South Carolina
Beaufort County

Personally appeared before me W. F. Colcock, Counselor at Law, and a citizen and resident of the State and County aforesaid aged seventy years who being duly sworn makes oath that he has known the gentleman now bearing the name of William C Howard from his youth and knows that his former name was William C Hogg which name was changed by due authority of law to William C Howard.

Deponent further swears that he knows that the said William C Howard which bearing the name of William C Hogg went to Texas in the year 1835 or 1836 and return ed from thence saying that he had been in the War between Texas and Mexico.

Deponent will remember a narration given about that time to him by the said W. C. Hogg of the battle of San Jacinto in which narration, among other things he mentioned the particulars about General Houston being wounded in the foot and sitting down under a tree when General Santa Anna was brought before him