For a valuable consideration to me paid by William R Baker of the City of Houston Texas I hereby sell and assign to the said Baker his heirs and assigns all the pay coming to & due me by virtue of my services for Texas on the Santafe expedition in Captain Radcliff Hudson Company and authorize him the said Baker to act for me in drawing the same from the Govt of Texas and to sign any and all acquittances which may be required. Witness my hand & seal for seal at Syracuse N.Y. this Fourth day of November A.D. 1850

Robt. D. Phillips Seal

Witnesses
Volney Green

State, City & County, of New York } ss:

On this fourth day of November A.D. 1850 Before me personally appeared Volney Green to me known as the subscribing witness to the foregoing conveyance & being by me duly sworn did depose & say that he saw Robert D. Phillips, to him the said Green known to be the same person who is described in & who executed said conveyance Execute & deliver the same, that he signed his name as a witness thereto & that he resides in Syracuse in the State of New York

Richard B. Kimball
Commissioner &c. for the State of Texas
residing in the City of New York