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It is hereby certified That, in conformity with the laws of the United States May Early
 Widow of William C. Early who was
 a Private in the 5th Regiment Ill "Vol." Infantry, is entitled
 to a pension at the rate of Three dollars per month to
 commence on the twentieth day of June 1888
 and to continue during her widowhood, unless she shall forfeit
 her right thereto. And she is also entitled to two dollars per month
 additional for each of the following named children, while living
 and under the age of sixteen years. to wit:

	Commencing	Sixteen
Albert E	June 30, 1888.	September 13, 1888.
Charles F.	" " "	November 3, 1891.
Ella May	" " "	January 9, 1894.
Ralph D.	" " "	May 7, 1897.
Frank M.	" " "	August 12, 1902.

Given at the Department of the Interior this
twelfth day of June
one thousand eight hundred and eighty
 and of the Independence of the United States
 of America the one hundred and twentieth

Greenbaum
 Commissioner of Pensions

W. Noble
 Secretary of the Interior.

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. 270989
PENSION CERTIFICATE OF

Mary Early

Payable Quarterly
on the

4th of March, June, September & December;

of each year, by the
U. S. Pension Agent

at Chicago Ill

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NOTE.—No sale or transfer of any kind, of the whole or any part of the Pension payable by virtue of this Certificate is of any legal or binding force against either the Pensioner or the United States.

Wm. H. Clark
Clerk.