The State of Texas
County of Anderson. } Before me W A King Clerk of the District Court of Anderson County this day personally appeared Daniel Crisp a man to me well Known, as a credible witness who being duly sworn in due form of Law on Oath says that E. J. DeBard whose application for a Pension is herewith forwarded was in 1836 a member of Capt Michael Costlys Company in Major Jacks Battalion of Troops, and that in 1838 said E. J. DeBard was a member of Capt Robert Smiths Company in Genl. Thos. J. Rusks Regiment, and that said E. J. DeBard was in the Battle of the Kickapoo fought on or near the Neches River in said year fighting Indians & Mexicans and was wounded in the Knee in said Battle, and that he justly believes said E. J. DeBard entitled to a Pension for having been a soldier and also for having been wounded, and that he Knows of his own Knowledge that E. J. DeBard, the person now applying for this Pension is the same man who was a member of said Companies and was wounded as aforesaid

Daniel Crisp

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of December AD 1870 To certify which I hereto set my hand and seal of Office at Palestine the day and date above written

W. A. King
Dist. Clk. Anderson