To the Hon. A Bledsoe Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas—

Your petitioner W W Thompson would respectfully show that he is entitled to a pension of two hundred and fifty dollars per annum under the act of the Legislature approved August 13th 1870 and in support of this allegation would ask your attention to the following facts— He emigrated to Texas in the Spring of 1831 bringing with him his wife and five children. He settled near the present site of Oakland Colorado County and received lands from Stephen F Austin— He was mustered into the Texan service in October 1835 and belonged to Col John H Moores Regiment— Capt Thos. Chadwick's Company in which he was a Lieutenant— He was in the Battle at Gonzales and went with the army to San Antonio—and participated in the fight around that city in the Fall of 1835— He was with the retreating army until they crossed the Colorado and was then detached and continued on detached service till the close of the war. Your petitioner would therefore ask the aforesaid pension and