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Personally appears before me the undersigned authority, Henry E. McCulloch to me personally know, who being duly sworn says that he has been personally and well acquainted with Creed Taylor of Wilson County Texas who applies for pension under the act of the Texas Legislature for thirty years has been on several campaigns with him during the existence of the Republic of Texas was first Lieutenant of Capt John C. Hays spy company at the battle of Salado in 1842 and that said Taylor was wounded ~~in that~~ battle by the enemy. That he has often heard others say that said Taylor was in the army in 1835 and 1836 and believes that he was, but not being in the army at that time himself cannot swear that Creed Taylor was to his own knowledge

Henry E. McCulloch

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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of December 1870

J. Kelly
Clerk D.C.V.Co.