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STATE OF TEXAS

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WIDOW'S APPLICATION FOR A PENSION

The Comptroller of Public Accounts reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Andrew S. Taylor

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Name of Applicant

Mrs. Jessie Taylor

Brewster
County

Postoffice: ~~Springfield, Texas~~

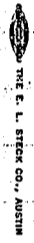
Filed: Nov 9 - 1926

Approved: Dec 17 - 1926

Pension allowed from Dec 1 - 1926

Rejected

A. H. Russell
Comptroller of Public Accounts



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For Use of Widows of Soldiers Who Are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg

I, Mrs. Mrs. Josie Taylor do hereby make application to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for a pension, to be granted me under the Act passed by the Thirty-third Legislature of the State of Texas, and approved April 7, A. D. 1913, on the following grounds:

I am the widow of Andrew A. Taylor deceased, who departed this life on the 21 day of Feb, A. D. 1890, in the county of Gregg in the State of Texas

I have not remarried since the death of my said husband, and I do solemnly swear that I was never divorced from my said husband, and that I never voluntarily abandoned him during his life, but remained his true, faithful and lawful wife up to the date of his death. I was married to him on the 7th day of October A. D. 1868, in the county of Upshur in the State of Texas

My husband, the said Andrew A. Taylor, enlisted and served in the military service of the Confederate States during the war between the States of the United States, and that he did not desert the Confederate service. I have been a resident of the State of Texas 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 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 anyone hold in trust for my benefit or use, estate or property, either real, personal or mixed, either in fee or for life, of the value of one thousand dollars, exclusive of the home of the value of not over \$1000; nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States, or from any other source, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? 76 years
2. Where were you born? 10th day of Sept. 1848 - in Alabama
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? 26 years
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? about 50 years - Panguin Texas
5. Did your husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number. no
6. What was your husband's full name? Andrew A. Taylor
7. What was the date of his death? 21st day of Feb 1890
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Texas

9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you, give date of enlistment and discharge. Served 4 years - Discharged June 27th 1865

10. What was the name or letter of the company, or number of the battalion, regiment or battery of artillery in which your husband served? If he was transferred from one branch of service to another, give time of transfer, description of command and time of service. Company K - 1st Texas Cavalry - at time of discharge

11. Name branch of service in which your husband served, whether infantry, cavalry, artillery, or the navy, or if commissioned as an officer by the President, his rank and line of duty, or if detailed for special service under the law of conscription, the nature of such service, and time of service. Private Co. H - 1st Texas Cavalry

12. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming a beneficiary under this law? no

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

(Signature of Applicant)

Mrs. Josie Taylor

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th day of October A. D. 1916

W. H. Hughes

[Seal.]

County Judge Gregg County, Texas.

*Where applicant has remarried it is necessary that she state facts covering particulars of last marriage, date, to whom married, and date of last husband's death. She must also state that she is now a widow.



AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

[Note.—There must be at least two creditable witnesses.]

THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Gregg

Before me W R Hughes, County Judge of Gregg County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Dash Shaw & J. B. Stuckhorn who are personally

known to me to be creditable citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know
that Mrs. Jessie Taylor, applicant for a pension as the widow of Andrew A. Taylor
~~deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of Andrew A. Taylor (deceased),~~ that they personally
know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose services in the army she claims
a pension, and that they have no interest in this claim.*

(Signature of Witness) Dash Shaw

(Signature of Witness) J. B. Stuckhorn

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4th day of November, A. D. 1926

W R Hughes

[Seal.] County Judge Gregg County, Texas.

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known to me to be creditable citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally know
the above named applicant for pension, and that they personally know that the said Mrs. Jessie Taylor
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 this claim.

(Signature of Witness) Dash Shaw

(Signature of Witness) J. B. Stuckhorn

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4th day of November, A. D. 1926

W R Hughes

[Seal.] County Judge Gregg County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg

Before me, W. B. Hughes, County Judge of Gregg County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. B. Stucke who personally

known to me to be creditable 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 her application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in this claim.

~~And further make oath to the following facts touching the service of applicant's husband in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge)~~

(Signature of Witness) W. B. Stucke

(Signature of Witness) T. B. Stucke

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 4th day of November, A. D. 1926

W. B. Hughes
County Judge Gregg County, Texas.

[Seal.]

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR



I, Oscar Wood State and County Assessor in the County of Gregg

State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. Jessie Taylor whose name is signed

to the foregoing application for a pension, under the Act of the Thirty-third Legislature, approved April 7, 1913, is charged on the tax rolls of said county with a ~~homestead~~ Property of the value of \$500.00

Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of nothing Dollars.

Given under my hand, this 4th day of November A. D. 1926

Oscar Wood
State and County Assessor.



S. H. TERRELL, COMPTROLLER
J. M. EDWARDS, CHIEF CLERK

Comptroller's Department
State of Texas
Austin

December 8, 1926.

Adjutant General,
War Department,
Washington, D.C.

Sir:-

I am in receipt of your report dated December 4, stating the name, Andrew S. Taylor is not found on the muster rolls of Company H, 1st Texas Cav. C.S.A.

Since Mrs. Taylor has in her possession, original discharge issued to her husband, June 27, 1861, showing that he was a private in Company H, 1st Texas Cav. and she claims four years of service for her husband, Andrew S. Taylor, I am requesting that you further investigate the records of this company and advise me dates of muster roll on file in your office and especially date of the last muster roll on file.

Please let me have this information at your convenience, and oblige,

TX

Yours very truly,

KR/wpm.

J. M. Edwards
COMPTROLLER

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War Department, Washington, D. C.
O.B.D.

WAR DEPARTMENT.
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.
WASHINGTON. Dec. 13, 1926.

Respectfully returned to

Comptroller's Department, State of
Texas,
Austin, Texas.

There are no rolls on file in this
office of Co.H, 1st. Regt. Texas Cav.,
C.S.A., nor has record been found of
the service, capture or parole of a
man bearing the name Andrew S. Taylor
as of that organization.

Robert C. Davis

Major General,
The Adjutant General,
By *A. H. H.*



Comptroller's Department
State of Texas
Austin

To the Adjutant General,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

I have the honor to request the Military
record of Andrew J Taylor, who is
reported to have enlisted in Company H
Regiment 1st.

Texas Cavalry

in service in the Confederate States Army.

Very respectfully,



A. H. Purcell

Comptroller of State of Texas

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WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON NOV. 13, 1926.

Respectfully returned to

Comptroller of State of Texas,
Austin, Texas.

The name Andrew J. Taylor has not
been found on the rolls on file in
this office of S.G.H. of any Texas
Cav. C.S.A., numerically designated as
the 1st.

Robert L. Davis

Major General,
The Adjutant General.

By G. I. H.

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Dear Sir:-

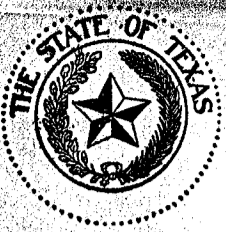
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record of _____ who is
reported to have enlisted in Company _____
Regiment _____

in service in the Confederate States Army.
Very respectfully,

(TX)

Comptroller of State of Texas
OFFICE RECORDS DIVISION

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Comptroller's Department
State of Texas
Austin

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War Department, Washington, D. C.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, December 4, 1926.

Respectfully returned to

Comptroller,
State of Texas,
Austin, Texas.

The name Andrew S. Taylor has not been found on the muster rolls of any organization of Cavalry, State of Texas, C.S.A., designated Co. H, 1st.

Nor has any record been found of his service, capture or parole as of the 1st. Texas Cavalry.

The records show that one Andrew Taylor, who enlisted at Dallas, is shown to have served in Co. F, 6th. Texas Cavalry, (also called the 2nd. & Stone's Regt. Texas Cavalry) C.S.A.

Robert L. Davis

Major General,
The Adjutant General.

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C. L. TAYLOR, VICE-PRES.

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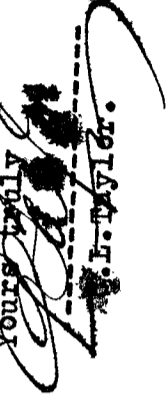
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LONGVIEW, TEXAS March 9th, 1928.

Mr. S.H. Terrell.
Comptroller.
Austin, Texas.
Dear Sir:-----

I am handing you herewith application for mortuary warrant in my favor, as Executor of my late Mother's Estate, Mrs. Josie M. Taylor.
Your usual prompt attention will oblige.

Yours truly



C. L. Taylor

42616

LONGVIEW COTTON OIL COMPANY

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LONGVIEW, TEXAS.

K. S. MELTON,
SECY. & MANAGER

No. 407

Marshall, Texas, June 27th 1865

Private Andrew S Taylor, of "H" company, first regiment Texas Cavalry, C.S.A, residing in Upshur County, Texas, having been, with the approval of the proper authorities, paroled, is permitted to return to his home, not to be disturbed by the United States Authorities, so long as observes his parole and the laws in force where he may reside.

By order of

MAJOR GENERAL E. R. S. CANBY, U. S. A.

GEO L. ANDREWS,

Brig.Gen. and Provost Marshall Gen.

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF GREGG,

Mrs Josie Taylor, by me being duly sworn, deposes and says that the above is a true and correct copy of the discharge issued to her deceased husband, Andrew S Taylor. The original discharge being now in the possession of Mrs Josie Taylor.

Mrs. Josie Taylor. (TX)

Sworn and subscribed to before me, a duly authorized Notary Public, in and for Gregg County, Texas, this 27th day of November 1926.

Musk Shaw
County Clerk Notary Public, Gregg County, Texas.

DISTRICT COURT MEETS ON THE 2ND MONDAY
IN FEBRUARY, 1ST MONDAY IN JUNE AND THE
1ST MONDAY IN OCTOBER

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF GREGG

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IN JANUARY, APRIL, JULY AND SEPTEMBER

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DUSH SHAW, COUNTY CLERK
E. B. PENICK, PRECINCT No. 1
R. M. WOOD, PRECINCT No. 2
LEO BRADSHAW, PRECINCT No. 3
JOHN HOLT, PRECINCT No. 4
G. E. ADAMS, CO. DEMONSTRATION AGENT

COMMISSIONERS COURT MEETS ON THE SECOND MONDAY
IN EACH MONTH



LONGVIEW, TEXAS

OFFICERS:

J. H. MCHANEY, DIST AND COUNTY ATT'Y
MRS. MAUDE WOOD, DISTRICT CLERK
MARTIN HAYS, SHERIFF
E. O. MCWHORTER, TAX COLLECTOR
S. L. WILSON, SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT
E. A. MORGAN, COUNTY TREASURER
OSCAR WOOD, TAX ASSESSOR
J. I. CHOICE, COUNTY SURVEYOR

November
27th
1926.

Comptroller
Austin, Texas

My dear Sir:

I beg to hand you herewith the information
requested in your recent letter to me regarding application
of Mrs Josie Taylor for Confederate pension.

I beg to call your attention also to the
fact that the name of Mrs Taylors husband as shown in
her application is Andrew S. Taylor and not A.J Taylor.
Perhaps you will on further investigation under this name
find the proper service record.

Trusting the above information suffices
and the application is granted, I remain,

Very respectfully yours

W. R. Hughes
County Judge



December 8, 1926.

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Yours very truly,

KR/wpm.

COMPTROLLER



Nov. 17, 1926.

Hon. William R. Hughes,
County Judge,
Longview, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

Agreeable to my letter of November 9, I am today in receipt of the following report in reply to my request for service record of Mr. Andrew J. Taylor, whose widow is applying for Confederate Pension.

" The name Andrew J. Taylor has not been found on the rolls on file in this office of Co. H. of any Texas Cav. C.S.A. numerically designated as the 1st."

Since this report fails to show any service rendered by Mr. Taylor, it will be necessary now to submit proof in the form of affidavits of witnesses personally knowing of the service rendered, or the filing of documentary evidence of some character, such as original discharge or parole.

On receipt of affidavits of witnesses personally knowing of the service rendered or documentary evidence, this application will be given further consideration.

Yours very truly,

TX

KR/wpm.

COMPTROLLER.

Nov. 9. 1926.

Hon. William R. Hughes,
County Judge,
Longview, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor of November 6, enclosing application of Mrs. Josie Taylor.

You are advised that before this application may be approved, it will be necessary to have a favorable report on the service record of her husband, which report I am requesting today from the office of the Adjutant General, War Department, Washington, D.C. Mrs. Taylor will be notified immediately on receipt of this report.

If Mrs. Taylor has original parole or discharge of her husband, a certified copy of same should have been filed with her application. Please have certified copy of same made and mailed to this office for filing with application.

Yours very truly,

KR/wpm.

COMPTROLLER.



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OSCAR WOOD, TAX ASSESSOR
J. I. CHOICE, COUNTY SURVEYOR

November 6th, 1926

Comptroller
Austin, Texas

My dear Sir:

I beg herewith to hand you application
of Mrs Josie Taylor of this city and county for
Confederate Widows pension.

I trust same will be granted without delay
As to service of her husband Andrew, S. Talor, I presume
your records will show such service as indicated in the
enclosed application. The information is from a parole
and discharged granted at the end of the Civil war,
by bona fide authority, and shown me by Mrs Taylor.
If shown by your records than this information can be by
you verified.

Assuring you of the deservidness of this
applicant, and thanking you in advance for the usual
kind consideration extended in these matters, I remain

Very respectfully yours,

W. R. Hughes
County Judge



APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg } I, C.L. Taylor

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Josie M. Taylor, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 42616 and whose original county was Gregg

The said pensioner Mrs. Josie M. Taylor died on the 29th day of February, 1928, in the town of Longview County of Gregg, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. Roy Wilson who was related to the pensioner as Grand daughter

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. Josie M. Taylor

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 (~~XXXXX~~) Son that my postoffice address is Longview, Gregg County, Texas. ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~

Longview City Texas State

Signed [Signature]

Sworn to before me this 8th, day of March, 1928

County Clerk [Signature]

~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ in and for Gregg State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, S.C. Forman, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Longview County of Gregg, State of Texas, that I had charge of the body of Mrs. Josie M. Taylor, who died in the town of Longview, County of Gregg, State of Texas on the 29th, day of February 1928. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 29th, day of February 1928, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said C.L. Taylor who makes the foregoing application.

Signed [Signature] Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN



I, Dr. L.N. Markham, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mrs. Josie M Taylor in ~~his~~ ^{her} last illness, and am of the opinion that ~~his~~ ^{her} ailments were Influenza

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 [Signature]

Physician's Address Longview, Gregg Co. Texas.

Must return before 40 days expires from date of Pensioner's death

Write for Warrant
P.O. order
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