[illegible] of Texas -
County of [illegible] August 29th 1857

This day personally appeared J. H. Turner and William Lumlinson to me well known and upon their oath strike on oath that Simon Cockrell [illegible] belongs to Capt Ferguson's company in the Mexican campaign and that the said Cockrell was wounded at the Battle of the Salton

Sworn to and subscribed to before me John T. Tinsley an acting Justice of the peace within and for said county the day and date above written

John T. Tinsley
J. P. G. C.

J. H. Turner
William his x mark Lumlinson

The State of Texas
Gonzales County

I. F. Chenault Clerk of the County Court of said County Certify that John T Tinsley before whom the above affidavit was made is an Acting Justice of the Peace for said County, duly Commissioned & sworn

Given under my hand and official seal August 29th 1857

F. Chenault
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