The State of Texas

County of San Augustine Before the undersigned Authority this Day personally appeared J. B. Johnson and E. A. Blount to me well known and both of whom I certify to be good Trustworthy reliable and credible Citizens of the County and State aforesaid and after being by me Duly Sworn according to law Deposed and Says that Margaret A Gilliam Surviving widow of L. W. Gilliam Dec'd who resides in the County of San Augustine and State of Texas is the Same Identical Margaret A Gilliam Surviving widow of L. W. Gilliam as aforesaid to whom a Pension has been granted by the State of Texas under an act approved July 28th A D 1896 and affiants State that She is State unmarried and in Indigent Circumstances and now living

Sworn to and Subscribed Before me on this the 27 day of October 1897

J B Johnson
E A Blount

In Testimony Whereof Witness my hand and Seal of office in the Town of San Augustine Texas on this the day and date above written

W. H. Crouch
County Clerk Sacs

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County of San Augustine We the undersigned County Judge and Clerk within and for the County and State aforesaid Do hereby Certify that we are Personally and well acquainted with the pensioner Margaret A Gilliam referred to in the above and foregoing affidavit and we further Certify