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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.

[Signature]
Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Margaret E. Robinson

Hudson County.

Postoffice *Malakoff, Texas*

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Pension allowed from *Sept. 1st 1914*

Rejected

George H. Kyles

Commissioner of Pensions.

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FORM B

For Use of Widows of Soldiers who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
COUNTY OF Hudson }

I, Mrs. Margaret Ediza Robertson, 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 Willis Robertson, deceased, who departed this life on the 16 day of Oct, A. D. 1904, in the county of Hudson, 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 9 day of Dec, A. D. 1879, in the county of Edles, in the State of Texas.

My husband, the said William Willis Robertson, 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 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 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? 58
2. Where were you born? in Alabama
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 54 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address?
30 years Malapoff, Texas
5. What was your husband's full name? William Willis Robertson
6. What was the date of his death? Oct 16, 1904
7. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Texas
8. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge.
Do not know exactly

9. 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. Co. F. 13th Regiment

Ben Jordon - Capt. 1st Regt. Cal. of Regiment

If he was transferred, I do not know it.

10. 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



11. 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) Margaret Eliza Robertson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 17 day of July, A. D. 1918

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 S. L. Williams, 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. Margaret Eliza Robertson, applicant for a pension as the widow of Wm. Robertson deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Wm. Robertson 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) S. L. Williams

(Signature of Witness) J. W. Easterwood

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4 day of Aug., A. D. 1918

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 S. L. Williams, 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 Mrs. Margaret E. Robertson has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to Jan 1, 1900 ~~March 1, 1899~~, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) S. L. Williams

(Signature of Witness) J. W. Easterwood

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4 day of Aug., A. D. 1918

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

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 Hudson

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

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. B. Miller & H. Richardson, 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.) J. B. Miller says that he served in Co. F, 15th Texas Regiment with C. C. Robertson deceased, husband of applicant from the time Co. F. was organized till the close of the war.

H. Richardson says that he was a member of Company F, 15th Texas Regiment for about 3 months and that C. C. Robertson was a member of same Company and that said Robertson served honorably.

(Signature of Witness) J. B. Miller

(Signature of Witness) H. Richardson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 22 day of July, A. D. 1913.

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

[SEAL.]

Certificate of State and County Assessor

I, D. F. Henry, State and County Assessor in the County of Hudson, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. M. E. Robertson,

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 Real Estate \$800 Personal Property \$200 dollars.

Given under my hand, this 4 day of Aug, A. D. 1914

D. F. Henry
State and County Assessor.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

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STATE OF TEXAS,

County of HendersonI, Jessie Robertson

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. M.E. Robertson, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number is 28566 and whose original county is Hardeman

The said pensioner Mrs. M.E. Robertson, died on the 14 day of April, 1923, in the town of Malakoff, County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Jessie Robertson who was related to the pensioner as Son

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. M.E. Robertson

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 (Son) and that my home is in the town of Malakoff County of Henderson State of Texas, that my postoffice address is Malakoff Henderson Co. Texas

Signed Jessie Robertson

Before me, H.C. Riddlesperger, A Notary Public in and for the County of Henderson, State of Texas, personally appeared Jessie Robertson who being by me duly sworn, did certify to and sign the foregoing statement.

(Seal of Office)

Notary Public and for Henderson County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, Sam Gentry, do certify that I am an undertaker in the town of Malakoff, County of Henderson, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. M.E. Robertson, who died in the town of Malakoff, County of Henderson, State of Texas on the 14 day of April, 1923. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 15 day of April, 1923. That said body was buried in the Malakoff 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 Jessie Robertson, who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Sam Gentry Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, Dr. Owen, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. M.E. Robertson in her last illness, and am of the opinion that her ailments were Pellagra



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 Dr. Owen Physician.Physician's Address Malakoff Texas

April 14th
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