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FORM B.

## Widow's Application for a Pension

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

Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Sarah A. Reynolds

Henderson County.

Postoffice Mckinney, Texas

P.O. # 2

Filed 8/17/15

Approved Aug 23 - 1915

Pension allowed from Dec 1 - 1915

Rejected

J. E. Jones

Commissioner of Pensions.



FORM B

1979-114-1M

## For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

## THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF

Henderson

I, Mrs. Sarah Ann Reynolds, do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, A. D. 1913, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of Starlin Reynolds, deceased, who departed this life on the 14 day of Oct, A. D. 1914, 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 15 day of Dec, A. D. 1858, in the county of Clark, in the State of Miss.

My husband, the said Starlin Reynolds, 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 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 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 anyone hold in trust for my benefit or use, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the value of one thousand dollars, exclusive of the home of the value of not over \$1,000.00; 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? 77 years
2. Where were you born? In Clark Co, Miss
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 45 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? 35 years in Henderson Co, Post office address, Mahand, Tex
5. Did husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number My husband did not draw a pension
6. What was your husband's full name? Starlin Reynolds
7. What was the date of his death? Oct 14 - 1914
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Mississippi
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. About 3 years. Enlisted in May 1862, Paroled May 1865
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 time of service. Company "D" 7th Miss Battalion. He was not transferred

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 time of service.

Infantry - Private Soldier - not detailed for any special service.

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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)

Sarah Ann ReynoldsSworn to and subscribed before me, this 18 day of Aug, A. D. 1915.C. D. OwenCounty Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]



## AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

COUNTY OF HendersonBefore me, C. D. Owen, County Judge of Henderson County,State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. A. Wortham & E. J. Wortham, 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. Sarah Ann Reynolds, applicant for a pension as the widow of Starlin Reynoldsdeceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Starlin Reynolds 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 pen-

sion, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness)

W. A. Wortham

(Signature of Witness)

E. J. WorthamSworn to and subscribed before me, this 17 day of Aug., A. D. 1915

[Seal.]

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

## AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

COUNTY OF HendersonBefore me, C. D. Owen, County Judge of Henderson County,State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. A. Wortham & E. J. Wortham, 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 pension, and that they personally know that the said Mrs. Sarah Ann Reynolds

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 this claim.

(Signature of Witness)

W. A. Wortham

(Signature of Witness)

E. J. WorthamSworn to and subscribed before me, this 17 day of Aug., A. D. 1915

[Seal.]

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



# AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(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 Henderson

Before me, C. D. Owen, County Judge of Henderson County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Jon Reynolds & D. B. Griffiths, 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; (State fully your

source of knowledge): Affiant Jon Reynolds after being

by me duly sworn deposes & says:

I am a brother of Starlin Reynolds deceased  
husband of applicant - and I know personally that  
Starlin Reynolds served as a soldier for about  
3 years. He was a member of Co. "D" 7th Miss  
Regiment & I was a member of Smith's Battery,  
Mann's Brigade, Polk's Corps & Cheatham's Division.  
Affiant further says that Starlin Reynolds  
served honorably & never deserted the cause.

Affiant, D. B. Griffiths, says he personally knows that

Starlin Reynolds was a Confederate soldier & served about 2

years. Affiant further says that he was a sixteen year

old boy in Clark Co. Miss at the time Co. D. was

organized & remembers his return from the war. Also remembers

Reynolds living at home at a time or two on

furlough.

(Signature of Witness) D. B. Griffiths

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14 day of Aug, A. D. 1915

[Seal.]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

## CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, D. F. Henry, State and County Assessor in the County of Henderson,

State of Texas, do certify that Mrs Sarah Ann Reynolds, 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 no Dollars,

and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of no

Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 14 day of Aug, A. D. 1915

D. F. Henry State and County Assessor.





J. C. JONES, COMMISSIONER

OFFICE OF  
COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS  
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 Starlin Reynolds who is  
reported to have enlisted in Company D, Regiment 7 Miss. Batt. Inf.

in service in the Confederate States Army.

Purpose: The widow of person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension granted  
by the State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,

  
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Commissioner of Pensions.



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Received A.G.O.

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## WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, August 20, 1915.

Respectfully returned to the  
Commissioner of Pensions,  
State of Texas,  
Austin.

The records show that Starling  
Reynolds (name not found as Starlin  
Reynolds), private, Company D, 7th  
Battalion Mississippi Infantry, C. S.  
A., enlisted May 12, 1862; that he  
was surrendered May 4, 1865, at Cit-  
ronelle, Alabama, and paroled May 10,  
1865, at Meridian, Mississippi.

*H. P. McCain*  
The Adjutant General.  
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## MORTUARY WARRANT ACCOUNT

Eustace, Texas, March 29, 1921.

STATE OF TEXAS

To J. L. Wortham, Dr.

WRITE ADDRESS PLAINLY Eustace, Texas

Account of Death of Pensioner No. 31870, County Henderson

Pensioner's Name in full Mrs. Sarah A. Reynolds

Account must be itemized, but Mortuary Warrant will not be issued for more than Thirty Dollars.

For 1 casket----- \$75.00



The above account for casket Dollars  
is just, due and unpaid.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29 day of March 1921

Notary Public, Henderson County, Texas.

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## APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS, }  
 County of Henderson } I, J.L. Wortham  
 do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. S.A. Reynolds, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whole file number is 31870 and whose original county is Henderson

The said pensioner Mrs. S.A. Reynolds, died on the 20th. day of March, 1921, in the town of Eustace, County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of J.L. Wortham who was related to the pensioner as son-in-law

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 funeral Expense

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 Eustace, County of Henderson State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Eustace, Texas

Signed J. L. Wortham

Before me C. Simmons, a Notary Public in and for the County of Henderson, State of Texas, personally appeared J.L. Wortham, who being by me duly sworn did certify to, and sign the foregoing statement.  
 (Seal of Office) C. Simmons Notary Public  
 in and for Henderson, Texas.

## CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER.

I, W.L. Ballard, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Eustace, County of Henderson, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. S.A. Reynolds, who died in the town of Eustace, County of Henderson, State of Texas on the 20th. day of March, 1921. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 20th. day of March, 1921 That said body was buried in the Payne Springs 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 J.L. Wortham, who makes the foregoing application.

Signed W. L. Ballard  
 Undertaker.

## CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN.

I, L.L. Cockerell, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. S.A. Reynolds in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were aged age with nephritis

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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 March 2, 1917.

Signed L. L. Cockerell  
 Physician.

Physician's Address Eustace, Texas



who was a pensioner of the

... died on the ...

1. The pensioner is not to be considered as having been reached by the pensioner, to the

in and for the County

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1. The first step in the process of the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) is to identify the project area. This is done by the TxDOT staff who are responsible for the project. They will identify the project area and the project location. They will also identify the project location and the project location. They will also identify the project location and the project location.

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Physician.