Republic of Texas } In Probate
County of Galveston }

To all to whom these Letters shall come, Know ye that reposing trust & confidence in the ability and integrity of Jeremiah & Mary Kirby I do in virtue of the authority in me vested appoint the said Jeremiah & Mary Kirby administrator and Administratrix of the Estate of James O Leary dec. with the will annexed. Hereby vesting them with all the powers legally appertaining to that Trust

Witness my hand & Seal of Probate Court this 27th day May 1845.

John S Jones
Chief Justice

Texas Sloop of War Austin, August 10th, 1841

I James O Leary do hereby certify, that being weak in body, but sound in mind, do make this my last will & testament by which I bequeath unto Mary Kirby of the City of Galveston (formerly of the County of Cork Ireland) all my pay & subsistence that may be due to me as a marine in the service of Texas also all the Lands that are and may be for like service. Witness my hand & Seal this tenth day of August Eighteen hundred and forty one

Witness
Wm M Hudson, Thomas Orford
D Lloyd Musto, Steuart Ship Zenobia

J O Leary (L.S.)

Republic of Texas — County of Galveston — I William M Hudson one of the subscribing witnesses to the last will & testament of James O Leary do solemnly swear that the writing now offered for probate is the last will & testament of said James O Leary & that the said O Leary signed & executed the same in the presence of Wm. Orford & Dan Lloyd and myself and that he desired each of us to be witnesses thereunto & that the said O Leary was of sound mind & memory at the time of making said Will to the best