The State of Texas }
County of Bexar }

Personally came and appeared before me the undersigned authority Manuel Flores who after being duly sworn upon oath says that Joseph Maria Espinosa is the identical man who served as private in a company commanded by him in the year A.D. 1836 and in the regiment of Col John N. Seguin for the period of six months & that said Espinosa died in the service of the late Republic

given under my hand and seal this 7th day of Oct A.D. 1853

Manuel Flores
Late Capt. Co B
Texas Cavly.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of Oct A.D. 1853

M Carroll
J.P. B.C.