Fanning County } Know all men by those present
[illegible] of Texas } that I Spencer Asbury do here
by [illegible] and constitute Mark R Roberts my true
and lawful attorney for me and in my name
to draw my pay from the Republick of Texas for two
months service as a mounted Rangers in Capt
Mark R Roberts Company of Fanning County rangers
commencing the 16th September 1839 and ending
the 16th March 1840 my attorney is foolly atho-
rized to give a receipt for me in my name
as foolly as I could do my self ever I present
my self ratifying and confirming what my
said attorney may do in my name given
under my hand and seal this 17th March 1840

In [illegible] of [illegible] his Asbury
[illegible] [illegible]

Approved September 4th 1850

Benj F. Hill
Adjt Genl