The State of Mississippi
Pike County ss

We the undersigned citizens of said county and State do hereby certify that we have known William S McKenzie for the last Thirty Nine years, that he came to this county about the first of the year 1837 or the latter part of /36 and was in bad health and represented himself as a soldier from the Texas Army and on his way from Texas to Georgia, that he had been honorably discharged from service. and that he was a member of a company of infantry commanded by Captain G. A. Parker of Georgia, that he had enlisted as a volunteer in said Company in Lumpkin county Georgia and went from there to Texas with and as member of said company

We have known said McKenzie well and intimately for the length of time above indicated and we have ever known him as a man of truth and veracity as well as a quiet peaceable man and good citizen whose character stands unimpeached and in our opinion any statement he will make under oath relative to the services rendered by him as a soldier aforesaid will be entitled to favorable consideration and credit

J. T. Martin
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J. A. Brent (by proxy)
Thompson, Andrews
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J. H. Thomas
W. E. Gibson