Intelligencer Office, Houston.

REPUBLIC OF TEXAS,

City of Velasco this 15th day of April 1839

I, Cornelius Diggins, born in Ireland, aged 22 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, of fair complexion, Blue eyes, Dark hair, and by profession a Laborer, do acknowledge to have this day voluntarily enlisted as Soldier in the Army of the Republic of Texas, for the period of three years unless sooner discharged by proper authority: do also agree to accept such Bounty, Pay, Rations and Clothing as is, or may be established by Law: and I, Cornelius Diggins, do solemnly swear that I will bear true Faith and Allegiance to the REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, and that I will serve her faithfully and honestly against all her enemies and opposers whomsoever; and that I will observe and obey the Orders of the President of the Republic of Texas, and the Orders of the Officers appointed over me, according to the Rules and Articles of War.

Cornelius Diggins

Sworn and Subscribed to, at Velasco, this 15th day of April 1839, before me

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Cornelius Diggins