

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT FOR ANY PURPOSE.

State of Louisiana County of Meri S.S.

In the matter of Pension claim of Mrs Ann L. Kane widow of James R. Kane No 618.465 personally comes the affiant, who, being first sworn, on oath says:

My name is Rizzie Butler, my age is 65 years. I have lived in this place all of my life. I am by profession a midwife. I delivered Mrs Ann L. Kane of the following named children on the dates opposite each name.

<u>Henry Douglas Kane</u>	<u>on February, 14th</u>	<u>1886.</u>
<u>Marcus Manly</u>	<u>" " May 1st</u>	<u>1889.</u>
<u>James Riley</u>	<u>" " August 20th</u>	<u>1891.</u>
<u>Willie Clifford</u>	<u>" " Dec 20th</u>	<u>1893.</u>


I was well acquainted with James R. Kane and know his widow Mrs Ann R. Kane and have known her ever since her childhood.

And affiant further swears that he is not interested in the prosecution of this claim, and his Post Office address is New Meri Co. of Meri State of La

Two witnesses when signed by mark. W. H. Genier Affiant's Signature. Rizzie Butler mark.

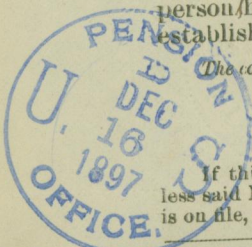
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of September 1895. The affiant is the person he represents himself to be, and a credible witness. I am not interested in this claim sought to be established. Witness my hand and seal, day and year above written.

The contents were read over to affiant before signing the same.

Robert Brown 

Official Character Justice of the Peace

If this evidence is sworn to before a Notary Public or Squire, it will be necessary to have the Clerk's certificate attached, unless said Notary or Squire already has such certificate on file in the Pension Office, showing official character. If such certificate is on file, the Notary or Squire must say so in his jurat.



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Bills (midwife)

INSTRUCTIONS.

If this affidavit is executed before a Justice of the Peace, it can be mailed to us at once, without the formality and expense of obtaining the certificate of the Clerk of Court thereon. If executed before a Notary Public, his seal must be attached; or the Clerk of Court must certify as to genuineness of signature, etc. Should it be executed before the Clerk of Court, or his deputy, his seal must appear thereon. The rule of law is, that in all cases where the officer before whom a legal instrument is executed, has a seal, that seal must be impressed on the paper. It will be appreciated from these facts that it may prove very much more convenient and advantageous to the most of applicants to get the jurat of a Justice of the Peace on the instrument, he not being required, by law, to have a seal, than that of either Notary Public or Clerk of Court. The applicant, however, can determine this point for himself.

R. S. & A. P. LACEY,

Patent, Pension and Bounty Attorneys,

WASHINGTON, D. C.

LAW OFFICE

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GENERAL AFFIDAVIT,

NATURE OF CLAIM.....

APPLICATION No. *618,465*.....

CERTIFICATE No.....

SOLDIER'S NAME.

*Anna & widow of
James R. Lane*.....

Co. *F*..... *156* REG'T *114*..... VOLB.

CLAIMANT'S NAME.

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State of Louisiana County of Meria S.S.

In the matter of Pension claim of Mrs Ann R. Kane widow of
James R. Kane No 618.465
personally comes the affiant, who, being first sworn, on oath says: Heranna Green is

my name. I was well acquainted with James R.
Kane and am well acquainted with his widow
Mrs Ann R. Kane. I was employed by Mr Kane
as a cook and was present at the birth of
the following children of theirs.

Henry Douglas Kane was born on Feb 14th 1886,
Marcus Manly " " " " May 1st 1889,
James Riley " " " " Aug 20th 1891,
Willie Clifford " " " " Dec 20th 1893,

My age is 37 years, I am a resident of this town
and have lived here all my life.

And affiant further swears that he is not interested in the prosecution of this claim, and his Post Office
address is New Meria Co. of Meria State of La

Two witnesses when signed by mark. } W H dejeune
Affiant's Signature. Ulger Mestayer Heranna Green

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of September 1897. The affiant is the
person he represents himself to be, and a credible witness. I am not interested in this claim sought to be
established. Witness my hand and seal, day and year above written.

The contents were read over to affiant before signing the same.

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Robert Brown
Official Character: Justice of the Peace

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Present at births

~~Claimant's~~
~~GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.~~

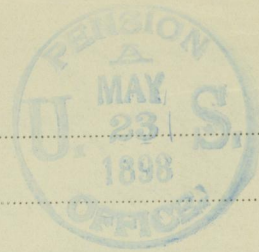
State of Louisiana County of Iberia, SS:

IN THE MATTER OF THE PENSION CLAIM No 618465, of Mrs. Annie R. Kane widow
of James R. Kane Co. H. 156 Regt Reg't N.Y. Inf Vols

ON THIS 12th day of May, A. D., 1898 before the undersigned authority
within and for the above county and state. personally appeared Mrs. Annie R. Kane
the widow of James R. Kane

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declared in relation to the aforesaid case as follows:

I am the widow of James R. Kane the above
[NOTE.—Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]
mentioned soldier, besides the property described
in my former affidavit, to-wit: 1 lot valued at
\$50⁰⁰ which is a vacant lot not fenced in,
and 4 lots improved valued at \$1200⁰⁰ which lot
lot has 4 small houses thereon which rent for
\$5⁰⁰ each or \$20⁰⁰ for the 4 houses per month
I have also a small lot of household effects
which are worth about \$50⁰⁰ I have been and
am living in a house belonging to Mr John
B. Curtis of this place. he up to this time has
not made me pay any rent. I have no
live stock of any description whatever. There
is no mortgage on my property. I have no
debts to pay with the estate. The rent above
referred to is all of the income I have.



That he testifies from personal knowledge, and has an interest in this Pension Claim.

His Post Office Address is... New Iberia, Iberia Parish, Louisiana.
Annie G. Lane

If witness signs by mark, two persons who write sign here.

Sworn to and subscribed before me the day and year first above written, and I certify that affiant is respectable and entitled to credit, and that I have no interest in this claim, and that the contents of this Affidavit were made known to affiant before signing. Witness my hand and seal.

Robert Brown
(Magistrate's Signature)
Justice of the Peace

This can be sworn before a Justice or Notary, and no certificate of Clerk of Court need be attached if said Justice or Notary will have filed in the Pension Office at Washington, D.C., a separate certificate of the Clerk of Court, which will be sufficient for his term of office.

June 10. 1898
" 10. 1900
JOS. DAGUE

ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM No. 618,465

OF

Annie G. widow of

Jos R Lane

Late Co. 7, 156 Reg't N.Y. Vols

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New Iberia La.

May 5th 1898

I L. S. Foree assessor in and
for the Parish of Iberia, State of
Louisiana, do hereby certify
that I have this day made a
careful examination of the
assessment rolls of the
Parish of Iberia and find
the following property assessed
in the name of Mrs. Annie
L. Lane (or the estate of James
R. Lane) and nothing more.
4 lots valued at \$1200⁰⁰
1 lot valued " \$50⁰⁰

L. S. Foree

assessor

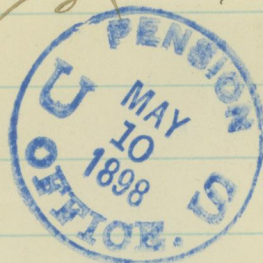
Parish Iberia

I hereby certify that the above name
L. S. Foree is the assessor duly
appointed for this Iberia Parish
Louisiana.

J. H. Blanc

Clerk 19th Jud. Dist court

May 5th 1898



Assessor

State of Texas }
County of Bexar } Before me Geo. B.
Johnston a Notary Public in and for
said County and State on this day per-
sonally appeared Lycurgus Durham
age 45 a resident of the City of San
Antonio, County of Bexar State of Texas
who being duly sworn according to
law did depose and say that the fol-
lowing statement of facts are true and
correct and that he has no interest
in the prosecution of the claim - viz:-

That I know of my own personal
knowledge that James Riley Paul was
married to Annie Barth of New Iberia
Louisiana and that she is his sole
heir and the only one entitled to any of
his belongings, either Real Estate
or Personal property.

I know of this to be true because
of my intimate acquaintance with him
for over thirty years.

Part of this period was in
the State of New York, before he
joined the Federal Army.

And I knew him in New Iberia
Louisiana up to about one year
before his death.

I have not used and am not
aided or prompted by any written or
printed statement or recital, prepared or
dictated by any other person and not attached
as an exhibit to my testimony and such
testimony was written in my presence
and only from my oral statements
then made upon February 25, 1895
at the office of Geo. B. Johnston

That
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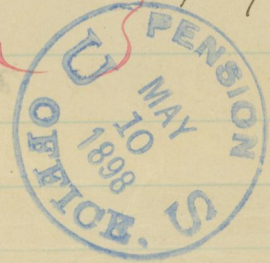
Soldier's
sole legal
representative

127 Soledad Street San Antonio
Texas before and to the said Geo B.
Johnston

Lycourus Durham
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 28th day of February A. D. 1898 and
I hereby certify that the contents of
the above declaration etc, were fully
made known and explained to the witness.
And I hereby certify ^{him} to be respectable and
entitled to credit and that I have no
interest, direct or indirect, in the prosec-
ution of this claim -

Geo. B. Johnston
Notary Public Bexar County

*I am Officially on Record Texas
at the Pension Bureau*



Witness

Sam. B. Johnston -

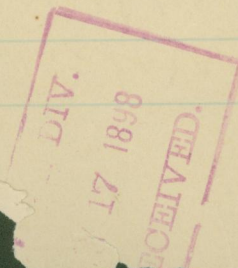
No 618,465

Anna L widow of

Geo R Lane

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A. W. MCCORMICK & SONS,
Attorneys,
Washington, D. C.



Marriage Certificate
State of Louisiana
Parish of Iberia

This certifies That:-
Mr J. R. Lane of the Parish of Iberia
& Miss Annie L. Barth of " " "
Were by me, United in the Bond of
- - Holy Matrimony - -
According to the ordinance of God
and the Laws of the State of Louisiana
at New Iberia on the Seventh (7th)
Day of August A. D., 1898.

In presence of
Eli C. Riggs
George W. Peth

Contracting Parties:
Mr J. R. Lane
Miss A. L. Barth

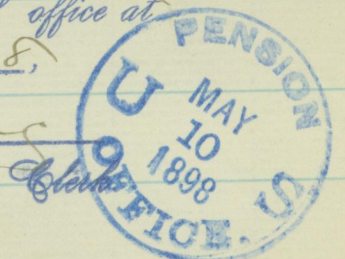
M. C. Manly
M. C.

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
PARISH of IBERIA.

I, the undersigned authority,
do hereby certify the above and foregoing, to be a true and correct
copy of the original now on file in this office. Book 2, of folio 637 -

In faith whereof, witness my signature and seal of office at
New Iberia, La., this day of March 1898,

J. LeBlanc
Clerk



Marriage

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State of Louisiana County of Meris S.S.

In the matter of Pension Claim No 618465 Mrs Ann L. Kane Widow of James R. Kane personally comes the affiant, who, being first sworn, on oath says:

I was present at the birth of John Wesley Kane, he was born on the 25th day of January, 1880. Carrie Kane was born on the 6th day of October, 1881. Mattie Kane was born on the 10th day of December, 1882. and knew Mr James R. Kane the father and Mrs Annie R. Kane the mother of the above named children, the above mentioned children were all born in this place New Meris, La.

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And affiant further swears that he is not interested in the prosecution of this claim, and his Post Office address is New Orleans Co. of Orleans State of Louisiana.

Two witnesses when signed by mark. } P.O. New Meris La
Affiant's Signature. Mrs M. A. Dennis
Mrs M. E. Roberts

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of August 1897. The affiant is the person he represents himself to be, and a credible witness. I am not interested in this claim sought to be established. Witness my hand and seal, day and year above written.

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Robert Brown
Official Character Justice of the Peace

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Present at Birth of John W.

GENERAL AFFIDAVIT.

State of *Louisiana* County of *Iberia*, SS:

IN THE MATTER OF THE PENSION CLAIM No *618465*, of *Mrs Annie R. Kane widow*
of *James R. Kane* Co. *7th* *156th* Reg't *U. S. Inf* Vols

ON THIS *17th* day of *May*, A. D., 189*8* before the undersigned authority
within and for the above county and state, personally appeared *A. M. Bernard*
aged 53 years

well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who being duly sworn, declared in relation to the aforesaid case as follows:

I am well acquainted with the applicant

[NOTE.-Affiants should state how they gain a knowledge of the facts to which they testify.]

Mrs Annie R. Kane the widow of James R. Kane.
I have known her from her childhood

I live one square from her and see her very often and know her circumstances well. I know that her only income is from the rental of 4 small houses that rent for \$5.00 each per month, and I also know that she does not collect her rent at all times as the parties who live in her houses often beat her out of her rent.

Income

(OVER)



That he testifies from personal knowledge, and has no interest in this Pension Claim,

His Post Office Address is... *New Iberia, Iberia Parish, Louisiana*
A M Bernard

good

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ADDITIONAL EVIDENCE.

CLAIM No... *618465*

OF

Anna L widow of
Lucas R Lane

Late Co... *7* ... *156* Reg't ... *NY* ... Vols

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