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and 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 his claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonesty. And the undersigned make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army: (Print in your source of knowledge.)

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U.S. DEPT. OF WAR  
OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

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SOLDIER'S APPLICATION FOR PENSION

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

*[Signature]*

8-20-28

Name of Applicant:

W. G. Todd

County:

*[Signature]*

Postoffice *[Signature]*

*[Signature]*

Filed 10-31-22

Approved 8-26-23

Pension allowed from 12-1-22

Rejected ~~10-3-22~~

*[Signature]*  
Commissioner of Pensions.

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For Use of Soldiers Who are in Indigent Circumstances

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Gregg }

I, W. J. Fodder 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, 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 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 \$1,000.00; 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? 75 years
- 2. Where were you born? Ala.
- 3. How long have you resided in Texas? About 70 yrs.
- 4. In what county do you reside? Gregg
- 5. How long have you resided in said county, and what is your postoffice address? 1st about 30 yrs, 2nd Longview TX

6. Have you applied for a pension under the Confederate pension law and been rejected? If rejected, state when and where NO.

7. What is your occupation, if able to engage in one? Farmer What is your physical condition? Good

8. In what State was the command in which you served organized? Texas

9. How long did you serve? Give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge. 6 mos. Jan, June, 1864

10. What was the letter of your company, number of battalion, regiment or battery? Battalion, Brysons Company, Co. D. Evans

11. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service NO.

12. What branch of the service did you enlist in—infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? Infantry

13. If commissioned direct by the President, what was your rank and line of duty?.....

14. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve? no

15. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home? \$800.00

16. What is the assessed value of your other property? none

17. 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 his application for a pension be approved and such other proceedings be had in the premises as are required by law.

(Signature of Applicant) W. J. Todd

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21 day of Oct A. D. 1922

[Seal.] County Judge W. A. Ray County, Texas.

**AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES**

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

THE STATE OF TEXAS,  
County of Gregg

Before me W. A. Ray County Judge of Gregg County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared J. J. Butts & W. D. Mayfield

known to me to be creditable citizens, who, being, by me duly sworn, on oath state that they personally

know W. J. Todd, the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally

know that the said W. J. Todd 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. J. Butts

(Signature of Witness) W. D. Mayfield

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21 day of Oct A. D. 1922

[Seal.] County Judge W. A. Ray County, Texas.

**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 Upshur

Before me J. L. Dunick Deputy County Judge of Upshur County,

State of Texas, on this day personally appeared W. J. Todd & J. M. Todd

who are 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 his application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no interest in his claim, and said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And *J.M.* further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army: (State fully your source of knowledge.)

*My source of knowledge is that we served with with W. L. Todd in the Civil War from the time he enlisted until he was discharged*

(Signature of Witness) *W. L. Williford*

(Signature of Witness) *J. M. Todd*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* A. D. 192*2*

*D. Coak*

County Judge *Upshur* County, Texas.

[Seal.]

By *J. A. Derrick* Deputy

CERTIFICATE OF STATE AND COUNTY ASSESSOR



I, *J. C. Penon*, State and County Assessor in the County of *Upshur* State of Texas, do certify that *W. L. Todd*, or his wife, or his trustee, or trustee for his wife, 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 *800* Dollars, and of other property, real or personal, or both, of the value of *800* Dollars.

Given under my hand, this *21* day of *Oct*, A. D. 192*2*

*J. C. Penon*  
State and County Assessor.



Comptroller's Department  
State of Texas  
Austin

LON A. SMITH, Comptroller.  
W. T. GASTON, Chief Clerk.

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

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of W. T. Todd who is  
reported to have enlisted in Company A, Regiment 5th Texas Col.

in service in the Confederate States Army.

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

Very respectfully,

Received A. G. O. NOV 28 1922

Lon A. Smith  
Comptroller of Public Accounts.

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THE E. L. STECK CO., AUSTIN

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WAR DEPARTMENT,  
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 1, 1922.

Comptroller's Department,  
State of Texas,  
Austin.

The name W. J. Todd  
has not been found on the  
rolls of any company of  
the 5th Regt. Texas  
Cavalry, C. S. A., and  
no record of the capture  
or parole of a man  
of that name and or  
organization has been found.

Robert G. Davis,  
The Adjutant General

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Form No. 74-A, G. O.  
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To the Adjutant General,  
War Department,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

COMMUNICATIONS SECTION  
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I have the honor to refer the within record of  
reported to have been included in Company  
in the United States Army.  
person whose name is an applicant for a discharge in  
of the War and I desire to refer the point of service  
Very respectfully,  
Adjutant General

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Comptroller's Department  
State of Texas  
Austin

LON A. SMITH, Comptroller.  
W. T. GASTON, Chief Clerk.

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

Dear Sir:

I have the honor to request the military record of W. G. Todd who is  
reported to have enlisted in Company D, Regiment Evans Battalion,  
Brysons Company

in service in the Confederate States Army.

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

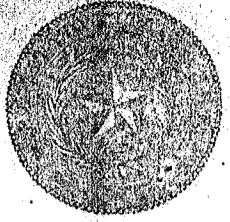
Very respectfully,



Lon A. Smith

Comptroller of Public Accounts.

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W. T. GASTON, Chief Clerk  
L. O. A. SMITH, Comptroller

Comptroller's Department  
State of Texas  
Austin

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, NOV. 6, 1922

Comptroller, Public Accounts, Texas,  
Austin,  
Texas.

Neither the alleged soldier, W. T. Todd, Co. I, nor Evans Battin, nor Bryson's Co. has been identified.

Officers named Evans (who might have been Battin. Commanders) served in 31 & 64 Ga. Inf., 20 Va. Cav., and 14 Va. Inf., 24 & 63 N.C. Inf. (the 63 N.C. I., being identical with 5 N.C. Cav.), the 8 Tex. Cav., and 11 Miss Inf., C.S.A. Officers named Bryson served in 25 N.C. Inf., 39 N.C. Inf., 16 N.C. Inf., & Thomas Legion, N.C., C.S.A.

William T. Todd served in Co. F, 4 Regt. N.C. Inf., W. F. Todd in Co. I, 45 Tenn Inf., C.S.A.

William Todd, was Pvt. Co. H, 5 Reg. N.C. Cav. The only record of him is as follows: enlisted Jul 8, 1862 at Mocksville, Rec'd no pay. Present, per muster roll, Sep. & Oct. 1862 Co. muster rolls on file cover period in part from Sep. 17, 62 to Aug. 31, 1864. Peter G. Evans was Col., and Stephen B. Evans, Lt. Col. Also known as Evans' Bn. N.C. Partisan Rangers.

*Robert H. Davis*

The Adjutant General

Form No. 74-A. G. O.  
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in service in the Confederate States Army

purpose: The person whose name is on applicant for a Confederate pension

granted by the State and I desire to verify his proof of service

Very respectfully,



Comptroller of Public Accounts

Form 750-2-10-10-11



State of Texas }  
Co of Upshur }  
Before me J. A. Derrick Deputy  
Co Clerk of Upshur  
Co Texas.

On this day personally appeared  
J. M. Todd who being duly sworn  
deposes and says he served with  
Williamson T Todd in the Civil  
War Confederate Army (State Militia)  
Co S. J. M. Brysons Co, Evans Bat-  
talion. During period of time  
beginning about Oct 1st 1864  
until June 1865 when we  
were discharged.

J. M. Todd

Sworn to & subscribed before  
me this 24<sup>th</sup> February 1903

Remond Oliver (TX)  
County Clerk in & for  
Upshur County Tex  
J. A. Derrick  
Deputy Clerk

~~State of Texas  
Co. of Upshur~~

Before me J. A.  
Derrill, Deputy  
Co. of Upshur  
Co. Tex.

~~On this day personally ap-  
peared H. A. Hallford~~

Affidavit of J. M. Tadd

State of Texas } Refame J. A. Perrier  
 Co of Upshun } Deputy Co Clerk of Upshun  
 Co 24.

On this day personally appeared W. L. Williford who being duly sworn deposes and says he served with Williamson T. Todd in the Civil War Confederate Army State militia during the period of time beginning Oct 1<sup>st</sup> 1864 until discharged June 1865 as members of Co 81 Capt. Bryson's Cavalry Battalion. I further state that I am drawing pension myself and have been since ~~1918~~ <sup>1920</sup>.

W. L. Williford  
 Sworn to and subscribed before  
 me this <sup>24th</sup> February 1923 -  
 Ransom Clark  
 County Clerk and Ex-Officio  
 Upshun County Tex  
 By J. A. Perrier  
 Deputy Clerk

(TX)

*Affidavit of H. L. Williford*

State of Texas  
Co of Upshun

Before me J. A.  
Derrick, Deputy Co  
Clerk of Upshun Co TX

On this day personally appeared  
John J. Morris, who, being duly  
sworn deposes and says he  
served with William Todd  
in the Civil War Confederate  
Army. [State Militia] during the  
period of time beginning about  
Oct 1st 1864 until discharged  
June 1865 as members of Co D  
[Capt] Brysons Evans Battalion, I further  
state that I am receiving pension  
myself and have been drawing  
same since <sup>1920</sup> ~~1918~~ John J. Morris

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me this <sup>24th day</sup> of January 1925.  
Ranceb Oliver  
County Clerk in and for  
Upshun County Tex  
By J. A. Derrick  
Deputy

(TX)

*Oath of John J. Marris.*

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Gregg } I, B. C. Todd

do hereby certify that I am the person to whom is entrusted the paying of the accounts and indebtedness of the late Williamson T. Todd, who was a pensioner of the State of Texas, and whose file number was 38816 and whose original county was Gregg

The said pensioner Williamson T. Todd, died on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1928, in the town of Longview County of Gregg, Texas.

The pensioner died in the home of B. C. Todd 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 funeral expenses incurred by the said pensioner Williamson T. Todd

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) Son that my postoffice address is Longview

Street or R. F. D. Texas State Texas

Signed B. C. Todd Sworn to before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of August, 1928

Notary Public in and for Gregg State of Texas. County Judge

CERTIFICATE OF UNDERTAKER

I, Almeida, 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 Williamson T. Todd, who died in the town of Longview, County of Gregg, State of Texas on the 14 day of August, 1928. That said body was prepared for burial by me on the 14 day of August, 1928, and that I am of the opinion that warrant herein applied for should be issued to the said B. C. Todd who makes the foregoing application.

Signed Almeida Undertaker.

CERTIFICATE OF PHYSICIAN

I, H. A. Rossi, do certify that I am a practicing physician, and that I attended Williamson T. Todd in his last illness, and am of the opinion that his ailments were Dysentery (Bloody Stools)

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 H. A. Rossi M.D.

Physician's Address Longview Tex.

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

APPLICATION FOR MORTUARY WARRANT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Waller State of Texas

I, John W. McWhorter, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears on file in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Waller, Texas, this 20th day of August, 1928.

John W. McWhorter  
County Clerk

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CERTIFICATE OF BURIAL

I, John W. McWhorter, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears on file in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Waller, Texas, this 20th day of August, 1928.

John W. McWhorter  
County Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF BURIAL

I, John W. McWhorter, County Clerk, do hereby certify that the within and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original as the same appears on file in my office.

Witness my hand and seal of office at Waller, Texas, this 20th day of August, 1928.

John W. McWhorter  
County Clerk

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