REPUBLIC OF TEXAS,

City of Galveston this 9th day of July 1840

I, John Laughli born in Ireland aged 27 years, 5 feet 4½ inches high, of light complexion, grey eyes, black hair, and by Profession a Labourer do acknowledge to have this day voluntarily Enlisted as a 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 Laughli 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 Laughlin

Sworn and Subscribed to, at Post Galveston this ninth day of July 1840 before me,

R Henry
Judge of the 6th District

P. H. Pillans
Capt R Ry Lt

No 30

John Daughtin
Enlisted at
Galveston
July 9th 1840
By Capt P. L. Pillard
1st Regt Inf