

OFFICE OF COURT CLERK,  
State of Oklahoma, County of Adair.

No. 418

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Application of Indigent Soldier or Sailor of the Confederacy for Pension  
under the Act of February 25th, 1915

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }  
County of Adair }

I, William Danneberg

do hereby make application to the Board of Pension Commissioners for a pension to be granted me under the Act passed by the Fifth Legislature of the State of Oklahoma, and approved February, 25, 1915, 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; that I was honorably discharged or surrendered on Red River in Oklahoma  
then 2nd. Div. after surrender of Div. in Stand  
Waties' Brigade Co B. 2nd Ind. Div.  
(Give date and cause)

and I have been a bona fide citizen of this State for over twelve months prior to the passage and approval of the Pension Act, approved February 25, 1915. I do further state that I do not hold any National, State, city or county office which pays me a salary or fees of \$180.00 per annum, nor have I an income from any other employment, nor do I receive from any source whatsoever, money or other means of support amounting in value to the sum of \$180.00 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, household goods and wearing apparel excluded, nor do I receive any aid or pension from any other State or from any other source, and that I am not an inmate of the Confederate Home, or any other benevolent or penal institution, and I do further state that the answers given to the following questions are true:

1. What is your age? about 70. Does not know exactly
2. Where were you born? Indian Territory
3. How long have you resided in Oklahoma? all my life
4. In what county do you reside? Adair
5. What is your postoffice address? Stilwell Okla.

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? -----

*none*

8. What is your physical condition? -----

*So d. Can hardly get around*

9. In what State was the command in which you served organized? -----

*2d Tex.*

10. How long did you serve; give, if possible, the date of enlistment and discharge -----

*4 yrs. at beginning of War in Ept Adair Co. Mo. at surrender.*

11. What was the letter of your Company, number of Regiment, Battalion or Battery -----

*Co B. 2. 2nd Tex. Cav.*

12. If transferred from one command to another, give time of transfer, name of command and time of service -----

*never transferred*

13. What branch of the service did you enlist in, infantry, cavalry, artillery or navy? -----

*Cavalry*

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

*private*

15. If detailed for special service, under the law of conscription, what was the nature of your service and how long did you serve? -----

*No*

16. What is the assessed value of your home, if you own a home? -----

*Don't own one*

17. What is the assessed value of your other property? -----

*no other property*

18. Have you ever transferred your property to anyone with the understanding that you were to be cared for during your life time? -----

*No*

19. Have you transferred to others any property of any kind for the purpose of becoming beneficiary under this law? -----

*No*

AFFIDAVIT OF WITNESSES

NOTE—There must be at least two credible witnesses.

THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }

County of *Adair* }

Before me -----

*John A. Goodall*

(County Judge, Notary Public, Justice of Peace)

of *Adair* County, State of Oklahoma, on this day personally ap-

peared *Benj G. Pader J. J. Sumrigan*

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

*William Samneberg*

the above named applicant for a pension, and that they personally know that the said

*William Samneberg*

has been a bona fide resident citizen of the State of Oklahoma, twelve months prior to

February 25, 1915, and that they have no interest in his claim.

(Signature of Witness) Benj F. Paden

(Signature of Witness) J. J. Dunaway

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 21st day of May A. D. 1915

John A. Goodall  
(County Judge, Notary Public, or  
Justice of Peace)

(SEAL)

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THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, }

County of Adair

Before me, John A. Goodall

County Judge of Adair County, State of Oklahoma, on this day per-

sonally appeared Benj. F. Paden and

J. J. Dunaway

known to me to be credible citizens, who, being by me duly sworn, on oath state that they are personally acquainted with the said

William Hammeberg

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 affiants

further make oath to the following facts touching the applicant's service in the Confederate Army (state fully your source of knowledge): both affiants knew applicant while he was in the C. S. Army. Both knew him occasionally during latter part of war. Both knew him at time applicant surrendered at Boggy Depot on Red River in Choctaw Nation Ind Ter.

• (Signature of Witness) Benj F. Paden

(Signature of Witness) J. J. Dunaway

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John A. Goodall  
County Judge,  
Adair County, Okla.

(SEAL)

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The Commissioners of Pension reserve the right to call for additional testimony if they deem it necessary.

Name of Applicant

*William Hamenberg*

*Atari* County

Postoffice *Stevell Okla*

Filed *May 24-1915*

Approved *OCT 7 - 1915*

Amt. of Pension allowed *1.663*

Pension allowed from *JUL 1 - 1915*

Rejected

Chairman.

WARDEN COMPANY, OKLAHOMA CITY

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State of Oklahoma, County of Adair

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WAR DEPARTMENT,

THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

WASHINGTON, June 10, 1915.

Respectfully returned to the

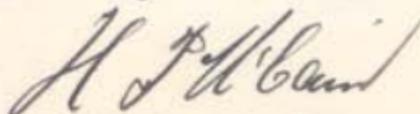
Chairman,

Oklahoma Board of  
Pension Commissioners,  
Oklahoma City.

The records show that the 1st Cherokee Mounted Volunteers was also known as the 2d Reg't Cherokee Mounted Rifles, Arkansas, C.S.A., and that five companies were assigned, on February 3, 1863, to the 2d Reg't Cherokee Mounted Volunteers, C.S.A., but the name William Danneuburge, or Dannenberg, has not been found on the rolls on file in this office of any company of the last mentioned organization.

The records show, however, that one William Dannenberg (surname not borne as Danneuburge), private, 1st Company G, 1st Cherokee Mounted Volunteers, C.S.A., aged 19 years, enlisted July 12, 1861, in the Cherokee Nation, for 12 months. His name appears, without remark as to presence or absence, on the muster roll of the company dated December 4, 1861, only roll on file. Nothing additional relative to him has been found.

No record has been found in this office of an organization specifically known as the 2d Reg't I.T.Cavalry, C.S.A.



The Adjutant General.

WM. D. MATTHEWS, *Chairman.*

W. L. CLARK, *Secretary.*

—OFFICE OF—

# Board of Pension Commissioners

Oklahoma City, June 2, 1915, 191

H. P. McCAIN,  
ADJUTANT GENERAL,  
*Washington, D. C.*

DEAR SIR:

William Danneuburge,

who is an applicant for a Pension made to the Board of Pension Commissioners  
of the State of Oklahoma, claims to have been a member of Company "D",  
Regiment 2nd I. T. Cav.

Vol. C. S. A., and to have been

Surrendered after Lee's sur. in Gen.  
Stanwaite's Brig.

Please give us the record of this soldier.

Respectfully,

Wm D Matthews

*Chairman.*

ATTEST:

W L Clark

*Secretary.*

Received A.G.O.

JUN 3 1915

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February 9, 1918.

Honorable W. L. Alexander,  
State Treasurer,  
Oklahoma City.

Dear Sir:

You are hereby requested to  
stop payment of State Auditor's Warrant,  
#20954, for \$15.00, which is in payment of  
Confederate pension, until further notified  
by this office,

Yours very truly,

Chairman,

Secretary.

*William Dammberg died Jan 30th 1911*

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February 15, 1918.

Hon. Postmaster,  
Stilwell, Oklahoma.

Dear Sir:

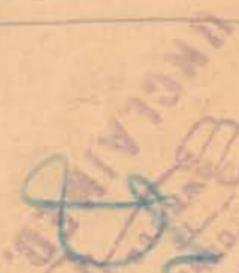
On January 14, we mailed a letter addressed to "William Dannenber, Stilwell, Oklahoma" containing Pension Warrant #20954, for \$15.00. On February 9th it was returned to this office marked, "Unclaimed, returned to writer", and across this was written in blue pencil, "Deceased". Across one end of the envelope is written "Wm Dannenber", and at the other end it had been opened and resealed with a stamp which reads "Officially sealed", and the warrant taken out. We are writing you for information as to who opened the letter and took out the warrant, and why.

If Mr. Dannenber left a widow she is entitled to his pension by making application upon blanks which we furnish upon request. Thanking you in advance for any information you may be able to give us about this, we are,

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

STATE OF OKLAHOMA  
BOARD OF  
PENSION COMMISSIONERS  
OKLAHOMA CITY



*Wm. Danenberg*

~~William Danenberg,~~

~~Stillwell,~~

OKLAHOMA

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*11-20954*

FEB 9 1918

*Warrant paid upon retirement*

William <sup>the</sup> Tannenber  
Witness to mass  
Albert Carlson  
H.D. Yae

*From* \_\_\_\_\_

*P. O.* \_\_\_\_\_

*County* \_\_\_\_\_

**STATE BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS**

**OKLAHOMA CITY**

**OKLAHOMA**



Quarterly Claim Blank

BOARD OF PENSION COMMISSIONERS  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma  
DEPARTMENT No. 69

Filed.....

READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK HEREOF

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

In Account with William Dannenberg

P. O. Address Stilwell

To Pension No. 213

For the quarter ending MAR 31 1918

At the rate of \$5.00 per month, as allowed by the Board of Pension Commissioners, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 54, S. L. 1915, as amended.

Amt. Claimed

\$15 00

The State Auditor is hereby authorized to deliver warrant issued in payment of this claim to the Board of Pension Commissioners, and such Board is authorized to mail said warrant to claimant at address hereinafter stated.

I, the undersigned claimant, hereby declare that I am the identical person to whom the pension hereinabove claimed was granted; that I am a resident of the State of Oklahoma, and have not been absent therefrom for a period of more than six consecutive months, last past; that the conditions existing at the time of making my application and upon which the pension was originally granted, still exist; that I have full knowledge of the above and foregoing account; that the same is just, correct, due and according to law, and that the amount claimed, after allowing all just credits, is now due and wholly unpaid.



PENSIONER MUST SIGN NAME EXACTLY AS IT IS WRITTEN ABOVE, USING INK  
READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK HEREOF



GIVE YOUR PERMANENT ADDRESS:

P. O. ....

Route ..... Box.....

St. No. ....

Pensioner sign name on this line as above written. Must be signed in the presence of two citizens who must also sign the claim as witnesses.

On this.....day of....., 1917, personally appeared the above named pensioner before the undersigned witnesses, and in their presence duly signed the foregoing claim.

SIGNATURES  
OF TWO  
WITNESSES

..... Address .....  
..... Address .....

DO NOT DATE OR SIGN THIS CLAIM BEFORE MAR 12 1917

To do so will make it NULL AND VOID. FOLLOW INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK HEREOF.

**IMPORTANT—READ THIS CAREFULLY.**

Follow these instructions and save yourself delay and inconvenience.

This is the Quarterly Claim Blank for your Next Quarterly Payment. Keep it, and the Enclosed addressed Envelope

To Execute This Claim, Proceed as Follows:

- First: USE INK, and write plainly.
- Second: Sign your name exactly as it is typewritten at the top of the claim, omitting or adding nothing thereto. This must be done in the presence of "two creditable citizens." (in your own home if you wish, as claim does NOT have to be sworn to before any officer).
- Third: At the left of your signature, give your permanent, "home" post office address, but not some address where you may be staying for only a few weeks.
- Fourth: Give your Route and Box Number, or your Street and House Number.
- Fifth: In the printed blanks below your signature, give the exact date on which you sign the claim.
- Sixth: The two citizens, in whose presence you signed this claim, must sign the claim also, as witnesses; and give their respective addresses, in the blank spaces therefor.
- Seventh: If unable to write have one of the witnesses sign your name for you. You should then make a cross, with pen in your hand, and have such cross designated by the words "His (or her) Mark."
- Eighth: Inspect claim again to see that ALL THE BLANK SPACES included within the large brackets { } have been filled in according to these instructions.

No matter where you may be, execute this claim as above directed, and immediately after signing same, use the addressed envelope herewith enclosed to mail it to the Board of Pension Commissioners, Oklahoma City.

DO NOT DATE OR SIGN THIS CLAIM BEFORE

WITNESSES  
OR TWO  
CREDITABLE  
CITIZENS

Date of

of No

Route

Box

F. O.

GIVE YOUR PERMANENT ADDRESS

READ THE INSTRUCTIONS ON THE BACK HEREOF

Sign as witness

Signed in the presence of two citizens who must also sign the form and give their names in the line at space within next to

This blank space reserved for the space reserved therefor

Address

Address

\$12.00

Franklin Printing Co., Oklahoma City

It is to be used only when it must and void. Follow instructions on the back hereof.

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COUNTY COURT  
ADAIR COUNTY  
STILWELL, OKLAHOMA.

Nov. 8th, 1916.

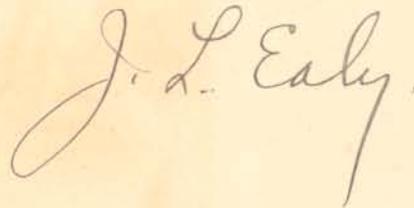
Hon. Wm. D. Mathews, Chairman  
Pension Department,  
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Dear Sir:

About two months ago I wrote you with reference to the proposed application of William Dannenberg, an old Confederate soldier. At this date I have heard nothing from you and am now writing you today asking that you kindly send me an application blank so that such application may be made.

Trusting that I may hear from you in the near future, I am,

Yours very truly,



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