The State of Texas }
County of Leon }

Personally appeared before me Thomas W Blake Notary Public in & for the County of Leon and State of Texas R B King of said County and State personally known to me who duly acknowledged according to law that he had signed sealed and delivered the foregoing transfer to William B Middleton for certain audited claims of the late Republic of Texas therein named for the purposes and considerations therein contained — In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my official seal this 12th January A.D. 1882

Thomas W Blake
Notary Public