State of Texas } Know all men by
County of Nacogdoches } these presents that
I James W. Bobo
of Nacogdoches County formerly of the
State of Tennessee have this day for
and in consideration of the sum of one
hundred dollars to me paid by Mich Sims
of the State of Texas the receipt whereof
is hereby acknowledged have bargained
obliged in one lieu, delivered possession to
the said Sims of all the money due my
Brother W. F. Bobo deceased who was mu-
stered into the service of the late Republic of
Texas in Capt William Jones Company
of Mounted Volunteers in the year 1839 & 40
and the said Sims is fully authorized and
empowered by me as the sole heir of my
said Brother to ask for demand and in
my name receipt for all the money payable
my said Brother as aforesaid and appro-
priate the same to his own use and ben-
efit hereby ratifying and con-
firming all and singular the acts
of my said attorney in the premises
acknowledging myself as much
bound by them as if I were personally
present — and acting for myself —
In Testimony Whereof I have
Hereunto set my Hand and
Seal on this the 1st day
of February AD 1854

J W Bobo (Seal)