And he was finally honorably discharged from the Regular Army at Houston.
He says that he received six hundred & forty acres of land for the four months service in the Volunteer service and that afterwards he received Bounty Warrant No 998 for Twelve Hundred & Eighty acres of land as will appear by the records of the General Land Office for said Military services.
He further says that he was born in Oglethorpe County in the State of Georgia on the 7th day of August 1840 and came to Texas as above mentioned. And he now makes this affidavit & petition for pension under the Act of the 14th Legislature of Texas.

J. P. Montague

Sworn to & subscribed before me at Lockhart Texas this 3rd day of July 1874 James A. Tobin Dep J.P. L.C.

Before me the undersigned authority this day appeared W. B. Dewees & J. W. E. Wallace to me well known who being duly sworn deposed & say that Jelson P. Montague who signed the foregoing affidavit and petition is the identical person W. B. Dewees knew & he represents himself to be J. W. E. Wallace