Richmond Fort Bend County Texas
December 26th AD 1870

To the Hon.
A Bledsoe
Comptroller. State of Texas

Your petitioner William P Huff a resident citizen of Fort Bend County in said State for the past twenty three years and a resident citizen of Texas from March in the year One thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty five (1825). to the date hereof would respectfully represent that petitioner passed through the various vicissitudes of Colonization from the Year 1825 to the Commencement the revolution which Separated Texas from Mexico. That he with his Father Georg Huff was merchandizing as partners in the Town of San Felipe during the Revolution and were doing a good business - that the Services of his Father were required by Gen.l S. F Austin, in the army in proof of which I hereto attach an Order given by Gen.l S. F Austin to George Huff to draw rations for his the Said Huffs Teamsters and mastice A. Petitioners Services were required in San Felipe in a Civil Capacity for the purpose of assisting those who were going to and coming from active Service; And also for the purpose of assisting the Commaette of ways and means. Hereto I attach a receipt signed by