J. J. GROOS, Commissioner. RHOADS FISHER, Chief Clerk. CHAS. W. PRESSLER, Chief Draftsman.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

GENERAL LAND OFFICE,

Austin, Nov 16th 1874.

This is to Certify, That it appears from Donation Warrant No 345 now on file in this Office, issued by the Commissioner of Claims to Antonio Balle for 640 acres; That the said Balle was in the Army of the Republic of Texas, and that he participated in the "Siege of Bexar".

In Testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand, and affix the Seal of the General Land Office, the date first above written.

J. J. Groos

Commissioner.