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REPUBLIC OF TEXAS,

City of Galveston this 23 day of Nov 1838

I, John Edgar, born in New York, aged 27 years, 5 feet 6 inches high, of fair complexion, blue eyes, black hair, and by profession a Carpenter, 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, John Edgar, 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.

John Edgar

Sworn and Subscribed to, at Galveston, this 23 day of Nov 1839, before me

James B. Wright Justice Peace Galveston County

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John Edgar
Enlisted at Galveston
Nov 23 1839
by Capt M B Stewart
1st Regt Infty Regy army