The State of Texas }
County of Bexar. } Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared F. L. Paschal and. Who duly Sworn on their oaths Say that in the Summer of 1839 Two Companies of Volunteers, were raised in San Antonio Bexar County. One Composed of Mexicans, and the other of Americans. 75 in number. of which L. B. Franks. was Elected Captain. and both Companies Commanded by Col Henry W. Karnes. That said Companies were organized under Orders of President M. B. Lamar. of the late Republic of Texas. for the purpose of fighting the Hostile Indians (Comanches) North West and West of San Antonio. where the expedition did go. To wit. On the Head Waters of the Medina. Hondo Seco. and Cañon de Ubalde. That the expedition remained three weeks on the expedition. when they Returned to San Antonio and were discharged. That said Companies furnished themselves with horses provisions Arms Etc. And that to the best of their Knowledge: the men doing this Service never received pay or compensation from the late Republic or State of Texas. That Wilson S. Riddle F. L. Paschal. John C. Hays. H. A. Albury. C. W. Egery. Geo. W. Olson. S. S. Sackie. H. Clay Davis John James. were members of Capt L. B. Franks's Company on said Campaign