And it is further ordered by the Court that the administrator ret-
urn an account of said sale to this Court within thirty days thereafter and according to law."

Whereupon I the administrator as aforesaid, in accordance with the said decree & order of sale, after having given the days notice as required by law, by advertisements posted one on the door of the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Bexar County, (there being no Court House in said County,) and two others at two other public places in the same County & not in the same town or city, proceeded on Saturday the 19th day of April A.D. 1851, between the hours of 10 A.M. & 4 P.M. in front of the door of the County Clerk's office aforesaid, as Administrator of said Estate, to offer for sale at Public auction to the highest & best bidder for cash, all the right, title, & interest of said Estate of Sheldon Booth, deceased, in and to the contested claim aforesaid, described in said decree & order of sale, when Robert B. Campbell offered thirty seven & 3/4 cents for the same, amounting to the sum of two hundred and eighty, nine 88/100 Dollars for the said claim, which being the highest & best bid therefor, the said property was sold to him the said Robert B. Campbell, for the sum of money aforesaid;

And whereas I the administrator as aforesaid afterwards made a return of said sale under oath to the said County Court, and the said Court at the April Term thereof, A.D. 1851, made and entered of record an order & confirmation of said sale, to-wit:

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George W. Howard, Administrator } The administrator of this Estate having returned under oath an account of sale made by him in accordance with an order of Court, on Saturday April 19, A.D. 1851, of all the right, title & interest of said Estate in and to an outstanding claim for services & expenses sustained by said Deceased while a Dr. Antonio Pioneer amounting to Five Hundred & three Dollars in Texas Scrip, Certificate No. 1054, 2d Class Public Debt of the late Republic of Texas, sold to Robert B. Campbell for One hundred and eighty nine Dollars and eighty eight cents, Cash; And the Court having examined the manner in which said sale was made,