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William M. Alexander  
Sgt. Capt. Charles' Co., 18 Reg't Ind. Inf.  
Age 23 years.

Appears on  
Company Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated  
Indianapolis Ind. Aug. 16, 1861.  
Muster-in to date Aug. 16, 1861.

Joined for duty and enrolled:  
When Aug. 16, 1861 \*  
Where Indianapolis \*  
Period 3 years.\*

Bounty paid \$ 100 ; due \$ 100  
Remarks :

† This organization subsequently became Co. H, 18 Reg't Ind. Inf.  
\*\* Muster-in roll shows enrollment and muster-in of this company as of same date. See enrollment on subsequent card or cards.

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William M. Alexander  
Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.  
Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for July 3 to Aug. 31, 1861.  
Joined for duty and enrolled:  
When July 3, 1861 \*  
Where Indianapolis \*  
Period 3 years.\*

Present or absent present.  
Stoppage \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for  
Remarks :

From Second Auditor's Roll.

\* See enrollment on card from muster-in roll.

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William M. Alexander  
Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.  
Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Sept. & Oct., 1861  
Present or absent present.  
Stoppage, \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks :

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William M. Alexander  
Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.  
Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Nov. & Dec., 1861  
Present or absent present.  
Stoppage, \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks :

From Second Auditor's Roll.

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Appears on Special Muster Roll

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Company Muster Roll

for Jan. & Feb., 1862

for March & Apr., 1862

for May & June, 1862

for Aug. 18, 1862

Present or absent present

Present or absent present

Present or absent present

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

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Due Gov't \$ 100 for

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Remarks: Promoted to 1 Sgt.  
on 6 Jan. 1862 vide  
Samuel M. Bonsall

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1 Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll

for July & Aug., 1862

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

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Company Muster Roll

for Sept. & Oct., 1862

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

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1 Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll

for Nov. & Dec., 1862

Present or absent present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

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William M. Alexander  
1st Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll

for Jan & Feb, 1863

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

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X Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sergt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll  
for Mar & Apr, 1863  
Present or absent Present  
Stoppage, \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Same on all former Rolls  
as William by mistake - it  
is Williamson

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sergt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll  
for May & June, 1863  
Present or absent Present  
Stoppage, \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks :

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Williamson M. Alexander  
Sergeant, Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll  
for July & Aug, 1863  
Present or absent Present  
Stoppage, \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Promoted to 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. Co.  
"K" 18<sup>th</sup> Regt. Ind. Vols. to date  
from Apr. 13, 63.

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William M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on  
Company Muster Roll  
for Sept & Oct, 1863  
Present or absent Present  
Stoppage, \$ 100 for  
Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Commissioned as Second  
Lieutenant Apr. 13, 1863. not  
yet mustered in.

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Nov & Dec, 1863

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Commissioned as second  
Lieut. Apr. 13<sup>th</sup> 63. Not  
yet mustered in.

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Inf.

Age 26 years.

Appears on a

Detachment Muster-out Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Indianola, Tex Dec 31, 1863

Muster-out to date Dec 31, 1863

Last paid to Aug 31, 1863

Clothing account:

Last settled Apr 30, 1863; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 13<sup>52</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: Mustered out by virtue  
of Reenlistment as Veteran  
under G.O. 191, War Dept  
Brig. of 1863.

Commissioned 2<sup>nd</sup> Lt.,  
April 13<sup>th</sup> 1863. Never  
mustered.

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Muster-in and Descriptive Roll of Veteran  
Volunteers

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Indianola, Texas, Jan. 1, 1864.

Where born Monroe Co, Indiana

Age 26 y'rs; occupation Blacksmith

When enlisted Jan. 1, 1864.

Where enlisted Indianola, Texas

For what period enlisted 3 years.

Eyes Blue; hair Dark

Complexion Dark; height 5 ft. 9 1/2 in.

When mustered in Jan. 1, 1864.

Muster-in to date Jan. 1, 1864.

Where mustered in Indianola, Texas

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 140<sup>00</sup>/<sub>100</sub>

Where credited

Company to which assigned

Remarks: Commissioned 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Lieut. April 13, 1863. Not  
mustered.

Residence: Brownings, Monroe Co, Ind.

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Jan & Feb, 1864

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Commissioned 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut,  
Apr. 13<sup>th</sup> 1863. Not yet mustered

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sergt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Mar & Apr, 1864

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: Commissioned 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut.  
Apr. 13, 63. Not yet mustered

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sergt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for May & June, 1864

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: On Veteran Furlough  
of 30 days from June 8, 64.

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for July & Aug., 1864

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks: 2<sup>nd</sup> installment  
of bounty due \$50.

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Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Sgt., Co. H, 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Appears on

Company Muster Roll

for Sept. & Oct., 1864

Present or absent Present

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

Due Gov't \$ 100 for

Remarks:

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Company Muster Roll

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for Nov & Dec, 1864

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for May & June, 1865

Present or absent Present

Present or absent Present

Present or absent Present

Present or absent Absent

Stoppage, \$ 100 for

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leave June 25<sup>th</sup>  
1865. Awaiting  
muster as per Lt.

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A 18 Ind.

William M. Alexander

1st Lt., Co. H., 18 Reg't Indiana Inf.

Age 27 years.

Appears on an

Individual Muster-in Roll

of the organization named above. Roll dated

Hilton Head S.C. June 29, 1865.

Muster-in to date June 1, 1865.

Joined for duty and enrolled:

When June 1, 1865.

Where Doctortown Ga

Period 3 years.

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: This office was 1st Lt Co H 18th Regt is appointed to preserve grade Vice Samuel W. Bausad resigned by Commission from Nov. 5 Ind. dated May 1/65. This muster

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Williamson M. Alexander

1st Sgt., Co. H., 18 Reg't Indiana Inf.

Age 26 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Darien, Ga. Aug. 28, 1865.

Muster-out to date 1865.

Last paid to 1865.

Clothing account:

Last settled 1865; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms, equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: Enrolled as 1st Sgt. Discharged to accept promotion as 1st Lieut. in same company May 31-65.

Book mark:

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A 18 Ind.

Williamson M. Alexander

1st Lt., Co. H., 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

Age 26 years.

Appears on Co. Muster-out Roll, dated

Darien, Ga. Aug 28, 1865.

Muster-out to date Aug. 28, 1865.

Last paid to May. 31, 1865.

Clothing account:

Last settled 1865; drawn since \$ 100

Due soldier \$ 100; due U. S. \$ 100

Am't for cloth'g in kind or money adv'd \$ 100

Due U. S. for arms equipments, &c., \$ 100

Bounty paid \$ 100; due \$ 100

Remarks: Vet. joined by promotion from 1st Sgt. to 1st Lieut. June 1-65. Due 3 months pay proper for act. of Col. Ind. 31-65.

Book mark:

E. Baier

A 18 Ind.

Williamson M. Alexander

Sergeant, Co. H., 18 Reg't Indiana Infantry.

1 Lieut. Appears on Returns as follows:

Sept. 1863: On extra or daily duty. 2 Lt. Not mustered.

July to Sept. 1864: On extra or daily duty Commissioned and acting 2d Lieut.

Nov. 1864 to June 1865: On extra or daily duty Commanding Co.

July 1865: [Lieut] Present.

Book mark

W. J. J. J.



NOTE 1.—This blank will be used for both enlistments and re-enlistments—enlistment of veterans, &c., &c., in the volunteer service. They will be made out in duplicate in all cases—one to accompany the recruiting return of the superintendent (not the recruiting officer) to the Adjutant General, and one to accompany the accounts of the officer who pays bounty, &c. The Regiment and Company in which the soldier last served should be given on the back.

NOTE 2.—An enlistment holds to service. A muster-in must, in all cases, precede payment of pay, bounty, pension, &c. A muster-in roll must, in all cases, be filed in the Adjutant General's Office as evidence of muster-in. The mustering officer, commissary, or assistant commissary of musters, as the case may be, will countersign both enlistments as having mustered the soldier into the service of the United States before either of them is given to the disbursing officer.

DECLARATION OF RECRUIT.

I, William M. Alexander desiring to VOLUNTEER as a Soldier in the Army of the United States, for the term of THREE YEARS, Do Declare, That I am Twenty six years and \_\_\_\_\_ months of age; that I have never been discharged from the United States service on account of disability or by sentence of a court martial, or by order before the expiration of a term of enlistment; and I know of no impediment to my serving honestly and faithfully as a soldier for three years.

GIVEN at Indianapolis, Ind. the first day of January 1864

Witness: J. H. Barsall Lieut William M. Alexander  
B. G. Ind

No. \_\_\_\_\_

William M. Alexander  
Volunteered at Indianapolis, Ind.  
January 1st 1864,  
By W. M. Alexander Lieut  
18th Regiment of Ind. Inf.  
Enlistment; last served in Company 10th  
W. M. Regt of Ind. Inf.  
Discharged Dec 31st 1863.  
Palmer  
47110

CONSENT IN CASE OF MINOR.

I, \_\_\_\_\_ DO CERTIFY, That I am the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_; that the said \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age; and I do hereby freely give my CONSENT to his volunteering as a SOLDIER in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES for the period of THREE YEARS.

GIVEN at \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

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DECLARATION OF RECRUIT.

I, Williamson A. Alexander desiring to VOLUNTEER as a Soldier in the Army of the United States, for the term of THREE YEARS, Do Declare, That I am twenty six years and one month of age; that I have never been discharged from the United States service on account of disability or by sentence of a court-martial, or by order before the expiration of a term of enlistment; and I know of no impediment to my serving honestly and faithfully as a soldier for three years.

GIVEN at Indianola Texas the first day of January

Witness:

Samuel W. Russell 1st Lieut 18th Ind Inf Williamson A. Alexander

By James B. Black 1st Lt 18th Regiment of Indiana Inf  
 1864  
 Volunteered at Indianola Texas  
Williamson A. Alexander  
 18th Regiment of Indiana Inf  
 Discharged December 31 1863.  
 2nd enlistment; last served in Company (H)

No.

CONSENT IN CASE OF

I, \_\_\_\_\_ Do CERTIFY, That I am \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_; that the \_\_\_\_\_ is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age; and I do hereby freely give my CONSENT to his volunteering as a SOLDIER in the ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES for the period of THREE YEARS.

GIVEN at \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

Witness:

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

*Texas*



TOWN OF

*Indianola*

I, *Williamson M Alexander* born in *Murray County* in the State of *Indiana* aged *twenty six* years, and by occupation a *blacksmith* Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have volunteered this *first* day of *January* 1864. to serve as a Soldier in the Army of the United States of America, for the period of *THREE YEARS* unless sooner discharged by proper authority: Do also agree to accept ~~of~~ <sup>such</sup> bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be, established by law for volunteers. And *Williamson M Alexander* do solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to, the **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies or opposers whomsoever, and that I will observe and obey the orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the Rules and Articles of War.

Sworn and subscribed to, at *Indianola Texas* this *First* day of *Jan* 1864. *Williamson M Alexander* BEFORE *Wm H. Jones* *Sgt 1st Ind Vol*

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have carefully examined the above-named Volunteer, agreeably to the General Regulations of the Army, and that, in my opinion, he is free from all bodily defects and mental infirmity, which in any way disqualify him from performing the duties of a soldier.

*Wm H. Jones*  
*Sgt 1st Ind V*  
EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, *Wm M Alexander* previously to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best of my judgment and belief, he is of lawful age; and that, in accepting him as duly qualified to perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier, I have strictly observed the Regulations which govern the recruiting service. This soldier has *blue* eyes, *dark* hair, *dark* complexion, is *five* feet *seven* inches high.

*Wm H. Jones* *Sgt 1st Ind Vol*  
*James B. Black* *Capt*  
*18th* Regiment of *Indiana* Volunteers.

RECRUITING OFFICER.

Mustered into the service of the United States, in Company *A*, Regiment of *Indiana* Volunteers, on the *first* day of *January*, 1864, at *Indianola Texas*

*Wm M Alexander*  
*1st Co Ind Vols*

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

TOWN OF



*Ill* *Indianapolis*

I, *William M. Alexander* born in *Marion*  
in the State of *Indiana* aged *Twenty Six* years,  
and by occupation a *Blacksmith* Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have  
volunteered this *first* day of *January* 186*4*  
to serve as a *Soldier* in the Army of the United States of America, for  
the period of *THREE YEARS*, unless sooner discharged by proper authority:  
Do also agree to accept such bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be,  
established by law for volunteers. And I, *William M. Alexander* do  
solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the *United States*  
*of America*, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all  
their enemies or opposers whomsoever; and that I will observe and obey the  
orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers  
appointed over me, according to the Rules and Articles of War.

Sworn and subscribed to, at *Indianapolis*  
this *1st* day of *Jan* 186*4*, *William M. Alexander*  
BEFORE *Wm. H. Jones*  
*Adjt 18th Ind. Vol.*

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have carefully examined the above-named Volunteer, agreeably  
to the General Regulations of the Army, and that, in my opinion, he is free from all bodily defects and  
mental infirmity, which would in any way disqualify him from performing the duties of a soldier.

*Geo. Gordon*  
EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer *W. M. Alexander*  
previously to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best of my  
judgment and belief, he is of lawful age; and that, in accepting him as duly qualified to perform the  
duties of an able-bodied soldier, I have strictly observed the Regulations which govern the recruiting  
service. This soldier has *Blue* eyes, *dark* hair, *dark* complexion, is *5'*  
feet *9 1/2* inches high.

*W. H. Jones*  
*18th* Regiment of *Ind. Vol.* Volunteers.  
RECRUITING OFFICER.

(A. G. O. No. 74 & 78.)

Mustered into the service of the United States, for three years or during the war, from date of enlistment, in Company *D*,  
Regiment of *Indiana* *18th* Volunteers, on the *first* day of *January*, 186*4* at *Indianapolis*

*At good pay 1864*  
*Charles McKinley*  
*Mustering Officer*

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Remarks contd:  
is dated back to take  
effect June 1/65-

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Cancel the muster  
into service of  
William M. Alexander  
as 1<sup>st</sup> Lt. Co. H, 18<sup>th</sup> Ind.  
Vols to date from June  
1/65 he having been  
mustered in as Capt  
Same Co + Regt. to date  
Mch. 1/65-

AFFIDAVIT.

J. Williamson M. Alexander, a 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut  
of Co. H, 18<sup>th</sup> Reg't Indiana Vols, being duly sworn, depose and  
say that I was commissioned as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut and mustered into  
the service of the United States as such on the First day of  
June 1865; that I have served as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut  
in the 18<sup>th</sup> Reg't Ind. Vols., that I have never served in any other  
organization than the above mentioned, that during my term of service I have  
duly rendered complete and correct returns of all Ordnance Stores and Clothing,  
Camp and Garrison Equipage for which I ever received, or became in any  
manner responsible, whether said Government property was captured from the  
enemy, duly invoiced to me, or came informally into my possession; that I have  
never had, and have not now in my possession, any such Stores, the property of  
the United States, for which I have not duly accounted in the manner pre-  
scribed by the Regulations governing the respective Departments; and that I  
am not indebted in any manner whatever to the United States.

P. O. Address,  
Bloomington,  
Monroe Co.,  
Indiana.

Williamson M. Alexander  
1<sup>st</sup> Lt, 18<sup>th</sup> Ind. Inf. Regt.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September  
1865, at Indianapolis, Indiana.



Temple Harrison  
Notary Public,

Bloomington Ind. Nov 30/69

I certify that I have been intimately acquainted with Williamson M. Alexander from his childhood, up to the present time. I knew him at the time he enlisted in the Army in 1861, at which time, he was in good health. At the time of enlistment he was engaged, as he had been for several years previously, in the business of Blacksmithing in an establishment near my residence, where I had almost constant daily opportunity of seeing him at work, day & night, performing his full share of the labor and to the entire satisfaction of his Employer.

Upon his return home from the Service in the summer of 1865, he was in bad health, being the subject of Chron. Inflammation of the Frontal Sinuses, accompanied with pain in the head - paroxysms of Vertigo - Sinitus Aurium, and also severe fits of Palpitation of the Heart upon taking any active exercise. I was consulted by Alexander, not long after his return in reference to the symptoms above referred to, perhaps about the month of Oct 1865. I prescribed occasionally, but with only partial relief. After the lapse of four or five months, having abstained from all kinds of active labor, his health was apparently so much improved, that he resumed his trade (Blacksmithing) but was soon compelled to abandon <sup>it</sup> in consequence of a return of his old symptoms, especially the Palpitation, upon using the hammer, or Sledge.

During years 1866 & 1867 he was not able to engage in any active employment, except to assist the Sheriff occasionally, in the duties of his office. During this period

1866 & 1867 he frequently spoke of his ill health but being able to be about, did not place himself under any regular treatment. Since the Spring of 1868 he has been engaged part of the time in purchasing & drawing Cattle for a Butcher, and acting as salesman at the Block. In the latter Capacity I first observed his partial loss of hearing, and noticed also a continuation of the discharge from the nose, evidently dependent upon disease of the Sinuses.

I have made this day, a careful examination of his case, and find a most violent fit of Palpitation, induced by causing him to trot up a short flight of Stairs of 20 steps. I am not however decided in opinion, whether the Palpitation depends upon non functional, or essential organic disease. having never made an examination carefully, previous to this date.

I am satisfied said Alexander contracted the disease with which he now suffers, and with which he has been afflicted, ever since his return, while in the Service of the United States, and in the line of duty, during the War of 1861 - and his present Condition, in my opinion, wholly disqualifies him, from pursuing his trade, & from obtaining a subsistence for himself, and family, by other active, manual labor.

I have no interest, direct, or indirect, in the prosecution of his Claim for a Pension.

Geo. G. McPherson M.D.

Late Surg. Gen. <sup>3000</sup> Ind. Vol. Infy.

(Res. in C. S. at Bloomington, Ind.)  
S. H. S.



State of Indiana, }  
Monroe Co. }

I hereby certify that immediately after the siege of Vicksburg I left Co. "H." 18<sup>th</sup> Regt Ind. vols. of which I was then first Lieutenant, and went to Indiana on sick leave. That I then found Capt. W<sup>m</sup> S. Charles, then Capt of said Co. "H.", but who had been commissioned as Lt Col of said Regiment during a leave of absence from which he had not then returned; That said Charles gave me my commission as Captain of said Company, and had in his possession the Commissions of the First Lt and Second Lt, which he carried back with him to ~~that~~ the Regiment on his return to it; That I returned to said Regiment sometime in Sept. 1863 and found the Regiment at Bashear City La.; that said Charles had returned before me and was with the Regiment on my arrival; That the Commission of Williamson M. Alexander as Second Lt of said Co. "H." was thus carried to him by said Charles and bore date April 13<sup>th</sup> 1863; that my recollection of the matter now is that by reason of orders of the War Department then received

issued, only such companies as had a certain number of men were allowed to have a second lieutenant <sup>mustered</sup> ~~commissioned~~; That Company "H" 18<sup>th</sup> Ind. had not that required number of men, and that this was the reason said Williamson of Alexander was not ~~commissioned~~ as such second lieutenant, he having received his commission in the manner above stated after said order of the War Department has been issued and received by the mustering officers of said Division, and further I say not

James B. Black,  
Late Capt. Co. "H" 18<sup>th</sup> Ind. Regt.  
now Reporter Supreme Court of Ind.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21<sup>st</sup> day of Sept. 1840 and I hereby certify that the oaths and interlineations marked A & B were made before signing, and that I have no interest direct or indirect in the prosecution of this claim.

Robert C. Foster Clerk

SPECIAL ORDERS, } HEADQUARTERS OF THE ARMY,  
No. 234. } ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,  
Washington, October 12, 1885.

*Extract.*

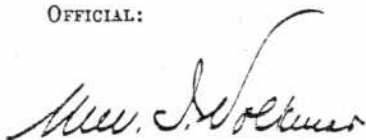
1. By direction of the Secretary of War, under the act approved June 3, 1884, and to complete his record, the discharge of 1st Sergeant *Williamson M. Alexander*, Company H, 18th Indiana Volunteers, May 31, 1865, is amended to take effect May 31, 1863; he is mustered into service as 2d lieutenant, same company and regiment, to date June 1, 1863; mustered into service as captain, same company and regiment, to date March 1, 1865; mustered out and honorably discharged as captain to date August 28, 1865, and he is mustered for pay in said grades during the periods embraced between the aforesaid dates.

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BY COMMAND OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL SHERIDAN:

R. C. DRUM,  
*Adjutant General.*

OFFICIAL:



*Assistant Adjutant General.*

*Cal. Ser. Branch.*

War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

City # 122.746.

Washington, Apr. 27, 1887

Respectfully returned to the Commissioner of Pensions.

William M. Alexander, a Sergeant of Company H.,  
18<sup>th</sup> Regiment Ind Inf. Volunteers, was enrolled on the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_, 1866, at \_\_\_\_\_,

and is reported: from Enrollment to Oct 31/61 Present.

and so reported to June 30/63. July & Aug/63.

Promoted to 2<sup>d</sup> Lieut. Co H 18 Ind Vol to date from  
April 13/63. Sept & Oct/63. Sergt. Commissioned

as 2<sup>d</sup> Lieut Apr 13/63 not yet mustered. and so

reported to Apr 30/64. May & June/64 Absent

on Veteran Furlough for 30 days. July & Aug/64.

Sergt present. and so reported Apr 30/65.

May & June/65 Absent with leave since

June 23/65 awaiting muster.

WSP  
JPL  
LMD

R. C. Quinn

Assistant Adjutant General.

*[Handwritten signature]* 6/20

*[Handwritten note]*

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# War Department,

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,

Washington, April 26<sup>th</sup>, 1887.

Sir:

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your request of Feb'y 25<sup>th</sup>, 1887, for certain information for use in the consideration of application for pension No. 122,746, and to return it herewith, with the following information from the records of this office:

It appears from the rolls, &c., on file in this office that William M. Alexander was mustered into the service of the United States as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. Co. "H" 18<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Ind. Vol., to date June 1<sup>st</sup>, 1865, to serve \_\_\_\_\_ years, or during the war. On the Muster-roll of Company H of that Regiment for the months of May and June, 1865, he is reported present.

He was mustered out with Co. Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1865.

Under the provisions of the Act approved June 3<sup>rd</sup> 1884 his record has been amended to show him discharged as 1<sup>st</sup> Sergeant Co. H. 18<sup>th</sup> Ind. Regiment to take effect May 31<sup>st</sup> 1865

Mustered in as 2<sup>nd</sup> Lieut. same Co. and Regiment to date June 1<sup>st</sup> 1865, as Capt. to date March 1<sup>st</sup> 1865. And his Muster in as 1<sup>st</sup> Lieut. made to date June 1<sup>st</sup> 1865 has been cancelled, he having been mustered in as Capt. to date March 1<sup>st</sup> 1865.

I am, sir, very respectfully,  
Your obedient servant,

*Amos Hunt*  
Assistant Adjutant General.

THE COMMISSIONER OF PENSIONS,  
Washington, D. C.

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*WMA*

VOLUNTEER ENLISTMENT.

STATE OF

*Texas*



TOWN OF

*Indianola*

I, *Williamson McAlexander* born in *Marion County* in the State of *Indiana* aged *twenty six* years, and by occupation a *blacksmith* Do HEREBY ACKNOWLEDGE to have volunteered this *first* day of *January* 1864. to serve as a Soldier in the Army of the United States of America, for the period of **THREE YEARS** unless sooner discharged by proper authority: Do also agree to accept ~~of~~ <sup>such</sup> bounty, pay, rations, and clothing, as are, or may be, established by law for volunteers. And I, *Williamson McAlexander* do solemnly swear, that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**, and that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies or opposers whomsoever, and that I will observe and obey the orders of the President of the United States, and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the Rules and Articles of War.

Sworn and subscribed to, at *Indianola Texas* this *first* day of *Jan* 1864. *Williamson McAlexander* BEFORE *W. W. Fisher* *Adj't 18th Ind Vd*

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have carefully examined the above-named Volunteer, agreeably to the General Regulations of the Army, and that in my opinion, he is free from all bodily defects and mental infirmity, which would in any way disqualify him from performing the duties of a soldier.

*Richard B. B.*  
EXAMINING SURGEON.

I CERTIFY, ON HONOR, That I have minutely inspected the Volunteer, *Williamson Mc.* previously to his enlistment, and that he was entirely sober when enlisted; that, to the best of my judgment and belief, he his of lawful age; and that in accepting him as duly qualified to perform the duties of an able-bodied soldier, I have strictly observed the Regulations which govern the recruiting service.

This soldier has *blue* eyes, *dark* hair, *dark* complexion, is *five* feet *seven* inches high. *James B. Black Capt*  
*18th* Regiment of *Indiana* Volunteers,  
RECRUITING OFFICER.

[A. G. O. No. 74 & 76.]

Mustered into the service of the United States, in Company *A* 18th Regiment of *Indiana* Volunteers, on the *first* day of *January*, 1864, at *Indianola Texas*

*Wm. H. ...*  
*Adj't 18th Ind Vd*

Certificate No. 122746 Department of the Interior,  
Name, William M. Alexander  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS,

Washington, D. C., January 15, 1898.

SIR:

In forwarding to the pension agent the executed voucher for your next quarterly payment please favor me by returning this circular to him with replies to the questions enumerated below.

Very respectfully,

J. D. Leighty,

U. S. Pension Agent,

Indianapolis,

Wm. M. Alexander

Commissioner.

First. Are you married? If so, please state your wife's full name and her maiden name.

Answer. No her maiden name Eliza J. Stess who married Saml. F. Hoover  
was divorced in 1881 record in the clerk's office of the

Second. When, where, and by whom were you married?

Answer. Allen Philpott

Third. What record of marriage exists?

Answer. in the clerk's office of the normal circuit court

Fourth. Were you previously married? If so, please state the name of your former wife and the date and place of her death or divorce.

Answer. my first wife died in 1873 no children

Fifth. Have you any children living? If so, please state their names and the dates of their birth.

Answer. on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of January 1853 I married Eliza J. Hoover  
the divorced wife of Saml. F. Hoover, and on the 5<sup>th</sup> of Sept-1895  
I was divorced from her. the record is in the Law space  
circuit court of Indiana her maiden name was Eliza J. Stess  
William M. Alexander

Date of reply, May 4, 1898

John the change of name from her native country

*normal circuit court of Indiana*  
*the Law space*

The civil officer before whom this affidavit is executed should be careful to fill in all spaces, both in the caption and jurat.

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF Indiana, County of Monroe ss:

In the matter of.....

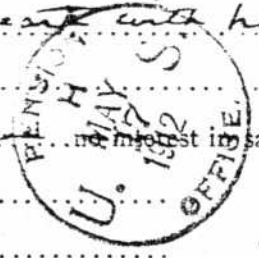
ON THIS 13 day of May, A. D. 1917, personally appeared before me  
a Notary Public...in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer  
oaths Joseph E. Henley, aged 56 years, a resident of Bloomington  
in the County of Monroe, and State of Indiana  
whose Post-office address is Bloomington Indiana  
well known to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declared in relation to aforesaid  
case as follows

(Note.—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.)

I am an attorney at law; have known Capt. William  
Son Alexander for 40 years, intimately for over 30 years.  
During my entire acquaintance with him he has suffered from  
catarrh of head and complained of his heart. For many  
years at odd times he endured excruciating pain over  
his eyes and frequently I feared he would have convul-  
sions from extreme pain. At such times his eyes would  
water and his nose run. I can remember these  
spells for 30 years or more.

For many years he was in the habit of coming to my  
office two or three times a week for friendly conversation  
and in the last few years I have noticed that in  
climbing the stairs he would be almost out of breath and  
would press his heart with his hand and could not talk  
2 or 3 minutes.

I further declares that I have not interest in said case and am not concerned in its prosecution.



Joseph E. Henley  
Signature of Affiant.

(If Affiants sign by mark two witnesses who can write sign here.)



DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., January 3, 1915.

Sir: Please answer, at your earliest convenience, the questions enumerated below. The information is requested for future use, and it may be of great value to your widow or children. Use the inclosed envelope, which requires no stamp.

Very respectfully,

*G. M. Saenger*

Commissioner.

WILLIAMSON M ALEXANDER  
BLOOMINGTON IND  
122746 CIV WAR  
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No. 1. Date and place of birth? Answer. *Bloomington, Ind. Dec. 19, 1836.*

The name of organizations in which you served? Answer. *Co. H. 18th Regt. Vet. Vol.*

No. 2. What was your post office at enlistment? Answer. *Bloomington, Ind.*

No. 3. State your wife's full name and her maiden name. Answer. *Widowed*

No. 4. When, where, and by whom were you married? Answer. *X*

No. 5. Is there any official or church record of your marriage? *X*

If so, where? Answer. *X*

No. 6. Were you previously married? If so, state the name of your former wife, the date of the marriage, and the date and place of her death or divorce. If there was more than one previous marriage, let your answer include all former wives. Answer. *was married twice - wives both dead.*

No. 7. If your present wife was married before her marriage to you, state the name of her former husband, the date of such marriage, and the date and place of his death or divorce, and state whether he ever rendered any military or naval service, and, if so, give name of the organization in which he served. If she was married more than once before her marriage to you, let your answer include all former husbands. Answer. *X*

No. 8. Are you now living with your wife, or has there been a separation? Answer. *X*

No. 9. State the names and dates of birth of all your children, living or dead. Answer. *None*

*None*

Date *April 1, 1915.*

(Signature) *Williamson M. Alexander*  
*mark*

*Return to mark Charles H. Spinger.*

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Bloomington, Indiana,  
June 10, 1919.

Commissioner of Pensions,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

I am deeply and graciously led to write you in behalf of an aged soldier of the War of Rebellion, Williamson M. Alexander, a life resident of Monroe County, Indiana, who served four years in the war, now 82 years of age, having so completely lost his eye-sight that he cannot discern one object from another, afflicted with rheumatism, having entirely lost his sense of smell, and unable to get out and enjoy that pleasing, sensational feeling of the cool atmosphere about, except as he is assisted by the steady arm of a kind friend.

Of these aged gentlemen, who have fought and died for their country, we often forget, and do not realize, that their presence upon this earth and in this our own country at the time of that great struggle, meant the peace and happiness of our lives of today. Often we are want to express and render unto them our sincere and heart-felt thanks in token of our appreciation for their valuable sacrifices made and hardship endured.

In a case of this kind, it seems, that by a careful consideration of the circumstances and a just application of the pension laws, this faithful and well-deserving old soldier might be granted a total disability pension.

As an earnest plea in his behalf, I do sincerely request that you send a pension examiner to make a thorough inquiry and investigation as to the condition of Mr. Alexander, in order that in the last years of his life he may be duly and sufficiently compensated for his faithful service to his beloved country, and that due appreciation of such service may be rendered to him.

I am certain that I express the feelings and desires of the citizens and friends of this county and community and the entire membership of the Grand Army of the Republic of Paul E. Slocomb Post of Bloomington, Indiana, in asking you to send an examiner to Bloomington in this soldier's behalf.

Thanking you for your careful and absolute consideration of this matter, I am

Yours sincerely,

*Robert W. Meers*

Ex-Congressman and Present Judge  
of the Tenth Judicial Circuit of  
the State of Indiana.



Bloomington Indiana  
June 19<sup>th</sup> 1919

Dear Comrade Saltgaver  
Commissioner of Pensions  
Washington D.C.

My Comrade Capt Williamson

Wm Alexander late of Company "H" 15<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Indiana  
off. Veteran Volunteers who resides in this city or near here served over  
four years in the War of the Rebellion and is now receiving a  
pension of forty dollars a month. He has been crippled with Rheum-  
-atism for twenty years or more and is getting worse every year and his  
- least is in such bad condition that he tells me that his physician  
has forbidden him from attempting to climb stairways and that he  
- has cataract so bad that he has lost the sense of smell some years ago  
- that he first went to doctor Reynolds of Louisville Kentucky for two years  
for cataract and his eyesight who finally said he could do nothing more  
for him - that he then went to doctor Masters of Indianapolis Indiana a very  
- noted specialist for treatment of cataract and his eyesight and visited nearly  
all the Mineral Springs in Indiana which were not avail. Fifteen years ago  
his sight began to fail him and has been gradually growing worse ever since  
and both the above named doctors said there was no doubt but the cataract  
was putting his eyes out and at the present time he is entirely blind and has  
to be waited on almost like a child and has to have a man with him  
- whenever he goes all the time and has to be led, and at table have some  
one to place his food before him and tell him what it is and have his  
- meat cut up for him, that he contracted Rheumatism and cataract and  
most disease in the Army and line of duty all of which has gradually  
grown worse ever since he was mustered out of service - I am now filling  
him and been with him two days and more and that many of  
the above statements are true for he is so blind I have been leading him  
- about myself while at his home. I appeal to you that you will send  
- special attention to examine him for an increase of his pension, for he certainly deserves it  
- My Post Office is Springville Ind. My comrade William M Alexander is now 82 years old  
and I am 80. Yours in B.L.G. Wm. Alexander late Capt 15<sup>th</sup> Regt  
and 19<sup>th</sup> and Part Hospital near Bloomington  
- Ind. served during War of the Republic

CIVIL WAIT  
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MAY 1920

ACT OF MAY 1, 1920

# DECLARATION FOR PENSION

The Pension Certificate should not be forwarded with the Application

STATE OF Indiana COUNTY OF Monroe ss:

On this 18 day of May, A. D. 1920, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public within and for the county and State aforesaid, Williamson M. Alexander, who, being duly sworn according to law, declares that he is \_\_\_\_\_ years of age, and a resident of Bloomington county of Monroe State of Indiana; and that he is the identical person who was ENROLLED at Indianapolis Ind under the name of Williamson M. Alexander, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1864, as a private, in Co. H. 18<sup>th</sup> Regt Ind Vol. Inf (Here state rank, and company and regiment in the Army, or vessel if in the Navy.)

in the service of the United States, in the Civil war, and was HONORABLY DISCHARGED at Indianapolis Ind on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Jan 1864. That he also served again enlisted in same Co + Regt 18<sup>th</sup> day of Jan 1864 Dis at Darian Ga Aug. 28<sup>th</sup> 1865 (Here give a complete statement of all other services, if any)

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 dark; color of eyes blue; color of hair black; that his occupation was Blacksmith; that he was born Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1836 at Bloomington Ind

That he is totally blind and requires the regular personal aid and attendance of another person (State in this space the nature of the disability by reason of which the regular personal aid and attendance of another person is required)

That his several places of residence since leaving the service have been as follows: Bloomington Ind (State date of each change, as nearly as possible.)

That he is a pensioner under Certificate No. 12274. That he has \_\_\_\_\_ 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 1, 1920.

(Two attesting and identifying witnesses.)	(1) <u>R. C. Brown</u> (Signature of first witness.)	<u>Williamson M. Alexander</u> (Claimant's signature in full)
	<u>Bloomington Ind.</u> (Address of first witness.)	<u>Bloomington</u> (Claimant's address in full.)
	(2) <u>Fred P. Brown</u> (Signature of second witness.)	<u>Indiana</u>
	<u>Bloomington Indiana</u> (Address of second witness.)	

SUBSCRIBED and sworn to before me this 18 day of May 1920 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 \_\_\_\_\_ added; and that I have no interest, direct or indirect, in the prosecution of this claim.

[L. S.]

Thomas J. Sare  
(Signature)  
Notary Public  
(Official character.)

MAY 29 1920 OFFICE

Com. eff. Jan. 3<sup>rd</sup> 1921

# APPLICATION FOR A NEW CERTIFICATE.

NOTICE.—The pensioner's oath must be supported by the evidence of another person as to identity. The witness must swear that he or she well knows applicant to be the same person described in his or her affidavit, and the magistrate must certify that the deponent is a person of veracity.

When a person, acting as agent or attorney for a pensioner, loses the certificate, the affidavit of that person, duly authenticated, is also required.

State of Indiana, County of Monroe, ss.:

ON THIS 18<sup>th</sup> day of May, A. D. 1920, personally appeared before me, a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths, Williamson M Alexander resident of Bloomington in the County of Monroe, and State of Indiana, who, being duly sworn, declares that he is the Williamson M Alexander who was a Captain in Company A in the 18<sup>th</sup> Regiment of Ind Vol Inf. in the service of the United States, in the war Civil; that his name was placed on the pension roll of the U.S. Agency; that he received a pension certificate numbered 122776 and bearing date the      day of     , 1     ; that he was last paid at Washington DC, Agency, to include the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1920; that he has not bartered, sold, assigned, or pledged his pension certificate, or any interest therein; but that on or about the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1920, at or near his home after

(Here state the time, place, and manner of the loss or destruction of the original certificate. In case of loss of certificate, it should be shown that proper efforts have been made for its recovery.)

cashin, his pension check, he lost his certificate with other papers on the table in his room, and the housekeeper when she cleaned the room threw the papers in the stove thinking they were of no use, and they were turned up. That he has made diligent search and they can not be found. That he has not sold or bartered it away.

My Post Office address is Bloomington Ind.

R C Rogers  
Frank O Hoover  
Williamson M Alexander  
(Signature of Claimant)

Also personally appeared R C Rogers, who, on oath, declares that he well knows Williamson M Alexander, who has executed the foregoing affidavit, to be the identical pensioner named therein.



R C Rogers  
(Signature of Witness)

# GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of Indiana  
County of Monroe } ss:

In the matter of claim for \_\_\_\_\_

Williamson M. Alexander (Full name and relationship of claimant, and name and service of soldier.)  
*Co. H 18th Reg. Ind Vol. Inf Cert. 122746*

Personally came before me, a Notary Public in and for  
(Justice, Notary, Judge, Clerk, or Deputy Clerk.)

aforesaid County and State, Fred C. Hoover, aged 59 years,

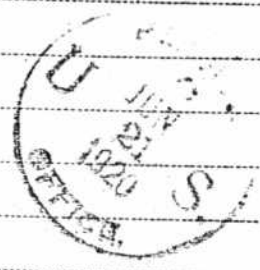
residing at Bloomington County of Monroe, State

of Indiana, and Mrs. Fred Hoover, aged

56 years, residing at Bloomington, County of Monroe

State of Indiana, who, being duly sworn, declare in relation to the

aforesaid case as follows: That they each live and reside with the said Will-  
iamson M. Alexander claimant herein that said claimant is totally  
blind and can not see anything can not even tell when the sun is  
shining bright. That they care for him nurse him assist him to dress  
and undress himself, put his food upon his plate and assist him in  
every way in his necessary wants, that he can not leave the house  
alone that he requires the constant aid and assistance all of the  
time. That they each nurse him and care for him and have for many  
years. The claimant has no children and that no member of his family  
rendered any military or naval service in the late world war, and that  
they know of their own personal knowledge that he has never applied  
to the war sick insurance bureau for compensation. That they are not  
related in any way to claimant, but live with him and care for him.  
These facts were dictated, typewritten and the contents fully made  
known before signing same.



They further declare that they have no interest in said case, and are not concerned in its prosecution.

If either affiant sign by X mark, two persons who write their names MUST sign here as witnesses thereto

1 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of one witness to X mark.)

2 \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of other witness to X mark.)

Signature of Affiant, or of each Affiant.

Fred C. Hoover  
Mrs. Fred Hoover

DEAD

(3-1081) DROP REPORT - PENSIONER  
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR  
BUREAU OF PENSIONS

Cert. No. WILLIAMSON M ALEXANDER  
Pensioner BLOOMINGTON IND  
122746 ACT MAY  
Soldier 1st Reg R R 7  
Service H 18 Ind Inf  
Class 1st Group 2

LAW DIVISION

In the above described case a declaration  
filed in this Division indicates that said  
pensioner died 19

Per H. P. WILLEY  
Chief, Law Division.

DISBURSING DIVISION

AUG 12 1921  
Check No. 2154993 \$ 216  
Dated AUG 4 1921 Section 4  
returned by postmaster with information  
that the above-described pensioner died

July 25 1921 has been  
canceled NP E. E. MILLER  
Per NP Disbursing Clerk.

FINANCE DIVISION

AUG 13 1921 19  
The name of the above-described pensioner  
who was last paid at the rate of \$ 72  
per month to MAY 4 1921 19  
has this day been dropped from the roll be  
cause of death July 25 1921

[Signature]  
Chief, Finance Division.