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FORM No. 1.

CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION.

Name of Applicant,

*Wm Armonie*

*Anderson* County.

Post Office

*Elkhart*

Comptroller's File No.

*333* 16

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

I recommend that the application be.....

*Approved*

this *21* day of *September*

A. D. *1899*

*Wm. Bewain*  
Pension Clerk.

I hereby *approve* the within application for pension, this *21<sup>st</sup>* day of

A. D. *1899*

*Wm. Stanley*  
Comptroller.

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

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 Anderson }

To the Honorable County Judge of Anderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, Wm Arman respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Anderson 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 Wm Arman
- Q. What is your age? Answer 62 years
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Anderson
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your post office address? Answer 15 years  
P.O. Elkhart 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 Peeler
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Feeble from age and gun shot wound in leg near knee. also Rheumatoids
- 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 Age gun shot wound on leg and Rheumatoids
- Q. State in what company and regiment you enlisted in the Confederate army, and the time of your service? Answer Company "96" 1st Texas Infantry served about 4 years
- Q. If you served in the Confederate navy state when and where, and the time of your service. Answer No.
- 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 Penn
- 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 Two Bonus at \$20.00 a piece one avoiron of value of \$20, a Mortgage on the above property to secure fifty dollars, have merchandise on hand valued at thirty five dollars



- 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 by 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 I am
- 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 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) Wm Arnowine

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

E. W. Anderson  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

Before me, E. W. Anderson

County Judge of Anderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared A. F. Arnowine and Elias Pearson

who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me duly sworn on oath, state that they personally know Wm Arnowine the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said Wm Arnowine 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) A. F. Arnowine

(Signature of Witness) E. Pearson

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August A. D. 1899

(SEAL)

E. W. Anderson  
County Judge Anderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

Before me

E. W. Hudson

County Judge of Anderson

County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared

J. M. Parks

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

Wm Arvine

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:

Chronic Rheumatism Gun shot wound of the left knee Hemorrhoids

(Signature of Physician)

J. M. Parks M.D.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

9<sup>th</sup>

day of

August

A. D.

1899

(SEAL)

E. W. Hudson

County Judge

Anderson

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

I,

E. W. Hudson

County Judge of Anderson

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

15<sup>th</sup>

day of August A. D. 1899, before me came on to be heard the application of

Wm Arvine

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

J. M. Parks

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

Arvine

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

Wm Arvine

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

Palentine Bay

this

15<sup>th</sup>

day of

August

A. D.

1899

(SEAL)

E. W. Hudson

County Judge

Anderson

County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of

Anderson County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of

Wm Arvine

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

E. W. Hudson

County Judge of this

Anderson

County, to the Commissioners Court of this

Anderson

County, at a regular term thereof on the

15<sup>th</sup>

day of August 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

Palentine

this

15<sup>th</sup>

day of

August

A. D.

1899

(Signatures of Commissioners.)

Jim Boyles

R. C. Parks

Geo. C. Linnamore

(SEAL)



J. E. Fitzgibbon

NAT PATTON  
7TH DIST. TEXAS  
CROCKETT, TEXAS

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Congress of the United States  
House of Representatives  
Washington, D. C.

May 22, 1939

COMPTROLLERS OFFICE  
MAY 31 1939  
RECEIVED

Mr. J. A. Arnwine  
Maydelle, Texas

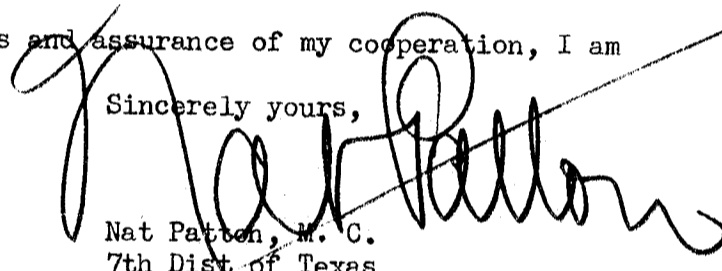
My dear friend:

Answering your letter of the 20th, I am pleased to attach the application blank to be executed in order to secure a Confederate marker for the grave of your uncle, William Arnwine. Fill this out and return it in the attached self-addressed envelope which needs no postage.

If you will write Hon. Geo. H. Sheppard, Austin, Texas he can give you Mr. Arnwine's full service record.

With kind regards and assurance of my cooperation, I am

Sincerely yours,



Nat Patton, M. C.  
7th Dist of Texas

TX

Dear Mr. Sheppard:

Please send me the full service record of William Arnwine who was <sup>np ml</sup> born January 22, 1836. <sub>lacs</sub>

Thanking you very much for this information, I am

yours very truly,

J. A. Arnwine  
Maydelle, Texas

16 Andrew.

May 31, 1939

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William Arnwine, Deceased  
Confederate Soldier. Pension  
File No. 16 Anderson County.

Mr. J. A. Arnwine  
Maydelle, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of May 22 the records of this office show that William Arnwine drew a Confederate Pension from the State of Texas under file number 16 Anderson County, Texas.

Mr. Arnwine states in his application for pension that he served four years in Company H, 1st Texas Infantry, C. S. A. A private. He does not give the dates of enlistment and discharge. No further information is given as to his service.

Mr. Arnwine's application for pension was approved on the affidavits of witnesses.

Yours very truly,

TX

Geo. H. Sheppard  
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

JHT:BE