And on the day and year aforesaid, also Came and appeared Mrs Mary L. Warnes, and Wilhemina Mather both of lawful age, of this City, and well known to me as Credible Witnesses, who after being by me duly sworn according to Law declared and said upon oath that they are well acquainted with the said Mrs Mary Stamford, who swore to & subscribed the foregoing affidavit, that they know her to be the widow and sole heir of the late Captain J. W. Taylor, late of Texas, deceased, That the said deceased left no child or Children,

And they further swear that they are not in any manner interested in the premises, and that they make this affidavit to enable her to obtain any and all property that may be coming to her as the sole heir of the said late J. W. Taylor deceased.

In Testimony Whereof they have unto sign their names on this said 13th day of May A.D. 1854.

Sworn & subscribed before me this day Wm Monaghan

Mary L. Warnes (Seal)

Wilhelmina Mather (Seal)