The State of Texas
County of Galveston }

Be it remembered that by virtue of the accompanying commission I Osem Farish the Commissioner therein named, cited the witnesses therein viz: James W. Moore Esq and Capt John G Todd to come before me at my office in said County ~~when~~ on this 6th day of July 1857. The said Moore and Todd being each Personally Known to me and neither the applicant or his agent being present, they the said Witnesses did make under oath the following answers to the accompanying Interrogatories

To Interrogatory 1st each answer, we Knew James H Wheler in the service of the Texas Navy. he was a Midshipman - he is alive and resides in New orleans

To Interrogatory 2d each answer that James H. Wheler of the City of Neworleans is the identical person we Knew in the Texas Navy and who might be likely to apply for pay

Sworn to & subscribed before me July 6th AD 1857

Jno G. Todd
J W Moore

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