The State of Texas } On the Twenty-third day of
County of Bexar } November A. D. 1874.

Before me John Rosenheimer, a Notary public, in and for said County and State, — personally appeared Gabriel Casillas (whose name is indifferently written, Casillas or Cassias) a citizen of Texas, residing now in the City of San-Antonio, to me well known, who having been sworn by me according to law, under his oath affirms and attests that he was born in San-Antonio of Texian parents, on or about the — year 1814, he being at present, about 60 years of age; that at the date of the declaration of Independence, he was a single man, of about 21 years of age; that in the struggle for the Independence between Texas, he volunteered his service for the cause of freedom, and joined the Texian Force; that his military service, has been proven and acknowledged by the proper authority, since affiant has received several bounty and donation land warrants, — and specially a Bounty for 640 acres of land under the number 1,923. — Affiant does hereby refers to the public Archives, that give testimony of the service he rendered at that time to Texas; —

He also affirms that he is the same man who rendered the aforesaid military service, and that he never aided or assisted the enemy, and has always been a true — patriot and faithful to Texas. —

Affiant States that he makes the present affidavit — true in every respect, in order to apply for and receive —