State of Texas
County of Washington } I Richd Hope of said County do hereby assign, transfer and set over to Ino Austin=
=hort my entire claim for services rendered in the Spring of 1842 in the expedition to repel the invasion of the Mexicans under Gen Vasquez and I hereby fully authorize the Auditor & Comptroller of the State of Texas to issue to said Austhout my auditor draft for said services, payable to said Austhout on presentation of this claim to the Treasurer of State. Given under my hand and seal for seal this 2 day of Feby 1854

R Hope

Witness:
H. B. Hurlbut
Daniel Meader

The State of Texas
County of Austin } Personally appeared H. B. Hurlbut before me J. Hemit a Notary Public for said County, who after being duly sworn de=clared that he saw R. Hope sign seal and deliver the above instrument and that said effi=ant and Daniel Meader signed the same as witnesses.

In witness whereof I hereto sign my name and affix the impress of my official seal the 28th day of Feby A.D. 1854.

J. Hemit
N. P. A.C.