The State of Texas } Personally Came
County of Austin } before me James
W Railey Clerk of the Family Court
of Austin County, Isaac W Stoddard
well known to me, who upon oath
says and subscribes the same that
he was in the Army of Texas in
the year 1836, that he had a
claim upon the then Government
of said Army for some cattle —
furnished said Army — that he
called upon the General Green —
who was attached to said Army
for a receipt for said Cattle furnished
his division, and that he wholly
refused to give a receipt for said
Cattle, — And that I passed
the house of one John Nichols
of Austin County on his way
to said Army and Enquired
of him whether he had taken
a receipt for the Cattle which
he let go to said Division of the
Army — and he said that the
officer who pressed his said John
Nichols and I W Stoddard cattle
would not give him, and did not give
him a receipt for the same

I. W. Stoddard

Sworn to & subscribed before me
September 1st 1853, to certify all of
which I subscribe my name &
affix the impress of the
seal of said Austin County
Court date above written
J. W. Railey Clerk