Before me personally appeared Lavinda Cooper who being duly sworn says that she has known Dillard Cooper for forty years - that he is fifty five years of age - that he left home in the fall of 1836 for the purpose of joining the army of Texas - that he had no wounds on his left leg at that time - that in the summer of 1836 he returned and had on his left leg a wound, which made a considerable scar - that she ~~just~~ ~~by~~ believes that Dillard Cooper is justly ~~indebted~~ entitled to a pension for wounds and services under the act of August 13th 1870 -

which I have every reason to believe was received at Velasco

Lavinda Cooper

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 4th day of Nov. 1870 - Witness my hand and official seal -

Camillus Jones
Notary Public
Ll. Co.