The State of Texas
County of Galveston } For value received I.
Nathaniel Hoyt of the
city of Galveston, hereby assign and transfer to
Peter W. Gray
all my right, title interest and claim in and
to the annexed certificate of Public Debt of
the late Republic of Texas being No. 78. of 2nd
class issued to me by the auditor and comp-
-troller of the State on the 13 Jany. 1849 for services
as Lieutenant in the Texas Navy from 18th May
to 20th July 1846. and being for the sum of
Two hundred & twenty seven & 64/100 dollars pur
funds — To have and to hold the same, with
authority to collect, receive and receipt therefor
in my name to
heirs and assigns for ever - Witness my hand
& seal for seal this 3d Nov. 1849
Nathaniel Hoyt Seal

Before me Alfred J. James Chief Justice of
the County of Galveston, this day personally appeared
Nath: Hoyt to me known who acknowledged the
annexed and above instrument of writing
to be his act & deed for the consideration
& purposes therein expressed — Given under
my hand & seal of County Court this 3d
Nov. 1849.
A. J. James
Chief Justice.