State of Louisiana
Parish of Caddo. } Personally Came R. A. Cutliffe & W. P. Winans persons whom I certify to be respectable and entitled to credit & who, being duly sworn, say that they were present & saw Thomas M Hinick sign his name to the foregoing declaration; & they further swear that they have every reason to believe, from the appearance of the applicant that he is the identical person he represents himself to be: and they deponents, do reside in the Parish of Caddo State of Louisiana. They also swear that they are disinterested witnesses

Sworn to & subscribed before me this the 4th day of November 1855

W. P. Winans

Thomas Robson J. P. R. A. Cutliff