

That section forty-seven hundred and forty-five, title fifty-seven of the Revised Statutes of the United States is hereby amended to read as follows:

Sec. 4745.—Any pledge, mortgage, sale, assignment, or transfer of any right, claim, or interest in any pension which has been, or may hereafter be, granted, shall be void and of no effect, and any person who shall pledge, or receive as a pledge, mortgage, sale, assignment or transfer of any right, claim, or interest in any pension, or pension certificate, which has been, or may hereafter be granted or issued, or who shall hold the same as collateral security for any debt, or promise, or upon any pretext of such security, or promise, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars and the costs of the prosecution; and any person who shall retain the certificate of a pensioner and refuse to surrender the same upon the demand of the Commissioner of Pensions, or a United States pension agent, or any other person, authorized by the Commissioner of Pensions, or the pensioner, to receive the same shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars and the costs of the prosecution.

Approved February 28, 1883.

No. 1,214,481
PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Joseph L. Amann

PAYABLE MONTHLY
BY THE
DISBURSING CLERK
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
WASHINGTON



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United States of America



BUREAU OF PENSIONS

It is hereby certified *That in conformity with the laws*
of the United States Joseph L. Amann
who was a Private, Co., C, 1st Regiment Wisconsin Infantry

is entitled to
a pension at the rate of Fifteen *dollars per*
month, to commence July 27, 1925

Given at the Department of the Interior this
fifth day of September

one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five
and of the Independence of the United States
of America the one hundred and fiftieth

Hubert Work

Secretary of the Interior.

Countersigned,

Winfield Scott

Commissioner of Pensions.

Former payments covering any portion of the same time to be deducted.

UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF PENSIONS
WASHINGTON

June 4, 1926.

Under the provisions of an act approved May 1, 1926, the rates of pension heretofore payable to invalids and nurses, under the Act of June 5, 1920, have been increased as follows:

From \$12 per month to \$20 per month;

From \$15 per month to \$25 per month;

From \$18 per month to \$30 per month;

From \$24 per month to \$40 per month;

From \$30 per month to \$50 per month.

Payment at these increased rates, which commence June 4, 1926, will be made in the pension checks dated July 4, 1926. Application for this increase of pension is not necessary.

SECURELY ATTACH THIS SLIP TO YOUR PENSION CERTIFICATE.

WINFIELD SCOTT,
Commissioner of Pensions.