Martin, now dec'd, of Fort Bend County, but does not remember the name of the Col. comdg.

That it has been a long while since these facts occurred and he only remembers the substantial facts & cannot be particular about the minutiae.

H. M. Thompson

The State of Texas
County of Fort Bend

This day to wit the 27th day of September AD 1870 came and personally appeared before me the undersigned Justice of the Peace and Notary Public of Fort Bend County in the State of Texas H. M. Thompson, who being first duly sworn by me according to law deposes and says that the allegations, and facts set forth in the foregoing and annexed petition are true and correct. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Notarial Seal At Office in the town of Richmond County of Fort Bend day and date first above mentioned

J. O. Williams Justice of the Peace and Notary Public of Fort Bend County