State of Texas } We E. H. Kemp and
County of Austin } James L. Cole do hereby certify
under oath that when the western frontier of
Texas was invaded by the Mexicans under Gen
Vasquez in the Spring of 1842 that J
S. Brookshire went from the county of Austin
& was seen as far west as Beyond the river
Colorado mounted, armed & equipped
to assist in repelling the Invaders. E. H. Kemp

Jas L. Cole

Sworn to & subscribed before me
To Certify which I hereunto set
my hands and affix my
Official Seal this 31st day of
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