

FORM B.

WIDOW'S APPLICATION FOR A PENSION

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.

Mrs Mollie Trisler
Hudson County.

R. F. D. or Street No. #

Postoffice *Eustace Tex*

Filed *April 24th, 1929.*

Approved

Pension allowed from

Rejected *August 9th, 1930.*

G. H. Sheppard
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

THE E. L. STECK CO., AUSTIN

Failure to prove service.

Referred To
APR 23 1929
The State Office
No.

Widow's Application for Confederate Pension

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson

I, Mrs. Mollie Trisler, do hereby make application to the Comptroller of Public Accounts 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 W. H. Trisler deceased, who departed this life on the 14 day of March, A. D. 1907, 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 26 day of December, A. D. 1878, in the county of Jessamine in the State of Kentucky.

My husband, the said W. H. Trisler, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States and he did not desert the Confederate service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, 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 above 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 \$2000; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State of the United States, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age, and date of birth? 71 - born July 14 - 1838
2. Where were you born? West Cornal Point Va. Floyd Co
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 52 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? 22 years
5. What is your postoffice address? Enclave, Texas. R.F.D. #1 - Elgin
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? no

If rejected, state when and where

7. Did your husband draw a pension? no If so, give his file number
8. What is your husband's full name? William Harrison Trisler

9. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? No Not Know

10. How long did your husband serve? Not Know If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge Not Know

11. What was the name or letter of the company, or number of the regiment 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. (If applicant's husband was a pensioner give his file number, which is evidence sufficient for proof of service.)

12. 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. No Not Know

Put Co E. 17th Reg. La Inf.

13. Do you own any property other than that rendered for taxes in your county? If so, state value of same and county where located. None

14. Have you transferred to another 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 may be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) Mrs Mollie Trisler

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18 day of March, A. D. 1929

[Seal]

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

*Where applicant has remarried it is necessary that she state facts covering particulars of last marriage, date, to whom married, and date of last husband's death. She must also state that she is now a widow.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Kaufman

Before me, H. Barnes Notary Public, County Judge of Kaufman County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Chas Monaghan
and C. F. Olson, 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. Mattie Trisler, applicant for a pension as the widow of William Harrison Trisler deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Wm Harrison Trisler deceased; that they personally know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose services in the army she claims a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.*

(Signature of Witness) Chas Monaghan

(Signature of Witness) C. F. Olson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4th day of April, A. D. 1929

[Seal.]

H. Barnes
Notary Public, Kaufman County, Texas.

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AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

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 creditable 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 _____ has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January 1, A. D. 1910, and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, A. D. 192_____

[Seal.]

County Judge _____ 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 other information regarding the army service of applicant's husband.)

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 creditable 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 applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (Witnesses must state fully the source of their knowledge of service of applicant's husband) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this _____ day of _____, A. D. 192 _____

[Seal.]

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR



I, John W. Wood, State and County Assessor in the County of Harrison
State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. Mollie Tisler 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 None

Dollars, and, in addition to homestead, of other
property, real or personal, or both, of the value of None Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 18 day of March A. D. 1927

John W. Wood
State and County Assessor.

WAR DEPARTMENT

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

IN REPLY
REFER TO ORD

WASHINGTON March 27, 1929.

Respectfully returned to

Mrs. Mollie Trisler,
R. F. D. #1,
Eustace, Texas.

The records show that one W. H. Trisler, (not found as William Harrison Trisler), Pvt., Co. E, 17th Regiment Louisiana Infantry, Confederate States Army, enlisted August 25, 1861, at Monroe, La. Muster roll for March and April, 1862, shows him present, transferred from C. W. Phillips Co. F, Wirt Adams Cavalry, April 3, 1862. He is shown to have died November 18, 1862. There are no rolls on file for C. W. Phillips Co. F, Wirt Adams Cavalry prior to April 8, 1862.

C. H. Bridges
Major General,
The Adjutant General.
By *W. B. S.*



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Jays.

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Mr C. B. Carter.

Attent 4

Mr Carter? am doubting
you a Record of W. H. Fiddle
The Record as you see!

shows that he died in 1862
which is not correct.

as he had only his head
23 years: or about

well if he was born **(IX)**

to have the Dr that waited on
him during his sickness and
sent to what is an affidavit to
that effect.

So write me just what to
do. So let me

hear from you
in regards to this matter?
am your friend

Joe Jennings

(IX)

April 25, 1929.

Mrs. Mollie Trisler,
Route 1,
c/o J. A. Jenkins,
Eustace, Texas.

Dear Madam:

I have your application for Confederate pension but same cannot be approved at this time for the reason that your application does not show any proof of service of the military record of your deceased husband, W. H. Trisler as a Confederate soldier.

The war record attached to the application is surely not the record of your husband, as it is positive in the statement that the man whose record is given died November 18, 1862, and for this reason the report from Washington is ~~not~~ considered, and cannot be considered unless it is shown to be an error.

If the record of your husband, W. H. Trisler cannot be proven by documents, then it will be necessary for you to make proof by the testimony of two credible witnesses who personally know that W. H. Trisler belonged to the Confederate States Army and rendered the service claimed by you.

If the military record of Mr. Trisler can be proven as required by the Statute, your application will have further consideration.

JHT/E

Yours very truly,

Comptroller of Public
Accounts.



April 25, 1929

Mrs. Mollie Trisler,
Eustace, Texas.

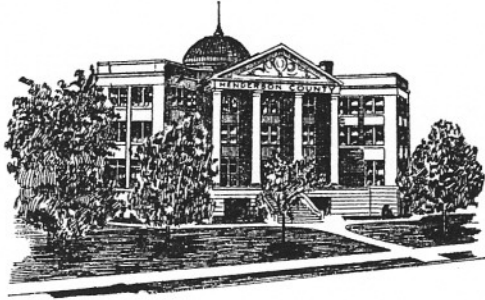
Dear Madam:

I have your letter

COUNTY OF HENDERSON

A. B. COKER, COUNTY JUDGE

JNO. W. BALLOW, COUNTY CLERK
MRS. MARY JOHNSON, DISTRICT CLERK
HOBSON GREEN, COUNTY ATTORNEY
C. C. PHARRIS, SHERIFF
WILLIE JOHNSON, COUNTY TREASURER
FRAZIER HOLLAND, TAX COLLECTOR
JNO. W. WOOD, ASSESSOR



FANK J. DAVIS, SUPT. PUBLIC INSTRUCTION

J. M. PINKERTON, COMMISSIONER PREC. 1
W. L. BARNETT, COMMISSIONER, PREC. 2
A. J. SAYLORS, COMMISSIONER PREC. 3
T. O. MILNER, COMMISSIONER PREC. 4

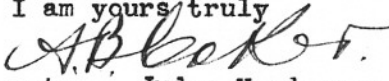
ATHENS, TEXAS

April 20. 1929.

Hon S. H. Terrell, Compt.
Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I am sending you the entire Record of Mrs Mollie Trisler, who has made the application for pension, and you will pass on same, and if same should be returned for any purpose, you will please send same to her in care of J. A. Jenkins, Eustace, Texas.

I am yours truly

County Judge Henderson
County, Texas.

