The State of Texas.
County of Gonzales } Before me L. H. Planck
a Notary Public in and for said State
and County duly commissioned and
qualified personally appeared
John Spears to me well known
who being by me duly sworn on
his oath declares that he was
born in County of Jefferson and
State of Ohio on the 11th day of
October A.D. 1807. and that
he is now in his sixty seventh
year of age. and that he emigrated
to Texas in the year 1822. in the
month of June. of said last mentioned
year and that he served in Capt
Hannis Company as a volunteer
in the year 1835 in the war of
secession between Texas and
the Republic of Mexico. and as
such he served and participated
in the Battle of Concepion in the
month of October A.D. 1835
on behalf of the people of Texas.
and that he again volunteered in the
month of February in the year 1836.
in Captain McIntyres Company
and as such serving about three months
and as such served and participated