#### 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. N. L. Cotten

Henderson County.

R. F. D. or Street No. Box 145

Postoffice Brownsboro, Texas

Filed April 20, 1935.

Approved Pension allowed from ,

Age . Date of Birth

Rejected

## Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(If possible the one witness should have served with the applicant's husband in the army, and if so, let him state it in his 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,
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[Seal.]	County Judge County, Texas.

April 23, 1935.

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Mrs. N. L. Cotten Box 145 Brownsboro, Texas

Dear Mrs. Cotton:

I am in receipt of your application for Confederate pension, and am sorry to advise that under the present law of Texas you are not eligible for pension on account of the date of your birth.

Under the law in order for the widow of a Confederate soldier to be eligible for pension she must be a woman born prior to January 1, 1873. Your application shows that your birth occurred in 1876 and your age is fiftynine years. On account of the requirement of the law your application is rejected.

Yours very truly,

JHT:E.

and a

Comptroller of Public Accounts.

