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FORM B.

Widow's Application for Pension

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

Name of Applicant

Mrs. Maria E. Carson

Henderson County.

Postoffice

Chautau, Texas.

Filed

Aug. 11th 1913.

Approved

Sept. 1, 1913

Pension allowed from

Dec. 1, 1913

Rejected

Secretary of Pensions.

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Commissioner of Pensions

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Please have assessors -
black-filled out and
give the County of which he
is assessor, or Deputy. And have the
witness asked give his source of
knowledge. State whether he was a
member of Co. F. 46 - Georgia Regt. and
to make it legal have him go before
Co. Judge and testify

FORM B

729-513-500

For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who Are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of

Henderson

I, Mrs.

Martha E. Anderson

do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-first³¹ Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved ~~March 26, A. D. 1900~~ ^{Apr 7 - 1910}, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of

G. W. Anderson

deceased, who departed this life on the *20* day of *March*, A. D. *1907*, in the county of *Henderson*, in the State of *Texas*

I have not remarried since the death of my said husband, and I do solemnly swear that I was never divorced from my said husband, and that I never voluntarily abandoned him during his life, but remained his true, faithful and lawful wife up to the date of his death. I was married to him on the *11* day of *Dec*, A. D. *1866*, in the county of *Wilkes Co. Ga*, in the State of *Georgia*.

My husband, the said *G. W. Anderson*, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that he did not desert the Confederate Service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to ~~March 1, A. D. 1880~~ ^{Jan 1st - 1900}, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does anyone hold in trust for my benefit or use, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the value of one thousand dollars; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? *64 years*
2. Where were you born? *In Wilkes Co. Ga*
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? *30 years*
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? *16 years - Post Office - Chandler, Texas R. F. D. #3*
5. What was your husband's full name? *George Washington Anderson*
6. What was the date of his death? *March 20, 1907*
7. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? *In Georgia*
8. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. *Enlisted Aug. 13, 1861 - April 20, 1865*
9. What was the name or letter of the company, or name or number of the battalion, regiment or battery of artillery in which your husband served? If he was transferred from one branch of service to another, give time of transfer, description of command and time of service. *Enlisted in Co. K 17th Georgia Regiment. Transferred from Co. K 17th Regiment to Co. F 46th Ga Transferred about Christmas 1864*
10. Name branch of service in which your husband served, whether infantry, cavalry, artillery or the navy, or if commissioned as an officer by the President, his rank and line of duty, or if detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, the nature of such service, and time of service.

My husband served in the Infantry and not detailed for any special service so far as I know

11. 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 her application for a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) Martha E. Anderson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11 day of July, A. D. 1913

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 W. F. Bonds & B. M. Bonds, who are personally

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

Mrs. Martha E. Anderson, applicant for a pension as the widow of G. W. Anderson

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of G. W. Anderson deceased; that they personally

know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose service in the army she claims a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) W. F. Bonds

(Signature of Witness) B. M. Bonds

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 11 day of July, A. D. 1913

C. D. Owen

[Seal.]

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State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. F. Bonds & B. M. Bonds, who are personally

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

named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said Mrs. Martha E. Anderson

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to Jan 1st 1900 March 1, A. D. 1880, and that they have

no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) W. F. Bonds

(Signature of Witness) B. M. Bonds

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 19 day of July, A. D. 1913

C. D. Owen

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(If possible, the two witnesses should have served with the applicant's husband in the army, and, if so, let them, or either of them, state it in their oath; also any information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of HendersonBefore me, J. D. Wiley J. P.County Judge of Henderson County,State of Texas, on this day personally appeared L. Q. C. Asher,

who are personally

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me sworn, on oath state that they are personally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in her application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim. And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of the applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

G. H. Anderson deceased was
in the 46 Reg- Ia Vols. Co. F.
Served in 1862 until the close of the
war.

(Signature of Witness)

L. Q. C. Asher

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 12 day of July, A. D. 1913

[Seal.]

J. D. Wiley J. P.
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, D. L. Henry, State and County Assessor in the County of Henderson, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. Martina E. Anderson

whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-first Legislature, approved March 26, A. D. 1909, is charged on the land and personal property rolls of the said county, in her name, or the name of a trustee, with estate, real, personal and mixed, at the assessed value of no dollars

Given under my hand, this 4 day of Aug, A. D. 1913Dennis Henry

State and County Assessor.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Henderson }

Before me, C. O. Owen, County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared L. Q. C. Asken, who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me sworn, on oath state that they are personally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in her application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim. And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of the applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.) I served in Co. F, 46th Ga

Regiment from sometime in 1862 and
with S. M. Anderson to the close of the
war in 1865. S. M. Anderson served
honorably and ~~to my~~ I am certain
he never deserted.

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(Signature of Witness) L. Q. C. Asken

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 13 day of Oct, A. D. 1913

C. O. Owen

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson 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 hereby certify that Mrs. Martha E. Anderson

whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-first Legislature, approved Mar 7 1900, is charged on the land and personal property rolls of the said county, in her name, or the name of a trustee, with estate, real, personal and mixed, at the assessed value of no dollars

Given under my hand, this 18 day of Oct, A. D. 1913

D. F. Henry

State and County Assessor.

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GEO. W. KYSER, COMMISSIONER

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
 STATE OF TEXAS
 AUSTIN

To the Adjutant General,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:—

I have the honor to request the military record of G. H. Anderson who is
 reported to have enlisted in Company "H", Regiment 14th GA. Infantry
16th GA. Infantry
 in service of the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The widow of me person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension
 granted by the State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,



Geo. W. Kyser

Commissioner of Pensions.

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WAR DEPARTMENT.

WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, August 19, 1913.

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Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas,
Austin.

The name G. W. Anderson has not been found on the rolls, on file in this office, of Company K, or any other company of the 17th Ga. Inf., C. S. A.

The records show that G. W. Anderson, pvt., Co. F, 46th Ga. Inf., C. S. A., enlisted August 30, 1862, and was paroled at Greensboro, N. C., May 1, 1865, under the terms of the convention of April 26, 1865.

H. O. Herbert

Adjutant General.

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EX-PARTE

Pending in Henderson County,

Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

Mrs. Martha E. Anderson

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

The Honorable County Judge of _____ County, Texas, will please take notice that, five days after the 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 _____.

R. H. Parker

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 Mrs. Martha E. Anderson who _____ is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909? Apr 7 - 1913INT. 3. How long had you known the said Mrs. Martha E. Anderson and when and where did you first know him? W. W. AndersonINT. 4. Do you personally know that the said Mrs. Martha E. Anderson 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 W. W. Anderson 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 W. W. Anderson 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 further know if W. W. Anderson 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 R. H. Parker

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CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said W. W. Anderson 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 W. W. Anderson 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 you knew of any other soldier or sailor by the name of W. W. Anderson serving in the same company or regiment, or special service in which you say the said W. W. Anderson enlisted, if you have stated that said W. W. Anderson 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 G. W. Anderson
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 G. W. Anderson
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 G. W. Anderson
is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said G. W. Anderson
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 G. W. Anderson
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. 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 hereinabove direct and cross interrogatories of the said herein named witness may be attached hereto.

C. D. Owen
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

Martha E. Anderson
(Applicant) ~~Attorney~~ for Appellant.

In Re

Application for Confederate
Pension.

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS.

Henderson County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

Mrs. Martha E. Anderson
Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES
propounded to

A. M. Parker

Witnesses.

EX PARTE

Mrs. Martha E. Anderson

IN RE APPLICANT for CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act ^{of 7/14/13} March 26, 1909, pending *Anderson*

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

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

Answers and depositions of (1) *R. H. Parker*

to the accompanying interrogations (2) *and 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 *R. H. Parker*

Witness, answers

- #1. My age is 67 years old. live near Mt. Peak, get my mail on R.F.D. # 6.
- # 2. Midlothian Ellis County Texas, Yes.
- # 3. Have known Martha E. Anderson intimately for over 50 years.
- #4. Have known George W. Anderson, intimately for 60 years
- # 4. Yes, I know personally that the said George W. Anderson enlisted in the service of the Confederates, and performed the duties of a soldier.
- # 5. Yes, I know that he enlisted in Company "K" 17th, Georgia Reg. in the year 1861 and served in the Army.
- #6. Don't think that he ever received Commission as an Officer, was only a private soldier, regular army work.
- #7. Served as a private soldier
- #8.

CROSS INTERGATIONS

- # 1. My source of knowledge is personal acquaintance from childhood. I was enlisted in same Regiment and served with the the said George W. Anderson. Did not know of any other George W. Anderson in said Regiment or in the army.
- # 2. Am positive that the said George W. Anderson is the identical person enlisted and served as testified to above.
- # 3. Only know that he was in the Army, and served as a private soldier.
- # 4. I know personally that he never did while with our regiment.

R. H. Parker

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Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of July, 1913.

E.T. Rea
Notary Public Ellis County Texas.

THE STATE OF Texas.

County of Ellis

I, E.T. Rea, a Notary Public
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken)

do hereby certify that R.K. Parker.

and _____ are personally known to me to be credible citizens of said

County and State, and that the foregoing answers of R.K. Parker

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) R.K. Parker.

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 15th day of July, 1913.

(L. S.)

E.T. Rea
Notary Public Ellis County Texas,

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, and Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds of Texas.

File No. _____

In _____ County, Texas,

Before the Honorable Judge of Said County.

EX PARTE

Mrs. E. C. Anderson

Applicant for Pension

DEPOSITION OF

R. K. Parker

Witness _____ for Applicant.

Filed _____ day _____

of _____, 1913

_____, Clerk

By _____, Deputy

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____



- (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.