State of Texas
Nacogdoches County } Before me the undersigned authority personally came George W. Finley and W. J. M. Tobison

Who being by me duly sworn deposed & said - that they were well acquainted with Alexander McIver who died some years ago in the county of Montgomery Texas and with his wife Mrs Keziah C. McIver who was subsequently married to Hon. Bennett Blake of Nacogdoches and died during the past year - the said deponents further declared on oath as aforesaid that they were well acquainted with the family of said Alexander McIver and know that the children of said Alex & wife all died minors, leaving the said Keziah C. as the sole survivor of their family at the time of her intermarriage with said Blake -

George W Finley
W J M Tobison

Sworn to and subscribed before me this fourth day of January A.D. 1854 as witness my hand and Seal of Office at Nacogdoches

J. W. Harrison
Notary Public