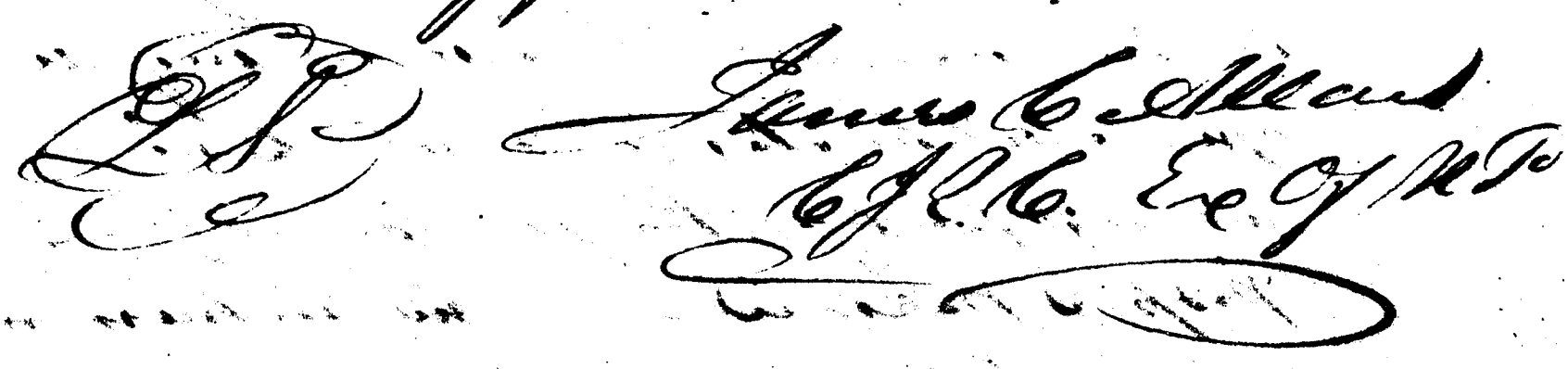
Republic of Texas
County of Refugio }

Be it known, that on this the 21st day of Octr 1838, personally appeared before me, James C. Allan Chief Jus. of the County aforesd. & Ex Of. N.P. duly commissioned & sworn, John H. Wood, who in presence of the subscribing witnesses, & me the Notary, signed the within document, and acknowledged it, as his act & deed for the purposes therein set forth, according to the true intent & meaning thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this day & date above written



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James C. Allan
C.J.R.C. Ex Of N.P.