Statement of T. S. Bass
in regard to John who came with
me to Texas I met with Mr. John Min-
ton in New Orleans in the Sheriff of
March 1836 Eighteen thirty six remained
a few days in that place where we
shipped for Texas on board the Schooner
Congress which was chartered by Mr. William
Christy the Texas agent arrived at Galveston
on the fifth day of April 1836 from ther-
we went up to Sanjacinto at the place
of battle from which joined Capt Henry
Kanes Company of Horse in which Deaf
Smith was a member that Mr. Minton
served together for 6 six months & was hon-
orably discharged & received our bounty
lands warrants which will be found
on record in the Government department
of State said Minton was a Scotch
by birth I do know he is entitled to the
benefit of the pension act [illegible] Indian