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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.

Dead

Name of Applicant.

*J. A. Bailey
Henderson*

County.

Postoffice

Rt # 8, Athens

Filed

3/22/17

Approved

4/2/17

Pension allowed from

Mar 1 1917

Rejected

J. C. Jones

Commissioner of Pensions.

FORM A

694-315-2M

For Use of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of

Henderson

I, J.A. Bailey 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.

I was honorably discharged at Kinkerton Ga. This was at the close of the Civil 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? 74 years old
2. Where were you born? Georgia
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 46 years
4. In what county do you reside? Henderson
5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address? 3 years, R #8, Athens, Texas

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? not able What is your physical condition? feeble

8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Ga

9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge 1862-1865

10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? I, the first

Ga. Regiment of Cavalry

11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service.

Enlisted under Colonel Scott; trans. to Regent(?); then Wheeler

12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? First 6 mos.

in infantry. The balance of time in cavalry.

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

14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve? *I was detailed to pilot two regiments into Porto Rico. I was also detailed as body guard for Joseph E. Johnson from mission to all other*

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

own none

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

\$200.00

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. A. Bailey

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *10* day of *Decr.* A. D. 191*6*

[Seal.]

J. A. McDermott
County Judge *Henderson* County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of *Henderson*

Before me *J. A. McDermott*, County Judge of *Henderson* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *Sam Soumeil & C. C. Knight*

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

J. A. Bailey, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said *J. A. Bailey* 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)

Sam Soumeil

(Signature of Witness)

C. C. Knight

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *10* day of *Decr* A. D. 191*6*

[Seal.]

J. A. McDermott
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.)

(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, A. B. Cadburton, State and County Assessor in the County of Harris
State of Texas, do certify that J. A. Mailey, 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 None Dollars,
and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of None
Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 20 day of March A. D. 1917

A. B. C. Robertson

State and County Assessor.

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FORM A

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Soldier's Application for Pension

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

Name of Applicant.

J. A. Bailey
Anderson

County.

Postoffice

Poyner

Filed

MAR 5 1910

Approved

A.W.

Pension allowed from

Rejected

AUG 5 1910

E. A. Belmes

Commissioner of Pensions.

VON BOECKMANN-JONES CO., PRINTERS, AUSTIN

FORM A

For Use of Soldiers, Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Anderson

I, J A Bailey, do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-first Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved March 26, A. D. 1909, 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; that I was honorably discharged or ~~sur-~~

~~rendered~~ disbanded near Centerville Ga. in Spring of 1865 because war was at hand

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1880, 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 in salary or fees one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor have I any income from any other employment or other source whatever which amounts to one hundred and fifty dollars per annum, nor do I 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 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; 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? Sixty-Six
2. Where were you born? In Georgia
3. How long have you resided in Texas? Since the Autumn of 1870
4. In what county do you reside? Anderson
5. How long have you resided in said county and what is your postoffice address? Since 1870. P.O. Poyner, Henderson County, Texas
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where. Have not
7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farming
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Georgia
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. From 1862 to 1865 the above
10. What was the letter of your company, number or name of battalion, regiment or battery? Company "D" 1st Georgia Cavalry
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

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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. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law?

Have not

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

(Signature of Applicant)

J. A. Bailey

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *9th* day of *July*, A. D. 19 *10*

O. B. Funderburk

[SEAL.]

County Judge *Anderson* County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of *Anderson*

Before me

O. B. Funderburk

County Judge of

Anderson

County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

J. B. Slaughter & J. A. McReynolds

who are personally

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

J. A.

Bailey the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said

J. A.

Bailey has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1880, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness)

J. B. Slaughter

(Signature of Witness)

J. A. McReynolds

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *5th* day of *March*, A. D. 19 *10*

O. B. Funderburk

[SEAL.]

County Judge *Anderson* 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 *Anderson*

Before me

O. B. Funderburk

County Judge of

Anderson

County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

J. B. Slaughter

is who *is* personally known to me to be credible citizen, who, being by me sworn, on oath state that *he is* personally 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 ^{he has} ~~they~~ have no interest in this claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And ^{of} further make oath to the following facts

touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army:

I personally know that J. A. Bailey, the applicant did service as a Confederate soldier. I do not remember exactly the command in which he served, I saw him one time while he was in the service at a time when I was at home on a furlough. We were neighbors and aside from smiling white in the service, I know from general reputation that he was on duty during the war in the Confederate service.

(Signature of Witness)

T. B. Slaughter

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this

5th

day of

March

A. D. 1910

[SEAL.]

County Judge

Anderson

County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF THE STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

Ben D. Jackson

State and County Assessor in the County of

Anderson

State of Texas, do certify that J. A. Bailey 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-first Legislature, approved March 26, A. D. 1909, is charged on the land and personal property rolls of said county with estate, real, personal and mixed, at the assessed value of Nothing dollars.

Given under my hand, this

5

day of

March

A. D. 1910

Ben D. Jackson

State and County Assessor.

Deputy L. E. McReynolds





J. C. JONES, 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 J. A. Bailey who is
reported to have enlisted in Company D, Regiment 1 Ga. Cavalry

in service in the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The _____ 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,

J. C. Jones
Commissioner of Pensions.



Received A.G.O. MAR 26 1917

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, March 27, 1917

Respectfully returned to Commissioner of
Pensions, State of Texas
Austin

with the information that a statement of
the service of J. A. Bailey,
Pvt Co. I, 1 Regt Ga Cav CSA
was furnished the Commis-
sioner of Pensions of Texas, in
a communication from this
office dated Aug 29, 1910, to
which attention is invited.

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H. J. McLean

The Adjutant General.

Per 4

Form No. 160-2-A. G. O.
Ed. Sept. 20-16-15,000.

VON BORMANN-JONES CO., AUSTIN, TEXAS

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E. A. BOLMES, Commissioner

OFFICE OF

Commissioner of Pensions

State of Texas
Austin

AUG 24 1910

To the Adjutant General,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record

of J. A. Bailey who is reported to have enlisted inCompany L, Regiment 1st Georgia Cavalry

in the service of the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The 5 person above named is an applicant
for a Confederate pension granted by this State, and I desire to verify
his proof of service.

Very respectfully,

E. A. Bolmes

Commissioner of Pensions.

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE
1688160
WAR DEPARTMENT
AUG 27 1910

Commissioner of Pensions
Office of
Chief of Clerk
Austin

Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, August 29, 1910.

Respectfully returned to the
Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas,
Austin.

The records show that J. A. Bailey,
private, Company I, 1st Georgia Cav-
alry, Confederate States Army, en-
listed May 1, 1862. On the company
roll for November and December, 1864
(dated January 6, 1865), last on
file, he was reported absent without
leave since December 18, 1864. No
later record of him has been found.

[Signature]

The Adjutant General,

(A.G.O. 72-1)

Per *AN*

His proof of service.
for a Confederate Pension granted by this State, and I desire to verify

Very respectfully,

EX-PARTE

J. A. Bailey

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending in

Henderson

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

Answers and depositions of (1) Capt. J. B. Gilreath who resides at Cartersville, Ga.

to the accompanying interrogatories (2) and Cross Interrogatories propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) W. C. Walton, Clerk Bartow Superior Court in accordance with the accompanying (7) Agreement

To the first interrogatory the said

Witness, answers James H. Gilreath - age 78 years - near Cartersville, Bartow County, Ga. - P. O. Cartersville, Ga.

2nd = yes, I knew him during the war -

3rd - I know I knew him several years - during the period from 1861-1865 in the Western Army -

4th = I do - Positively -

5th Co. I, 1st Ga. Cavalry - Can't remember exactly when he enlisted, nor at what place, nor the exact length of time he served, but my best recollection is that he served with me in above named Co. two years or more -

6th = No, my recollection is that he was a private -

7th = Not that I have any recollection of

(TX)

Answers to Cross Interrogatories =

1st - The source of my knowledge is that I was intimately acquainted with him and

Served in same Company with
him as stated ~~in~~ herein -
I did not know any other sol-
dier by name of J. A. Bailey -

2nd = yes -

3rd & yes -

4th = He never deserted
or abandoned his post of
duty - On the other hand
he was among the best
soldiers in our Company.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of March, 1917

James H. Gilreath
W.C. Walton Clerk S.C.

THE STATE OF Georgia
COUNTY OF Bartow

Bartow Superior Court

I, W.C. Walton, Clerk
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

do hereby certify that James H. Gilreath
and is personally known to me to be creditable citizens of said

County and State, and that the foregoing answers of said James H. Gilreath

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) James H. Gilreath

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 6th day of March, 1917

(L. S.)

W.C. Walton,
Clerk Bartow Superior Court.

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 Beebeville County, Texas.

Before the Honorable County Judge of
said County.

EX-PARTE

J. H. Bailey

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION
of

James H. Gilreath
Confederate, Ga.

Witness for Applicant.

Filed _____ day

of _____, 191

By _____, Clerk.

By _____, Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ 1

E. L. STECK, PRINTING, BOOKBINDING, AUSTIN



- (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

J. A. Bailey
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

The Honorable County Judge of Wheeler 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. L. (Rouse) Griffin and J. W. Gilrath (Capt) who reside in the County of Bartow in the State of Georgia 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 April 7, 1913, 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 Wheeler and State of Texas, which is a bona fide resident.

J. A. Bailey
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to Witness R. L. (Rouse) Griffin and Capt J. W. Gilrath:

INT. 1. What is your name? Age? Place of residence and postoffice address?

INT. 2. Do you personally know, or did you at any time know J. A. Bailey who is an applicant for pension under Act of April 7, 1913?

INT. 3. How long had you known the said J. A. Bailey and when and where did you first know him?

INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said J. A. Bailey 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 J. A. Bailey 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 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 said J. A. Bailey 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

(TX)

To be propounded to R. L. (Rouse) Griffin & Capt. J. W. Gilrath

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

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said J. A. Bailey
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 J. A. Bailey
deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS }
COUNTY OF Beederson

I, J. A. McDonald, 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^s may be attached hereto.

J. A. McDonald
County Judge Beederson County, Texas.
J. A. Bailey
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

In Re
Application for Confederate

Pension

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS

Beederson County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE

J. A. Bailey
Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

(Rule) propounded to

W. L. Griffith

Capt. J. M. Gilreath
Witnesses.

1st Cross:- The source of my information is derived from the fact that I was personally and intimately associated with him for two or three years in Co. I - 1st Ga. Cavalry - I never knew any other J. A. Bailey (or "Rocky" Bailey) in the army -

2nd:- I am -

3rd:- I am.

4th - I ~~has~~ never knew of it if he did. He was a good and faithful soldier.

EX-PARTE

J. A. Bailey

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending in

Beederson

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

Answers and depositions of (1) R. L. (Ransom) Griffin & Co. who resides
at Cartersville, Bartow Co. Ga

to the accompanying interrogatories (2) and Cross Interrogatories
propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) W. C. Walton, Clerk S. Court,
in accordance with the accompanying (7) agreement

To the first interrogatory the said

Witness, answers Ransom L. Griffin - age 76 years -
Residence & P.O. address - Cartersville, Ga.

2nd - Yes, I knew him well - first
knew during the war between the
States.

3rd - I knew him ~~all~~ practically
all the time during the war between
the States.

4th - I do.

5th - I ~~do~~ - I do not remember
the date nor the place of his en-
listment, but I do know he enlisted
in Co. I - 1st Ga. Cavalry - and that
he served therein as a faithful
soldier for two years or more.

6th - He was a private -

7th - I do not remember as to
details duty - there were so many
details made.

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(over)

1st Cross:- The source of my information is derived from the fact that I was personally and intimately associated with him for two or three years in Co. I - 1st Ga. Cavalry - I never knew any other J. A. Bailey (or "Rock" Bailey) in the army -

2nd:- I am -

3rd:- I am.

4th - I ~~has~~ never knew of it if he did. He was a good and faithful soldier.

Witness signed in wrong place before I noticed it and was gone before I had opportunity to have him correct same - W.C. Walton, Clerk S.C.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of March, 1917

W.C. Walton, Clerk Superior Court
R. L. Griffin (Deponent)

THE STATE OF Georgia

COUNTY OF Bartow

Said County

I, W.C. Walton, Clerk Superior Court,
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

do hereby certify that

R. L. Griffin

is personally known to me to be creditable citizen of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of said R. L. Griffin

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 15th day of March, 1917

(L. S.)

W. C. Walton, Clerk
Superior Court, Bartow
County, Georgia

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 Beecher County, Texas.

Before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE

J. H. Bailey,

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION
of

R. L. Griffin
Confederate Soldier

Witness for Applicant.

Filed day

of 191

Clerk.

By Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$

E. L. STECK, PRINTING, BOOKBINDING, AUSTIN

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

J. A. Bailey
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

Answers and depositions of (1)

My name is W. J. Martin and
65 years old my place of residence is Bynum
Anderson County and my post office is the
same.

to the accompanying interrogations (2)

yes I personally knew J. A. Bailey
propounded to in the above entitled cause taken before (3)

in accordance with the accompanying (7)

To the first interrogatory the said

Witness, answers

W. J. Martin
That his name is W. J. Martin and
his age is sixty five (65) years and his re-
sidence is at present Bynum, Texas, and person-
ally know him have known him for about six
years since the war. I first knew him about 1863
in the Civil war on Hummeraw Mountains that he
personally knew that J. A. Bailey did enlist in the
service of the Confederacy and did perform the duties
of a soldier that J. A. Bailey enlisted in the First
Georgia Calvary Regiment, can't say when he had enlisted
when I got there, he enlisted in Georgia, we served
together from 1863 to 1865. did not serve in
the navy his rank was a private.

I was right there with him for two years
and this is my source of knowledge and did not
at any time know any other soldier by the name
of J. A. Bailey yes, am positively certain
that said J. A. Bailey is the identical person
serving as testified by me yes he served
honorably to the close of the Civil war, and un-
til he was discharged, if J. A. Bailey ever
deserted his command or voluntarily abandoned his
post of duty I didn't know it.

TX

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 12 day of February, 1910
W. J. Martin

THE STATE OF Texas
 County of Henderson }
Public do hereby certify that W. J. Martin
 and is personally known to me to be credible citizens of said
 County and State, and that the foregoing answers of W. J. Martin
 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)

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 12 day of February, 1910
 (L. S.) J. P. Milner Notary
Public in & for Henderson Co, 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.

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

EX PARTE

J. A. Bailey
 Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION
 OF

W. J. Martin

Witness _____ for Applicant

Filed _____ day

of _____ 190 _____

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.

INTERROGATORIES TO WITNESSES IN PENSION CLAIMS.

827-709-2M

EX PARTE

J A Bailey
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

The Honorable County Judge of *Anderson* 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 *Morlin*
and *Morlin* who reside in the County
of *Anderson* 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 her claim for a pension under the Act of March 26, 1909, the applica-
tion 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 can not be proven by any witness residing in the County of
Anderson and State of Texas, of which she is a bona fide resident.

J A Bailey
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness

- Morlin*
- INT. 1. What is your name? Age? Present place of residence and postoffice address? *J A Bailey*
- INT. 2. Do you personally know, or did you at any time know *J A Bailey* who
is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said *J A Bailey*
and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said *J A Bailey*
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 *J A Bailey*
enlisted and served in the Confederate army? When? Where? And the time of service? If you person-
ally 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 *J A Bailey*
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 *J A Bailey* 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 *Morlin* TX

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally
know or did know said *J A Bailey* 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 *J A Bailey* 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 *J A Bailey* serving in the same company or regiment, or special
service in which you say the said *J A Bailey* enlisted, if you have stated that said
J A Bailey 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 J. M. Bailey
applicant serving in the same command, or the special service to which he was assigned?

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

Cross INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said J. M. Bailey
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 J. M. Bailey
deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson

I, O. H. Henderson, 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.

O. H. Henderson
County Judge.....County, Texas.

J. M. Bailey
(Applicant) Attorney.....for Applicant.

In Re

Application for Confederate
Pension.

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS

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Witnesses.

J. A. McDONALD
(LAWYER)

COUNTY JUDGE
HENDERSON COUNTY
ATHENS, TEXAS

Mar 20/17.

Hon J C Jones,
Austin, Texas.

My Dear Sir:

Inclosed find application James A. Bailey, for Pension, together with Int's and Depositions of the witnesses R L Griffin and Capt J H Gilrath, who reside in Cartersville Ga., and taken before W C Walton Clerk of the Sup Court of said Place.

It would seem to me that the old Gentleman-applicant has made out a mighty clean cut case and should be drawing a pension. Kindly let me hear from you about the matter.

His Postoffice is Athens, Texas, Route #8.

Very truly,

J. A. McDonald
Co Judge.



3041-816-3M



J. C. JONES, Commissioner
PHILIP D. LISSNER, Bookkeeper
MISS ELLA BASSIST, Stenographer

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
STATE OF TEXAS
AUSTIN

RECEIVED
MAR 22 1917
AND REFERRED

Your application has been received at this office and same will receive prompt attention.

It will take at least twenty days to carefully examine and act on your application, so please do not write regarding same before-----

Thanking you in advance,

Yours truly,

J. C. JONES,
Commissioner of Pensions.



AND REFERRED
MAR 22 1917
STATE OF TEXAS

BARTOW SUPERIOR COURT
CITY COURT OF CARTERSVILLE
W. C. WALTON, CLERK
DEPUTIES
J. R. ANDERSON CHARLES MAXWELL

*Can Pensions, please
return this letter, to
me - J. A. McDonald
If you don't have to keep with records
Cartersville, Ga., Mch 16th, 1917.*

J. A. McDonald, County Judge,
Athens, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I send you herewith the pension papers with interrogatories of J. H. Gilreath and R. L. Griffin in the matter of application of J. A. Bailey for pension. I would ^{have} returned these sooner, but Mr. Griffin was out of town for some time and I could not see him. I hope the old soldier can succeed in getting the pension. Both Mr. Gilreath and Mr. Griffin spoke in the highest terms of Mr. Bailey, praising him most highly as one of the bravest and most faithful soldiers in their Company.

As to the \$2.50 fee deposited with you by Mr. Bailey to pay fee in this matter, please hand it back to him with my compliments and tell him God bless him, I don't want any of his money. We don't charge old soldiers for services of this kind in Georgia. My father was a Confederate soldier, and I would not dishonor his memory by taking any fee in this

(over)

instance.

Again expressing the hope that the application will go through without a hitch, I am,

Yours truly,

W. C. Walton

Clerk.

MORTUARY WARRANT ACCOUNT

Brownsboro, _____, Texas, May 25, 1922, 192____

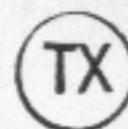
STATE OF TEXAS

To J. A. Bailey Dr.WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY Brownsboro Texas

Account of Death of Pensioner No. 33974, County Henderson
 Pensioner's Name in full J. A. Bailey

Account must be itemized, but Mortuary Warrant will not be issued for more than Thirty Dollars.

1 Coffin \$30.00



The above account for -----Thirty----- & No. 100 DOLLARS
 is just, due and unpaid. Marcel Holman

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of May 1922, 1922Notary Public, Henderson County, Texas

33974

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,
 County of HENDERSON } I, Monroe Holiman
 do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of
 the late J. A. Bailey, who was a pensioner of the
 State of Texas, and whose file number is 33974 and whose original county is Henderson
 The said pensioner Mr. J. A. Bailey, died on the
20th day of May, 1922, in the town of Brownboro
 County of Henderson, Texas.
 The pensioner died in the home of J. E. Bailey
 who was related to the pensioner as son
 That the warrant, which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the ex-
 penses incurred by the said pensioner.
 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) Friend
 and that my home is in the town of Brownboro, County of Henderson
 State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Brownboro, Texas

Signed Monroe Holiman

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

(Seal of Office)

Sup. J. L. Hume
 in and for Henderson, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, _____, do certify that I am undertaker in the
 town of _____, County of _____, State of _____
 that I had charge of the body of _____, who died in the
 town of _____, County of _____, State of _____
 on the _____ day of _____, 192____. That said body was prepared for burial by me
 on the _____ day of _____, 192____. 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, M. M. Moore, do certify that I am a practicing
 physician, and that I attended J. A. Bailey in his last illness, and
 am of the opinion that his ailments were apoplexy

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-fifth Legislature,
 and approved March 2, 1917.

Signed M. M. Moore Physician.

Physician's Address Brownboro, Texas

5-28-22

Produced in the office of
the Sheriff of the County of

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