Affidavit

The State of Texas } Personally appeared before
County of Kaufman } me, the undersigned authority,
R. A. Perrell and W. D. Irvine
both credible persons, citizens of said County & State
& to me well known, who being duly sworn each
deposes & says that he knew James T. P. Irvine,
whose papers for pension from said State, are
now on file in the Comptroller's office, as he is
informed & believes; that said J. T. P. Irvine
died in the County of Kaufman, said State, on
or about the 27th day of March, 1871; that there
is no widow of said Irvine now alive; that
Preston & Talent Benj Irvine, Fannie V Irvine, J. T. P.
Irvine Jr, Nathan & Irvine, Mary Irvine, Paul D Irvine
& Belle P. Irvine are all the children of said James
T. P. Irvine; that there are no grand children of said
J. T. P. Irvine whose parents are dead. That he
knew said J. T. P. Irvine well - that he was al-
ways known & regarded as a Texas Veteran - that
he has every good reason to believe that he
was a soldier in the Texas army in the revolution
which separated Texas from Mexico & as such
was entitled to a pension from Texas

R. A. Perrell
W. D. Irvine

Sworn to & subscribed before me this March
7th 1877. Witness my hand & official seal

James R. Bridges J P &
Ex officio
Notary Public Kaufman Co Tx.