The State of Texas }
County of Fayette } This day personally appeared James Sorrells before me C Perry an acting Justice of the peace who being sworn according to law says that he is the identical James Sorrells who served as a private in the Expedition raised to defend the invasion of Texas by the Mexicans under Vasquez in the Spring of the year 1842. And that he served thereon said Campaign He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining the pay due him for said service

Sworn and subscribed to before me this the 30th day of January 1854 — James Sorrells

C Perry J.P.F.C.

The State of Texas }
County of Fayette } personally appeared before me C Perry an acting Justice of the peace in and for the County and State aforesaid. Jackson C C Smith and Obadiah Fitzgerald being sworn and makes oath according to law and says that James Sorrells served in the Expedition as set forth in his affidavit and that they are acquainted in his application for pay

Jackson C.C. Smith
Obadiah Fitzgerald

Sworn and subscribed to before me this the 30 day of Jan 1854.

C Perry J.P.F.C.

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