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FORM A

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.

And Johnson

Hudson County.

Postoffice

Marathon

Filed

Sept. 1st 1909.

Approved

Pension allowed from

MAR 24 1911

Rejected

E. A. Bolmes

Commissioner of Pensions.

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FORM A

For Use of Soldiers, Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Henderson }

I, Red Johnson, 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 surrendered at Hempstead, Texas

(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 an 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? 65 years
2. Where were you born? In Alabama
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 53 years
4. In what county do you reside? Henderson
5. How long have you resided in said county and what is your postoffice address 36 years
my address is Malatop.
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? Farming
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Texas
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge 4 years
10. What was the letter of your company, number or name of battalion, regiment or battery? Company
A, 11th Texas Infantry. O. M. Roberts
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? Infantry

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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? No.

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) Leard Johnson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 19 day of Aug., A. D. 1909

[SEAL.]

John S. Priddy
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Henderson }

Before me John S. Priddy, County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. T. Lelay & A. C. Mucham, who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know Leard Johnson the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said Leard Johnson 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. T. Lelay

(Signature of Witness) A. C. Mucham

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 28 day of Aug., A. D. 1909

[SEAL.]

John S. Priddy
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 personally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in his application are correct

By Examination
you will find that
Witnesses have signed
this Sept 11 1909
John S. Brewer
Co-Judge

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 23 day of Aug, 1909

T. F. Hubbard.
Notary Public

THE STATE OF Texas.

County of Van Zandt

I, T. F. Hubbard.

(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

Notary Public

do hereby certify that Humphrey Tuel. Skim Bath

and S. A. Blasingame Skimp are personally known to me to be credible citizens of said

County and State, and that the foregoing answers of Humphrey Tuel. and

S. A. Blasingame the witnesses 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) Skim Bath

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 23 day of Aug, 1909

(L. S.)

T. F. Hubbard.
Notary Public

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

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION
OF

Witness for Applicant

Filed _____ day

of _____ 190 _____

Clerk.

Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____

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- (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.

DEPOSITION IN PENSION CLAIMS, with Caption and Certificates.

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EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Dud Johnson

Under Act March 26, 1909, pending

In Henderson

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge
of said County.Answers and depositions of (1) Humphrey Tealand ~~Mark High~~S. A. Blasingameto the accompanying interrogations (2) and cross interrogatoriespropounded to them in the above entitled cause taken before (3) T. H. Hubbardin accordance with the accompanying (7) agreement

To the first interrogatory the said

Humphrey Teal

Witness, answers

Humphrey Teal, Stone Point, Tex. age 72 years.

To 2nd Int. he Ans.

yes

To 3d Int He Ans:

1862 Co. I. 11th Inf. - O. M. Roberts.
Redg.

To 4th Int He Ans:

I do. He served as a soldier.

To 5th Int he Ans:

Co. I. 11th Texas Inf. - in 1862. Tyler Texas.
until the close of the war.

To 6th Int he Ans:

he was a private.

To 7th Int. he Ans:

He was not.

To 1, cross-Int he Ans:

Served together in the same company
did not know of any other Johnson in my comp.

To 2nd cross-Int he Ans:

yes.

To 3d cross-Int he Ans:

I do. He served until
the close.

To 4th cross-Int he Ans:

He did not.signed Humphrey Teal

Over.

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To 1st Int. the witness Mark High Ans:

S. A. Blasingame, A.M.
attends Stone Point. S. A. Blasingame

To 2nd Int said witness Ans:

yes.

3d Int said witness Ans: 1862 Co I 11th Texas Inf
B.M. Roberts Reg

To 4th Int he Ans: I do. He was a soldier.

To 5th int He Ans: Co I 11th Texas. Inf in 1862 Tyler
Texas until the close of the war.

To 6th Int he Ans. He was a private

To 7th Int he Ans: He was not

To First Cross-Int he Ans: Served together in same company
did not know of any other Johnson in my
company

To 2nd Cross int. he Ans: yes.

To 3d Cross Int. he Ans: I do. He served until
the close

To 4th Int he Ans: he did not
signed, S. A. Blasingame

Answer to

No. 1. Humphrey Teel, Stone Point,
Texas, age 72 years.

No. 1. S. A. Blasingame, Stone Point,
Texas, age 68 years.

EX PARTE

Dud Johnson.

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

The Honorable County Judge of Henderson 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 Umpfrey Teal and Mark High S. A. Blasingame who reside in the County of Varzandt 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 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 can not be proven by any witness is residing in the County of Henderson and State of Texas, of which she is a bona fide resident.

Dud Johnson
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness isUmpfrey Teal and ~~Mark High~~ S. A. Blasingame

- INT. 1. What is your name? Age? Present place of residence and postoffice address?
- INT. 2. Do you personally know, or did you at any time know Dud Johnson who is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said Dud Johnson and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said Dud Johnson 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 Dud Johnson 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 Dud Johnson 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 Dud Johnson 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.

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To be Propounded to Umpfrey Teal and Mark High S. A. Blasingame

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

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

County of Henderson

I, John S. Prince, 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 Dud Johnson may be attached hereto.

John S. Prince
County Judge Henderson, County, Texas.

Dud Johnson
(Applicant) Attorney..... for Applicant.

In Re

Application for Confederate

Pension.

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS.

Henderson County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX PARTE

Dud Johnson
Applicant. I

INTERROGATORIES

propounded to

Wm. H. H. H. H.
S. A. B. B. B. B.
Witnesses.



E. A. BOLMES, Commissioner

OFFICE OF
Commissioner of Pensions
State of Texas
Austin

FEB 12 1910

To the Adjutant General,

War Department,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record
of Dud. Johnson who is reported to have enlisted in
Company I, Regiment 11th Texas Infantry
in the service of the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The 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.

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

WAR DEPARTMENT, 1620871

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, Feb. 17, 1910.

Respectfully returned to the

Commissioner of Pensions,
State of Texas,
Austin.

The records show that Dudley John-
son, private, Company E (afterwards
Company I), 11th Texas Infantry, Con-
federate States Army, was enlisted
February 12, 1862. He was reported
present with the company on the roll
dated February 29, 1864, last on file.
No later record of him has been found.



The Adjutant General.

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