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FORM No. 1—AMENDED

OCTOBER 1, 1902

Confederate Pension Application

Name of Applicant

W. Frank Bean
Anderson County,

Postoffice Athens

Comptroller's File No. 12410

I have carefully examined the within application for pension together with the proof in support thereof, and I recommend that the application be *Approved* 7-25-

March 25 1907 25-

this _____ day of _____

A. D. _____

E. A. Holmes
Chief Pension Clerk

I hereby _____ the within application for pension this _____ day of _____

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J. M. Stephens
Comptroller.

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

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NOTE—The law provides that pensions can begin only on the first day of April and October of each year.

FORM No. 1. Amended October 1, 1902.

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson

To the Honorable County Judge of Henderson County, Texas.

Your petitioner, W. Frank Dean respectfully represents that he is a resident citizen of Henderson 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 W. Frank Dean
- Q. What is your age? Answer 61 years old
- Q. In what County do you reside? Answer Henderson
- Q. How long have you resided in said County and what is your postoffice address? Answer 30 years
Othens, 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 Farming
- Q. What is your physical condition? Answer Not good
- 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 Infirmity of age & indigestion
- Q. In what State was your command originally organized? Answer Ala
- Q. How long did you serve? Give date of enlistment and discharge. Answer 4 years
Enlisted in Feb, 1861 & served till close of war
- Q. What was the name or letter of your company and name or number of your regiment? Answer Co "E" 33 Ala Reg
- Q. State whether you served in the infantry, artillery, cavalry, or the navy. Answer 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 No
- 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 estate has your wife in her own right, real and personal, and what is its value? 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 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 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
- Q. If you originally enlisted in the Confederate service from the State of Texas, were you at the date of passage of this act a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Texas? Answer _____

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

(Signature of Applicant) D. H. Dean

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22 day of Sept, A. D. 1906

(SEAL.)

J. R. Blades
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson } Before me J. R. Blades
County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared _____

E. B. Dean & J. R. Dean
who are personally known to me to be credible citizens, who being by me duly sworn on oath, state that they personally know D. H. Dean the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said D. H. Dean is unable to support himself by labor of any sort.

(Signature of Witness) E. B. Dean

(Signature of Witness) J. R. Dean

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22 day of Sept, A. D. 1906

(SEAL.)

J. R. Blades
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

PROOF OF SERVICE MUST NOT BE MADE A PART OF THIS AFFIDAVIT

AFFIDAVIT OF PHYSICIAN

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson } Before me J. P. Blades
County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, on this day personally appeared Frank
W. Deane, 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 Frank W. Deane
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: He is suffering from his limb
with sciatic Rheumatism & Chronic
Dyspepsia.

(Signature of Physician) E. R. Johnson

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 22 day of Sept. A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

J. P. Blades
County Judge Henderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY JUDGE

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Henderson } I, J. P. Blades
County Judge of Henderson County, State of Texas, do hereby certify that on the 16
day of July A. D. 1907, before me came on to be heard the application
of W. H. Deane 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 E. R. Johnson
who is a reputable practicing physician of this county, was made before me. I also certify that the said applicant
W. H. Deane, 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 W. H. Deane,
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 Athens this 16
day of July A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

J. P. Blades
County Judge Henderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Henderson } We, the undersigned members of the Commissioners Court of
Henderson County, Texas, hereby certify that the foregoing application of
W. H. Deane for a pension, together with the proof in support thereof, was duly submitted
by Hon. J. P. Blades County Judge of this Henderson County,
to the Commissioners of this Henderson County, at a regular term thereof on the 16
day of July A. D. 1907 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 Athens this 16
day of July A. D. 1907

(SEAL)

M. J. Page
W. H. Cartledge
W. A. McLeod
E. G. Skettle
(Signature of Commissioners)





Comptroller's Department

State of Texas

Austin MAR 14 1907

J. W. STEPHENS, COMPTROLLER
JOHN T. SMITH, CHIEF CLERK

To the Military Secretary,
War Department,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of
D. Frank Dean who is reported to have enlisted in
Company E, 33^d Regiment Alabama Infantry
in the service of the Confederate States army.

Purpose: The person above named is an applicant for a Confederate pension granted by this State, and I desire to verify his proof of service.

Very respectfully,

J. W. Stephens
Comptroller



MILITARY SECRETARY'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT

*Austin, Tex.,
Mar. 14, 1907.*

J. H. Stephens, Comptroller

*For mily. record of D. Frank
Dean, E. 33rd Ala. Inf., ap-
plicant for Confederate
Pension.*

Address: "The Adjutant General,
War Department, Washington, D. C."

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, March 19, 1907.

*Respectfully returned to the
Comptroller,*

State of Texas,

Austin.

The records show that D. F. Dean
(name not found as D. Frank Dean),
private, Company E, 33d Alabama In-
fantry, C. S. A., was enrolled March
31, 1862; that he was captured at
Spring Hill, Tennessee, November 29,
1864, and that he was released as a
prisoner of war at Camp Douglas, Illi-
nois, June 18, 1865.

J. H. Stephens

The Adjutant General.

(A. G. O. 72-1)

DEPOSITION IN PENSION CLAIMS, WITH CAPTION AND CERTIFICATES.

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EX PARTE

IN RE APPLICANT FOR CONFEDERATE PENSION

Under Act May 12, 1899, pending in County Commissioners Court of Dundrum

D. F. Dean

Applicant for Confederate Pension

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

Answers and depositions of (1) W. R. Norman

to the accompanying interrogations (2) Direct and Cross
propounded to him in the above entitled cause taken before (3) J. J. Spencer County Judge Ellis Co. Tex.
in accordance with the accompanying (5) Waiver

To the first interrogatory the said W. R. Norman

Witness, answers W. R. Norman, Ellis County, Texas. Forrestan Tex. R. F. D. No. 2

2nd Int. he answers:

Yes.

3rd Int. he answers:

I have known him since about 1854 Montgomery County Ala.

4th Int. he answers:

Yes

5th Int. he answers:

Yes. Company C. 33rd Ala. Regiment. I think he enlisted in the Spring of 1862, however I am not sure about the date. I think he enlisted at Athens Ala. however I am not sure as to place. He served from the time he enlisted until the close of the war.

6th Int. he answers:

I do not know as I have not seen him in some years.

7th Cross-Int. he answers:

I served in the same Company and Reg. with him, but I enlisted after he did. I did not know any other soldier by the name of D. F. Dean serving in said Company and Regiment.

8th Cross-Int. he answers:

Yes.



3rd Cross-Int. he answers:

I did not answer

6th Direct Int. in the affirmative

4th Cross-Int. he answers:

He never deserted the Confed-
erate Army.

He never deserted the Confed-
erate Army.

EX PARTE

Pending in the Honorable Commissioners Court of Henderson County, Texas, before the Honorable County Judge of said County.

W. G. Dean Applicant for Confederate Pension.

The Honorable County Judge of Henderson 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 W. R. Norman and who reside in the County of Ellis in the State of Texas 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 evidence upon the hearing of applicant's claim for pension in behalf of applicant; said testimony is material and indispensable to applicant in furnishing the required proof to his claim for a pension under the Act of May 12, 1899, the application for which is now pending before the Honorable County Judge, and the facts necessary and required to be proven under the provisions of said Act, applicant believes can not be proven by any witness residing in the County of Henderson and State of Texas, of which he is a bona fide resident.

(Applicant) Attorney for Applicant.

Direct Interrogatories to be Propounded to the Witness

W. R. Norman

- 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 W. G. Dean who is an applicant for pension under Act of May 12, 1899?
INT. 3. How long have you known the said W. G. Dean applicant for pension, and when and where did you first know him?
INT. 4. Do you personally know that the said W. G. Dean applicant for pension 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 W. G. Dean applicant, 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 further know that W. G. Dean the said applicant for pension, is unable to support himself by labor of any sort?

CROSS INTERROGATORIES.



To be Propounded to W. R. Norman

CROSS INTERROGATORY 1. If in answer to the foregoing direct interrogatories, you have stated that you personally know or did know said applicant, 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 in which applicant 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 you knew of any other soldier or sailor by the name of W. G. Dean serving in the same company or regiment in which you say the said applicant W. G. Dean enlisted, or if you have stated that said applicant enlisted and served in the navy of the Confederacy, then state whether or not you know

any other sailor of the same name as said W. G. Dean applicant serving in the same command.

If you say that you so knew other soldiers or sailors of the same name of applicant's, 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 W. G. Dean applicant for pension, is the identical person serving as testified by you?

CROSS INT. 3. If you have answered Direct Interrogatory No. 6 in the affirmative, then please state your source of knowledge or information. Is not this your answer simply based on conjecture?

CROSS INT. 4. Do you know whether or not the said W. G. Dean applicant for pension, ever deserted the service in the Confederate army or navy?

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, }
County of Henderson }
I, J. B. Blades 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..... may be attached hereto.

J. B. Blades
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

(Applicant) Attorney..... for Applicant.

Application for Confederate Pension.
In Re
IN COMMISSIONERS COURT,
Henderson County, Texas,
Pending before County Judge of said County.
Ex Parte
W. G. Dean
Applicant.
INTERROGATORIES
PROFOUNDED TO
M. E. ...
Witnesses.

- (1) Here give the name and residence of each witness.
- (2) Here state "and cross interrogatories," if any.
- (3) Here give the 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.



The State of Texas }
 County of Henderson } Before me, J. P. Blades
 County Judge of Henderson County,
 State of Texas, on this day personally
 appeared E. B. Dean, who is known
 to me to be a credible citizen,
 who being by me duly sworn on oath,
 states that he is 56 years old,
 has known the Applicant herein
 from his childhood, first knew him
 in Montgomery County Ala, that
 Applicant enlisted in the service
 of the Confederacy in Feb, 1861 in
 Butler County Ala and performed
 the duties of a soldier till close of war
 in Co. "E" 33 Ala Reg. Source of knowledge
 is having seen Applicant in
 actual service, in said Co & Reg.
 Affiant further states that Applicant
 is unable to support himself
 by labor of any sort.

E. B. Dean
 Sworn & subscribed before me
 this Sept 22nd, 1906
 J. P. Blades
 Co. Judge

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Anderson

I, Mrs. Geo. Stringer

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mr. D. F. Dean, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 12410 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner J. Franklin Dean, died on the 12th day of July, 1925, in the town of Palestine, County of Anderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Mrs. Geo. Stringer who was related to the pensioner as Daughter

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 Mrs. D. F. Dean

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) Daughter that my postoffice address is Palestine, Texas, 415 May St. Street or R. F. D. Palestine City

Signed Mrs. Geo. Stringer

Sworn to before me this 6th day of August, 1925

Notary Public in and for Anderson County, State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, A. B. Sagar, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Palestine, County of Anderson, State of Texas, that I had charge of the body of Mr. D. F. Dean who died in the town of Palestine, County of Anderson, State of Texas on the 12th day of July, 1925. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 12th day of July, 1925, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Mrs. Geo. Stringer who makes the foregoing application.

Signed A. B. Sagar Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, Guy D. Small, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mr. D. F. Dean in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Chronic hepatitis

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 Guy D. Small Physician's Address Palestine Tex. TX

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

7-25-25