

C #269533

George B. Crane.

Boston, Suffolk Co. Mass.

Co. E. 26th Mass. Vol. Inf.

Purined
Alleges
\$2 a month for disease of legs, result of typhoid fever
Chills & fever.

Manchester N.H. April 15th 1902.

Hon. W. Clay Evans,

Commissioner of Pensions

Sir:

I have the honor to return herewith the papers in the above described claim which came to me, notice waived, for evidence as to origin and continuance.

The witness are credible persons, and they appeared to be stating facts.

Dr C. H. Boynton of Lisbon N.H. was not at home and in view of claimants statement as to length of residence in Lisbon, and extent of treatment, I did not think it advisable to make another trip to Lisbon to see the doctor.

I do not find in claimants statement nor among the papers, any statement as to marital relations. He was married soon after discharge to Abbie Coburn of Littleton N.H. but they did not live together but a few years. I presume

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there was a divorce as the first wife
is now Mrs. Paul Kribbs of Quincy Mass.
The testimony of Wm Hamilton as to chills
and fever, is very convincing to me for
I know from experience the impression the
witnessing of an attack of that disease
leaves on a boy's mind. All the time
since discharge having been covered by
the special examination, except about
three years from 1884 to 87. I do not think
it necessary to send the case to Florida
and recommend reference for consider-
ation of the Chief of the Board of Review.

Very respectfully
Russell Barnes
Special Examiner,

ACT OF MAY 11, 1912.

3-014.

DECLARATION FOR PENSION.

THE PENSION CERTIFICATE SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED WITH THE APPLICATION.

State of Mass., County of Suffolk, ss:
 On this 28 day of May, A. D. one thousand nine hundred and twelve, personally
 appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace within and for the county and State aforesaid,
George J. O. Brady who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is 70
 years of age and a resident of Boston, county of Suffolk,
 State of Mass.; and that he is the identical person who was ENROLLED at Boston
 on the 2d day of September, 1861, as a Corporal, in Co. E 26th
Mass. Vol. Infantry.
(Here state rank, and company and regiment in the Army, or vessels if in the Navy.)
 in the service of the United States, in the Civil war, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED
 at New Iberia, La., on the 1st day of January, 1864.
 That he also served as Corporal of January 1864 at New Iberia, La. in
Co. E 26th Mass. Infantry. Disch. Readville, Mass. 30th
June 1865.
 That he was not employed in the military or naval service of the United States otherwise than as stated above. That his personal
 description at enlistment was as follows: Height, 5 feet 9 inches; complexion, fair; color of
 eyes, brown; color of hair, brown; that his occupation was Farmer; that he
 was born 28 August, 1841, at Dalton, N.H.

That his several places of residence since leaving the service have been as follows: Acton, Mass 2 yrs. Dalton, N.H.
Lynn, Mass 1 yr. Dalton N.H. 5 yrs. Boston, Mass. to present time.
(State date of each change, as nearly as possible.)

He hereby appoints F. A. BICKNELL, Commissioner of State Aid and Pensions, State House, Boston, his true and lawful attorney to prosecute his claim (without fee);

That he is a pensioner under certificate No. 269.533. That he has not applied for pension under original
 No.

That he makes this declaration for the purpose of being placed on the pension roll of the United States under the provisions of the act of May 11, 1912.

That his post-office address is 693 Tremont St. Boston, county of Suffolk.

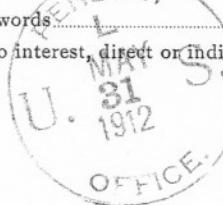
State of Mass.

Attest: (1) George J. O. Brady
 (2) Edwin O. Stone

(Claimant's signature in full.)

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 28 day of May, A. D. 1912, and I hereby certify that the contents of the above declaration were fully made known and explained to the applicant before swearing, including the words erased, and the words, and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]



JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
 STATE (or District or City), MASS.

Validity as to execution
 S. A. Cuddy, Law Division
 per

INVALID PENSION . . . SOLD BY BALLOU, LOVELAND & CO., MONTPELIER, VT.

STATE OF Vermont
COUNTY OF Essex SS. {

On this 11th day of August one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six personally appeared before me William Chandler Register of the Probate Court within and for the County and State aforesaid, Geo. B. Cram aged Twenty-four years, a resident of Dalton in the County of Crook and State of New Hampshire who being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is the identical George B. Cram who enlisted in the service of the United States on the 9th day of September A. D. 1861, as a private in Company E commanded by W^t Goldrup in the 26th Regiment of New Hampshire in the war of 1861, and was honorably discharged on the Second day of January A. D. 1864; that while in the service aforesaid, and in the line of his duty, he being on Ship Island ^{A. D. 1864} on or about the last of January 1862 while on duty he took cold and was taken sick with the typhoid fever and remained a long time unable to do duty but before the order of reinstatement he went into his company and at that time was doing duty with the prospect of recovery and so reenlisted. Soon after he was taken worse ~~He was sent to the hospital about the first of March. This was the Regimental hospital at New Orleans. He there had a furlough granted him about April 1st and he came north but went into Pemberton Syrup hospital at Boston where he remained sick until about the 15th of June when he was sent to Readsville hospital near the city where he remained until he was discharged and has since been unable to labor on account of said sickness which produced lameness of his legs Pain in his side lameness of his arms with pain in his back and general debility so much so that he is entirely unable to labor —~~

He hereby authorizes

Hiram A. Cutting of Glenenburgh Vt.

with power of substitution, to present his claim and receive the pension certificate. And his

Post Office address is

Glenenburgh Vt.

C. M. Tag
M. C. Cutting

George B. Cram

(Signature of Claimant.)

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B DECLARATION FOR THE INCREASE OF AN INVALID PENSION.

THE PENSION CERTIFICATE SHOULD NOT BE FORWARDED WITH THE APPLICATION.

State of Florida ss:
 County of Mearion

On this 18th day of Feby, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six personally appeared before me, a Clerk of the Circuit Court within and for the county and State aforesaid, George P. Crandall, aged 44 years, a resident of the City of Ocala, county of Marion State of Florida, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is a pensioner of the United States, enrolled at the Boston Mass Pension Agency at the rate of 8 dollars per month, by reason of disability from Swelling of leg (Here name the disability for which pension was granted.) Caused from typhoid fever incurred in the Military service of the United States while Corporal in Company "E" 26th Regiment of Mass Volunteers (Military or Naval) (Here state rank, company, and regiment, if in the Army—vessel, if in the Navy.)

That he believes himself to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of the increase of original disability: increase in swelling of legs (If on account of increase in the disability for which already pensioned, that should be described. If on account of disability for which not pensioned, the location of the wound or injury, the name of the disease, and the time, place, and circumstances of its origin, and the names of hospitals where treated in the service, should be fully stated. The dates of treatment should be given as nearly as possible.)

that he appoints _____, of _____, State of _____, his true and lawful attorney, to prosecute his claim. That his POST OFFICE ADDRESS is Ocala county of Mearion, State of Florida

Claimant's signature:

George P. Crandall

Attest:

Wm E. Bailey
Dovt. Bacon

Officers' Certificate of Disability.

Boston Mass July 8 1867.

Put place and date here.

Name & rank
of officer.

I, William H. Chapman..... of Company C, of the
26th Regiment of Infantry Mass^{ts} Volunteers, certify on honor
that George B. Gram..... was a Private.....
in my Company, and is, as I am informed, an applicant for an Invalid Pension; that the said.....

Give date &
reason of dis-
charge; or, if
not known, so
state.

George B. Gram was discharged at U.S. General Hospital
at Readville Mass on Surgeon's Certificate of Disability.

Here state
fully the time,
place, & man-
ner in which
the wound or
other injury
was received,
or disease con-
tracted, and
whether in the
service and line
of duty, or oth-
erwise.

AND FURTHER CERTIFY, That the said George B. Gram.....
while with his Company and regiment in camp
at Carrollton La. in the month of June 1864
while in the service of the United States and in
the line of his duty as a soldier contracted
Typhoid Fever for which disease he was treated
in Regimental Hospital. He having reenlisted
received a Veteran Pulingh, and came back
with his regiment. On the return of the regiment
he was left in U.S. Gen Hospital Readville Mass
and never again rejoined his regiment.
And that the said George B. Gram when registered was pronounced
dead by the surgeon who examined him
when he entered the service. he was a sound able bodied man
and able to perform full duty and was a
faithful and reliable soldier and his habits
very good.

Here state
soldier's condi-
tion at the time
of enlistment,
and if unsound
from what suf-
fering.

W.H. Chapman Capt

Co. G, 26th Regiment Mass
to Late Lt Col

Signature of
officer.

No cert
for any
person
or fee
Please
see
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War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, Dec 27, 1883.

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

William H. Chapman, a Captain of Company 6,
26 Regiment Mass Volunteers, was enrolled on the
day of 186, at ,
and is reported on returns for Dec '61, Jan'y,
Feby, Mar, Apr & May '62 present.
Edwin Tarkell, Private, same Co + Regt is
reported on Co. roll for Nov & Dec '61 pres-
ent with remark "On extra duty as
Hospital attendant by order of Col.
E. F. Jones Sept 24 '61 and same to June
30 '62. Returns for Jan'y, Mar & May '62
present on extra daily duty as Hospital
nurse.

Station of Co + Regt Dec 31 '61 Ship
Island Miss, same station, Jan'y 31 '62
Feby 28 '62 & Mar 31 '62, Apr 3 '62 Fort St
Phillip, Miss River, La, same station May 31 '62

M. R. Bach

Assistant Adjutant General.
(2.)

S. B. Evans

16 *answ.*

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Acton Mass April 2 / 88

I Delette H. Hall member of Co E, 26 Mass Vol's during the war of the rebellion do say that I was well acquainted with George B. Gram who was a member of the same Co & Regt. that I was associated with him nearly four years in said Co & Regt.

That I am positive he was sick while in New Orleans and on quite certain he was sick on ship Island also at Fort St. Phillip.

I am not quite sure as to the character of his sickness but have no doubt that he was sick of typhoid fever or chills and fever as very large numbers of the Co and Regt were sick with one or both of said diseases.

That I have every reason to believe that he is still suffering from the effects of disease contracted while in the service in the vicinity of New Orleans

Delette H. Hall

Middlesex 88 Acton Mass April 2 / 88

Then personally appears the above named Delette H. Hall and made oath that the above statement is the truth

Brish Hutchins
Justice of the Peace

Middlesex 88 West Acton April 3 / 88

I Samuel R. Burroughs late member of Co E 26 Regt. Mass Vol's am well acquainted with George B. Gram of the same Co & Regt and do declare that the above statement made by Delette H. Hall

Samuel R. Burroughs

Then personally appears the above named

Samuel R. Burroughs and make oath to the above statement.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

STATE OF New Hampshire }
COUNTY OF Cheshire } ss.

In the matter of the claim for

George B. Cram
E 26 Mass.

(Name of Claimant, the Name and Service of Soldier.)

Personally came before me, a justice of the Peace in and for the
County and State aforesaid John B. Cram whose P.O. address is
Gilman, N.H. (Here write the name of the Affiant or of each Affiant, together with the Postoffice address.)

person of lawful age, who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to the aforesaid claim, as follows:

I am a Brother of George B. Cram. I enlisted Sept 2nd 1861 in the same Co B Mass Regt with said George B. Cram. I was discharged in Aug 1865. Said Cram was sick with Chills & fever at New Orleans. Part of the time he was in Hospital when in Kansas I took care of him. After my discharge said George B. Cram & myself purchased Hotel in Dalton N.Y. We lived together during the remainder of 1865 - 1866 - 1867 until the fall of 1868. During those years he had Chills & fever often. He was feeble and was not able to work but very little. During said years I purchased Quinine and other Remedies for said George B. Cram. Since the fall of 1868 I saw him occasionally until about 1880 said Cram came to my House in Lancaster N.Y. where he lived in my family about two yrs. during said time he had Chills & Fever many times. Said George B. Cram was with me in Aug & Sept 1896 during said time he had Chills & Fever. George B. Cram was with me from Jan until the 1st of May 1897 while he had several attacks of Chills & Fever.

