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The State of Texas }
County of Newton } On this the first day of July A.D. 1874, before me the undersigned, an acting Notary Public, in and for the County and State aforesaid, personally appeared Josephus S Irvine and Jefferson West of the County and State aforesaid, and George Hoozer and Jesse Dickerson (late of this County) of the Parish of Calcasieu, State of Louisiana all of whom are well known to me, and acknowledged their signatures to the foregoing, annexed Power of Attorney to Messrs Shaw & McGill, to be their voluntary act and deed, done for the uses and purposes expressed in the said instrument.

To certify which I hereto place my signature and affix the seal of my office, on date above written

J. S. McFarland
Notary Public N.C. Tex