The State of Texas }
County of Bowie } Personally appeared before the undersigned authority C. M. Holmes to me well known, who being by me first duly sworn upon oath says, that he first became acquainted with William Crabtree (or Bill Crabtree) now known as William B. Crabtree about the years 1840 or 1842. That affiant has been intimately acquainted with said Crabtree ever since and that affiant has always known him as William Crabtree, and that he is the same person who now signs his name as William B Crabtree.

C M Holmes

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 10th day of May 1876 In all which I do hereunto set my official signature and seal

Notary Public
Bowie Co Tex