A. D. 191_____

Witnesses: {

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Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared _____ known to me to be one of the witnesses who signed the foregoing certificate, and on oath states that the statement of the pensioner above set out was made and signed in _____ presence, and that the statements contained therein are within the knowledge of affiant true and correct.

Sworn to and subscribed this _____ day of _____ A. D. 191_____

(SEAL)

_____ in and for _____ County, Texas.

*To be filled out and executed in case applicant cannot go before an officer to make affidavit.

PENSIONER'S NAME AND ADDRESS. Approved for \$ _____

26742

Commissioner of Pensions.

No. 169

Wm. E. G. Jewell

\$ 50.00

26742 Smith

Confederate Pension Fund

Fund

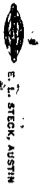
OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
STATE OF TEXAS
AUSTIN

~~50.00~~

Correct, for the sum of \$

Charge Confederate Pension Fund

J. C. Jones
Commissioner of Pensions.



MORTUARY WARRANT

669-417-3M

In accordance with Law passed by Thirty-fifth Legislature of Texas in Regular Session

Lindale, Texas, June 25, 1917.

STATE OF TEXAS

To Mrs. E.C. Flewollen Dr.

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY Lindale, Texas, Rt. # 2.

Account of Death of Pensioner No. 26742, County Smith

Pensioner's Name in full J. C. Flewollen

ITEMIZE ACCOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THIRTY DOLLARS.

June 8, 1917, To part of Undertaker's charge for Casket, (cost \$40.00) - - - - \$30.00

To above account for THIRTY (30.00) Dollars is just, due and unpaid.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of July 1917

Notary Public, Wood County, Texas

Handwritten signatures: Mrs. E. C. Flewollen, W. W. Alderson, and Notary Public signature.

26742

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT.

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of _____ } I, _____

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late J. C. Flewellen, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 26742 and whose original county is Smith

The said pensioner J. C. Flewellen, died on the _____ day of _____, 191____, in the town of _____, County of _____, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of _____ 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 expenses incurred by the said pensioner J. C. Flewellen

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) _____ and that my home is in the town of _____, County of _____, State of _____, that my postoffice address is _____

Sworn to this _____ day fo _____ 1917

Signed _____

Before me _____ in and for the County of _____, State of Texas, personally appeared _____, who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

in and for _____, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, S. B. Neer do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of Greenville, County of Hunt, State of Texas, that I had charge of the body of J. C. Flewellen, who died in the town of Greenville, County of Hunt, State of Texas, on the 8th day of June, 1917. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 8th day of June, 1917. That said body was buried in the Mineola Tex. Cemetery, which is located in the County of Ward, State of Texas, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for, should be issued to the said _____ who makes the foregoing application.

Signed S. B. Neer Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, Joe Beaton, do certify that I am a practicing physician and that I attended J. C. Flewellen in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Soaked bowels. He died of shock after having had vommed eight feet of small bowel

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 35th Legislature, and approved July 2nd 1917.

Signed Joe Beaton Physician.

Physician's Address Greenville, Texas.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT.

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of

Wood

I,

Mr. E. C. Fleweller

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late J. C. Fleweller, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 26742 and whose original county is Smith

The said pensioner J. C. Fleweller died on the 7th day of June, 1917, in the town of Greenville, County of Hunt, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Sanitarium of Dr. Joe Beckton who was related to the pensioner as where pensioner had been carried for an operation

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 J. C. Fleweller

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) Wife and that my home is in the town of Lindale, Route # 2, County of Smith, State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Lindale, Texas, Route No 2

Sworn to this 3rd day of July 1917

Signed Mrs. E. C. Fleweller

Sworn to this 3rd day of July 1917 before me M. W. Mauder, Notary Public Wood County Texas

Before me M. W. Mauder, a Notary Public in and for the County of Wood, State of Texas, personally appeared Mr. E. C. Fleweller

who being by me duly sworn did certify to and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

M. W. Mauder, Notary Public in and for Wood Co, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of, County of, State of, that I had charge of the body of J. C. Fleweller, who died in the town of, County of, State of, on the day of, 191. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the day of, 191. That said body was buried in the Cemetery, which is located in the County of, State of, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for, should be issued to the said who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, do certify that I am a practicing physician and that I attended J. C. Fleweller in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were.



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 35th Legislature, and approved March 2nd 1917.

Signed Physician.

Physician's Address