

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, D. F. Hurry, State and County Assessor in the County of
Hudson, State of Texas, do hereby certify that Mrs. Martha E. Egan
whose name is signed to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-first Legislature, approved
Apr 2 - 1914
March 26, A. D. 1900, 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 no dollars.

Given under my hand, this 25 day of May, A. D. 1914

D. F. Hurry
State and County Assessor.

207816 -
FORM D

No. 11

Widow's Application for Pension

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

Martha E. Egan
Name of Applicant.

Hudson County.

Postoffice McCarthy, Texas

Filed May - 1914

Approved J. W. M. J. M.

Quarterly Allowance, \$22.00.

Pension allowed from January 1914

Rejected

Commissioner of Pensions.

BY G. J. J.
G. J. J. BECKMANN-JONES CO., PRINTERS, AUSTIN

FORM D

For Use of Widows of Soldiers who are Blind and Totally Disabled and in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Hudson

I, Mrs Martha Elam, 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 ^{33d} Mar 26, A. D. 1909, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of George Washington Elam, deceased, who departed this life on the 4 day of Oct, A. D. 1913, 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 1 day of May, A. D. 1870, in the county of Fannin, in the State of Texas

My husband, the said Geo. W. Elam, 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 Jan 1st - 1900 March 1, A. D. 1880, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas, and that I am

(Here state fully whether blind or totally disabled.) 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 any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, 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 I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 60 years
2. Where were you born? In Lamar Co. Texas
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 60 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? In Hudson Co 7 years Post-office: Malakoff, Texas R#1
5. What was your husband's full name? Geo. Washington Elam
6. When and where were you married? May 1st, 1870 near Honey Grove
7. What was the date of his death? Oct. 4 - 1913
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? In Texas
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. He served about 2 1/2 years - Date Enlisted and discharged not remembered
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. Capt. Briggs Co. C.
Burnetts Battalion, Moxey's Brigade (TK)
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

12. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? I have not

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) Martha E. Elm

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 14 day of Jan, A. D. 1914

C. D. Owen

County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[NOTE.—There must be at least two credible 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 credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know that Mrs. _____, applicant for a pension as the widow of _____ deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of _____ 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) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

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

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[NOTE.—There must be at least two credible 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 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 _____ has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to March 1, A. D. 1880, 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. 19 _____

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS)

County of.....

Before me _____, County Judge of _____ County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared _____, who is a
physician in good standing, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath says that he has carefully and thoroughly examined
Mrs. _____ the applicant, and finds her laboring under the following disabilities:

(Here state fully whether applicant is blind, or totally disabled; in the latter case stating specifically the personal ailment and conditions that render the applicant entirely helpless and incapacitated, physically or mentally, for any work suitable for her sex.)

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

[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 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 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 follow-
ing facts touching the service of the applicant's husband in the Confederate Army:

(Signature of Witness) _____

(Signature of Witness) _____

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

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

C. D. OWEN
COUNTY JUDGE
Henderson County
ATHENS, TEXAS

May 25, 1914.

Hon. Geo. W. Kyser,

Austin, Texas,

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed herewith please find application of Mrs. Martha Elam of Malakoff, Texas. She has made diligent search for witnesses and can find only one who could testify as to her husband's service in the Confederate Army. I am convinced that she has done her best and I therefore recommend that she be allowed apension for she is worthy and needy.

Yours very truly,

C. D. Owen

EX-PARTE

Mrs. Martha Elam
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

The Honorable County Judge of _____ County, Texas,
will please take notice that, five days after 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 _____
and _____ who reside _____ in the County
of _____ in the State of _____ 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 _____ 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 cannot be proven by any witness _____ residing in the County
of _____ and State of Texas, which _____ is a bona fide resident.

(Applicant) Attorney _____ for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness _____.

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 Mrs. W. Elam who
_____ is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909?

INT. 3. How long had you known the said Mrs. W. Elam
and when and where did you first know him?

INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said Mrs. W. Elam
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 Mrs. W. Elam
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 Mrs. W. Elam
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 know further if Mrs. W. Elam 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 B. F. Wheeler

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally
know or did know said Mrs. W. Elam 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 Mrs. W. Elam 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 knew of any other soldier or
sailor by the name of Mrs. W. Elam serving in the same company or regiment, or special
service in which you say the said Mrs. W. Elam enlisted, if you have stated that said
Mrs. W. Elam 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 Geo W Elam
applicant serving in the same command, or the special service to which he was assigned?

If you say that you know other soldiers or sailors of the same name of Geo W Elam
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 Geo W Elam
is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said Geo W Elam
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 Geo W Elam
deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of Hudson }

I, C. O. Owen, 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 may be attached hereto.

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

Mrs. Martha Elam
(Applicant) Attorney for Appellant.

In Re

Application for Confederate

Pension

FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS.

County, Texas.

Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE

Applicant.

INTERROGATORIES

propounded to

Witnesses.

EX PARTE

Mrs. Martha Elam

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act ^{of 7-1913} 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)

B. F. Wheeler

to the accompanying interrogations (2)

x Cross Interrogatories

propounded to *him* in the above entitled cause taken before (3)in accordance with the accompanying (7) *agreement* To the first interrogatory the said *B. F. Wheeler*

Witness, answers

B. F. Wheeler My age 70 years old my present place of Residence is Hamilton County Texas. My Post Office address is Pottsville Texas. To the 2nd Int. I did know Geo. W. Elam. To the 3rd Int. I know Geo. W. Elam since about A.D. 1866, and being about 59 years. I first known him in Fannin County Texas.

To the 4th Int. I personally know that the said Geo W Elam enlisted in the service of the Confederacy and performed the duties of a Soldier

To the 5th Int. I know that the said Geo W Elam enlisted in "Charles Bridges Company," do not remember the letter. ~~The 20th Battalion~~ Burnett's Battalion SB Majors Brigade of the Confederate Army. The said Geo W Elam enlisted in the fall of 1861 He enlisted at Honey Grove Fannin County Texas, and served nearly three years.

To the 6th Int. I do not know that Geo W Elam was Commissioned as an officer.

To the 7th Int. I do not know that Geo W Elam was detailed for any kind of special service.

Cross Interrogatories

To the cross Int No 1. I was well acquainted with the said Geo W Elam before and after the War. I know of no other Geo W Elam. I do not know of any other soldier by the name of Geo W Elam. (IX)

To the Int No 2. I am positive that the said Geo W Elam is the identical person serving as testified by you me

To the Int No 3. I do not know whether the said Geo W Elam served honorably from date of enlistment until close of the late Civil War.

To the Int No 4. I do not know whether the said Geo W Elam deserted his command or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or since during said War.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 27th day of March, 1914
W. H. Potts
J. P. and Ex-officio Notary Public
Hamilton County Texas

THE STATE OF Texas }
County of Hamilton }
Notary Public } I, W. H. Potts J. P. and Ex-officio
do hereby certify that B. F. Wheeler
and is are personally known to me to be creditable citizens of said
County and State, and that the foregoing answers of B. F. Wheeler
the witness before named, and
whose name appear signed to the foregoing deposition, were made before

me and were sworn to and subscribed before me, by said witness (4)
Given under my hand and official seal, this the 27th day of March, 1914
W. H. Potts
J. P. and Ex-officio Notary Public

NOTE.—In Texas, any Clerk of the District Court, any County 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 Steedman County, Texas,
Before the Honorable County Judge of
Said County.

EX PARTE

Mrs. Martha Elam
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

DEPOSITION

B. F. Wheeler

Pattonia, Texas

Witness for Applicant, _____

Filed _____ day _____

of _____, 1914

By _____, Clerk.

By _____, Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____



- (1) Here give the name and residence of each witness.
- (2) Here state "and cross interrogatories," if any.
- (3) Here give 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.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Coleman.

Before me E. M. Jones Notary Public
County Judge of Coleman Co. Tex
 County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. N. Howard
~~Coleman Co. Tex~~ who is personally known to me to be a credible
 citizen, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath states that he personally
 knows that Mrs. Martha Elam, applicant for a pension as the widow of
 G.W. Elam, deceased, is in truth and in fact the widow of G.W. Elam deceas-
 ed; that he personally knows that she has not remarried since the
 death of her husband, for whose service in the army she claims a pen-
 sion, and that he has no ~~other~~ interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) J. N. Howard

Sworn to and subscribed before me 2 day of April, 1914.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Coleman

Before me E. M. Jones Notary Public
County Judge of
Coleman County, State of Texas, on this day personally ap-
 peared J. N. Howard who is known to me to be a credible
 citizen, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath states that he personally
 knows Mrs. Martha Elam, applicant for a pension, and that he personally
 knows that the said Mrs. Martha Elam has been a bona fide resident
 citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January the 1st. 1900,
 and he has no interest in the claim.

(Signature of Witness) J. N. Howard

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 2 day of April, 1914.

(seal)

(IX)

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Coleman.

Before me J. Elmore a Notary Public, ~~County Judge of~~ Coleman
County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J B Roberts
_____ who is personally known to me to be a credible
citizen, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath states that he personally
knows that Mrs. Martha Elam, applicant for a pension as the widow of
G.W. Elam, deceased, is in truth and in fact the widow of G.W. Elam decease
ed; that he personally knows that she has not remarried since the
death of her husband, for whose service in the army she claims a pen-
sion, and that he has no ~~interest~~ interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) J B Roberts
Sworn to and subscribed before me 4 day of April, 1914.

J. Elmore a Notary Public
AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESS. in and for Coleman Co Texas

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Coleman

Before me J. Elmore a Notary Public, ~~County Judge of~~
Coleman County, State of Texas, on this day personally ap-
peared J. M. Newman who is known to me to be a credible
citizen, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath states that he personally
knows Mrs. Martha Elam, applicant for a pension, and that he personally
knows that the said Mrs. Martha Elam has been a bona fide resident
citizen of the State of Texas since prior to January the 1st. 1900,
and he has no interest in the claim. (X)

(Signature of Witness) J. M. Newman
Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4 day of April, 1914.

J. Elmore a Notary Public
in and for Coleman Co Texas

(seal)

STATEMENT

SAN ANGELO, TEXAS, February 13, 1941

Mrs. Martha Elam (deceased)

IN ACCOUNT WITH

Vautrain Funeral Home

500 WEST BEAUREGARD

DIAL 3113

COMPTROLLERS OFFICE

MAR 13 1941

NO. 4

RECEIVED

Embalming Body	\$ 35.00
Hearse	25.00
Dress	8.00
Casket	115.00
Total	183.00
Paid by Mrs. G. W. Newman	83.00
Balance	100.00

I, E. A. Vautrain, owner of the Vautrain Funeral Home of San Angelo, Texas, hereby swear that this is a true and correct statement of account for services rendered Mrs. Martha Elam, February 13, 1941.



E. A. Vautrain

State of Texas
County of Tom Green

Sworn to before me this 19 day of Feb,
19 41.

E. A. Vautrain
Notary Public of Tom Green
County State of Texas (127876)

I hereby certify this is a correct copy of the death certificate on file in town & Sec of Martha Elam.

W. M. Arledge Reg.

NOTE THE INFORMATION CALLED FOR ON THE REVERSE SIDE

1. PLACE OF DEATH		TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
STATE OF TEXAS			
COUNTY OF <u>Irwin</u>			
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. <u>4 Barnhart Texas</u>		GIVE STREET AND NUMBER OR NAME OF INSTITUTION	
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED <u>Martha Elam</u>			
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED _____ YEARS _____ MONTHS _____ DAYS (SOCIAL SECURITY NO. _____)			
RESIDENCE OF STREET THE DECEASED AND NO. _____ CITY <u>Barnhart</u> COUNTY <u>Irwin</u> STATE <u>Tex</u>			
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS		MEDICAL PARTICULARS	
3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	17. DATE OF DEATH <u>2/13/41</u> , 194	
5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (WRITE THE WORD) <u>Widowed</u>		18. I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT I ATTENDED THE DECEASED FROM <u>1/27/41</u> , 194, TO <u>2/10/41</u> , 194.	
6. DATE OF BIRTH <u>10/24/1853</u>		I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON <u>2/10/41</u> , 194.	
7. AGE YEARS <u>87</u> MONTHS <u>3</u> DAYS <u>19</u> IF LESS THAN 1 DAY HOURS _____ MIN _____		THE DEATH OCCURRED ON THE DATE STATED ABOVE AT _____ M.	
8A. TRADE, PROFESSION OR KIND OF WORK DONE <u>Retired Housewife</u>		THE PRIMARY CAUSE OF DEATH WAS:	
8B. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH ENGAGED _____		<u>Cordiac failure</u>	
9. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>Texas</u>		CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES WERE <u>Labar pneumonia</u>	
10. NAME <u>Unknown</u>		<u>Arteriosclerotic heart</u>	
11. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>"</u>		<u>diseases</u>	
12. MAIDEN NAME <u>"</u>		IF NOT DUE TO DISEASE, SPECIFY WHETHER:	
13. BIRTHPLACE (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>"</u>		ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE	
14. SIGNATURE <u>Mrs Sarah Newman</u>		DATE OF OCCURRENCE _____	
ADDRESS <u>Barnhart</u> , TEXAS		PLACE OF OCCURRENCE _____	
15. PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Mass Cem. Coleman Co.</u> , TEXAS		MANNER OR MEANS _____	
DATE <u>2/14/41</u> , 194		IF RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED, SPECIFY _____	
16. SIGNATURE <u>E. A. Vantran</u>		SIGNATURE <u>G. O. Oenarsta</u> M.D.	
ADDRESS <u>San Angelo</u> , TEXAS		ADDRESS <u>Ozona</u> , TEXAS	
20. FILE NUMBER	FILE DATE	SIGNATURE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR	POSTOFFICE ADDRESS
	<u>3/1/41</u> , 194	<u>W. M. Arledge</u>	<u>Westgarth</u> , TEXAS

IF DECEASED HAS RENDERED MILITARY SERVICE, FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING:	
(1) Is the deceased reported to have been in such service?	
(2) Name of organization in which service was rendered?	
(3) Serial number of discharge papers or adjusted service certificate?	
(4) Name of next of kin or of next friend?	
Post Office Address?	

IF DECEASED IS UNKNOWN NON-RESIDENT, FILL OUT THE FOLLOWING:			
(A) Color of Hair?		(B) Color of Eyes?	
(C) Height?	Feet	Inches	(D) Weight?
(E) Deformities?			
(F) Tattoo Marks?			
(G) Other marks of identification?			

PLEASE FILL IN FOR ALL DEATHS

Name of husband or wife	Age in years
What operation was performed?	
For what disease or condition?	
Was autopsy performed?	
What were the findings?	

S2318-1038-2m

✓ Please have application for Mortuary Warrant properly executed and have Undertaker attach to it a sworn itemized statement showing the cost of each item furnished for the burial of the pensioner. Return to Geo. H. Sheppard, Comptroller, Austin, Texas. ✓

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Irion } I, Mrs. G. W. Newman
do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Martha Elam, who was a pensioner of the State of

Texas, and whose file number was 27876 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner Mrs. Martha Elam died on the 13th day of February, 1941, in the town of Barnhart, Texas
County of Irion, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of daughter Mrs. G. W. Newman. (myself)
who was related to the pensioner as daughter

That the warrant, which application is hereby made for, shall be applied to paying all or part of the funeral expenses incurred by the said pensioner Mrs. Martha Elam

I further certify that the warrant for the current month has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as daughter
that my postoffice address is Barnhart Texas
Street or R. F. D.

City

State

Sworn to before me this 12 day of March, 1941
Signed Mrs. G. W. Newman

Must return before
40 days expires from
date of Pensioner's death

Notary Public in and for Tom Green State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, E. A. Vautrain, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of San Angelo, County of Tom Green, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Martha Elam, who died in the town of Barnhart, County of Irion, State of Texas on the 13 day of Feb, 1941. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 13 day of Feb, 1941, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Vautrain Funeral Home who makes the foregoing application.

Signed E. A. Vautrain
Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, D. G. L. Dearata, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. Martha Elam in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Cardiac Failure, lobes 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 D. G. L. Dearata, M.D.

Physician's Address Ozona, Texas (H)

February 18, 1941.

Execute and return at once.

27876