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FORM A.

Soldier's Application for a Pension

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Name of Applicant.

S. D. Jernigan

Gregg

County.

Postoffice *Kilgus, R.F.D. #4*

Filed *June 1st 1914*

Approved *June 1st 1914*

Pension allowed from *Sept. 1st 1914*

Rejected

Geo. W. Kyles

Commissioner of Pensions.

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FORM A

For Use of Soldiers Who Are In Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Gregg
S. D. Jernigan

I, S. D. Jernigan do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the 33rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, 1913, on the following grounds:

I enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that I did not desert the Confederate service, but during said war I was loyal and true to my duty, and never at any time voluntarily abandoned my post of duty in the said service; or that I was in the service of the State of Texas during the war, to protect said State against the Indians and Mexicans for more than 6 months. That I was honorably discharged or surrendered.....

(Give date and cause.)

that I have been a bona fide citizen of this State since prior to January 1, A. D. 1900, and have been continuously since a citizen of the State of Texas. I do further state that I do not hold any National, State, city or county office which pays me a salary or fees of \$300.00 per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment or other source whatever which amounts to \$300.00 per annum, nor do I receive from any source whatever money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of \$300.00 per annum, nor do I own in my own right, nor does any one hold in trust for my benefit or use, nor does my wife own, nor does any one hold in trust for my wife, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the assessed value of over one thousand dollars, exclusive of a home of the value of not more than \$1000.00; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home, and I do further State that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 67 years
2. Where were you born? Barber County, Ala.
3. How long have you resided in Texas? 41 years
4. In what county do you reside? Gregg
5. How long have you resided in said county and what is your postoffice address? 10 months
Kilgore, Tex. P.O. #4
6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where. Have not applied
7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farmer
8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Ala. TX
9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. About 13 months
Cont. from exact date of enlistment, but I served until the surrender.
10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? Robb's battery - Stone Battalion, Stewart's Corps, Trans. Div. Army Genl.
11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service. was not transferred
12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? Artillery

13. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty? *was not commissioned*
14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve? *was not*
15. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? *Have not*

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

(Signature of Applicant) *S. D. ^{his} Jernigan*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *23* day of *May*, A. D. 19*14*

J. H. McAnney
County Judge *Gregg* County, Texas.

[Seal:]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[NOTE.]—There must be at least two credible witnesses.

THE STATE OF TEXAS }

County of *Gregg*

Before me *J. H. McAnney*, County Judge of *Gregg* County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared *J. P. Taylor + S. D. Jernigan*, who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know

S. D. Jernigan, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said *S. D. Jernigan* has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas since prior to

January 1, A. D. 1900, and that they have no interest in his claim.

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

(Signature of Witness) *S. D. Jernigan*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *23* day of *May*, A. D. 19*14*

J. H. McAnney
County Judge *Gregg* County, Texas.

[SEAL.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

(If possible, the two witnesses should have served with the applicant in the army, and, if so, let them, or either, state it in their oath, their source of knowledge; also any information regarding applicant's army service.)

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 his application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim, and said

EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act ^{April 7-1913} March 26, 1909, pending *In*

S.D. Jernigan

Gregg

Applicant for Confederate Pension.

County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

Answers and depositions of (1)

M.W. Deshazo and John W. Clark

M.J. Blank

to the accompanying interrogations (2) *and Cross Interrogatories* propounded to *them* in the above entitled cause taken before (3)

in accordance with the accompanying (7) *agreement*

To the first interrogatory the said *M.W. Deshazo*

Witness, answers

M.W. Deshazo, 80, Barber County, Ala., Cotton Hill.

To 2 Inty. He Ans. — I do

To 3 Inty. He Ans. — 60 years, in Barber County Ala

To 4 Inty. He Ans. — I do.

To 5 Inty. He Ans. — I do. 1863, Barber County Ala. 15 months, in Halbs Battery, Enfants Ala. in Georgia, Kentucky Virginia, N.C. 15 months

To 6 Inty. He Ans. — He was not commissioned as an officer.

To 7 Inty. He Ans. — He was a volunteer, fought in the ranks as private, 15 months

Answers to X Interrogatories

To 1 - X Inty. He Ans. — I served with him. I did not know any other person by same name

To 2. X Inty. He Ans. — I am

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To 3. X Inty. He Ans. — I do know that he served honorably from date of enlistment until close of war

To H. X July He Ans. — I know that he did not.

Answers of the witnesses ^{W. J. Clark} John W. Clark:

To 1 July He Ans. — Name J. Clark. 78 years.
Cotton Hill Ala

To 2 July He Ans — Have known him all his life.

To 3 July He Ans — All his life in Barbour County Ala

To 4 July He Ans. — I do.

To 5 July He Ans. — I do. 1863. In Eufaula Ala.
fifteen months. In Kolbs Battery, In Tennessee, Kentucky,
Virginia N.C. and Georgia. Fifteen months.

To 6 July He Ans. — He was private soldier and so served

To 7 July He Ans. — He was not a conscript,
Private soldier and so served.

Answers to X Interrogatories

To 1 X July He Ans. — I served with him.
I did not know any other person by same name.

To 2 X July He Ans. — I am.

To 3 X July He Ans. — I do know that he served
honorably until closing of war.

Lined area for the deposition text.

X W J Clark
X M W Wheshare

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 6th day of July, 1914

and here

J R Boy
Notary Public

THE STATE OF Alabama
County of Benton

I, A B Bush
(Here give name and official character of officer before whom taken.)

Justice of the Peace do hereby certify that W J Clark

and M W Wheshare are personally known to me to be creditable citizens of said County and State, and that the foregoing answers of W J Clark

the witness before named, and M W Wheshare

whose name appear signed to the foregoing deposition, were made before me and were sworn to and subscribed before me, by said witness (4) W J Clark & M W Wheshare

Given under my hand and official seal, this the 6 day of July, 1914

(L. S.) officer for this certificate & of the seal.

A B Bush
Justice of the Peace

NOTE.—In Texas, any Clerk of the District Court, any 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 or Record having a seal, any Notary Public, or any Commissioner of Deeds of Texas.

File No. _____

In _____ County, Texas.
Before the Honorable County Judge of Said County.

EX PARTE

Applicant for Confederate Pension

DEPOSITION

of

Witness _____ for Applicant.

Filed _____ day

of _____, 191

_____, Clerk.

By _____, Deputy.

Fee for Taking Deposition, \$ _____

Feb. 4 X Inty. He said - I know that he did
desire his command

(X)

- (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.

EX-PARTE

S.D. Jernigan
Applicant for Confederate Pension.

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

The Honorable County Judge of Gregg County, Texas,
will please take notice that, five days after the 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 M.W. Deshojo
and John W. Clark W.J. Clark who reside in the County
of Bosher in the state of Ala. 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 evi-
dence upon the hearing of applicant's claim for pension in behalf of applicant; said testimony is material and in-
dispensable to applicant in furnishing the required proof of his claim for a pension under the Act of April 7
1913, the application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and the facts necessary and re-
quired to be proven under the provisions of said act, applicant believes cannot be proven by any witness residing
in the County of Gregg and State of Texas, which is a bona fide resident.

S.D. Jernigan
(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness to

M.W. Deshojo and John W. Clark W.J. Clark

- 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 S.D. Jernigan who
is an applicant for pension under Act of March 26, 1909 April 7-1913
- INT. 3. How long had you known the said S.D. Jernigan
and when and where did you first know him?
- INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said S.D. Jernigan
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 S.D. Jernigan
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 S.D. Jernigan
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 further know if S.D. Jernigan 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.

To be propounded to M.W. Deshojo and John W. Clark W.J. Clark

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If, in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you person-
ally know or did know said S.D. Jernigan 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 S.D. Jernigan 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 S.D. Jernigan serving in the same company or regiment, or special
service in which you say the said Jernigan enlisted, if you have stated that said
Jernigan enlisted and served in the navy of the Confederacy, then state whether or

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not you know any other soldier or sailor of the same name as said S.D. Jernigan 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 S.D. Jernigan 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 S.D. Jernigan is the identical person serving as testified by you?

Cross INT. 3. Do you know whether or not the said S.D. Jernigan 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 S.D. Jernigan deserted his command, or voluntarily abandoned his post of duty or the service during said war?

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Gregg
J.H. Mestaney

I, J.H. Mestaney, 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 S.D. Jernigan may be attached hereto.

J.H. Mestaney
County Judge Gregg County, Texas.
S.D. Jernigan
(Applicant) Attorney with for Applicant with

In Re
Application for Confederate Pension.
FOR USE OF SOLDIERS OR WIDOWS.

Gregg
County, Texas.
Pending before the County Judge of said County.

EX-PARTE
S.D. Jernigan
Applicant

INTERROGATORIES
propounded to
MSW. DeKrogo
John W. Clark
Witnesses.

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg

I, M. M. Jernigan

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late D. D. Jernigan, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 28780 and whose original county was Gregg

The said pensioner D. D. Jernigan, died on the 17th day of March, 1924, in the town of Kilgore County of Gregg Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of M. M. Jernigan who was related to the pensioner as son

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

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. Last quarter ended March 1st, 1924

I am related to the pensioner as (Friend) son that my postoffice address is Kilgore Texas

Street or R. F. D.

City

State

Sworn to before me this 27th day of March, 1924

Signed, M. M. Jernigan

Notary Public in and for Gregg State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, D. J. Jeter, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Kilgore County of Gregg, State of Texas that I had charge of the body of D. D. Jernigan who died in the town of Kilgore, County of Gregg, State of Texas on the 17th day of March, 1924. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 17th day of March, 1924 (and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said M. M. Jernigan who makes the foregoing application.

Signed, D. J. Jeter

Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, J. E. Adams M.D., do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended 7775 D. D. Jernigan in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Lobar Pneumonia following the Flu.

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, J. E. Adams M.D.

Physician's Address Kilgore Texas



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Must be returned before 40 days expires,

STATE OF TEXAS

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

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COMMISSIONER OF COMMERCE

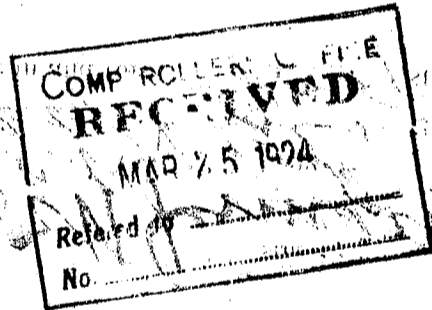
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APPLICATION FOR WORKING CAPITAL