The State of Texas }
County of Bexar } Be it remembered that on this 3rd day of October A. D. 1878, personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority

Edward Miles and Frank L. Paschal, resident citizens of Bexar County and Credible Witnesses who being by me duly sworn, upon their oaths depose and say, that they are well acquainted with Ben Thomas a resident Citizen of Bexar County and to whom has been granted an annual Pension under the orders of the Co. Court of Bexar County — that he was alive on the 1st day of October 1878, and in indigent circumstances.

Sworn to and subscribed Before me this 3d of Oct 1878
Sam. S. Smith Co. Clk. Bco by Juan E. Barrera deputy

Edward Miles,
F. L. Paschal

And I, Thomas A. Dwyer County Judge of said Bexar County Texas do hereby Certify that Ben Thomas to whom has been granted a Pension Certificate under the orders of said County, was on the 1st day of October A. D. 1878, still alive.

Given under my hand at office in San Antonio this 3rd day of October A. D. 1878.

Thomas A. Dwyer
C. J. B. C.

Attest:-
Sam. S. Smith, Co. Clk. B. Co.
By Robt. C. Symington - deputy