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FORM No. 1.

6338

CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION.

Name of Applicant,

B. W. Allen,

Cherokee

County.

Post Office

Tulsa, Texas

Comptroller's File No.

6338

I have carefully examined the within application for
pension, together with the proof in support thereof, and

I recommend that the application be

this

day of

1900

A. D.

Approved
March

1900

A. D.

Wm. J. K. K. K.
Pension Clerk.

I hereby

approve

the within application

for pension, this

day of

March 1900

A. D.

Wm. J. K. K. K.
Comptroller.

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners
Should be Forwarded to Comptroller.

FORM No. 1.

APPLICATION of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

To the Honorable County Judge of Henderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, C. W. Allen respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Henderson County, in the State of Texas, and that he makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved May 12, A. D. 1899, the same being an act entitled "An act to carry into effect the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that aid may be granted to disabled and dependent Confederate soldiers, sailors, and their widows under certain conditions, and to make an appropriation therefor," and I do solemnly swear that the answers I have given to the following questions are true.

NOTE—Applicant must make answer to all of the following questions, and such answers must be written out plainly in ink.

- Q. What is your name? Answer C. W. Allen
- Q. What is your age? Answer 71 years
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Henderson
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your post office address? Answer About 30 years. Post office address. Tolosa, Texas
- Q. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law heretofore, and been rejected? If so state when and where. Answer No
- Q. What is your occupation if able to engage in one? Answer Farming
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Feeble
- Q. If your physical condition is such that you are unable by your own labor to earn a support, state what caused such disability. Answer Infirmary of age. Double Rupture
- Q. State in what company and regiment you enlisted in the Confederate army, and the time of your service? Answer Company "B" 1st Texas Partisan Rangers
- Q. If you served in the Confederate navy state when and where, and the time of your service. Answer _____
- Q. State whether or not you have received any pension or veteran donation land certificate under any previous law, and if you answer in the affirmative state what pension or veteran donation land certificate you have received. Answer None
- Q. What real and personal property do you now own, and what is the present value of such property? Give list of such property and value. Answer Three head of cattle valued at \$30.00, One horse valued at \$20.00

Q. What property, and what was the value thereof have you sold or conveyed within two years prior to the date of this application? Answer none

Q. What income, if any, do you receive? Answer none save except for what I can labor

Q. Are you in indigent circumstances; that is, are you in actual want, and destitute of property and means of subsistence? Answer yes

Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer yes

Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer no

Q. Did you ever desert the Confederacy? Answer no

Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of January, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer yes

Wherefore your petitioner prays that his application for pension be approved and that such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant)

E. W. Allen

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

14th

day of

September A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

County Judge W. F. Freeman Henderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

(NOTE—There must be at least two credible witnesses.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

Henderson

Before me,

W. F. Freeman

County Judge of

Henderson

County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

Wm

Gardner & W. L. Crall

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

C. W. Allen

the above named applicant for a pension, and that they

personally know that the said

C. W. Allen

enlisted in the service of the

Confederacy, and performed the duties of a soldier (or sailor) as claimed by him in the above and foregoing application, and that they

further know that he, the said applicant, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness)

Wm Gardner

(Signature of Witness)

W. L. Crall

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

14th

day of

September A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

County Judge W. F. Freeman Henderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
 COUNTY OF Henderson } Before me W. J. Freeman
 County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Wm Matthews, who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, who being by me duly sworn on oath, states that he has carefully and thoroughly examined C. W. Allen applicant for a pension, and finds him laboring under the following disabilities which render him unable to labor at any work or calling sufficient to earn a support for himself:

Double inguinal Hernia.
Infirmity of Age and loss of Eyesight
of one eye and partial impairment of the other

(Signature of Physician) Wm Matthews
 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 14th day of September A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

W. J. Freeman
 County Judge Henderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
 COUNTY OF Henderson } I, W. J. Freeman
 County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 14th day of September A. D. 1899, before me came on to be heard the application of C. W. Allen for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law of this State, approved May 12, A. D. 1899; that the answers of said applicant to the questions propounded were made under oath as the same appear in writing in the foregoing application; that the affidavits of the witnesses who are credible citizens were made before me as the same hereinbefore appear, and that the foregoing affidavit of Doctor Wm Matthews who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant C. W. Allen is not an inmate of the Texas Confederate Home, nor otherwise disqualified under the provision of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all the proceedings had before me relative to the said application for a pension by the said C. W. Allen I find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and I hereby approve said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Athens, Texas this 14th day of September A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

W. J. Freeman
 County Judge Henderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
 COUNTY OF Henderson } We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of Henderson County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of C. W. Allen for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted by Hon. W. J. Freeman County Judge of this Henderson County, to the Commissioners Court of this Henderson County, at a regular term thereof on the 16 day of Nov A. D. 1899, and after a careful consideration of the same we find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided for by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and we hereby approve said application.

Witness our hands and seal of office at Athens this 16 day of Nov A. D. 1899

(Signatures of Commissioners.)

(SEAL)

Wm. Forester
E. W. Smith
M. J. Gantt



APPLICATION OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONER TO BE PLACED ON
THE TOTAL DISABILITY LIST,.

The State of Texas

Henderson County.

I, C.W. Allen, of ~~Ham~~ Henderson County, Texas, address, Kemp, Texas, R.F.D.#5, do hereby make application to be placed on the total disability list of Confederate Pensioners:

I am now drawing Confederate Pension. My Application was made in Henderson County, Texas. The number of my application is No. 6338.....

I am totally BLIND. I lost my left eye about ten years ago, the Eye Ball being removed. ~~My~~ The Eye Ball of my remaining Eye burst out June the 14th, 1911, leaving me totally blind.

C. W. Allen ^{his} ~~X~~ _{mark}

Sworn to and subscribed before me, by C.W. Allen, on this the 18, day of June, A.D. 1911.

John S. Price
County Judge of Henderson County, Tex.

I, Dr. T. T. Shipp, a practicing physician, and the family physician of Mr. C.W. Allen, the above affiant, have examined him and I know that he is totally blind. One eye is gon and the eye-ball of the other has burst, completely destroying his sight. He is totally blind.

Dr. T. T. Shipp

Sworn to by Dr. Shipp, on this the 20. day of June, A.D. 1911.

Sworn

G. C. Osborne
Notary Public, W. Co. Texas.
Kaufman

We, the undersigned citizens of Henderson County, Texas, know of our own personal knowledge that the statements contained in the above affidavit of C.W. Allen are true. And that he is totally blind.

B. D. Arnold
A. P. Gardner

Sworn to and subscribed before me by B.D. Arnold and A.P. Gardner, both of whom are known to me to be credible citizens of Henderson County, Texas. This June, 22nd, 1911.

John S. Price
County Judge of Henderson County, Texas.

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