The State of Texas,
County of Bexar. } On this thirteenth day of One Thousand eight hundred and Seventy Five, Before me, Sam S. Smith ~~District~~ Clerk of the District Court, within and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Joshua D. Brown age over 55 years, who being duly sworn according to law declares that he is the identical Joshua D. Brown who participated in the revolution (of Texas) which separated Texas from Mexico; that he was born in the State of Kentucky and emigrated to Texas in the year 1837, and was a private Soldier in the Company of Mounted Volunteers Commanded by Captain Adam Zumwalt in the expedition in the Woll campaign in 1842, and was in the Battle fought against the Mexican Invading Army on the Salado Creek in Bexar County near the City of San Antonio on or about the 11th of Sept. 1842, at the time of the Dawson Massacre, That he was also in the Sommerville Campaign in what is known as the "Mier Expedition in the year 1842, under the Command of Captain Isaac N. Mitchell, in the Regmt. of Col. ~~Clark L. Owens~~ James R. Cook, and returned after having crossed the Rio Grande at Loredo, and that he was also in the Cherokee expedition under Genl. Rusk in 1839, he was also in Col Ben McCulloch's Spy Company in 1846