State of Ohio
Miami County } S.S.

On this 23rd day of April, A.D. 1881 personally appeared before me a Notary Public, in and for the County, and State aforesaid John M. Cheever who being by me duly sworn deposes and says that he is aged 93 years. further that he has been acquainted personally, with Stephen C. Alexander, Henry Alexander Charles W. Alexander, Helen Lines, Lydia Ann Miller, brother's and sisters, of Anthony W. Alexander deceased for 63 years, and further that he was also personally acquainted with Maria E. Cruea, deceased, who was also a sister of the said Anthony W. Alexander (dec) further that Edwin C. Cruea, and Emma Cruea are the only surviving heirs of the said Maria E. Cruea (decd) deponent further says that the said Anthony W. Alexander, (decd) according to the best of his knowledge and belief has left neither, widow or child; surviving, deponent further says that he was intimately acquainted with the Father and Mother of Anthony W. Alexander, and from personal knowledge knows that they are both dead, deponent further says that he was acquainted with Anthony W. Alexander from birth and knows that he went to Texas, and was reported to have been in Mier's Expedition; and also a prisoner in Mexico, further after he was liberated, and returned home, he enlisted in the Regular Army in the year 1846. and the said Anthony W. Alexander, died, in the Barracks at Newport, Kentucky, deponent further says that: