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FORM NO. 2. 6203

CONFEDERATE PENSION APPLICATION.

Name of Applicant,

Miss Jennie Williams

Anderson County.

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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 24 day of February

A.D. 1900

Comptroller
Pension Clerk

I hereby certify the within application for pension this 24 day of February A.D. 1900

W. H. Williams
Comptroller

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FORM No. 2.

APPLICATION of Indigent widow of 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, Mrs. Lucinda Holdeman respectfully represents that she is a resident citizen of Anderson County, in the State of Texas, that she is the widow of Wm R. Holdeman 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 Wm R. Holdeman 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 Mrs. Lucinda Holdeman
- Q. What is your age? Answer 68 years
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Anderson County
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your post office address? Answer 8 years
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 Not able to engage in any
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Feeble from age
- Q. What was the name of your deceased husband? Answer Wm R. Holdeman
- Q. Were you married to him anterior to March 1, 1866? If so, on what date were you married to him and where?
Answer Jan. 15th 1851 Abbeadocher County Texas
- Q. What was the date of his death? Answer died Prison in April 1864 at New Orleans
- 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. State in what company and regiment your deceased husband for whose services you claim a pension enlisted in the Confederate army, and the time of his service therein? Answer Capt Mast Company, C.M. Roberts Regiment, 11th Texas Infantry about 3 years
- Q. If your deceased husband served in the Confederate navy, state when and where, and the time of such 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 so received.
Answer None

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- 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*
- 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 *I am*
- 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 your deceased 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) *Lucinda R. Holdeman*

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *7th* day of *August* A. D. *1890*

G. W. Henderson

(SEAL)

County Judge *Henderson* County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES.

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF *Anderson*

Before me, *G. W. Henderson*

County Judge of *Anderson* County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *J. P. Huddleston*

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. *Lucinda Holdeman*, applicant for a pension as the widow of *Wm. R. Holdeman* deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of the said *Wm. R. Holdeman* deceased; that they personally know that the said *Wm. R. Holdeman* deceased, enlisted in the service of the Confederacy, and performed the duties of a soldier (or sailor) as claimed by his said widow in the above and foregoing application, and that they further know that the said Mrs. *Lucinda Holdeman*, widow of the said *Wm. R. Holdeman* deceased, is unable to support herself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness) *J. P. Huddleston*

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

(Signature of Witness)

Sworn to and subscribed before me this *7th* day of *August* A. D. *1900*

G. W. Henderson

(SEAL)

County Judge *Anderson* County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Anderson

I, G. W. Hudson

County Judge of Anderson

County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 31st

day of January

A. D. 1900

before me came on to be heard the application of

Mrs. Lucinda Holdeman

widow of Wm R Holdeman

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 hereinbefore appear. I also certify that the said applicant Lucinda Holdeman

is not disqualified under any of 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. Lucinda Holdeman as widow of Wm R Holdeman

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 Palustine Texas this 31st

day of January A. D. 1900

G. W. Hudson

County Judge Anderson County, State of Texas.

(SEAL)

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 Mrs. Lucinda Holdeman

widow of Wm R Holdeman

deceased, for a pension

together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted by Hon. G. W. Hudson

County Judge of this Anderson

County, to the Commissioners Court of this Anderson

County, at a regular term thereof on the 13

day of February

A. D. 1900

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 Palustine Texas this 13th

day of February A. D. 1900

(Signatures of Commissioners.)

Wm Broyles

R. C. Perkins

Geo C Simmons

J. E. Fitzgerald

(SEAL)



Ex parte Mrs. Lucinda Holdeman } Pending before the Hon
 Widow of Confederate Soldier } Anderson County Judge
 Applicant for Pension } Anderson County
 Acts May 12th 1899

Interrogatories to be propounded to Mr. Mast witness
 for applicant

Int. 1st Where do you reside, what is your age and
 occupation

Int. 2nd Are you acquainted with the applicant Mrs.
 Lucinda Holdeman? If yes; when, where and how
 long have you known her Did you know her as the
 wife of Wm R. Holdeman

Int. 3rd Did you know her husband Wm R.
 Holdeman If yes, How long did you know him
 is he living or dead? If dead when and where did he die

Int. 4th If you have answered that you knew Wm R.
 Holdeman, Do you know of your own personal
 knowledge that Wm R. Holdeman enlisted in the
 Confederate States army and performed the duties of
 a soldier; If yes; in what company and
 Regiment, How long did he serve and was he
 honorably discharged. Please state fully what you know
 about his service in the army and your means of
 information

Int. 5th Did you serve in the same command with
 the said Wm R. Holdeman

Int. 6th Were you present when the said Wm R.
 Holdeman was discharged from the Confederate States
 army, If so when and where was he discharged

Int. 7th Do you know of your own personal knowledge
 that the applicant Mrs. Lucinda Holdeman is the
 widow of the Wm R. Holdeman you knew in the army
 If so when and where did you see her last

Lucinda Holdeman (TX)
 Applicant

State of Texas
 County of MacDouglas } Before me John Wilson
 a Notary Public in and for MacDouglas County
 Texas personally appears M. Mast of said
 State and County and after being sworn by
 me testified as follows. I reside in MacDouglas
 County Texas am about 64 years old.
 I am acquainted with Mrs. Lucinda Holderman
 I became acquainted with her from about 1857
 in MacDouglas County. I knew her before she
 married Mr. Wm R. Holderman and since she
 married Mr. Wm R. Holderman

I knew Wm R. Holderman from a boy as
 we were boys together. He is now dead.
 He died in New Orleans, La. sometime in 1864

I know of my own personal knowledge that
 Wm R. Holderman enlisted in the Confederate
 army and performed the duties of a Soldier.

He belonged to Co. A. 11th Texas Regiment.

He served between two and 3 years.

He died in prison while in captivity by
 the enemy. I served in the same command with
 Wm R. Holderman. I was not present when said
 Wm R. Holderman died.

I know that Wm R. Holderman married Lucinda
 Killian and I have seen her since the war,
 but I have not seen her in several years.

M. Mast

Sworn to and Subscribed

This the 27th day of January A D 1900

John A. Wilson
 Notary Public Mac. Co. Tex.

The State of Texas }
 County of Anderson } Before me G. W. Hendon County
 Judge of Anderson of Anderson
 County State of Texas on this day personally appeared
 J. E. Holdeman known to me to be a credible citizen
 who being by me duly sworn in oath, states that he
 personally knows Lucinda Holdeman the above named
 applicant for a pension and that he knows that she
 is the widow of Wm R Holdeman deceased and he
 further knows that the said Lucinda Holdeman
 widow of the said Wm R. Holdeman deceased is
 unable to support herself by labor of any sort
 J. E. Holdeman

Sworn to and subscribed before me this ~~24~~ 7th day
 of August A.D. 1899

G. W. Hendon
 The Judge