The State of Texas
Nacogdoches County } Personally came and appeared before me the undersigned authority Jacob Lewis a credible citizen of Nacogdoches County & State aforesaid, to me well known, who being duly sworn according to law, on his oath says that he knows of his own knowledge, that the applicant for pension named in the accompanying petition therefor, John W Anderson, was a soldier in the army of Texas in the year A.D. 1836 (One thousand Eight Hundred and thirty Six) prior to the battle of San Jacinto - That he was a private, and belonged to the Company of Capt Benjamin Bryant ~~Willis H Landrum~~ - which said Company as affiant was informed and believes was engaged in said Battle - and as he was informed & believes that at that time the said John W. Anderson was then in the service and belonged to said Company.

That said John W Anderson is about Fifty five years old, and is a citizen of Nacogdoches County & That he believes him to be justly entitled to a pension for services under the "Act granting pensions &c

Approved August 13th 1870 (Erasure of the words Willis H Landrum, & interlineation of the words Benjamin Bryant made before signing -)

Jacob Lewis