

WILLIAMS, WILLIAM F. Born in Tennessee, June 14, 1816. He came to Texas in February 1836, as is stated in Headright Certificate No. 42 issued to him February 1, 1838 for one-third of a league of land by the Nacogdoches County Board of Land Commissioners. He was issued Bounty Certificate No. 477 for 320 acres of land October 27, 1848 for having served in the army from March 7 to June 6, 1836. He was a member of Captain Hayden Arnold's Company at San Jacinto and received Donation Certificate No. 101, dated March 18, 1848, for 640 acres of land for having participated in the battle. Mr. Williams is shown on a muster roll in the General Land Office as a member of Deaf Smith's Company that engaged a force of Mexicans near Laredo, September 17, 1836. His home in 1849 was in Cherokee County.

Mr. Williams was a member of the Texas Veterans Association. He died April 27, 1878. His widow, Mrs. Amanda Williams, was born August 1, 1825 and died April 16, 1912. The two are buried in marked graves in a cemetery fronting the Kosse-Bremont Highway, two and one half miles from Kosse, Limestone County.