The State of Texas, County of Houston. } Before me, the undersigned authority, this day came Andrew E. Gossett to me well Known, and W. H. Pate to me Known, who after being duly sworn, depose and say respectively, that they were well acquainted with Jas. L. Gossett (now Decd) and that said Jas. L. Gossett was a member of Capt Elisha Clapp's Company of Mounted Rangers, that said Jas. L. Gossett was the identical person who received a Bounty of 320 acres of Land for Service in the War between Texas and Mexico, that said Jas. L. Gossett was mustered into Service on or about the ——— day of July or ——— day of August 1836 and was honorably discharged on or about the ——— day of October or ——— day of November 1836, and that affiants were members of said Company and that this affidavit is made for the purpose of enabling the Widow of Jas. L. Gossett Decd to obtain a Pension from the State of Texas, in accordance with Law, due her as the Widow of said Jas. L. Gossett Decd.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th Septr. A.D. 1874. In Witness Whereof I hereto sign my name and affix the Seal of the Dist Ct. of Houston Co. Texas.

A. E. Gossett
W. H. Pate

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