ever since I was old enough to know him.

I have known him all the time. I was born in 1819. I knew him up at Molino Blanco, where I was taken from my bean patch. He was there I don't know who his captain was, but he was with the troops. I don't know what he was doing there. I saw all the men that were there at that time. I know the other Francisco Valdez, the one who is receiving pension. I didn't see him there, I only saw the applicant there. That was in the year 1835. I was about 14 years old at that time. Said F. Valdez, the applicant, was a boy at that time. Col Seguin took me from my bean patch to furnish feed for horses &c. I carried no arms but did whatever was ordered to do. I saw the applicant at the time of the Molino Blanco and did not see him after that.

I saw Seguin off and on.

I didn't see applicant with arms. I only saw him in camp and don't know whether he had arms or not