The State of Texas
County of Guadalupe } To all persons to whom these presents shall come—Greeting;

Know ye, that whereas Robert S. Beard died intestate, on or about the year eighteen hundred and forty two. having at the time of his death real and personal property in said State; To the end, therefore, that the said Estate may be duly Administered, according to law. I, Jeremiah S Calvert Chief Justice of Guadalupe County do Nominate, Constitute, and Appoint Louis N. B. Beard, Administrator Pro Tem. of said Estate untill the next Term of this Court of all and singular the Estate real and personal of the said Robert S Beard Deceased, to take Charge of all and singular the effects of said decedent, Make and Return an inventory of the same, and receive all Moneys due said decedent from the Government or individuals, and do and perform the duties under said Appointment the same to take care of subject to the future action of our said Court

Attest
Paris Smith Clerk
with the seal of the County Court

Given under my hand in Open Court this 27th day of Feby AD 1852
Jeremiah S Calvert Chief Justice Guadalupe County

Affixed

The State of Texas
Guadalupe County } I, Paris Smith, Clerk of the County Court of the aforesaid County, Certify the above to be a true copy from the Minutes of the aforesaid County Court at its February Term AD 1852

Given under my hand and seal of Office at Office in Seguin this the 27th day of February AD 1852 — Paris Smith, Clerk