The State of Texas }
County of Washington }

Before me the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County this day came Thomas J. Head and Thomas Early who being duly sworn, depose and say that they are well acquainted with Samuel Lusk, that they served with him an Indian campaign in 1838, that said expedition was commanded by Col James R Cooke, that said Lusk served from about the 25 day of October 1838 until about the 20 of December 1838 and performed all the duties of a good soldier, that he was armed, mounted and equipped at his own expense, that he lost a horse during said campaign in crossing the Brazos river, of the value of $. 250 00/100 also a mule at the same time of the value of forty dollars —

T J Adams
Thos Early

Sworn to & subscribed before me this 25 day of February 1853, — Given under my hand and seal of office this day, and date last aforesaid —

W C Gentle
Notary Public
Washington Co,