State of Texas }
Calhoun County }

I, John Henry Brown, a law-ful notary public in said county and state do hereby solemnly swear and certify on my oath of office that I signed and sealed the foregoing power of attorney from my wife to Lawrence M. Stepp for the purposes, uses and consid-erations mentioned in the same and that the same is my act and deed for all intents and purposes.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribe my name and affix my official seal at my office in Port-Lavaca, on this the 10th day of July A.D. 1850

John Henry Brown
Notary Public