Recorder's Office, Knox County.
E. Meisenhelter. Recr.

Vincennes, Ind Sept 14th 1871

Mr A. Bledsoe
Comptroller
Dear Sir:

I am informed that the Legislature of Texas has passed a law giving pension to the surviving veteran's of the Revolution which separated Texas from Mexico and having been a volunteer in that cause I desire to know what is requisite for me to do to avail myself of its benefits. I volunteered in the city of Lexington Ky in about the middle of May 1836 left that city for Texas about the 1st day of June same year We joined the army on the Colette River having elected Wm. H. Rodgers Captain who died at Demits landing when David. Y. Byron was elected to fill said vacancy. When the army was consolidated we were attached to the first regiment of T. M. Volunteers Joseph H. D. Rodgers was Colonel I volunteered for one year or during the war. I have thought proper to give you these facts so that you might be better able to advise me in the premises and early reply is