To the Honorable A Bledsoe, Comptroller of the State of Texas: Sir the undersigned, now a resident citizen of the County of Fayette in the State of Texas respectfully makes known that he is an applicant for a Pension under the Act entitled "An Act granting Pensions to the surviving veterans of the Revolution which separated Texas from Mexico" approved August 13th A.D. 1870

W. A. Faires

The State of Texas } This day personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority W. A. Faires, the above applicant for Pension
County of Fayette } who after being by me duly sworn, on his oath says: that he was a soldier in the army of Texas which separated Texas from Mexico from about the 1st day of October A.D. 1835 to about the 31st day of December A.D. 1835 That he served in one Company Commanded by Captain Michael Gohen, which said Company was one of the Companies in Col John H. Moores Regiment

W. A. Faires Claimant

Sworn to and subscribed before me at LaGrange this the 13th day of December A.D. 1870

P. Y. McAshan Justice of the Peace, Notary Public Fayette Co Texas

The State of Texas } This day personally appeared before me the undersigned Authority Col John H. Moore and James S. Lester
County of Fayette } Credible citizens of said State & County to me well known, who after being by me duly sworn on their oaths say: that they know of their own knowledge, that the said W A Faires was a soldier in the Army of Texas in the year 1835; that he is about 60 years old; and a resident citizen of Fayette County in said State and that they believe him to be justly entitled to a Pension for services under the "act granting Pensions" &c approved August 13th 1870 & that he is identical W A Faires who the above application

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 31st day of December AD 1870 at LaGrange in the County of Fayette and State of Texas P. Y. McAshan Justice of the Peace & Notary Public F.C.T.

J H Moore
J. S. Lester

The State of Texas } W A Faires the above applicant for Pension who is a citizen of Fayette County living [illegible] west of LaGrange and
County of Fayette } well known to me, this day personally appeared before me the undersigned Authority P. Y. McAshan an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County and after being by me duly sworn on his oath deposed and says that he the above said W A Faires is the identical W A Faires who makes the above application for Pension and who is identified by the above Witnesses J. H. Moore and J. S. Lester, as the W A Faires who served in Captain Michael Gohens Company in Colonel John H Moores Regiment during the above mentioned time from about the 1st day of October A.D. 1835 to about the 31st day of December AD 1835 - that he did serve in said Company and Regiment as above shown, and that he was regularly and legally discharged for said service in said Company and Regiment on or about the 31st day of December 1835 by reason of the expiration of the term for which he was enlisted.

W. A. Faires

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 13th day of December AD 1870

P. Y. McAshan Justice of the Peace, & Notary Public Fayette Co Texas