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FORM B.

Widow's Application
for a Pension

The Commissioner of Pensions reserves the right to call for additional testimony if he deems it necessary.

Name of Applicant.

Mrs. Mary E. Patterson

Haskell County.

Postoffice Eustace, Texas

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Approved March 12 - 1919

Pension allowed from Dec 1 - 1918

Rejected

H B Purcell

Commissioner of Pensions.

For Use of Widows of Soldiers who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF Ward

I, Mrs. Mary E. Patterson, do hereby make application to the Commissioner of Pensions 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 J. A. Patterson, deceased, who departed this life on the 31 day of January, A. D. 1919, in the county of Ward 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 22 day of August, A. D. 1872, in the county of Anderson, in the State of Texas.

My husband, the said J. A. Patterson 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 \$1000.00; 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? 68 years old
2. Where were you born? Rutherford Co. Tenn
3. How long have you resided in the State of Texas? Since 1853
4. How long have you resided in the county of your present residence? And what is your postoffice address? about 40 years - Euustac, Texas
5. Did your husband draw a pension? If so, give his file number, yes: 70,4799-
6. What was your husband's full name? James Augustus Patterson
7. What was the date of his death? Jan 31st 1919
8. In what State was your husband's command originally organized? Reference to his office application for pension & prop. acct file in your office
9. How long did your husband serve? If known to you give date of enlistment and discharge Reference same as account to Q. # 8 above
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. Same reference as Q. 8.

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 Same reference to your records

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) Mary E. Patterson TX

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 27 day of Feb, A. D. 1919

J. W. Hancock
County Judge, Ward County, Texas.

[Seal.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)
COUNTY OF Henderson

Before me, J. A. C. Deane, County Judge of Henderson County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared....., 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. Mary E. Patterson, applicant for a pension as the widow of J. A. Patterson
deceased, is in truth and fact the widow of J. A. Patterson deceased; that they personally
know that she has not remarried since the death of her husband, for whose service in the army she claims a pension,
and that they have no interest in this claim.

(Signature of Witness) John Easterwood

(Signature of Witness) May Dickson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 28 day of February, A. D. 1919

J. A. C. Deane
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,)
COUNTY OF Henderson

Before me, J. A. C. Deane, County Judge of Henderson County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared....., who are personally

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 Mary E. Patterson
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) John Easterwood

(Signature of Witness) May Dickson

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 28 day of February, A. D. 1919

J. A. C. Deane
County Judge Henderson County, Texas.

[Seal.]

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.....}

Before me,....., County Judge of.....County,
State of Texas, on this day personally appeared....., 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 the applicant's husband in the Confederate Army; (State fully
your source of knowledge) :.....

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(Signature of Witness).....

(Signature of Witness).....

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this.....day of.....A. D. 191.....

[Seal.]

County Judge.....County, Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR

I, *H.D. Gilliam*, State and County Assessor in the County of *Beck*,
State of Texas, do certify that Mrs. *Mary Patterson* 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 of the value of *\$40000*
.....Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both,
of the value of *\$4000*.....Dollars.

Given under my hand, this *28* day of *Feb* A. D. 191*9*

H.D. Gilliam
State and County Assessor.



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IF NON-RESIDENT, BE CAREFUL TO GIVE THE COMPLETE RESIDENCE OF THE DECEASED, STATING BOTH CITY, COUNTY AND STATE. THE RESIDENCE IS THE USUAL PLACE OF ABODE.

TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS	
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
REGISTRAR'S NO. _____	
1. PLACE OF DEATH STATE OF TEXAS	
COUNTY OF <u>Henderson</u>	
CITY OR PRECINCT NO. <u>Precinct # 3.</u> NO. _____ STREET _____	
IF IN AN INSTITUTION, GIVE NAME OF INSTITUTION INSTEAD OF STREET AND NO.	
LENGTH OF RESIDENCE WHERE DEATH OCCURRED. <u>45</u> YEARS _____ MONTHS _____ DAYS.	HOW LONG IN U. S. IF FOREIGN BORN? _____ YEARS _____ MONTHS _____ DAYS.
2. FULL NAME OF DECEASED <u>Mary E. Patterson</u>	
RESIDENCE OF THE DECEASED NO. _____ STREET _____ CITY <u>Eustace</u> STATE <u>Texas</u>	
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS	
3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>
5. SINGLE MARRIED WIDOWED DIVORCED <u>Wid.</u>	
5A. IF MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED HUSBAND OF (OR) WIFE OF <u>J.A. Patterson</u>	
6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) <u>May 20- 1851</u>	
7. AGE <u>88</u> YEARS <u>I</u> MONTHS <u>13</u> DAYS	IF LESS THAN 1 DAY, _____ HRS. OR _____ MIN.
8. TRADE, PROFESSION, OR PARTICULAR KIND OF WORK DONE, AS SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, ETC. <u>House work</u>	9. INDUSTRY OR BUSINESS IN WHICH WORK WAS DONE, AS SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, ETC.
10. DATE DECEASED LAST WORKED AT THIS OCCUPATION (MONTH AND YEAR) <u>1930</u>	11. TOTAL TIME (YEARS) SPENT IN THIS OCCUPATION _____
12. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>Tenn.</u>	
13. NAME <u>Calvin Blansett</u>	
14. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>Tenn.</u>	
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Dbby Blansett</u>	
16. BIRTHPLACE (CITY OR TOWN) (STATE OR COUNTRY) <u>Tenn.</u>	
17. INFORMANT <u>Mrs A.J. Cook</u>	
(Address) <u>Eustace Texas</u>	
18. BURIAL REMOVAL PLACE <u>Morehead Cem.</u> DATE <u>7/4</u> , 19 <u>39</u>	
19. UNDERTAKER <u>J.A. Ballard</u>	
(Address) <u>Malakoff Texas</u>	
20. SIGNATURE AND FILE DATE OF LOCAL REGISTRAR	
<u>7/5</u> 19 <u>39</u>	<u>H.R. McNeil</u>
(FILE DATE)	(SIGNATURE)
MEDICAL PARTICULARS	
21. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, AND YEAR) <u>July 3</u> , 19 <u>39</u>	
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, THAT I ATTENDED DECEASED FROM <u>June 26</u> , 19 <u>39</u> , TO <u>July 3</u> , 19 <u>39</u>	
I LAST SAW HIM ALIVE ON <u>July 2</u> , 19 <u>39</u>	
THE PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH AND RELATED CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE WERE AS FOLLOWS:	
<u>Gall Bladder</u>	DATE OF ONSET _____
OTHER CONTRIBUTORY CAUSES OF IMPORTANCE:	
NAME OF OPERATION <u>none</u> DATE OF _____	
WHAT TEST CONFIRMED DIAGNOSIS? <u>Physical</u> WAS THERE AN AUTOPSY? <u>no</u>	
23. IF DEATH WAS DUE TO EXTERNAL CAUSES (VIOLENCE) FILL IN ALSO THE FOLLOWING: ACCIDENT, SUICIDE, OR HOMICIDE	
DATE OF INJURY _____	
WHERE DID INJURY OCCUR? (SPECIFY CITY OR TOWN, COUNTY, AND STATE) <u>Local Eustace</u>	
SPECIFY WHETHER INJURY OCCURRED IN INDUSTRY, IN HOME, OR IN PUBLIC PLACE.	
MANNER OF INJURY _____	
NATURE OF INJURY _____	
24. WAS DISEASE OR INJURY IN ANY WAY RELATED TO OCCUPATION OF DECEASED? <u>no</u>	
IF SO, SPECIFY _____	
(SIGNED) <u>L.L. Cockerell</u>	M. D.
(ADDRESS) <u>Athens Texas</u>	<u>35665</u>

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TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS
STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

PLACED IN THE HANDS OF THE UNDERTAKER TO BE FURNISHED TO THE FUNERAL HOME

IF THE DECEASED SHALL HAVE RENDERED SERVICE IN ANY WAR, CAMPAIGN OR EXPEDITION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA OR THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, OR WHICH AT THE TIME OF DEATH WAS IN THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, OR A WIFE OR WIDOW OF ANY PERSON WHO HAS SERVED IN ANY WAR, CAMPAIGN OR EXPEDITION OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, THE CONFEDERATE STATES, OR THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, THE UNDERTAKER OR PERSON BURYING THE BODY SHALL SHOW THE FOLLOWING FACTS ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THE DEATH CERTIFICATE:

(1) Is the person reported to have been in such service?

(2) Name of organization in which service was rendered _____

(3) Serial Number of Discharge Papers or Adjusted Service Certificate _____

(4) Name of next of kin or name of next friend _____

Post Office Address _____

Information furnished by _____

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DIVISION OF VITAL STATISTICS, DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, STATE OF TEXAS
 FORM NO. 20 (REVISED 1958)
 PRINTED AT THE TEXAS STATE PRINTING PLANT, AUSTIN, TEXAS

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Henderson } I, Belle Cook

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Mrs. Mary E. Patterson, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 35665 and whose original county was Henderson

The said pensioner Mary E. Patterson, died on the 2 day of July, 1939, in the town of Eustace County of Henderson, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of Belle Cook 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 funeral expenses incurred by the said pensioner Mary E. Patterson

I further certify that the warrant for the current month has not been cashed by the pensioner, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I am related to the pensioner as Daughter that my postoffice address is _____

Eustace Street or R. F. D. Tex
City State

Signed Belle Cook

Sworn to before me this 9 day of July, 1939

Must return before 40 days after date of Pensioner's death

J. A. Bauerd
Notary Public in and for Henderson Co State of Texas.

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, J. A. Bauerd, do certify that I am undertaker in the town of Melokoff, County of Henderson, State of Tex that I had charge of the body of Mary E. Patterson, who died in the town of Eustace, County of Henderson, State of Tex on the 3 day of July, 1939. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 3 day of July, 1939, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said Belle Cook who makes the foregoing application.

(TX)

Signed J. A. Bauerd Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, L. L. Cockrell, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Mary E. Patterson in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Heart Bladder

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.

RECEIVED
JUL 17 1939
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE
July 6, 1939

Signed L. L. Cockrell
Physician's Address Athens Tex