The State of Texas } Be it Known
County of Jemestown } That I, Joshua
Townsend a Citizen
of the aforesaid County &
State, having full confidence
in the integrity, and ability
of B. P. Hollingsworth a citizen
of Travis County State aforesaid
do by these presents, constitute
and appoint said Hollingsworth
my true and lawfull Atty. to
receipt for and in my name
to do and perform any and
all acts that an Attorney may
do, in presenting, and receiving
from ~~the~~ any of the Offices of the
State, any Claims for land or
money that I may be entitled
too, hereby satisfying, and confirming
any and all acts of my said Atty.
In testimony of which I hereto set my hand and
seal using seal by way of seal. April 21st A.D. 1857
Joshua Townsend Sen.