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FORM No. 1.

8723  
 CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION.

Name of Applicant,

Alfred Hutcherson

Henderson County.

Post Office

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Comptroller's File No. 8723

I have carefully examined the within application for pension, together with the proof in support thereof, and I recommend that the application be

Approved

this 20 day of February

A. D. 1902

E. A. Polmes

chf Pension Clerk.

I hereby Approve the within application for pension, this FEB 20 1902 day of

A. D.

J. H. Walker  
 acty Comptroller.

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners Should be Forwarded to Comptroller.

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APPLICATION of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

COUNTY OF

Henderson

To the Honorable County Judge of Henderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, Alfred Stutcherson respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Henderson County, in the State of Texas, and that he makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved May 12, A. D. 1899, the same being an act entitled "An act to carry into effect the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that aid may be granted to disabled and dependent Confederate soldiers, sailors, and their widows under certain conditions, and to make an appropriation therefor," and I do solemnly swear that the answers I have given to the following questions are true.

NOTE—Applicant must make answer to all of the following questions, and such answers must be written out plainly in ink.

- Q. What is your name? Answer Alfred Stutcherson
- Q. What is your age? Answer 60 years Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1901
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Henderson
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your post office address? Answer 22 years  
Mance, Henderson Co, Texas
- Q. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law heretofore, and been rejected? If so state when and where. Answer No,
- Q. What is your occupation if able to engage in one? Answer Farmer, not able to do much,
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer feeble, badly ruptured and left arm off at shoulder,
- Q. If your physical condition is such that you are unable by your own labor to earn a support, state what caused such disability. Answer It is, lost my left arm Sept 19, 1863 at battle of Chickamauga  
has been ruptured for ten years, lately it is very bad,
- Q. State in what company and regiment you enlisted in the Confederate army, and the time of your service? Answer 20 Tex'n. Infantry Com St. served 4 years
- Q. If you served in the Confederate navy state when and where, and the time of your service. Answer Did not serve in Navy,
- Q. State whether or not you have received any pension or veteran donation land certificate under any previous law, and if you answer in the affirmative state what pension or veteran donation land certificate you have received. Answer No
- Q. What real and personal property do you now own, and what is the present value of such property? Give list of such property and value. Answer myself and two sons own a tract of 180 acres of sandy land, my interest in it is only \$25, the deed however is in me, my boys paid it out all but \$25, with the understanding that I am to make deed to them of the 180 acres when they pay me the \$25, that I have paid out on same have a money note \$25, & small note worth \$25, & \$10, worth less

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- Q. What property, and what was the value thereof have you sold or conveyed within two years prior to the date of this application? Answer One pony worth about \$15. a small mule worth \$25. & about 10. worth of hogs, = none
- Q. What income, if any, do you receive? Answer none
- Q. Are you in indigent circumstances; that is, are you in actual want, and destitute of property and means of subsistence? Answer I am,
- Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer I am
- Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer I have not,
- Q. Did you ever desert the Confederacy? Answer no
- Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of January, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer I have

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

(Signature of Applicant)

Alfred H. Hutcherson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October A. D. 1901

(SEAL)

Alfred H. Hutcherson  
County Judge Paul Jones County, Texas.

# AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

(NOTE—There must be at least two credible witnesses.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

Henderson

Before me,

Paul Jones

County Judge of

Henderson

County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

J. A. Morton and J. W. Ballard

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

Alfred Hutcherson the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said Alfred Hutcherson enlisted in the service of the

Confederacy, and performed the duties of a soldier (or sailor) as claimed by him in the above and foregoing application, and that they

further know that he, the said applicant, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness)

John A. Morton

(Signature of Witness)

J. W. Ballard

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October A. D. 1901

(SEAL)

Paul Jones  
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

Before me

Paul Jones

County Judge of Henderson

County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

W. A. French, who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, who being by me duly sworn on oath, states that he has carefully and thoroughly examined

applicant for a pension, and finds him laboring under the following disabilities which render him unable to labor at any work or calling sufficient to earn a support for himself:

Inguinal Hernia of right side, also left arm off at shoulder

(Signature of Physician)

W. A. French

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

19<sup>th</sup>

day of

October

A. D. 1901

(SEAL)

County Judge

Paul Jones

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

I,

Paul Jones

County Judge of Henderson

County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the

day of

October

A. D.

1901

before me came on to be heard the application of

Alfred Hutcherson

for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law of this

State, approved May 12, A. D. 1899; that the answers of said applicant to the questions propounded were made under oath as the same

appear in writing in the foregoing application; that the affidavits of the witnesses who are credible citizens were made before me as the

same hereinbefore appear, and that the foregoing affidavit of Doctor

W. A. French

who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant

Alfred Hutcherson

is not an inmate of the Texas Confederate Home, nor otherwise disqualified

under the provision of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all the proceedings had before

me relative to the said application for a pension by the said

Alfred Hutcherson

I find the said

applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and I hereby approve said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office at

Henderson

this

19<sup>th</sup>

day of

October

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(SEAL)

County Judge

Paul Jones

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners' Court of

Henderson County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of

Alfred Hutcherson for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted

by Hon. Paul Jones County Judge of this Henderson

County, to the Commissioners Court of this Henderson County, at a regular term thereof on the

day of November A. D. 1901, and after a careful consideration of the same we find the said applicant is

lawfully entitled to the pension provided for by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and we hereby approve said application.

Witness our hands and seal of office at

Henderson

this

18<sup>th</sup>

day of

November

A. D. 1901

(Signatures of Commissioners.)

(SEAL)

E. R. Pickle  
B. D. Arnold  
W. H. Biggs  
Peter Hardin



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## Affidavit of Physician

Henderson

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of HendersonBefore me C. O. Owen, County Judge of Henderson County,  
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. Dr. J. H. Websterwho is a physician in good standing, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath says that he has carefully examined  
A. Hutchinson and finds him laboring under the following disabilities.(If a soldier, state fully whether he lost a limb, or limbs, or is blind or totally disabled; in the latter case stating specifically the personal ailment and conditions that render him entirely helpless and incapacitated, physically or mentally, for any work or business; if the widow of a soldier, "for any kind of work suitable for her sex.")I find applicant to be totally disabled  
from labor by loss of 10 fingers 4 inches  
from shoulder joint and Right eye  
blind and Blind in left eye from  
CataractJ. H. Webster M.D. (TX)Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept A. D. 1912

(SEAL.)

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

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