I John H. Baker do solemnly and truly swear that I entered the Navy of the Republic of Texas on the Sixteenth day of June in the year One thousand Eight hundred & thirty nine and that I continued in the Service till the Fifteenth day of May One thousand eight hundred & forty one and that there is due me as pay the Sum of One thousand nine hundred & forty nine Dollars or thereabouts and the farther Sum of Twenty five Dollars of pay on a Treasury certificate –

And I do farther swear that I am not indebted to the late Republic of Texas in any way whatever

John H Baker

State and City and County of New York ss:
Know all men to whom these presents shall come that on this 10th day of November 1848 before me a Notary Public duly appointed and sworn personally appeared John H. Baker to me personally known to be the person named in the annexed papers – and said Baker being by me duly sworn did depose and say that the above statement by him subscribed is true

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Notarial Seal this 10th Nov. 1848

John Livingston
Notary Public
54 Wall St