State of Texas } Personally appeared before me, James C Gaither, a Notary
County of Fayette } Public for the County and State aforesaid Asa
Townsend who being duly sworn according to Law says
that he is the identical Asa Townsend who served as a Private in
the Expedition Commanded by General Edward Burleson, in
the Spring of the Year Eighteen Hundred [redacted]ty Two,
raised for the purpose of repelling the Invasion of Texas,
by General Vasquez, and that he served in said Expedition
from its Commencement until its close in said Year,
He makes this declaration for the purpose of obtaining
the pay due him for said services
This 17th day of [redacted] A.D. 1853

Sworn to and subscribed
before me the day and Year
above written
James C Gaither
N P, F C

Asa Townsend

State of Texas } Personally appeared before me, James
County of Fayette } C Gaither, a Notary Public, for the
County and State aforesaid, Moses Townsend and
A. J. McDonald both known to me as creditable
persons, being duly sworn according to Law, says
that Asa Townsend served in the Expedition commanded
by General Edward Burleson, as set forth
in his affidavit ~~He makes this declaration for the purpose~~ And that they are disinterested in the above
application for pay This 17th day of March A.D. 1853

Sworn to and subscribed
before me the day & year
above written
James C Gaither
N P, F C

A J McDonald
Moses Townsend