Republic of Texas §
County of Harrisburg. §

Before me William Fairfax Gray a Notary Public in and for the County of Harrisburg aforesaid duly commissioned and sworn, this day personally came and appeared the Citizen Farnham Frye of the County of Matagorda, who being duly sworn deposed and said that he is well acquainted with Joseph W. E. Wallace of the City of Matagorda and knows him to be the Administrator of the Estate or succession of Samuel Hayes deceased, late of the County of Matagorda Co. That he was present at the Administrator's Sale, conducted by said Wallace as Administrator, and purchased several articles, by which means he knows that said Wallace acted as Administrator and was generally known as such. He has also seen his notices as administrator of said Estate posted at public places.

Farnham Frye

Sworn to and subscribed in my presence. In faith whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the impress of my official seal, at the City of Houston this twelfth day of August A.D. 1839, and of the Independence of Texas the Fourth.

(TX) W. F. Gray
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