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FORM No. 1.

CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION

Name of Applicant,

J. L. Miller
Henderson County.

Post Office

Edwards

Comptroller's File No.

6702

I have carefully examined the within application for
pension, together with the proof in support thereof, and

I recommend that the application be

Disapproved
this 16 day of March

A. D. 1900

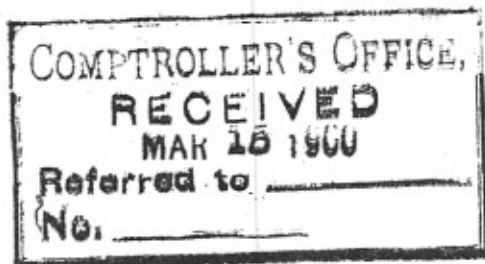
Amos J. Swain
Pension Clerk.

I hereby disapprove the within application
for pension, this 16 day of

March A. D. 1900
Wm. H. Bailey
Comptroller.

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Commissioners
Should be Forwarded to Comptroller.

WATKINS-CLARK LITHO CO., SAN ANTONIO.



FORM No. 1.

APPLICATION of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

To the Honorable County Judge of Henderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, John Lewis Miller respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Henderson County, in the State of Texas, and that he makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension under the act passed by the Twenty-sixth Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved May 12, A. D. 1899, the same being an act entitled "An act to carry into effect the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, providing that aid may be granted to disabled and dependent Confederate soldiers, sailors, and their widows under certain conditions, and to make an appropriation therefor," and I do solemnly swear that the answers I have given to the following questions are true.

NOTE—Applicant must make answer to all of the following questions, and such answers must be written out plainly in ink.

- Q. What is your name? Answer John Lewis Miller
- Q. What is your age? Answer 73 years old
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Henderson
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your post office address? Answer 13 years
Post Office, Edam, Texas
- Q. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law heretofore, and been rejected? If so state when and where. Answer No
- Q. What is your occupation if able to engage in one? Answer Farming
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Feeble
- Q. If your physical condition is such that you are unable by your own labor to earn a support, state what caused such disability. Answer Infirmary of age, and wound received in Confederate service
- Q. State in what company and regiment you enlisted in the Confederate army, and the time of your service? Answer Company "G" 11th Regiment Georgia Vol. Infantry 3 months
- Q. If you served in the Confederate navy state when and where, and the time of your service. Answer
- Q. State whether or not you have received any pension or veteran donation land certificate under any previous law, and if you answer in the affirmative state what pension or veteran donation land certificate you have received. Answer None
- Q. What real and personal property do you now own, and what is the present value of such property? Give list of such property and value. Answer 70 acres of the value of one hundred forty dollars, two mules of the value of twenty five dollars each, two cows of the value of ten dollars each

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Q. What property, and what was the value thereof have you sold or conveyed within two years prior to the date of this application? Answer None

Q. What income, if any, do you receive? Answer None except from my own labor

Q. Are you in indigent circumstances; that is, are you in actual want, and destitute of property and means of subsistence? Answer Yes. Have property as above stated

Q. Are you unable by your labor to earn a support? Answer Yes

Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer No

Q. Did you ever desert the Confederacy? Answer No

Q. Have you been continuously since the first day of January, 1880, a bona fide resident citizen of this State? Answer Yes

Wherefore your petitioner prays that his application for pension be approved and that such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of July A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

County Judge W. F. Freeman Borden County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

(NOTE—There must be at least two credible witnesses.)

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Borden Before me, W. F. Freeman
County Judge of Borden County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared B. J. Miller

who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me duly sworn on oath, state that they personally know J. L. Miller the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said J. L. Miller enlisted in the service of the Confederacy, and performed the duties of a soldier (or sailor) as claimed by him in the above and foregoing application, and that they further know that he, the said applicant, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22nd day of July A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

County Judge W. F. Freeman Borden County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

Before me

W. F. Freeman

County Judge of Henderson

County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. S.

Miller A. H. Easterling, who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, who being by me duly sworn on oath, states that he has carefully and thoroughly examined J. S. Miller

applicant for a pension, and finds him laboring under the following disabilities which render him unable to labor at any work or calling sufficient to earn a support for himself: The applicant J. S. Miller has never since the war had but little use for his right arm owing to a Bullet Wound. Bullet entering shoulder and point of exit at Elbow thus rendering the limb of very little practical use to him. Applicant also suffers with Rheumatism the greater portion of the time rendering him practically unable to do manual labor which is about the only way he has of getting a livelihood

(Signature of Physician)

A. H. Easterling M.D.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

10th

day of

February

A. D. 1900

W. F. Freeman

(SEAL)

County Judge

Henderson

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

I,

W. F. Freeman

County Judge of Henderson

County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 22d

day of July

A. D. 1900

before me came on to be heard the application of J. S. Miller

for a pension under the Confederate Pension Law of this State, approved May 12, A. D. 1899; that the answers of said applicant to the questions propounded were made under oath as the same appear in writing in the foregoing application; that the affidavits of the witnesses who are credible citizens were made before me as the same hereinbefore appear, and that the foregoing affidavit of Doctor A. H. Easterling

who is a reputable practicing physician of this County, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant J. S. Miller

is not an inmate of the Texas Confederate Home, nor otherwise disqualified under the provision of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all the proceedings had before me relative to the said application for a pension by the said J. S. Miller

I find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and I hereby approve said application.

Witness my hand and seal of office at

Henderson

this

15th

day of

February

A. D. 1900

W. F. Freeman

(SEAL)

County Judge

Henderson

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.



THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of

Henderson

County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of J. S. Miller

for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted by Hon. W. F. Freeman

County Judge of this

Henderson

County, to the Commissioners Court of this Henderson County, at a regular term thereof on the 10th

day of November A. D. 1899, and after a careful consideration of the same we find the said applicant is lawfully entitled to the pension provided for by the Confederate Pension Law of this State, and we hereby approve said application.

Witness our hands and seal of office at

Oakens Texas

this

10th

day of

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A. D. 1900

(Signatures of Commissioners.)

(SEAL)

L. W. Smith

Chas. Smith

Proc. Wiley

Wood H. Over