The State of Texas
County of Washington } Know all men by these presents that I Mary E. Farmer late Mary E. Clampet have this day appointed and do by these presents appoint William Norris of the same county my true & lawful attorney for me & in my name to receive and receipt for any money that may be due my late husband H. G. Clampet for services rendered by him to the late Republic of Texas hereby ratifying the acts of my said attorney in the premises as fully as I could do were I personally present as witness my hand this 23 day of July A.D. 1853.

Mary E. Farmer {Seal}

The State of Texas }
County of Washington } Before me John M Bateman a Notary Public in and for said county duly commissioned and qualified personally appeared Mary E. Farmer the former wife of H. G. Clampit deceased and now the wife of Willis H. Farmer - she is well known to me to be the former wife of H. G. Clampit there is no administrator to the estate and she is the only one authorized to receive the money she acknowledges the foregoing power attorney to be her act and deed for the purpose therein contained

To certify which I have