Petition of
Minerva Morris, applicant
vs
The State of Texas,

In County Court
Harris County
Texas
March Term 1879,

To the Hon C. Anson Jones, County Judge in and for said County & State,

The petition of Minerva Morris, applicant for a pension from the State of Texas, respectfully represents that she is a resident of said County and State that she is the wife and surviving widow of Ritson Morris now deceased and is 71 years of age and that her husband died on the 23d day of September 1849, and that she has never married since the death of her said husband, Ritson Morris and that her said husband Ritson Morris served as and was a soldier in the army of the Republic of Texas in the war of the Revolution which separated Texas from Mexico between the commencement of the revolution at Gonzales in 1835 and the first day of January 1837. That he was a member of and served in Captain Burleesons Company in said Army from the 15th day of June 1836.