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FORM No. 2—AMENDED
OCTOBER 1, 1902

Confederate Pension Application

Name of Applicant

Man F. Howard

Cass County,

Postoffice Hughes Springs Tex.

Comptroller's File No. 14490

I have carefully examined the within applica-
tion for pension, together with the proof in sup-
port thereof, and I recommend that the application

be Approved

11-26-26 MAR 31 1909

this day of

A. D.

E. A. Boliver

Chief Pension Clerk.

I hereby Approve the within application for
pension, this MAR 31 1909 day of

J. W. Stephens
Comptroller.

No Application Rejected by County Judge or County Com-
missioners should be Forwarded to Comptroller.

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FORM No. 2. Amended October 1, 1902.

APPLICATION of Indigent Widow of Soldier or Sailor of the late Confederacy for pension under the Act of May 12, 1899. Hereafter use no other blank but this.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

COUNTY OF Cass }

To the Honorable County Judge of Cass County, Texas.

Your petitioner, Mrs. Mary F. Norwood respectfully represents that she is a resident citizen of Cass County, in the State of Texas; that she is the widow of John H. Norwood sr., deceased, who was a Confederate soldier (or sailor), and that she makes this application for the purpose of obtaining a pension as the widow of said John H. Norwood deceased, 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 Mary F. Norwood
- Q. What is your age? Answer was 67 years old 27th of last Apr.
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Cass
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your postoffice address? Answer 52 years
Hughes Springs Tex.
- 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 Not able
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Feeble
- Q. What was the name of your deceased husband? Answer John H. Norwood
- Q. Were you married to him anterior to March 1, 1866? If so, on what date were you married to him and where? Answer Yes, 5th day of Jan. 1859
- Q. What was the date of his death? Answer 14th day of Feb. 1905 (TX)
- Q. Are you unmarried, and have you so remained unmarried since the death of your said husband for whose services you claim a pension? Answer Yes
- Q. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Answer Texas
- Q. How long did your husband serve? Give date of enlistment and discharge. Answer Enlisted
March 1862 and served to close of the war
- Q. What was the name or letter of your husband's company and name or number of his regiment? Answer Cooks Co. I. Whitfield's Legion
- Q. State whether he served in the infantry, artillery, cavalry, or the navy. Answer Went out in Cal. War
later in Infantry.
- 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 Have not

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 None at all

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

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

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

Q. Have you transferred to others any property of value of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? Answer Have not

Q. Did your husband for whose services you claim a pension, ever desert the Confederacy? Answer No

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

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

(Signature of Applicant) Mary S. Woodward

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18 day of Aug. A. D. 1908

(SEAL.)

W.D. Glass
County Judge Cass County, Texas.

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 the said

_____, deceased, that they personally know

_____ that the said Mrs. _____

_____, widow of the said _____

deceased, is unable to support herself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness) A.C. Abernathy

(Signature of Witness) J.B. Butts

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

(SEAL.)

County Judge _____ County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

Cass

I,

V. D. Glass

County Judge of

Cass

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

12th

day of

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, before me came on to be heard the application

of Mrs.

Mary F. Norwood

widow of

J. H. Norwood

, deceased, 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 herein before appear. I also certify that the said applicant

Mary F. Norwood

is not disqualified under any the provisions of Section 12, of the Confederate Pension Law. I further certify that after considering all of the proceedings had before me relative to the said application for a pension by the said Mrs.

Mary F. Norwood

as widow of

J. H. Norwood

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

Witness my hand and seal of office at

Linden Tex

this

12th

day of

Nov

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(SEAL)

County Judge

V. D. Glass

Cass

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF

Cass

We the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of

County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of Mrs.

Mary F. Norwood

widow of

J. H. Norwood

deceased, for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted

by Hon.

V. D. Glass

County Judge of this

Cass

County, to the Commissioners Court of this

Cass

County, at a regular term thereof on the

12th

day of

Nov

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, 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

Linden Tex

this

12th

day of

Nov

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(Signature of Commissioners)

(SEAL)

Wm. P. Grant

H. C. Abner

H. O. Green

R. R. Cobb



Comptroller's Department,

State of Texas,

Austin.

J. W. STEPHENS, COMPTROLLER.
JOHN L. SMITH, CHIEF CLERK.
B. F. TEAGUE,

I, J. W. Stephens, Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas do hereby certify that the records of this office show:

1. That the application of J. H. Norwood for a Confederate pension was approved by R. M. Love, Comptroller on September 30th, 1901 as shown by file record #8640.

2. That said J. H. Norwood was a member of Company "F" 14th Texas Infantry C. S. A and served for a period of about three years.

In testimony whereof I hereunto sign my name officially and cause the seal of said office to be impressed hereon this the 5th day of September A.D. 1908.



J. W. Stephens
Comptroller.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of CassI, John Norwooddo hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs Mary J Norwood, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 14490 and whose original county was CassThe said pensioner Mrs Mary J Norwood died on the 21st day of November, 1926, in the town of Hughes Springs County of Cass Texas.The pensioner died in the home of Her own who was related to the pensioner as —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 Mary J Norwood

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 that my postoffice address is Hughes Springs Street or R. F. D. — City — State TexasSworn to before me this 1st day of December, 1926Signed John NorwoodNotary Public in and for Cass State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

Wm. Reeder Watson Reeder do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Hughes Springs County of Cass State of TEX that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Mary J Norwood who died in the town of Hughes Springs County of Cass State of TEX on the 21st day of Nov 1926. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 22 day of Nov 1926, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said John Norwood who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Wm. Reeder Watson Reeder

Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, H. D. Jernigan do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs Mary J Norwood in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were General Debility

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 H. D. JerniganPhysician's Address Hughes Springs Tex

Must return before
40 days expires from
date of Pensioners' death

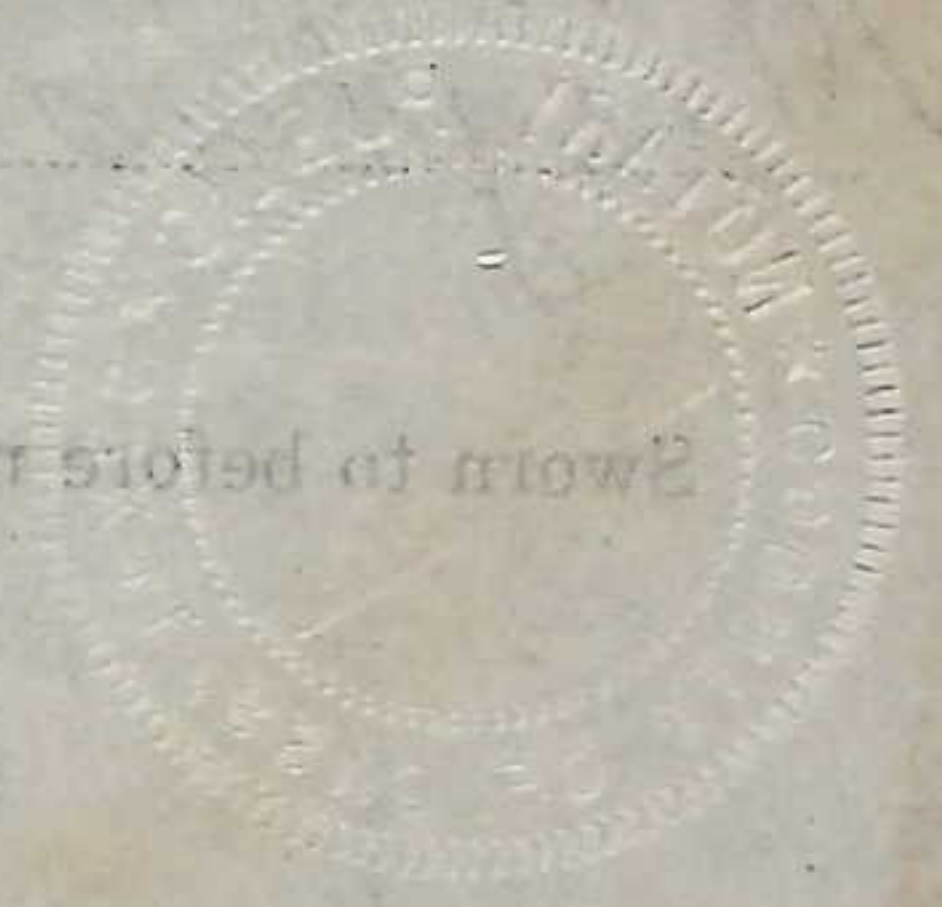
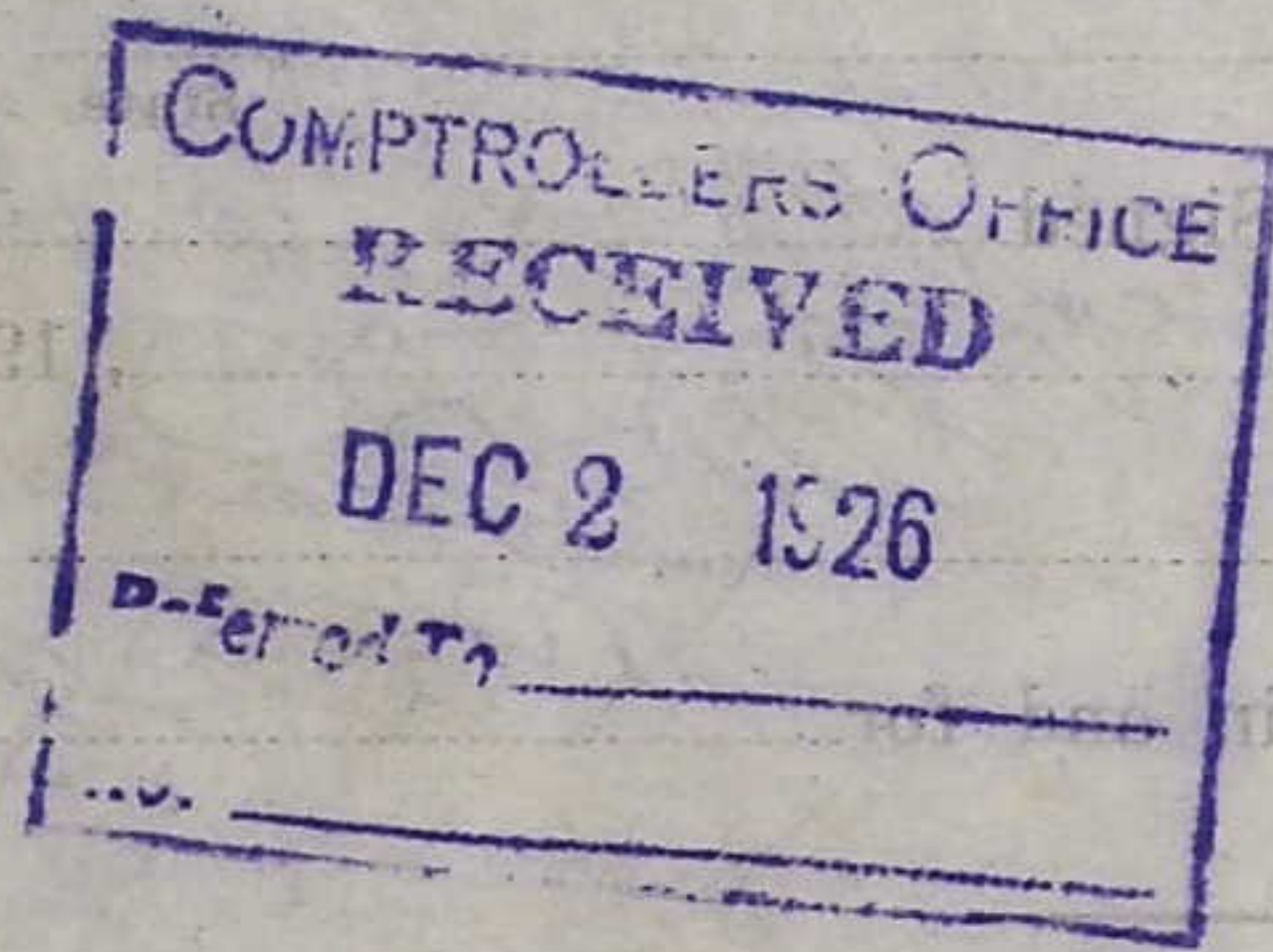
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APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of _____ do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the payment of the accounts and indebtedness of the late _____ who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was _____ and whose original county was _____ The said pensioner, _____ day of _____, 1926, in the town of _____, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of _____ who was related to the pensioner as _____ 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. 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) _____ that my postoffice address is _____



Sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 1926.
Notary Public in _____ State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

_____ town of _____ County of _____ State of _____ do certify that I am undertaker in the _____ that I had charge of the body of _____ who died in the _____ State of _____ on the _____ day of _____, 1926. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the _____ day of _____, 1926, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said _____ who makes the foregoing application.

Signed _____
Undertaker

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, _____ do certify that I am a practicing physician and that I attended _____ in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were _____

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 _____

Physician's Address _____