State of Texas } In the County Court
County of Harris } of said County

To the Hon, Judge of said Court
your Petitioner
shows that she is, and has been for the past ten years, a resident citizen of Harris County, in the State of Texas that she is the widow of Samuel Isaacks deceased that her said husband the said Samuel Isaacks served as a volunteer soldier in the army of the Republic of Texas

That she was the wife of said Samuel Isaacks dec'd during the time of his service, that said Samuel Isaacks died on the 4th day of Decr 1877 and that she remained unmarried since his death

Your Petitioner further represents that she is now living in Harris County Texas
and is very feeble and infirm
And is in very indigent circumstances and unable to support herself and is without any means of support.

Wherefore she prays that due notice be given this Petition and upon hearing hereof