The State of Texas
County of Nacogdoches } Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority — Samuel Reiner to me well known who after being duly sworn declared and said — that the mule mentioned in annexed Document signed by J. W. Burton as Capt, and Thos J. Rusk as Lieut Brig. Gel — is the same mule which was taken from him and pressed into the service of the late Republic of Texas, that said mule was worth two hundred dollars in cash, and that said mule or his value has ever been received by said Deponent, and that the late Republic of Texas is justly indebted to him in the sum of two hundred dollars being the value of said mule

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 18th day of December 1850

S. M. Rainer

W. A. Nash My hand & Seal

A. Nelson
Notary Public