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This is to certify that A. Spence a private in my Company served from the 7th day of October to the 25th day of Novr 1842, and was detailed by order Genl A. Sommerville to guard the Cannon from the Medina to Gonzales, and was unable to rejoin his Company untill they were discharged and he is therefore entitled to an honorable discharge for a tour of duty

Approved
J. S. McCook Jr
Lieut Col Commandant

E. S. C. Robertson
Capt Copy Tr 1st Regt S. W. Army