The State of Texas }
County of Anderson }

Hon. A. Bledsoe
Comptroller
Austin
Texas.

Dr William Perry a citizen of Freestone County State of Texas begs leave to state that he was ~~appointed~~ Elected Surgeon by the Men of Mabbitts Battalion to serve as Surgeon to the Command, in August 1838, and that he served as Surgeon during the years 1838 and 1839, both to Mabbitts Battalion and to Captain J. E. Box's Company in Major Worthams Battalion, and stationed at Fort Houston then in Houston County Texas, now in Anderson County Texas. and he herewith sends the Affidavit of Daniel Crist and Jacob Crist two Credible witnesses of Anderson County, proving his service as above stated

And he now applies for a Certificate granting him a