the first day a courier met us at a creek and said the Mexicans were coming; and we fell back to Victoria and sent word to Genl. Huston at the camp on the Guadalupe. Genl. Huston came up with his companies and afterwards we all went to a camp called Camp Bowie, east of the Guadalupe about four or five miles south of Texana where we were mustered out and discharged. A man named Thompson was the first Lieutenant of the company; both the Captain and first Lieutenant were absent when we were mustered out. and 2nd. Lieutenant Anthony Deffenbaugh was in command. We went from Camp Bowie to Huston where our papers were signed by Genl. Felix Huston; the second Sergeant of the company was Perry J. Moore; he was with the company when I joined it, and was mustered in at same time and place that I was, and continued to serve with the company until June 1837 when we were all discharged at Camp Bowie; I have known Mr. Moore in Kansas City Missouri since the fall of 1872 and know him to be the identical