In the Name of the People of Texas,
Free, Sovereign and Independent.

I, Thomas Jefferson Chambers, Commander General of the army of Texas, for the protection of the Rights of Texas, do certify:

That Ben. F. Reed of Kentucky, has furnished one hundred and fifty rifles in provisions for the use of the Texian army in Camp, which I am instructed by the act of the Congress of Texas, of the 7th day of January 1836, and the corresponding commission dated the 9th day of the same month, by which I am authorized to pledge the faith of the Republic, for the means to raise, equip, provision, and transport, the aforesaid army, I do hereby pledge the faith of the Republic of Texas for the payment of the sum of nine hundred and fifty dollars, to the above-named Ben. F. Reed, his representatives, or assigns, with an interest of Ten per cent. per annum, and make this credit receivable by the government in discharge of debts due the Republic for lands.

Done on the 1st. day of July 1836

$950

T. Jefferson Chambers
Genl. T. C. A. R.

(Endorsed)

For value received I assign the within certificate to H. A. & B. L. Reed this 8th day of May 1837.

Test
L. Wiseman
L. M. Davis

Ben. F. Reed.