State of Iowa } On this day personally
Lee County } appeared before
me the undersigned authority Thomas
Jones with whom I am well acquainted
who is a respectable individual of
veracity and being duly sworn by me
deposes and says that he is well acquainted with
John K Rogers who is now present that
he knows that the said Rogers was
a private in Capt Pickens company
in the army of the Republic of Texas
and he knows that he is the identical
John K Rogers referred to in the
accompanying certificate of the commis-
sioner of the land office

A. Lawrence

Appeared before me this 20th day of Oct 1854 and
affirmed my hand & official seal this
the 20th day of Oct 1854