

The State of Alabama vs On this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April AD  
Cherokee County One thousand eight hundred and fifty five  
personally appeared before the unsworn justice of the peace within  
and for the County and State aforesaid Franklin F Milledge a man about  
forty six years, a subject of said State and County who being  
duly sworn according to law declares that he is the identical  
Franklin F Milledge who was a private in the company com-  
manded by Captain Patrick in the Regiment of  
Alabama Volunteers commanded by Colonel McMillan  
in the war <sup>with</sup> the Creek Indians for the term of  
three months and continued in actual service in said  
war fourteen days and was honorably discharged - That he  
was then to few made application for bounty land under the  
act of 28<sup>th</sup> September 1850 and received a land warrant for  
11,240 for Forty acres of land which warrant he has  
legally disposed of and cannot return.

Desirably, this declaration for the purpose of obtain-  
ing the additional bounty land to which he may be  
entitled under the act approved March 3<sup>rd</sup> 1855. He also  
declares that he has not applied for nor received under  
this or any other act of Congress any land warrant  
but except the one above mentioned.

Franklin F Milledge  
Mark

We Lewis Canning Rau and Frizzell de Hardwick residents of  
said State & County on our oaths declare that the foregoing declaration  
is true we signed and acknowledged before us that we believe from  
the appearance and statement of the applicant who is known  
to us, that he is the identical person he represents himself to be,  
and that we are disinterested witnesses Lewis Canning, John  
F. de Hardwick

The above declaration and affidavit were sworn to and sub-  
scribed before me on the day and year above written I do  
certify that the affiant am citizen of this County entitled to credit  
and that the applicant is the identical person he represents himself

I do ~~so~~  
further certify that I am not interested in  
the foregoing claim nor in its prosecution

Jackson Smith Jr

The State of Alabama, I William McDaniel Judge of Probate and Ex  
Cherokee County Office Clerk of the County Probate, which is a court of Record  
written for the County and State aforesaid, and also Keeper of the Records & Seal of  
said County do hereby certify that Jackson Smith whose genuine signature  
is subscribed to the foregoing declaration and affidavit is and was at  
the date thereof, aacting Justice of the Peace written of service  
July, commencing and so soon  
State & County and that his official acts are witness to full  
facts & credit, that I am not interested in the above claim  
and am not connected in its prosecution. The words "deed"  
are purposed to word "written" above under my name and  
before sealed or signed

AD 1855

William McDaniel  
Judge of Probate &c  
Seal

Franklin Fields and  
Application for  
Additional Bonds  
Dated

Filed by  
Cooper & Bailes  
Cedar Buff  
Attor