The State Texas
County of Waller

Personally appeared before me J. W. Stephenson an acting notary public in & for said county, D. H. Van Vechten — who upon being duly sworn deposeth & says that he knew Thos B. Harding in the military service of Texas prior to the 15th day of October 1836 having served with him in Capt. J. B. Robertsons company in said service and that affiant is satisfied that the Thos. B. Harding now living in the county of Walker and applying for a pension is the same person who rendered the above service

D. H. Van Vechten

Sworn to and subscribed upon me this 24th day of July 1891.

To testify which I have hereto set my hand and official signature together with the seal of office this the 24th day of July A.D. 1891

John W. Stephenson
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