Tuoulmne cala Sept 27th 1873

To The Hon State Comptroler

Dear Sir

As I dont know your name I adres you in your official capacity

I have learned That the legislature of Texas has made some provisions to remunerate veterans for past services and knot knowing whether I am considered one or not I have concluded to state my case to you see how the stands I went to Texas in 1837 I served as a ranger with Jacob hendrix Hugh Cameron and Leaning on the South western frontear in 1839 and was wounded at the Casso Blanco on the Nieuces River that year James Ponsby was commitioned to raise a copaney of rangers in