The State of Texas
County of Grimes } I, Geo. M. Patrick, Chief Justice in and for the County of Grimes and state of Texas, do hereby certify that James Lawrence, whose signature appears to the foregoing and hereunto attached instrument of writing or assignment to William W. Holman, made in the capacity of administrator, of Saml. McGaffin deceased bearing date February 3rd 1857 was at the time of said signing, the acting administrator of the estate of said Saml. McGaffin deceased and as such his said acts is entitled to full faith and credit.

Witness my hand and seal of the County Court, Anderson June 6th A.D. 1857

Geo. M. Patrick
Chief Justice
Grimes County