The State of Texas
County of Galveston } Before me Alfred F. James a Notary Public in and for the County and State aforesaid this day personally came J. Emmons who being by me duly sworn, saith that Henry Lee who signature appears to the annexed Instrument of writing acknowledges the same to be his voluntary act and deed for the consideration and purposes therein expressed, and that he, the said J. Emmons subscribed his name as witness thereto at the request of said Henry Lee.

In faith whereof I grant these presents under my signature and impress of my Official Seal at the City of Galveston this Twentieth day of June AD 1853

A. F. James

Notary Public