

THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
COUNTY OF

I KNOW ALL MEN, THAT I

*Mary Jew*

do hereby appoint

*Samuel B. Otter*

my attorney, for me and

in my name to demand, receive and receipt, for all sums of money due me as

*the widow of Samuel*

in Capt. *Samuel B. Otter's*

company

of Texas

*mounted volunteers*

in the regiment commanded by

*Col R. S. Hamilton*

in the service of the late Republic of Texas in the year 1841

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 attorney, for value received, is irrevocable.

Witness, my hand and seal, a scroll used as a seal, this

day of

*Aug 4<sup>th</sup>* Eighteen hundred and fifty *one*

*John Beech*

*Mary Jew*



acknowledged and subscribed before me

*John Steles a justice of*

*the Peace*

for the county of

*Red River*

and State of Texas; witness

my hand and seal ~~of office~~, this

*4<sup>th</sup>*

day of

*August*

Eighteen

hundred and Fifty *one*

*John Steles of*  
*justice of the peace for*  
*Red River county*