Archibald Bass and saw him frequently during the year 1836 while he was in service - that he has known the said Archibald Bass ever since and knows him now well and knows that he did serve the Republic of Texas in her struggle for her independence. & in testimony whereof he here signs his mark -

Jas P. P. January

I, A. B. Pacheco Notary Public as aforesaid hereby certify that said facts were sworn to & subscribed before me by said witness J. P. January this 21st day of Sept AD 1870

Witness my hand and official seal the day & date above written

A. B. Pacheco
Notary Public
U. C. Tex