

Republic of Texas }  
Washington County }

Be it known that I David Ayers of the County of Austin in the Republic aforesaid have this day assigned to Anthony Butler of the County of Washington aforesaid all the right title and interest which I have in and to a certain judgement rendered in my favor against one Francis W. Johnson of the County aforesaid, and all the right title interest and benefit which I may claim in and to a Bond commonly called a Twelve month Bond executed by Daniel J. Foler and Josiah J. Crosby both of Washington County as purchasers at Twelve month bid of the property of said Francis W. Johnson sold under the execution issued on the judgement against the said Johnson rendered in favor of David Ayers the said purchase money amounting to One thousand four hundred and twelve dollars as will more fully appear by reference to the said Bond on file in the Clerks office of the District Court for the County of Washington. - And also another certain judgement rendered in favor of the aforesaid David Ayers against Josiah J. Crosby in the District Court for Washington County at the October Term of said Court for the year 1841 for the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars and <sup>40</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Cents both of which judgements and the interest thereon amounting at this day to One thousand eight hundred and twenty nine dollars and forty six Cents. And I hereby assign transfer and set over to the said Anthony Butler and relinquish to him all my right title and Interest in the said above mentioned judgements and the Twelve month Bond to his sole exclusive and entire benefit and use having received full consideration and payment for the same, and the said judgements and the said Bond to be hereafter under the sole and entire control and direction of the said Butler as of his own right and property and all the securities rights benefits and emoluments to be derived therefrom I fully grant to the said Butler and authorize him to use my name in any manner for the recovery of the several sums of money due on the judgements and Bond as above mentioned in as full and ample manner as if the judgements and the Execution on the Bond were to be executed for my own benefit, and I moreover obligate and pledge myself to furnish the necessary testimony and make all such further answer as may be deemed legal and proper to resist the Bill filed by ~~Johnson~~ Crosby & Foler against me the said David Ayers for the purpose of avoiding the Twelve month Bond above mentioned executed by them as purchasers at the sale of land under the judgement against Francis W. Johnson. As witness my hand this third day of May 1842. But this assignment is made and taken in all respects at the risk of the said Anthony Butler who is to collect the same at his own expense and not to subject the said Ayers to the payment of any costs or expenses whatever.

Witnesses

J. B. Linder  
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John Gray

David Ayers

Republic of Texas before me John Gray clerk of the County  
County of Washington and appeared the Citizen David Ayer  
well known to me who acknowledged that he signed and  
delivered the foregoing instrument of writing for the purposes  
there in expressed.

Given under my hand and private seal  
having no seal of office at office Town  
of Mount Vernon this 3rd day of  
May A.D. 1842

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