Before me E. P. Hunt a Notary Public in & for the County of Galveston, State of Texas this day appeared Charles Hoffman to me known who acknowledged the within letter of attorney to be his act and deed for the consideration & purposes therein expressed - In testimony whereof I hereunto set my name and impress of my official seal this 2d day of [illegible] 1874.

E. P. Hunt
Notary Public

Recd from James H. Raymond Treasurer Twenty Seven 75/100 — Dollars being the amount due on the certificate of Public Debt 2d class issued to Charles Hoffman and described in the within letter of Attorney - 15th May 1855

Charles Hoffman
pr. atty: A. F. Jones