Republic of Texas
County of Matagorda

To Thomas Jamison, John D Morrell and John F. C. Henderson

Gentlemen.

Upon being acquainted with the value of a waggon which was proffered into the public service by the Committee of Safety of Matagorda of which Geo. M. Wallis was chairman in 1836 to transport Munitions of war to the army by order of John A. Wharton adjt. Genl. will be pleased to make an appraisement of the said waggon as well as of an ox which was proffered at the same time and was lost.

1st May 1837

Your Obt. Servt.
Silas Dinsmore
Chief Justice

We the undersigned in pursuance of the above, have appraised the waggon and ox above alluded to and do estimate the value of the said waggon to be two hundred and fifty dollars and the value of the ox to be forty dollars

1st May 1837

No 1 $290.00

L. D. Pearce
Wm. Jamison
Jno. F. C. Henderson

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Personally appeared before me Silas Dinsmore Chief Justice of the County of Matagorda John D Morrell Thomas Jamison and John F. C. Henderson who being duly sworn made oath that they verily believed the above appraisement of a waggon and an ox which belonged to John A Buckner and was proffered into the public service of the Republic to be the true and just value of the same

Sworn to before me 1st May 1837
Silas Dinsmore
Chief Justice

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