The State of Texas } Know all men by these
County of Hunt. } Presents, that I, John M.
Watson, of the County of Hunt and State of Texas
do hereby constitute and appoint, Lindley
Johnson, of the County of Hunt and State of Texas
my true and lawful attorney, for me, and
in my name to receive from the Comptroller.
of the State of Texas, all monies which may
be due me the said John M Watson, for services
rendered the State of Texas, as a private soldier
in the service of the State of Texas. under Capt
James Bourland, in the war with the Indians
in the year 184 . and he is further authorized
to receipt for the same, and I hereby empower
Lindley Johnson as my said Attorney, with
full authority, touching the premises to do, ex-
ecute, and finish in all things, in as ample
a manner, as I might do, if personally present.
Hereby ratifying and confirming all lawful
acts done by my said Attorney by virtue
hereof.

In testimony whereof, I, the said John
M. Watson have set my hand and seal,
this eleventh day of July AD 1854.

John M Watson (Seal)

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Lindley Johnson
M. H. Wright