General Land Office
Austin Texas Decr 30th 1870

I Jacob Kuechler Commissioner of the General Land Office of the State of Texas do hereby Certify that from evidence on file in this Office it appears that William Thornton entered the Army of Texas on the ninth day of October 1835 and served therein until the fifteenth day of December 1835. And that he participated in Storming of Bexar, And was honorably discharged from Said Service. And also that he received a Bounty Warrant for Three hundred and twenty Acres of land for his said Service.

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix the impress of the seal of said Office the day and date last above written,

Jacob Kuechler
Comr Genl Land Office