I the undersigned give hereby to James Power Esq.r of Texas a power of attorney to apply for me and in my name to the Government of the Republic of Texas or anny authority concerned for the purpose of obtaining for me my discharge from the Volounteer Army of Texas (in the service of which I entered on the 13th of November 1835. I first joined Capt.n Poe's Artillery Company, assisted in taking San Antonio de Bejar and was made lieutenant during the fight by Col. Frank; joined afterwards Capt Pearsons Artillery company in Col. J. Grants division, destined to make a descent upon Matamoros and had the misfortune to be taken prisoner by the Mexicans near San Patricio on the 28 of February 1836 was brought and kept in Matamoros untill January 29 1837 and now on the way to Texas.) as well as the pay for my services or the certificates or scripts thereof and for the land I am intitled to for the foregoing stated time of service and likewise the pay or promise thereof for the losses I have sustained in the said service; a list of