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FORM A.

Soldier's Application for a Pension

The Commissioner of Pensions reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

6-5-25

Name of Applicant.

James Johnson
Anderson County.

Postoffice

Keup Texas Co #5

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Commissioner of Pensions.

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FORM A

694-315-2M

For Use of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of

Henderson

I,

James Johnson

do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the 33rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, 1913, 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; or (that I was in the service of the State of Texas during the war, to protect said State against the Indians and Mexicans for more than 6 months.) That I was honorably discharged or ~~surrendered~~

Greensboro North Carolina.

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1900, 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 a salary or fees of \$300.00 per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment or other source whatever which amounts to \$300.00 per annum, nor do I receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of \$300.00 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, exclusive of a home of the value of not more than \$1000.00; 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?

79 years old

2. Where were you born?

Union County South Carolina

3. How long have you resided in Texas?

43 years

4. In what county do you reside?

Henderson

5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address?

25 years. Kemp, Texas R# 5

6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state

when and where.

Never applied

7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one?

None

What is your physical condition?

bad

8. In what State was the command in which you served organized?

South Carolina

9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge.

About 4 years

10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery?

Company First South Carolina Reg.

11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service.

Yes. Transferred, but remember

12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy?

Infantry, at first, then discharged

on account of eye, and in Feb a month later sent me back into Cavalry.

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13. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty?.....

No

14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve?.....

No

15. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home?.....

\$250.00

16. What is the assessed value of your other property?.....

\$250.00

17. 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 a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant.)

James Johnson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *20* day of *Oct* A. D. 19*23*

J. A. Johnson
County Judge *Henderson* County, Texas.

[Seal.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of *Henderson*

Before me *J. A. Johnson*, County Judge of *Henderson* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *D. J. Holley, V. E. Burlin*

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

James Johnson, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said *James Johnson* has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to

January 1, A. D. 1900, and that they have no interest in his claim.

(Signature of Witness)

D. J. Holley

(Signature of Witness)

V. E. Burlin

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this..... day of..... A. D. 191.....

[Seal.]

County Judge..... 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 per-

sonally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and statements made in his application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in his claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And _____ further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

*No one known to me
- that knew of my service
in the Army. Please look
up record.*

*This old gentleman is very gentle
and deserving. Think his record
is clear.*

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, A. D. 191 _____

[Seal.]

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I *D. C. Davis* State and County Assessor in the County of *Henderson*
State of Texas, do certify that *James Johnson*, or his wife, or his trustee,
or trustee for his wife, 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 *Two hundred & fifty & no. 00* Dollars,
and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of *fifty & no. 00*
Dollars.

Given under my hand, this *20* day of *October* A. D. 191 *23*

D. C. Davis

State and County Assessor.



LON A. SMITH, COMPTROLLER
W. T. GASTON, CHIEF CLERK

Comptroller's Department
State of Texas
Austin

To the Adjutant General,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of Jane Johnson
who is reported to have enlisted in Company K, Regiment 5th S.C. Cav

in service in the Confederate States Army.

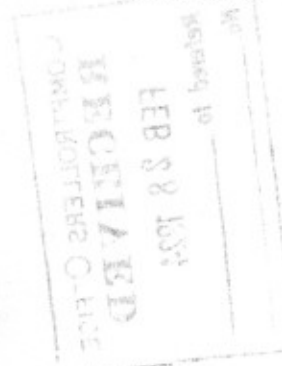
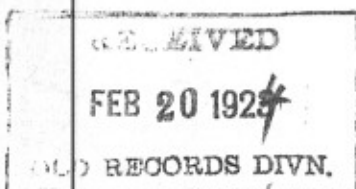
Very respectfully,

Lon A. Smith

Comptroller of State of Texas.

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W. L. GASTON, CHIEF CLERK
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE

ORD WAR DEPARTMENT.
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.
WASHINGTON Feb. 23, 1924.

~~MEMORANDUM~~

Comptroller, State of Texas,
Austin,
Tex.

The records of this office show that JAMES JOHNSON enlisted Nov. 7th, 1862 at Unionville, as a private in Co. K, 5th S.C. Cav. CSA, and is reported on roll for Sept. & Oct. 1864, last on file, absent, in dismounted Battn.

No prisoner of war or later record found.



Robert C. Davis,
The Adjutant General.

By *R.C.*

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Comptroller of State of Texas

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

County of Wowberry

Personally appeared before me M. M. Buford

who being duly sworn, ~~each of them~~ deposes and says that they know Jamel Johnson

who is an applicant for a pension, and they have read the said application; that they know of their own

knowledge that the applicant was a Soldier in Company K 5th Regiment of S. C. Cavalry

and that he rendered services as therein stated; that he has resided in this State in Lump Sum years.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 25th

day of January 1924

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Probate Judge.

M. M. Buford

Company "K" Regiment 5th Regt. S. C. Cavalry

Company.....Regiment.....

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W. F. JOHNSON

R. F. D. 5

Kemp, Texas

This is to certify that

I m m Buford can person-

ally vouch for the service
of James Johnson in Co
K Fifth South Carolina
Cavalry, C. S. A. during
the years 1864, & 1865

m. m. Buford

Sworn to before me,
this 25th day of Jan, 1924.
at Newmy, S. C.

W. F. Ewart
C. J. N. C.



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Kemp, Texas



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This is to certify that
I K C Whitmire can per-
sonally vouch for the service
of James Johnson in Co K
Fifth South Carolina Cavalry
during the years 1864 & 1865

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

I JH Johnson

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late James Johnson, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 39727 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner James Johnson, died on the 24 day of May, 1925, in the town of Boole County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of James Johnson who was related to the pensioner as Father

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 James Johnson

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 that my postoffice address is Kemp Texas P.O. # 5 Street or R. F. D.

City

State

Signed JH Johnson

Sworn to before me this 10th day of June, 1925
Co. Judge Notary Public in and for Henderson State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, MB Stockton, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Kemp County of Novato, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of James Johnson, who died in the town of Boole, County of Henderson, State of Texas on the 24 day of May, 1925. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 24 day of May, 1925, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said JH Johnson who makes the foregoing application.

Signed MB Stockton

Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, WM Meadows MD, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended James Johnson in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were chronic Bright's Disease followed with Hyphostatic Pneumonia

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 WM Meadows MD

Physician's Address Mabank Texas

Must return before
40 days expires from
date of Pensioners' death

Mar 25
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