ago, applied for a pension, and
sent the papers to Austin with
proofs of my services made by
J W Henderson & James Montgomery,
~~but not having heard further of~~
the matter presume that the appli-
cation was lost or mislaid.

John Steele

Sworn to and subscribed
before me July 12 1874

Witness my hand and seal
of Harris District Court
at office in Houston

W Metcalfe C.D.H.C

James Montgomery being sworn,
deposes -

That he is well acquainted
with the above named John Steele
of Harris County, that he became
acquainted in 1836 with him in the
Texas Army - we served together in
the same command under Genl Felix
Huston and afterwards Genl Sidney
Johnstone; that said John Steele
was a private soldier in said Army