the acts of Aug 13. 1870 & april 21st 1874 for services in the Army of the Republic of Texas in the year A.D. 1836.
Witness my hand and impress of Official seal at Austin Texas this 7 day of Feby A.D. 1877.

(LS) W. A. Pitts.
Chf Clk & Act'g Comptroller

J. N. Cole as a witness states Our house sold the Pension warrants issued to Petitioner, under the act, of 1870 & 1874 there were $900 in warrants, & I know him to be the same man for whom they issued.
He is very hard pressed in money matters. Owes our house $160 now. Has never been able to pay up since we sold his pension warrants. Owes other debts, do not know how much, Is not able to work much, & has no profession to live by. Petitioner himself introduced testified. The Petition states the facts, I served as a volunteer as therein stated, I make this application because I am not able to support my family. Have 125 acres of land my homestead, 10 acres in cultivation last year, 40 acres this year. The rent will not support me. I am 62 years old, not able to work at all now. In poor health, constantly suffering.
Owe about $500. Gave in my land at