State of Texas
County of Nueces }

This day personally appeared before me the undersigned Clerk of the District Court of Nueces County, Jas R Barnard to me well known as a man entitled to credence who being duly sworn; says that he has been personally acquainted with Wm Stewart the applicant for pension to the State of Texas since 1849 to the present day and after reading his affidavit hereto annexed, says that he believes it to be true in every particular for the reason that he believes him to be a man of truth and integrity Jas. R. Barnard.

Sworn to and Subscribed before me at Office in Corpus Christi this day of August 1874. Witness my hand and Official Seal

Joseph F. Lummus
Clk Dist Court
Nueces Co