The State of Texas
Washington County.

Before me F. J. Cooke a Notary Public in and for the County aforesaid personally came I. F. Matchett I. S. Harvey and J. M. McDade parties to a certain Bond or instrument of writing bearing date April Eighteenth at one thousand eight hundred and fifty six (1856) and hereto annexed who acknowledged. Severally that they signed sealed and delivered the said instrument for the purposes therein contained

To certify which I hereto sign my name and affix my seal notarial this twenty seventh day of May at one thousand Eight hundred and fifty six

F. J. Cooke
Notary Public