and Three thousand Dollars, and that but for this advance by Gen. Saml Swartwout, his vessel could not have left the Port of New York.

This was confirmed in a conversation with Capt. Hurd who commanded the Schooner Brutus another armed vessel in the service of the Republic of Texas, who stated to this affiant that the sum advanced by said Swartwout to release both the vessels, at the same time was near Five thousand Dollars –

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Sworn and subscribed to. ~~this 14th~~ day of fourteenth day of April Eighteen hundred and fifty one before me Henry Austin a Notary Public for this County of Galveston in the State of Texas

Henry Austin
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