

THE STATE OF TEXAS }
COUNTY OF *De Leon* }

I KNOW ALL MEN, THAT I *Elisha Ball*

do hereby appoint *Elisha Ball* my attorney, for me and
in my name to demand, receive and receipt, for all sums of money due me as a *private*
in Capt: *Wm. Bicknells* company
of Texas *mountain men*

~~in the regiment commanded by~~

in the service of the late Republic of Texas in the years *1841 & 42*

and further to receive and receipt for all claims which I may have against the State of
Texas, and to have the same audited and paid, and to do all acts in relation to any claim which I may have
against the State of Texas, in as perfect and full a manner as I could do if present. I do hereby ratify
and confirm all the acts of my said attorney done in accordance with the premises, and this power of at-
torney, for value received, is irrevocable.

Witness, my hand and seal, a scroll used as a seal, this *9th* day of

Aug Eighteen hundred and fifty *one*

Elisha Ball
SEAL.

J. Y. Kimbro
B. A. Mastin

Acknowledged and subscribed before me

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for the county of

and State of Texas; witness

my hand and seal of office, this
hundred and Fifty

day of

Eighteen