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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.

Fannie Ann Franklin

Harrison County.

Postoffice Brownsville

Filed Jan. 22nd 1913

Approved March 1st 1913

Pension allowed June 1st 1913

Rejected

Commissioner of Pensions.

VON BOECKMANN-JONES CO., PRINTERS, AUSTIN

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FORM B

For use of Widows of Soldiers who are in indigent circumstances.

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Henderson }

I, Mrs Fannie Ann Franklin, 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 am the widow of William Cain Franklin, deceased, who departed this life on the 20 day of Dec, A. D. 1912, 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 4 day of Dec, A. D. 1873, in the county of Smith, in the State of Texas

My husband, the said William Cain Franklin, 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, 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 any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, 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 I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 54
2. Where were you born? Cherokee County, Texas
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? All my life
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? Since 1873 - Chandler, Texas, At # 3
5. What was your husband's full name? William Cain Franklin
6. When and where were you married? in 1873, in Smith Co, Texas
7. What was the date of his death? Dec. 20, 1912
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Miss
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. 3 years
Do not know date of enlistment or discharge
10. 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 of service. See application of William Cain Franklin

11. 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 how long did he serve? Infantry - Was not commissioned
nor detailed so far as I know

12. 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) Lavinia Ann ^{his} Franklin

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

C. D. Owen

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

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 A. G. Walls, J. M. Cecil, 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. Lavinia Ann Franklin, applicant for a pension as the widow of William C. Franklin deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of William C. Franklin 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) A. G. ^{his} Walls

(Signature of Witness) J. M. ^{mark} Cecil

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

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Before me C. D. Owen, County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. G. Walls, J. M. Cecil, 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 Lavinia Ann Franklin has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to March 1, A. D. 1880, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) A. G. ^{his} Walls

(Signature of Witness) J. M. ^{mark} Cecil

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

C. D. Owen

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

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(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 _____ }

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 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:

*This For proof of service
You are referred to proof in application
of William C Franklin deceased, who
has been drawing a pension at the
time of his death.*
C. W. [Signature]
C. W. [Signature]

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, A. D. 19____

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, *Decatur F. Hudson* *Henry*, State and County Assessor in the County of *Hudson*, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. *Fannie Ann Franklin* 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 *nothing* dollars.

Given under my hand, this *17* day of *Jan*, A. D. 19*13*

D. F. Henry

State and County Assessor.



Chandler J. S.

11-4-1915

Mr. Jones, dear Sir. Just Received
 your of Oct. 1. contents were noted
 I am sure you are mistaken
 about the pro. warrant. it never has
 been issued to Mrs. Francis A.
 Franklin Ending Aug 31. for this
 reason, his death report was sent
 in about the 28 of June. I
 think & when you look it up I
 think you will find this to be
 same where near write. But if they
 have been a pro warrant issued I never
 got it or I cant locate it

(TX)

Yours Respect
 H. P. Grant

October 1, 1918.

Mr. H. I. Grant,
Chandler, Texas

Dear Sir:-

I have your application for the mortuary warrant on account of the death of Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin but can not issue you this warrant until you return the pension warrant of Twenty Dollars issued to Mrs. Franklin for the quarter ending August 31, 1918. On receipt of this warrant mortuary will be issued to you.

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner of Pensions

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July 2, 1918.

Mr. H. I. Grant,
Chandler, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I have yours of recent date containing death certificate of Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin who was a pensioner from Henderson County.

I am enclosing you herewith blanks to be used in making application for the mortuary warrant of Thirty Dollars which the state allows for burial expenses.

Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,

Commissioner of Pensions

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August 13, 1918.

Mr. J. A. Franklin,
Chandler, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I have your letter of the 8th inst., in which you ask for mortuary blanks on account of the death of Mrs. F. A. Franklin. Beg to advise that this death was reported some time ago by Dr. M. M. Moss who requested that we send blanks for the mortuary warrant to H. I. Grant of Chandler, Texas, Route 3, and same were sent to this party on July 2, and have not been returned.

- Yours truly,

J. C. Jones,
Commissioner of Pensions



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Chandler Texas 8-12-1818

Hon J. C. Jones

Austin Texas

Dear Sir

Mrs F. A. Franklin
Pensioner No 21437 of
Henderson County died
on June 13th 1818 and
I understand that the
Department allows \$30.00
for Burial Expenses of
so Please send me that
amount for funeral
expense

Respect

J. A. Franklin
P. S Mrs Franklin is my
step mother

J. A. F.

TAKE THIS TO

CHANDLER DRUG CO.

CHANDLER, TEXAS

This is to certify that I knew
 Mrs. Annie Franklin to be the
 wife of W.C. Franklin who
 was an ex-Confederate Soldier
 and frontiersman and that
 I attended her in last
 illness No of Pension 2:1437

Respectfully

Wm. M. Moss

FOR

Send to N. J. Grant

Chandler Tex 23



U. S. Reg. No.

No.

Date

No.

A. A. Scrutchedfield

\$ 30⁰⁰

21437 Henderson

(not for pension)

Fund

OFFICE OF
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS
STATE OF TEXAS
AUSTIN

Correct, for the sum of \$

30⁰⁰

Charge to

J. C. Jones
Commissioner of Pensions.

MORTUARY WARRANT

In accordance with Law passed by Thirty-fifth Legislature of Texas in Regular Session

Bullard Texas, 1918

STATE OF TEXAS

To A. A. Cinterfield Dr.

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY Bullard, Texas

Account of Death of Pensioner No. 21437, County Henderson

Pensioner's Name in full Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin

ITEMIZE ACCOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THIRTY DOLLARS.

1 Coffin	25 ⁰⁰
Rob	7 ⁵⁰
Heard	35
Glenn	60
Less	<u>33⁰⁰</u>

To above account for Thirty Three & 50/100 Dollars

is just, due and unpaid. A. A. Cinterfield

Died 6-13-18 Sworn to and subscribed before me this 3rd day of Sept 1918

Last warrant 5-31-18 OK no warrant issued J. C. Jones Notary Public

J. C. Jones Notary Public, Smith County, Texas (TX)

PLACE OF DEATH

Texas State Board of Health

STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

County HendersonCity Chandler 2-3

Registered No.

(No. St. Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

FULL NAME Mr. & Mrs. Franklin

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

SEX Male COLOR OR RACE White SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married
(Write the word)DATE OF BIRTH Jan 1, 1897 (Month) 1 (Day) 1897 (Year)Age 37 yrs. mos. ds.OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work Domestic
(b) General nature of industry, business or establishment in which employed (or employer)BIRTHPLACE (State or country) TexasPARENTS
NAME OF FATHER Franklin
BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Texas
MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Franklin
BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) TexasThe above is true to the best of my knowledge
(Informant) M. M. Moore
(Address) Chandler 2-3Filed 1917 REGISTRAR

MEDICAL PARTICULARS

DATE OF DEATH Jan 13, 1918
(Month) 1 (Day) 1918 (Year)I HEREBY CERTIFY, that I attended deceased from May 7, 1918 to Jan 13, 1918
that I last saw him alive on Jan 13, 1918
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9 P. M.
The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows:Pneumonia
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.CONTRIBUTORY (Secondary) None
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.(Signed) M. M. Moore M. D.
1918 (Address) Chandler 2-3

*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY, and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.

LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents).

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? TX
Former or usual residence

PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD
N. B.—Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important.

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APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

I, H. I. Grant

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin, who was a pensioner

of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 21437 and whose original county is Henderson

The said pensioner Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin, died on the 13 day of June, 1918, in the town of Chandler P O.

County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of own who was related to the pensioner as

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

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) Son-In-Law and that my home is in the town of Chandler, County of Henderson, State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Chandler, Texas

R. F. D. #3

Signed

H. I. Grant

Before me a Notary Public in and for the County of Henderson, State of Texas, personally appeared H. I. Grant

who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

Notary Public in and for Henderson Co., Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, J. E. Little & Co. a dealer in burial sup. do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of Chandler, County of Henderson, State of Texas, that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin, who died in the town of Chandler, County of Henderson, State of Texas, on the 13th day of June, 1918. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 14th day of June, 1918. That said body was buried in the Rock Hill Cemetery, which is located in the County of Henderson, State of Texas, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for, should be issued to the said H. I. Grant who makes the foregoing application.

Signed

Undertaker. Supplier of burial supplies.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, do certify that I am a practicing physician and that I attended Mrs. Fannie A. Franklin 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-fifth Legislature, and approved

Signed

M. M. Moss, M.D. Physician.

Physician's Address

Brownsville, Tex.