The State of Texas }
County of Bee }

Before me the undersigned authority personally came and appeared Patrick Quinn & B Smith — both well known to me who on oath depose and say that they have known Martin Toole — sometimes called Martin O Toole since 1830. That he is the identical person who served in Col. Fannins Command — That his name (he being young at that time was placed on the Muster Rolls as Martin Toole) — but in consequence of (his Martins) Father Jeremiah O. Toole having the Letter "O" to his name, he has placed it there to his own — in later years —

Affiants further affirm and swear that there is many living witness to the fact of his servitude and identy and in justice to one who served the Republic faithfuly & true. Should be recognized as one of the old Texas vetrans and have the aid of the State of Texas.

Patrick Quinn (Seal)
B Smith (Seal)

Sworn & Subscribed to before me this 3d day of Sept 1874

Luke Hart J.P. Prct
No 5 Bee County