The State of Texas, On this the
County of Goliad } 11th day of June
A D 1874 personally appeared
before me, A. McWiggington Clerk
of the District Court of the
County and State above
written, John F Pettus, of the
the County of Bee and
State of Texas, personally known
to me, who, being duly sworn
according to law, declares
that his age is 65 years: that
he is a resident of the
County of Bee State of
Texas; and that he is the
identical John F Pettus who
performed the services, and
received from the State of
Texas the Bounty land war-
rants described and set forth
in certificate of The Hon S.S.
Graves Commissioner of the
General Land office bearing
date, at Austin, May 20th
1874 and hereto attached
and made a part of this
affidavit. He makes this
declaration under oath for
the purpose of obtaining
the pension awarded those