The State of Texas, } This is to certify that I have
Fort Bend County, } known John D Morrell a
citizen of said County and State for more than
28 years, his age is about 66 years, I have known
the said John D Morrell as an active partici
pant in all the measures taken to separate
Texas from Mexico, from the Battle of Velasco
in June 1832, to the closing scenes in the year
1836, Morrell and myself were members of the
C[redacted] which separated Texas from the
Government of Mexico. and believe him en
titled to a Pension, under the act of the 18th Legis
lature of the State of Texas, "granting Pensions
to the surviving Veterans of the revolution which
separated Texas from Mexico".

Edwin Waller

The State of Texas
County of Fort Bend } this day to wit the 2nd day
of November A.D. 1870, before
me the undersigned Justice of the Peace
and ex officio Notary Public of Fort Bend County
regularly Commissioned and qualified
came and personally appeared Edwin
Waller to me well known, who being duly sworn
deposes and says the matters and facts contain
ed in the foregoing Certificate are true and cor
rect. In testimony whereof I have hereunto
subscribed my name and affixed my official seal
at Office in Richmond Texas on the day and date above written

J. H. Williams, J.P. & ex of