

(DUPLICATE)

## Soldier's Application for Pension

I, William Henry Crane  
am a citizen of Kentucky, resident at \_\_\_\_\_ in the County of Boyle  
in said State of Kentucky, and was a soldier from the State of Kentucky, in the war between  
the United States and the Confederate States and I do hereby apply for aid under the Act of the General Assembly of  
Kentucky, entitled "An Act granting pension to disabled and indigent Confederate soldiers." And I do solemnly swear  
that I was a member of Company "A" Fifth (6<sup>th</sup>) Kentucky  
Cavalry  
in the service of the Confederate States, and that by reason of disability and indigence I am now entitled to receive the  
benefit of this Act. I further swear that I do not receive aid or pension from any other State, or from the United States,  
and that I am not an inmate of any soldier's home, and that I am unable to earn a reasonable support for myself and fam-  
ily. I do further solemnly swear that the answers given to the following questions are true:

In what County, State and year were you born?

Answer Boyle County, State of Kentucky  
Born August 24<sup>th</sup> 1842

When did you enlist and in what command? Give the names of the regimental and company officers under whom you served?

Answer Enlisted September 1862 - Co "A" 6<sup>th</sup> Ky  
Capt J. W. Gresham - Lt Col Tom Nappier - Major Bullock  
Capt B. D. Logan - First Lieutenant John Bryant  
2nd Lieut Ed Merritt

How did you get out of the army, when and where?

Answer Paroled at Richmond Va - after Lee's surrender

Were you ever in prison? If so, state what prison and when released.

Answer In Prison, 12 Months, Camp Douglas Ill

Were you paroled? If so, when and where?

Answer Yes - at Richmond Va - after Lee's surrender

Did you take the oath of allegiance to the United States Government?

Answer Did not take the oath of allegiance to the U S

If so, when and under what circumstances?

Answer \_\_\_\_\_

In what business are you now engaged, if any, and what do you earn?

Answer *Nothing*

What estate have you in your own right, real and personal, and what is its actual cash value?

Answer *None*

What estate has your wife in her own right, real and personal, and what is its actual cash value?

Answer *None*

State the net income of yourself and your wife from all sources for the past year. This must include all money received either from wages, rents or interest on loaned money, if any.

Answer *None*

Do you use intoxicants to any extent?

Answer *No - none*

How long and since when have you been an actual resident of the State of Kentucky?

Answer *all my life*

Have you an attorney to look after this application?

Answer *No sir*

If so, give his name and address?

Answer *Robert M. Kinney - is writing this for as friend and counsel*

Witness my hand this *15* day of *April*, 191*7*

WITNESSES:  
*W. B. Nichols*  
*B. J. Hood*, Physician  
Postoffice Address *Danville Ky*  
*D. N. Bennett*, Witness  
Postoffice Address *Danville Ky*  
*J. S. Durham*, Witness  
Postoffice Address .....

*William Henry Crane*<sup>his</sup>  
P. O. *Mitchellburg Ky*  
Street and No. (if any).....  
R. F. D. (if any).....

STATE OF KENTUCKY

*Boyer* County } I, *G. W. Coates*, Judge of said County,  
certify that *William Henry Crane* and his wife *Lucy Jane Crane* are  
assessed with *no* acres, valued at \$ *no*, and with \$ *no* of personal property.

Witness my hand this *15* day of *April*, 191*7*

*G. W. Coates* Judge County Court.

If applicant and his wife have no property, the Judge must so certify.

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Boyer County } Personally appeared before me J. B. Nichols  
County Court Clerk of said County, the above named William Henry Crane  
the applicant, with whom I am personally acquainted, and having the application read and fully explained to him, as  
well as the statements and answers therein made, made oath that the said statements and answers are true.

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of April, 1912

J. B. Nichols Clerk

STATE OF KENTUCKY

Boyer County } Personally appeared before me J. B. Nichols  
County Court Clerk of said County, the above named S. S. Wood  
one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing application, and who is a physician of good standing, and being duly  
sworn says that he has carefully and thoroughly examined William Henry Crane  
the applicant, and find him laboring under the following disabilities: Unable to earn a support by manual labor.

Physically weak and infirm from age

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of April, 1912

J. B. Nichols Clerk

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

STATE OF KENTUCKY

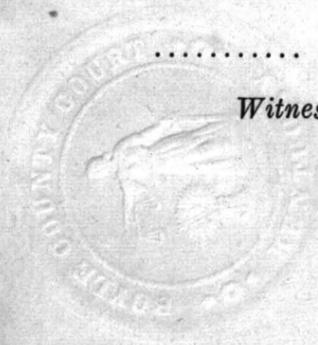
Boyer County } Personally appeared before me J. B. Nichols  
County Court Clerk of said County, the above named H. N. Brewitt  
and S. J. Lark and two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing application,  
with whom I am personally acquainted, and known to me to be citizens of veracity and standing in this community, and  
who make oath that they are personally acquainted with the foregoing applicant, and that the facts set forth and state-  
ments made in this application are correct and true, to the best of their knowledge and belief, and that they have no in-  
terest in this claim, and that said applicant's habits are good and free from dishonor. And they  
further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate army.

State here what witnesses know of their own knowledge.

they were sent him all through the war and  
he has stated the facts as fully as we could

Witness my hand and seal of office, this 15 day of April, 1912

J. B. Nichols Clerk



No 135.....

STATE OF KENTUCKY

**Soldier's Application for Pension**

*William Henry Crane*

Co. "A" 6<sup>th</sup> Ky. Cav. Rgt.

Filed Dec 13 - 1912

Allowed .....

Read Specifications on Back.

SPECIFICATIONS

- 1.....
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*Approved*  
*W. J. Stone* Commissioner

All blanks on this filing to be filled by the Pension Board

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**To Applicants for Pension**

The material facts to be proven in the pension claim, under the laws of the State of Kentucky, are as follows:

- 1. Service in army.
- 2. Present Disability.
- 3. Indigency.
- 4. How you got out of the Army.
- 5. Character as a Soldier and Citizen.
- 6. Applications will not be filed unless certificates of Doctor and County Judge are filled out.

- 1. May be proven by officers or comrades.
- 2. May be proven by physician's certificate.
- 3. May be proven by neighbors and by certificate of County Judge.
- 4. May be proven by filing parole or discharge, or in case these have been lost or destroyed, by officers or comrades who know the facts.
- 5. May be proven by comrades and citizens.



WILLIAM H. CRANE.

Enlisted Sept. 10, 1862, Co. A,  
6th Kentucky Cavalry; captured  
July 26, 1863 in Ohio, and  
paroled and transferred for  
exchange Moh. 2nd, 1865. Proven  
by the record and comrades.

Indigent.

W J S

I recommend that this  
claim be allowed

*J. Handy Ellis*  
Adjutant General

Approved by State Pension Board  
*James B. McCreary*

Chairman State Pension Board

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

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, July 30, 1912.

Respectfully returned to the

Examiner,  
Confederate Pension Department,  
Frankfort, Kentucky.

The records show that William H.  
Crane, private, Company A, 6th Kentucky  
Cavalry, Confederate States Army, en-  
listed September 10, 1862; that he  
was captured July 26, 1863, at Saline-  
ville, Ohio; paroled at Camp Douglas,  
Illinois, and transferred to Point  
Lookout, Maryland, for exchange, March  
2, 1865. No later record of him has  
been found.

*Henry M. Cain*  
Adjutant General.

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Received A.G.O. JUL 29 1912

**The Enclosed Certificate Is For You to Keep.**

A voucher for you to fill out and return to this office will be sent  
you in sufficient time for the first date on which the law provides for  
paying pensions hereafter and for each succeeding date on which pay-  
ment is provided for, as follows:

February 5th.

May 5th.

August 5th.

November 5th.

of each year.

W. J. STONE,  
Examiner.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE

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WAR DEPARTMENT

SECTION 12 OF THE KENTUCKY PENSION LAW PROVIDES THAT

§ 12. No pension money granted under this act while due or to become due to any pensioner, shall be liable to attachment or levy or seizure by or under any legal or equitable process whatever, whether the same remains with the State, or in the course of transmission to the pensioner entitled thereto.

No. 155

PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

William H. Crane

Payable Quarterly

by the

Treasurer of Kentucky

at Frankfort,

Kentucky.

Received A.G.O JUL 29 1912

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HEADQUARTERS

# Confederate Pension Department

W. J. STONE, EXAMINER  
FRANKFORT, KY.

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GEN. W. P. HALL,  
Adjutant General, U. S. A.,  
WASHINGTON, D. C.

Dear Sir:

*Wm Henry Crane*  
who is an applicant for Pension under the Kentucky Pension law, claims  
to have been a member of Company *A - 6th Ky*  
Regiment *Can* ..... C. S. A., and to have been

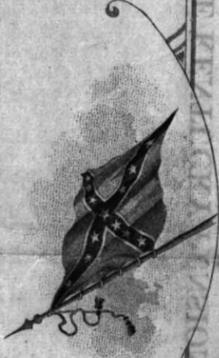
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Please give me the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

*W. J. Stone*  
Examiner.

No. 135



# COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY

DEPARTMENT OF CONFEDERATE PENSIONS

It is hereby certified

That, in conformity with the laws of the Commonwealth of Kentucky;

William H. Crane

who was a member of Company A, 6th Kentucky Cavalry

is entitled to a pension at the rate of  
Ten dollars per month, to commence  
on the Twenty-sixth day of July one thousand  
nine hundred and Twelve.

Given at the office of the Adjutant General  
this Fourteenth day of November  
one thousand nine hundred and Twelve.

*J. Pandy*  
Adjutant General.

Countersigned  
*W. J. Stone*  
Examiner of Pensions.

OFFICE OF  
J. B. NICHOLS  
CLERK OF BOYLE COUNTY COURT  
DANVILLE, KY.

Oct 21st, 1918.

Capt W. J. Stone,

Frankfort, Ky.

Dear Sir:- Please send me at your earliest convenience the proper blanks for widows pension, my husband William Crain, who was a pensioner under the confederate pension act died on the 13th day of February 1918, and left me with two small children and I have been told that I was entitled to a pension as his widow

Yours Very Respty.

Lucy Jane Crane

Mitchellsburg, Ky.

BOYLE COUNTY COURT.

Regular July term 1912 Monday July. 15. 1912

In the matter of the application of *William Henry Crum* for pension from the State of Kentucky under act of March. 11th-1912.

The above application was filed at the regular term of the Boyle County Court, to-wit, on 15 day of ~~July~~ *July* 1912, and County Attorney Henry Jackson being present, the following witnesses were introduced and examined, namely, Doctor *P. J. Wood* who testified applicant is suffering from *Old age* also *J. J. Hurshaw* and *H. N. Prewitt* who as did applicant testified, as to applicants identity, citizenship resident and means of support. After having the testimony the court finds, that applicant is indigent and disabled, and actual bona-fied resident fo this State, continuously since January 1st-1907, that applicant has *no* income and his wife has *no* income, is unable to earn a support by manual labor or by reason of any profession, trade or craft, does not receive a pension from the United States or any other foreign government, has not property of the value of \$2500.00, whose support is not provided for, or secured by any contract or agreement and who is not able, by practical ability and income, or either able to obtain an income equivalent to \$300.00 per year, and is entitled to the pension as provided under said act.

*a True copy*

*att J. B. Kinser*  
*Boyle County Clerk Ky*