No. 38

CONSOLIDATED FUND

OF THE LATE

REPUBLIC OF TEXAS.

$ 1000.00

This is to Certify that Thomas A. Biddle is the owner of Ten Shares of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS each; amounting to One Thousand Dollars of the CONSOLIDATED FUND of the LATE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, created by authority of an Act of Congress, entitled "An Act to authorize the consolidation and funding of the Public Debt," and approved on the 7th day of June, 1837; said Fund being redeemable at the convenience of the Government, and bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum; which aforesaid sum, having been funded under the Government of the late Republic of Texas, is now transferred to the above-named Thomas A. Biddle; In acknowledgment of which claim, and in conformity with an Act of the Legislature of the State of Texas, entitled "An Act prescribing the manner in which Stock Certificates of the Consolidated Funded Debt of the Republic of Texas shall be transferred," and approved on the 11th day of May, 1846, this Certificate is issued, and is declared to be transferable by the said Thomas A. Biddle his Legal Attorney or Representative on the Books of the Stock Fund, only.

Comptroller's Office, Austin, December 11th 1847 Samuel Sharp

Attest, Jas H Raymond

Treasurer.

Comptroller of the State for the late Republic of Texas.

New Era Office, Austin.