for I had bought and paid for it previous to the death of Nathan Grover who was the assignee of Calhoun.

Your last item says "the application of Thos Carrol is incomplete, proff of identity, and residence, and affidavit of ownership must be made according to article 1492 Hartley's Dig." Which article refers only to Estates, and not to land in any way whatever, nor can I understand what is meant by identity, and residence since 3/4 of the League and the Labor, belonging to the same Headright have already been Patented, were that not the case I should suppose you referred to Article 2078, which refers to the lost records of the Land Commissioners of Harris County, where the original certificate was issued. Hoping to settle all the difficulty I enclose a copy of the record of my title; also Power of Attorney to Thomas Newcomb, who was to act for Mr. Thos Frasure and wife (the former widow of Thos Carrol deceased) and for myself, which authorized him to get the 1/4 to fulfil their contract with me for surveying and Patenting their part; but he failed as it was not issued. Then after Frasure and wifes death, and a short time after I had got the Patent and certificate for the unclaimed balance, Woodberry Hathaway who had married Ann Carrol the only living Daughter & heir; concluded that he could knock me out of the certificate: so he and wife gave Sal M. Manning a Power of Attorney