The State of Texas
County of Matagorda

To All to Whom these presents shall come Know Ye. That at the Regular November Term 1851. of the Matagorda County Court. Horace Gleamans was appointed Guardian according to law of the Person and Estate of Jacob Woodruff a Lunatic. and took the Oath and filed a Bond as required by law. And on the 10th day of December 1851. Letters were issued to him authorizing and empowering him to act as such Guardian, and he has ever since been and is still the duly authorized and acting Guardian of the Person & Property of said Lunatic Jacob Woodruff –

In testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and the impress of my Seal of Office at Matagorda this 20th day of May. A. D. 1853 –

P. H. Selkirk
Clerk C. C. M. C.