State of Texas

County of Austin } Personally came & appeared
[illegible] a Notary
[illegible] the County of Austin & State
of Texas. James B. Pier a credible Citizen
of said State to me [illegible] who after
being by me duly sworn on oath says, that
he knows of his own knowledge that John
Atkinson a citizen of Austin County was a
soldier in the army of Texas in the [illegible]
of A.D. 1836 and [illegible] the Battle of
San Jacinto. That he is about [illegible]
Eighty years of age & [illegible] Texas
Austin County Texas. & that he has [illegible]
as a Resident in said State [illegible] Since

J. B. Pier

Sworn to & subscribed to before me witness my
hand & official seal of office
at Travis in Austin County
Texas this 13th day of July
A.D. 1874

J. A. Cattin