The money that I have necessarily expended (besides on my way to & after joining the Texian army), for the benefit of Texas — say one hundred dollars together with the [illegible] received, now in my pocket & which I have advanced to the [illegible] & which if it pleases the hon. Congress of Texas, to be refunded to David Murphy who I appoint agent (in Texas) for my heirs & hereby authorise — I also with said Murphy to make a selection & location of the quantum of land I may be entitled to for my services & for the benefit & in the name of my heirs —

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal —

(TX)

Brazoria Jany 27th 1836. —

Attest. M. Hardins

J. H. Peacock (Seal)

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