

FORM B.

# WIDOW'S APPLICATION FOR A PENSION

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Addie Bingham,

Henderson, County.

R. F. D. or Street No.

Postoffice Murchison, Texas.

Filed June 8th, 1928.

Approved

Pension allowed from

Rejected June 8th, 1928.

*S. H. Gerrell*

Comptroller of Public Accounts.

THE E. L. STECK CO., AUSTIN

*acet. agr*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

day of

1928.

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Applicant)

(Seal)

County, Texas.

COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS  
RECEIVED

JUN 7 1928

Referred to

Comptroller of Public Accounts

County Judge

Before me

County of

THE STATE OF TEXAS

Applicant's husband

testimony or either of them when it is made a part of the record in the county clerk's office.

(If possible the two witnesses should be sworn with the applicant's husband in the county and it so

APPROVAL OF WITNESSES



## Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

I, Mrs. Addie Bingham do hereby make application to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, A D. 1913, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of William E. Bingham deceased, who departed this life on the 25th day of May A. D. 1928, 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 19th day of Nov, 1890, A. D., in the county of Navarro in the State of Texas.\*

My husband, the said William E. Bingham, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States and he did not desert the Confederate service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, 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 above the sum of \$300.00 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, exclusive of the home of the value of not over \$2000; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State of the United States, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age, and date of birth? March, 23rd, 1869
2. Where were you born? Titus County, Texas
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? All life
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? 34 years
5. What is your postoffice address? Murchison, Texas
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? no

If rejected, state when and where

7. Did your husband draw a pension? yes If so, give his file number 41134
8. What is your husband's full name? 41134

9. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? 41134
10. How long did your husband serve? 41134 If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge

11. What was the name or letter of the company, or number of the regiment 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. (If applicant's husband was a pensioner give his file number, which is evidence sufficient for proof of service.) 41134

12. 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. 41134

13. Do you own any property other than that rendered for taxes in your county? If so, state value of same and county where located None

14. Have you transferred to another any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? none

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

(Signature of Applicant)

Addie Bingham TX

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of June, 1928, A. D. 192

[Seal]

Thomas H. Curran  
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

\*Where applicant has remarried it is necessary that she state facts covering particulars of last marriage, date, to whom married, and date of last husband's death. She must also state that she is now a widow.



## AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of HudsonBefore me, George H. CarterCounty Judge of Hudson

County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. T. Dickerson & A. B. Coker, 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. Addie Burgham, applicant for a pension as the widow of William E. Burghamdeceased, is in truth and fact the widow of William E. Burgham deceased, that they personally

know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose services in the army she claims

a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.\*

(Signature of Witness) Mrs. T. Dickerson(Signature of Witness) A. B. CokerSworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of June, A. D. 1928

[Seal.]

County Judge George H. Carter

County, Texas.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of HudsonBefore me, George H. CarterCounty Judge of Hudson

County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Mrs. T. Dickerson & A. B. Coker

, who are personally known to me to be creditable citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know the above named applicant for

pension, and that they personally know that the said Addie Burgham

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) Mrs. T. Dickerson(Signature of Witness) A. B. CokerSworn to and subscribed before me, this 5th day of June, A. D. 1928

[Seal.]

County Judge George H. Carter

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 other information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

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 creditable 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 applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (Witnesses must state fully the source of their knowledge of service of applicant's husband) \_\_\_\_\_

See file # 41134

(Signature of Witness) \_\_\_\_\_

(Signature of Witness) \_\_\_\_\_

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, A. D. 192 \_\_\_\_\_

[Seal.]

County Judge \_\_\_\_\_ County, Texas.

## CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR



I, James W. Wood State and County Assessor in the County of Henderson  
State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. W. E. Bingham 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 300.00  
Dollars, and, in addition to homestead, of other  
property, real or personal, or both, of the value of 610.00 Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 5 day of June A. D. 1928  
James W. Wood  
State and County Assessor.



June 8, 1928.

Mrs. Addie Bingham,  
Murchison, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Bingham:

I have yours of recent date enclosing application for Confederate Pension.

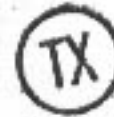
You are advised that this application cannot be approved on account of your age.

The Statute of Texas requires that in order to be eligible for a transfer of the Pension of a Confederate Soldier to his widow, at the time of his death, the widow must not be a woman born since the year 1861. Your application shows the date of your birth to be March 23, 1869, which would render you ineligible for Pension, and for this reason your application must be rejected.

JHT/E

Yours very truly,

- Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.



Feb. the 25<sup>th</sup>

Mr J H Ferrell

Dear Sir do you,  
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you think I will get it  
and when, I shure  
Wood like to see I shure  
need it

Mrs Addie Bingham  
Murchison.

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Henderson/Co



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Received To _____
No. _____



Feb. 27, 1929.

Mrs. Addie Bingham,  
Murchison, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Bingham:

I have your favor of February 25th in which you are asking for information regarding your rights as a Confederate pensioner. You are advised that there has as yet been no amendments made to the pension law by the Legislature which is now in session in Austin. There is a bill pending before said Legislature which, if finally adopted, will make some change in the date of birth of Confederate widows who will be entitled to pension. If this bill should finally be adopted, I am of the opinion that you would under the proof contained in your application be entitled to pension. If, after the adjournment of the Legislature, you will confer with your County Judge, I am sure he can give you the information you desire with regard to such proposed amendments.

If these changes are made, it will not be necessary for you to file a new application. On request from you, your application now on file will be reconsidered. It is impossible at this time for me to say when this law, if adopted, will become effective.

Yours very truly,

Comptroller of Public  
Accounts



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FORM B.  
*Deceased*  
Jan. 14-1946  
WIDOW'S APPLICATION  
FOR A PENSION

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.  
*Miss Addie Bingham*  
*Henderson* County.

R. F. D. or Street No.  
Postoffice *Murchison*

Filed January 19, 1929

Approved March 8th, 1929.

Pension allowed from March 1st, 1929.

Rejected ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~  
*S. H. Terrell*  
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

Acct. date of birth.



## Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of

Henderson

I, Mrs.

Addie Bingham

do hereby make application to the

Comptroller of Public Accounts for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, A. D. 1913, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of William E. Bingham, deceased, who departed this life on the 23 day of May, A. D. 1928, in the county of Henderson in the State of Texas at the town of Morchison.

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 18 day of November, A. D. 1890, in the county of Harris in the State of Texas.

My husband, the said William E. Bingham, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States and he did not desert the Confederate service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, 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 above the sum of \$300.00 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, exclusive of the home of the value of not over \$2000; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State of the United States, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age, and date of birth? 60 - Borne Born March 23 - 1869.
2. Where were you born? Titus County, Texas.
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 60 years - all my life.
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? About 36 years.
5. What is your postoffice address? Morchison Henderson County Texas
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? no

If rejected, state when and where.

7. Did your husband draw a pension? Yes If so, give his file number 41134

8. What is your husband's full name? William E. Bingham,

(William Ezekiel Bingham)

9. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? 41134

10. How long did your husband serve? 41134 If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge 41134

11. What was the name or letter of the company, or number of the regiment 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. (If applicant's husband was a pensioner give his file number, which is evidence sufficient for proof of service.) 41134

12. 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. 41134

13. Do you own any property other than that rendered for taxes in your county? If so, state value of same and county where located. No - No prop.

14. Have you transferred to another 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 may be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as required by law.

(Signature of Applicant)

Mrs Addie BinghamSworn to and subscribed before me this 10 day of January, A. D. 1929A. B. Baker

[Seal]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

\*Where applicant has remarried it is necessary that she state facts covering particulars of last marriage, date, to whom married, and date of last husband's death. She must also state that she is now a widow.



## AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Henderson

Before me, A. B. Coker, County Judge of Henderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Oscar Oliver &

J. L. Warren, who are personally known to me to be credible citi-

zens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know that Mrs. Addie

Bingham, applicant for a pension as the widow of William E. Bingham

deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of William E. Bingham deceased; that they personally

know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose services in the army she claims

a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.\*

(Signature of Witness) Oscar Oliver

(Signature of Witness) J. L. Warren

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10 day of January, A. D. 1929

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

\*Where applicant has remarried it is necessary that she state facts covering particulars of last marriage, date, to whom married, and date of last husband's death. She must also state that she is now a widow.

## AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Henderson

Before me, A. B. Coker, County Judge of Henderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Ben H. Washen &

May Dickson, who are personally known to me to be creditable citi-

zens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know the above named applicant for

pension, and that they personally know that the said Addie Bingham

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, and that they

have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) Ben H. Washen

(Signature of Witness) May Dickson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 10 day of January, A. D. 1929

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.





W.D.JUSTICE

W.WAYNE JUSTICE

R.H.SIGLER

OFFICE OF  
JUSTICE, JUSTICE & SIGLER  
ATTORNEYS AT LAW  
COMPLETE ABSTRACT HENDERSON COUNTY  
ATHENS, TEXAS

June 18, 1928.

Hon. S. H. Terrell, Comptroller,  
Austin, Texas.

IN RE: WILLIAM E. BINGHAM CLAIM NO. 41134.

Dear Sir:

Mrs. Addie Bingham, wife of the deceased confederate soldier, William E. Bingham, who resides at Murchison, Texas, We have a letter from your department in which it appears that she has made application for the transfer of the pension of her deceased husband to herself, and it appears that in filing her application with your department that she shows that she was born March 23, 1869, which if true would not entitle her to the pension, but we are reliably informed that it is not true that she was born in 1869 but in truth and in fact was born on March 23 1859 and would therefore be entitled to a transfer of the pension.

We wish you would forward us the necessary application blanks or tell us what is necessary to be done to enable her to get this pension as she is entitled to same when she has made the proper application to your department and of course you are within your rights in refusing the same if her date of birth is stated as March 23, 1869.

Please advise us in this matter and send the necessary blanks for which we thank you in advance.

Yours very truly,

JUSTICE & SIGLER,

By *W.W. Justice*

WDJ:GG







June 19, 1928.

Justice & Sigler,  
Attorneys At Law,  
Athens, Texas.

Gentlemen:

I am in receipt of your letter of June 18th, in regard to the age of Mrs. Addie Bingham who has filed application for Confederate Pension.

You are advised that if the date of the birth of Mrs. Bingham as given in her application is error she may correct same by affidavit accompanied by any original record that would prove the date of her birth.

It will not be necessary for Mrs. Bingham to file a new application. The date of birth given in the application is March 23, 1869.

The application already filed must remain in this office, and same is subject to inspection at any time.

JHT/E

Yours very truly,



Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.

August the 9

Dear Mr S H Terrell -

I just Receive Your -  
Letter,

Mr Terrell I Receive a  
Letter from one of my  
old Cousin. Stated that  
I was Born in 61

if he can since the  
affliction, can you think  
that Wood Be all write if  
so Please let me no at  
once he is the only one  
that left -

Hoping To here from you

From Mrs Bingham  
Murchison Tex

TX





August 10, 1928.

Mrs. Addie Bingham,  
Murchison, Texas.

Dear Mrs. Bingham:

I have your letter of August 9th,  
in regard to the letter you received from  
your cousin in which she stated that you  
were born in the year 1861.

I am of the opinion that you would  
know more about your age than any one else.

Your sworn statement is that you were born  
in the year 1869, for which reason your appli-  
cation for Pension has been rejected.

JHT/E

Yours very truly,



Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.



## COUNTY OF HENDERSON

A. B. COKER, COUNTY JUDGE

JNO. W. BALLOW, COUNTY CLERK  
MRS. MARY JOHNSON, DISTRICT CLERK  
HOBSON GREEN, COUNTY ATTORNEY  
C. C. PHARRIS, SHERIFF  
WILLIE JOHNSON, COUNTY TREASURER  
FRAZIER HOLLAND, TAX COLLECTOR  
JNO. W. WOOD, ASSESSOR



ATHENS, TEXAS

January 17th, 1929.

FANK J. DAVIS, SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION  
J. M. BINKERTON, COMMISSIONER PREC. 1  
W. L. BARNETT, COMMISSIONER PREC. 2  
A. J. SAYLORS, COMMISSIONER PREC. 3  
T. O. MILNER, COMMISSIONER PREC. 4

Hon. S. H. Terrell, Compt.  
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I am sending you Application of Mrs Addie Bingham, widow of W. E. Bingham, deceased, and will thank you to look over it, and if anything more is required, you may return to me, with a suggestion what to do, and will try to attend to it,

Yours truly

  
County Judge



January 19, 1929.

Hon. A. B. Coker,  
County Judge,  
Athens, Texas.

Dear Judge Coker:

I am in receipt of the application  
of Mrs. Addie Bingham for confederate pension  
but same cannot be approved at this time.

Under the present pension law of this  
State, the widow of a confederate soldier  
must not be a woman born since the year 1861  
in order to be eligible for pension.

Since the application of Mrs. Bingham  
shows that she is sixty years of age, and born  
March 23, 1869, her application must be rejected.

If the law should be amended so as to permit  
the approval of her application, she may renew same  
at that time and it will have prompt attention.

HH/E

Yours very truly,



Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.

cc to:  
Mrs. Addie Bingham,  
Murchison, Texas.



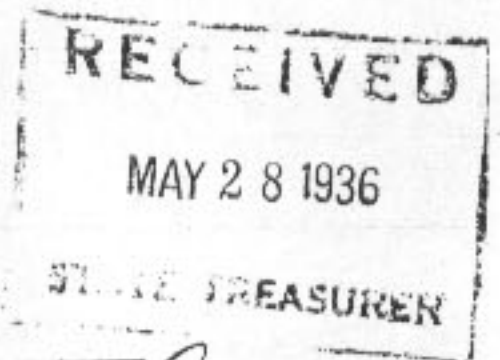
January 19, 1929.

Hon. A. B. Coker



Murchison Texas  
May 27, 1936

Charlie Lockhart  
State Treasurer  
Austin, Texas  
Dear Sir:-



I Cashed Check dated  
Aug. 31, 1935 payable to  
Mrs. Addie Bingham  
Murchison, Texas. This check  
has either been stolen or  
misplaced. Will you please  
advise me whether this check  
has been presented for  
collection or not. I do  
not have the number of  
this check.

Will you please advise  
me in regard to this matter and  
just what steps to take.

Yours truly,  
R E Saxon

45244

Henderson



Warrant # 83575

Aug. 1935

Bond - 5-27-36





CHARLEY LOCKHART  
TREASURER

E. B. BARNES  
CHIEF CLERK

TREASURY DEPARTMENT  
STATE OF TEXAS  
AUSTIN

May 28, 1936

Mr. R. E. Saxon  
Murchison, Texas

Dear Sir:

I have your letter of May 27 in regard to a certain warrant issued to Mrs. Addie Bingham and cashed by you.

I presume this warrant is a Confederate Pension warrant, and I am therefore transmitting your letter to the Pension Division of the State Comptroller, asking that they ascertain the number of the warrant and take the proper steps in order to give us the authority to stop payment thereon. I feel sure that they will be very glad to handle the matter to your entire satisfaction.

Very truly yours,

Charley Lockhart  
State Treasurer

CL:gs  
cc: State Comptroller

May 29, 1936.

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Hon. Charley Lockhart  
State Treasurer  
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Please stop payment on Confederate Pension  
Warrant No. 83575 dated August 31, 1935 in the amount of  
\$25.00 and issued to Mrs. Addie Bingham of Murchison, Texas.

Notice has been given that the above warrant  
has been lost or misplaced.

Yours very truly,

JHT:E

Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.





May 29, 1936.

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Mr. R. E. Saxon  
Murchison, Texas.

Dear Mr. Saxon:

This will acknowledge your letter of May 27 addressed to the Hon. Charley Lockhart, State Treasurer, in which you state the Confederate Pension Warrant issued Mrs. Addie Bingham, dated August 31, 1935 had been misplaced or stolen after you had cashed same for her.

The records of this office show that Warrant No. 83575 was issued Mrs. Addie Bingham of Murchison, Texas for August 31, 1936. I am stopping payment on this warrant today.

Inclosed is a blank bond to be executed by you as owner of the warrant in double the amount of such warrant. The bond must also be signed by two good and sufficient sureties, and when properly executed return to this office and duplicate warrant will be issued and mailed to you.

Yours very truly,

JHT:E  
Incl.

Comptroller of Public  
Accounts.



FORM NO. 1, JUNE, 1934

## BOND

83644-434-1m

This BOND must be sworn to by the owner of the original warrant, and also signed by the owner and two sureties before it will be approved and duplicate warrant issued.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of HendersonEXECUTE AND RETURN THIS BOND AND  
DUPLICATE WARRANT WILL BE ISSUED.Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared R. E. Saffordwho, after being by me duly sworn on oath, says that he is the true owner of Confederate Pension Warrant No. 835-75- for the sum of Twenty five & 00/100 Dollars,drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on Aug 31-1935-, in favor ofMrs Addie Bingham, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed, or has not been received.

(SEAL)

R. E. Safford  
Owner of Warrant.Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 9 day of June, 1936.C. D. Turner  
Notary Public  
in and for Henderson Co., Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we, R. E. Safford,  
as principal, and L. J. Tidmore and C. D. Turner, as sureties,  
are held and bound unto James V. Ashford, Governor of the State of Texas, and  
his successors in office, in the sum of Fifty & 00/100 Dollars,  
for the payment of which sum, well and truly to be made, we do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and  
administrators, jointly and severally.

Whereas, the above named principal has filed with the Comptroller affidavit, stating that he is  
the true owner of said Confederate Pension Warrant, drawn by the Comptroller of the State of Texas, on the  
date shown in the above affidavit, in favor of said payee, and that the same is in fact lost or destroyed; and

Whereas, duplicate of said Confederate Pension Warrant, in favor of the original payee, will be issued;

Now, therefore, the condition of the above obligation is such that the owner of said warrant will hold the  
State harmless and return to the Comptroller, upon demand being made therefor, such duplicate or copies, or  
the amount of money named therein, together with all costs that may accrue against the State, on collecting  
the same.

Given under our hands, this 9 day of June, A. D. 1936.R. E. Safford  
Principal.C. D. Turner  
Surety.L. J. Tidmore  
Surety.Approved all day of June, 1936 TXGeo H. Shippard  
Comptroller.County HendersonNumber 45-244

Address R. F. D. \_\_\_\_\_ Street.

\_\_\_\_\_, Texas.  
(City or Town)45244  
6-29-36



Murchison Texas  
Aug 12, 1936

Hon. Geo H Sheppard  
Comptroller of Public Accounts  
Dear Sir:-

Division # 17.

In reference to warrant  
# 83575 find that this voucher  
was cashed by Mr G. F. Wells  
of Murchison, who latter cashed  
same with First State Bank at  
Brownshara, who presented same  
at your department for payment  
in as much as you had issued  
duplicate warrant to me same  
was returned to First State  
Bank Brownshara

Our records all showed that  
I cashed this warrant substantiated  
by Mrs Laddie Bingham's statement  
in as much as both Mr Wells  
and First State Bank are honorable  
I will say that we are in error

I am this day delivering to First  
State Bank duplicate # 83575  
I am sure Mr Bingham can



explain to your full satisfaction  
Thanking you for the courtesy  
you have shown me, assuring  
you I deplore this error,

I remain  
yours truly  
R E Sutton

Per Mrs A P Hardin





NO. 1082

**THE FIRST STATE BANK**

H.J. STUART, PRESIDENT

IVY FULGHAM, VICE-PRESIDENT

**BROWNSBORO, TEXAS**

8-13-1936

Hon. George H. Sheppard,  
Austin, Texas.

RE: Original No 83575  
Mrs Addie Bingham \$25.00  
Duplicate No 83575---

Dear Sirs;

You issued a duplicate on the above original, and we have the original, letter enclosed from R.E. Saxon, self explanatory. Please cancel this duplicate, and order the original paid and return the bond R.E. Saxon made in order that the record will be clear and he will have the bond in and then we can get our original cashed.

Thanking you for this courtesey,

Yours truly,

*Ivy Fulgham*  
Vice Pres & Cashier.



August 15, 1935.

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The First State Bank  
Brownsboro, Texas.

Attention Mr. Ivy Fulgham, Vice President.

Gentlemen:

I am returning to you the Duplicate Confederate Pension Warrant issued Mrs. Addie Bingham of Murchison, Texas, for the month of August, 1935.

Since a duplicate warrant has been issued the State Treasurer is refusing to pay the original warrant on the ground that the issuance of a duplicate warrant would destroy the original.

In order that this matter can be properly handled you should have the pensioner indorse the inclosed duplicate warrant and destroy or return the original warrant to this office, and forward the duplicate warrant to the State Treasurer at Austin, Texas, and it will be paid.

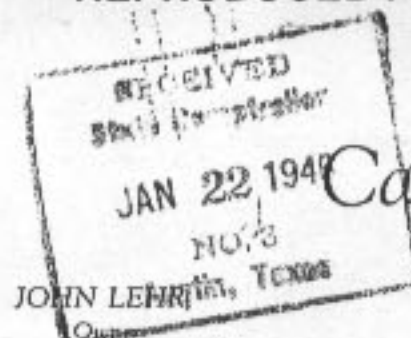
Yours very truly,

JHT:R  
Incl.

GEO. H. SHEPPARD  
COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.







# Carroll & Lehr Funeral Home

731 East Tyler Street Telephone 247

ATHENS, TEXAS

Ambulance Service

January 19, 1946

45144  
Henderson

36461  
Henderson

Geo. H. Sheppard  
Comptroller of Public Accounts  
Austin, Texas

Dear Sir:

We wish to report the deaths of Mary Addie Bingham of Athens, Texas, and Bettie Minshew of Eustace, Texas.

We understand there is a burial benefit for widows of Confederate soldiers. If this is true please send us the necessary blanks to be completed by us in order that we may make claim.

Thanking you for your prompt attention in this matter,  
we are

Very truly yours,

CARROLL & LEHR FUNERAL HOME,

F. W. Asmussen

F. W. Asmussen.

Mortuary Blanks  
& notices

Jan. 22-1946



Please have application for Mortuary Warrant properly executed and have the Undertaker attach to it a sworn itemized statement showing the cost of each item furnished for the burial. Return to

Geo. H. Sheppard, Comptroller, Austin, Texas

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# APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

I, Mrs. Major Brown

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Addie Bingham, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 45244 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner Mrs. Addie Bingham, died on the 14th day of January, 1946, in the town of Athens County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. Dimple Davidson who was related to the pensioner as Daughter

That the warrant, which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the funeral expenses incurred by the said pensioner Mrs. Addie Bingham

I further certify that the warrant for the current month has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as Daughter that my postoffice address is 210 Dean Street

Street or R. F. D.

Athens City

Texas

State

Sworn to before me this 4th

day of

Signed

Mrs. Major Brown

February

1946-

Must return before 40 days expires from date of Pensioner's death

Notary Public in and for E. A. Landman State of Texas.

## CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, Carroll-Lehr Funeral Home, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Athens, County of Henderson, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Addie Bingham, who died in the town of Athens, County of Henderson, State of Texas on the 14th day of January 1946. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 14th day of January 1946, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Mrs. Major Brown who makes the foregoing application.

Carroll-Lehr Funeral Home

Signed

F. W. Asmus

Owner

Undertaker.

## CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

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

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

Signed

Physician's Address

no monthly warrant for Jan. 1946 issued

January 23, 1946.

Execute and return at once.

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45244



