

The State of Texas,
County of *Austin*

We *Asst. L. Cole, L. S. Jennings*

DO HEREBY CERTIFY UNDER OATH,

That when the Western Frontier of Texas was invaded by the Mexicans, under Gen. *Wells*
in the *Fall* of 1842, that *Asst. L. Cole* went from the County of
Hart Bend as far West as *West of the Colorado*
and discharged and performed all the duties of a *Private* Soldier—mounted, armed and
equipped as such, to assist in repelling the invaders.

Asst. L. Cole
L. S. Jennings

Sworn to and subscribed before me, *Notary Public* for said County,
duly commissioned and sworn.

To Certify which, I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal of office;

this *1st* day of *April*, 185*4*
Geo. Osterhout, Notary Public
A. C.

RECEIVED of _____ a Claim for Services of _____
rendered in the _____ Expedition in 18____, which, if
obtained, I promise to pay to _____, retaining _____ per cent. as my
commission, this _____ day of _____, 185____

Bellville, Texas,