

State of Texas }
Travis County }

This day personally appeared
Edward Manton of Fayett County, And
Melner H. Canell sr of Gonzales County
who being duly sworn according to law
declares that that we have known
William Faris of Fayett County
since 1834 as to Edward Manton, And since
1838 as to Mr Canell sr, that we have
every reason to believe that he is the man
who participated in the war of 1835 & 1836,
And we are perfectly satisfied in our minds
that he is the identical man who is
proven up by J. H. Moore & J. S. Rister
as entitled to pension, now on file in Comptroller's
office from the fact that we are all
well acquainted, & know him to be
the only Wm A Faris who resides in
Fayett County Texas. We suppose him
to be about 64 years of age,

Sworn & subscribed to before me }
at Austin this 30 June AD 1874 }
Steph. A. Darden }
Comptroller }

Edward Manton
Melner H. Canell