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FORM A

### Soldier's Application for a Pension

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

*[Handwritten signature]*

4-28-26  
Name of Applicant

*W. Johnson*

*Studson* County

Postoffice *Atkins, Texas*

Filed *Dec. 3rd 1914*

Approved " " "

Pension allowed from *March 1st 1910*

Rejected

*[Signature]*  
Geo. W. Ayres  
Commissioner of Pensions

For Use of Soldiers Who Are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Henderson

I, H. Johnson do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the 33rd 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 Discharged at Montgomery Alabama from the Hospital in April 1865 at the close of the war having been shot through the hand at Franklin Church (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? 69 years
2. Where were you born? In Guss Co. Tennessee
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 31 years
4. In what county do you reside? Henderson
5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address? I have resided in Henderson Co. 31 years - Post office - Athens, Texas. At #
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where. never applied
7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farmer What is your physical condition? Fair
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? In Tennessee
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. Enlisted in fall of 1864 and discharged in Apr 1865
10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? Co. F 20th Tenn 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? Cavalry

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

*Not Commissioner*

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 for any special service*

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

*10000*

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.) *H Johnson*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *17* day of *Oct*, A. D. 191*4*

*C D Owen*

[Seal.]

County Judge *Henderson* County, Texas.

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of *Henderson* }

Before me *C D Owen*, County Judge of *Henderson* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *J. C. Beall & A. Beall*

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

*H. Johnson*, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said *H. Johnson* 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. C. Beall*

(Signature of Witness) *J. D. Beall*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *2* day of *Dec*, A. D. 191*4*

*C D Owen*

[Seal.]

County Judge *Henderson* 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-

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..... further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

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(Signature of Witness).....

(Signature of Witness).....

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

[Seal.]

County Judge..... County, Texas.

**CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR**

I, D. F. Henry, State and County Assessor in the County of Henderson State of Texas, do certify that H. Johnson, 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 no Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of no Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 3 day of Dec A. D. 1914 (TX)

D. F. Henry  
State and County Assessor.

C. D. OWEN  
 COUNTY JUDGE  
 Henderson County  
 ATHENS, TEXAS

Dec 3-1914,

Hon. Geo. W. Plyer,  
 Austin, Texas,

Dear Sir: -

Enclosed please find appli-  
 cation of H. Johnson for a pension.

The depositions are not in  
 first-class shape, but you know  
 a majority of the notaries who take  
 this testimony are in incompetent  
 to prepare legal papers well.

I am satisfied that  
 Mr. Johnson is a worthy man  
 and a true soldier, and I  
 recommend him to your  
 favorable consideration

Yours truly,

C. D. Owen



*J. B. Baggerly*  
*Newklee*  
*Alabama.*

*J. B. Baggerly*  
*Newklee*  
*Alabama.*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 1914

*C. L. Peck*  
*Notary Public*

THE STATE OF Alabama  
County of Marion

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

do hereby certify that

*J. B. Baggerly*

and \_\_\_\_\_ are personally known to me to be credible citizens of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of

*J. B. Baggerly*

the witness \_\_\_\_\_ before named, and

\_\_\_\_\_, whose name appear \_\_\_\_\_ 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 1914

(L. S.)

*C. L. Peck*  
*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.

File No. \_\_\_\_\_

In \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas.  
Before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION  
OF

Witness \_\_\_\_\_ for Applicant

Filed \_\_\_\_\_ day

of \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk. \_\_\_\_\_

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Lined area for deposition text.

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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.

DEPOSITION IN PENSION CLAIMS, with Caption and Certificates.

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EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

*Henry Johnson*

*Johnson*

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

Answers and depositions of (1)

~~*Henry Johnson, 68, I do not know*~~

*J. B. Baggarly*

to the accompanying interrogations (2)

*Yes*

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

*Since 1864*

in accordance with the accompanying (7)

*He was a private in Cavalry*

To the first interrogatory the said

*H. Johnson*

Witness, answers

*No. 2 I have known H. Johnson since 1864. He was a private in Cavalry*

*No. 3 I have known him since 1864. I first knew him in Leavitt's Miss where he joined my command.*

*No. 4 Yes.*

*No. 5 Co. F. Regiment 20<sup>th</sup> Tenn. or Nixon's Regiment. I know that he served from Oct. 1864 to the battle of Franklin he was wounded. I suppose he served before that but I was not with him*

*No. 6 He was not an officer*

*No. 7 He volunteered as a private in Cavalry and so served for some months.*





Answer to Cross in-  
terrogatories

No. 1

We were in the same company and practically together all the time until the Franklin Tenn. battle. No. 2 I never knew of any other Henry Johnson and I am sure there was no other Henry Johnson in the company mentioned above.

No. 3. I know he served faithfully until the Franklin battle where he was wounded.

No. 4 I am sure this is the same Henry Johnson that I served in the company with.

No. 5 I know that Henry Johnson served faithfully until a few months before the close of the war and I am sure he was never able for service after that.

No. 6 He ~~was~~ never deserted the army until he was wounded and I never knew of his deserting after that. But I was not with him the last few months of the war.

EX-PARTE

Henry Johnson  
Applicant for Confederate Pension

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

The Honorable County Judge of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_ who reside \_\_\_\_\_ in the County  
of \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ in answer to the following interrogatories and  
such cross-interrogatories as may be propounded by the County Judge of said County, which will be read in evidence  
upon the hearing of applicant's claim for pension in behalf of applicant; said testimony is material and indispensable  
to applicant in furnishing the required proof of \_\_\_\_\_ claim for a pension under the Act of March 26, 1909, the  
application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and the facts necessary and required to be  
proven under the provisions of said act, applicant believes cannot be proven by any witness \_\_\_\_\_ residing in the County  
of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of Texas, which \_\_\_\_\_ is a bona fide resident

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

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

Cross Int. 3. Do you know whether or not the said A. Johnson 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 A. Johnson deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS )

County of Harrison )

I, C. O. Owen, 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 heremabove direct and cross interrogatories of the said herein named witness, may be attached hereto.

C. O. Owen

County Judge Harrison County, Texas.

Henry Johnson

(Applicant) ~~Attorney~~ for Applicant.

In Re

Application for Confederate Pension

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS

County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE

Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES propounded to

Witnesses:

EX-PARTE

*H. Johnson*  
Applicant for Confederate Pension

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

The Honorable County Judge of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_ who reside \_\_\_\_\_ in the County  
of \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ in answer to the following interrogatories and  
such cross-interrogatories as may be propounded by the County Judge of said County, which will be read in evidence  
upon the hearing of applicant's claim for pension in behalf of applicant; said testimony is material and indispensable  
to applicant in furnishing the required proof of \_\_\_\_\_ claim for a pension under the Act of March 26, 1909, the  
application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and the facts necessary and required to be  
proven under the provisions of said act, applicant believes cannot be proven by any witness \_\_\_\_\_ residing in the County  
of \_\_\_\_\_ and State of Texas, which \_\_\_\_\_ is a bona fide resident.

(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 *H. Johnson* who \_\_\_\_\_ is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909? *Apr 7 1913*
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said *H. Johnson* and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said *H. Johnson* 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 *H. Johnson* 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 *H. Johnson* 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 *H. Johnson* 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

Cross Int. 3. Do you know whether or not the said H. Johnson  
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 H. Johnson  
deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Henderson }

I C. Owen 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.

C. Owen  
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

In Re

Application for Confederate Pension

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS

County, Texas

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE

Applicant

INTERROGATORIES  
propounded to

Witnesses

EX-PARTE

*H. Johnson*  
Applicant for Confederate Pension

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

The Honorable County Judge of \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
and \_\_\_\_\_ who reside \_\_\_\_\_ in the County  
of \_\_\_\_\_ in the State of \_\_\_\_\_ 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  
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application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and the facts necessary and required to be  
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(Applicant) Attorney \_\_\_\_\_ for Applicant.

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- INT. 3. How long had you known the said *H. Johnson*  
\_\_\_\_\_ and when and where did you first know him?
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\_\_\_\_\_ 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 *H. Johnson*  
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of the Confederacy? What was the nature of his service, and how long did he serve?

CROSS INTERROGATORIES

To be propounded to *C. J. Simms* IX  
CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you person-  
ally know or did know said *H. Johnson* 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  
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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 *H. Johnson* serving in the same company or regiment, or special  
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Cross Int. 4. Do you know whether or not the said H. Johnson deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Stevenson }

I, O. D. Owen, 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 herinabove direct and cross interrogatories of the said herein named witness may be attached hereto.

O. D. Owen

County Judge Stevenson County, Texas.

(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

In Re

Application for Confederate Pension

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS

County, Texas

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE

Applicant

INTERROGATORIES propounded to

Witnesses

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1914  
H L Moore  
County Court Clerk

THE STATE OF Texas  
County of Cleveland

H L Moore County Court Clerk do hereby certify that C J Sissoms  
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken)

and C J Sissoms are personally known to me to be a credible citizen of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of C J Sissoms the witness before named, and whose name appear 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 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1914  
(L. S.) H L Moore  
County Court Clerk

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.

File No. \_\_\_\_\_  
In \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas  
Before the Honorable County Judge of  
said County

**EX PARTE**

Applicant for Confederate Pension

**DEPOSITION**

of

Witness for Applicant

day

Filed

of

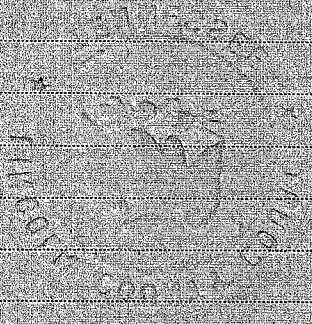
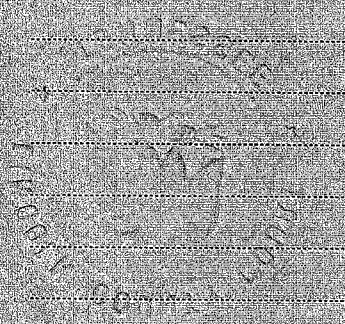
of

Clerk

Deputy

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$





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EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

H. Johnson  
Malakoff, Tex  
Applicant for Confederate Pension

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending  
Henderson

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

Answers and depositions of (1) R. J. Simms

to the accompanying interrogations (2) & Cross Interrogations  
propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) H. L. Moore County Court Clerk  
in accordance with the accompanying (7) agreement

To the first interrogatory the said

Witness, answers: R. J. Simms, Age 69 years  
Fayetteville, Tennessee

Int. 1. I knew him when quite small, we were  
school boys together

Int. 2. Since his boyhood, lived about 1 mile  
apart

Int. 3. Yes, as a Soldier

Int. 4. Co. F. 20<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Regiment, (Cavalry)  
in the fall of 1864, at or near Corinth  
Mississippi, until after the battle at Franklin,  
Tennessee, which was about the close of the  
year 1864, about 3 months, I was not  
with him after said battle.

Int. 5. Private

Int. 6. Don't know

Cross Int.

Cross 1. yes

(TX)

Cross 2. He did from date of enlistment until  
the battle at Franklin, Tennessee, I was not  
with him after said battle

Cross 3. I do not  
R. J. Simms

*D M Sanders  
Jagt Tenn*

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 191*4*

*F P Colbert  
Notary Public*

THE STATE OF *Tenn*  
County of *Lincoln*

I *F P Colbert Notary Public*  
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken)

do hereby certify that *D M Sanders*  
and \_\_\_\_\_ are personally known to me to be credible citizens of said  
County and State, and that the foregoing answers of *D M Sanders*

the witness \_\_\_\_\_ before named, and  
\_\_\_\_\_, whose name appear \_\_\_\_\_ 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 *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct*, 191*4*

(L. S.)

*F P Colbert  
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.

Filed No. \_\_\_\_\_  
In *Lincoln* County, Texas  
Before the Honorable County Judge of  
said County.

**EX PARTE**

*A Johnson*  
Applicant for Confederate Pension

**DEPOSITION**

of  
*D M Sanders  
Jagt Tenn*  
Witness for Applicant

Filed \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_, 191  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Clerk  
Deputy

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Cross Interrogatories

1 I do not know any other H Johnson

2 there was not any other H Johnson  
yes

3 yes

4 No did not desert

S. M. Sanders

TX

- (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

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

*H Johnson*  
*Malakoff, Texas*  
Applicant for Confederate Pension

*Jan 7-1913*  
Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

*H Johnson*  
County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge  
of said County

Answers and depositions of (1) *D M Sanders*

to the accompanying interrogations (2) *& 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

Witness, answers: *I have known H Johnson since 1864  
he was a private in Cavalry*

*3 I know that H Johnson was severe in  
service at Corinth Miss as a private in  
Cavalry*

*4 yes*

*5 was in Co F Reg 20th Texas as Nixon's Reg  
I knew that he served from Oct 1864 to  
the battle of Franklin he was wounded*

*6 he was not an officer*

*7 he volunteered as a private in Cavalry  
and so served for some months*

*D M Sanders*  
*Capt*  
*Tenn*



# APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Smith

I, Mrs. H. Johnson

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late H. (Henry) Johnson, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 29979 and whose original county was Smith Henderson

The said pensioner H. Johnson, died on the 19th day of April, 1926, in the town of Tyler County of Smith, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of himself who was related to the pensioner as wife indicated.

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 H. Johnson

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

that my postoffice address is R F D No 5 Box 12 Street or R. F. D. Tyler City Texas.

Signed Mrs. H. Johnson *her name*

Sworn to before me this 26th day of April, 1926.

*Witness to signature  
Wm D Pace*

Notary Public in and for County of Smith State of Texas. *Wm D Pace*

## CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, J. F. David do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Tyler County of Smith, State of Texas, that I had charge of the body of H. Johnson, who died in the town of Tyler, County of Smith, State of Texas on the 19th day of April, 1926. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 19th day of April, 1926, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Mrs. H. Johnson who makes the foregoing application.

Signed J. F. David Undertaker.

## CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, W. P. Brogan do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended H. Johnson in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Influenza

I further certify that I am of the opinion that the Mortuary Warrant above requested should be issued in the name of the aforementioned applicant, in accordance with Act passed by the Thirty-eighth Legislature and approved March 2, 1923.

Signed W. P. Brogan Physician's Address Tyler Tex (TX)

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