The State of Texas } County Court
County of Limestone } January Term
A.D. 1877.

To the Hon the County Court of Limestone County Texas:

Your petitioner John Sadler a resident of Limestone County Texas respectfully represents that he was born on the day of A.D. 1808. in the State of Tennessee, that he emigrated to the State of Texas in the year 1833. and enlisted as a private Soldier in Capt Wm Wares company in Col Sidney Sherman's Regiment - that he participated with his company in the battle of San Jacinto on the 21st of april 1836. and remained with his command until it was disbanded - having enlisted in said company upon its first organization. Your petitioner further States that his Service aforesaid was in the war between Texas and Mexica in the army of the Republic of Texas between the years 1835 and the first of January 1837.—

Your petitioner further States that he is old and infirm and unable