The public of Texas }
County of Colorado } This is to certify that Basil G. Gains appeared before us Associate Justices of the County Court ~~acting~~ a ~~Ex~~ officio Notary Public acting instead of the Chief Justice of this County, (whose office is at present vacant,) & acknowledged the written Power of Attorney to be his free act

In testimony of which we have hereunto this twentieth day of December A. D. one thousand eight hundred & forty one set our names & the seal of the County

Wm H. Miller
William Davis