State of Texas } Whereas there is now pending before
County of Travis } the Sixth Legislature of the State of
Texas a bill for my relief, to pay me for Monies expended
by me in travelling expenses while in the service of the
late Republic of Texas during her struggle for independence
in 1835 & 6 — Now Know all Men by these presents That
should said bill or any other carrying out its provisions
aforesaid be passed and become a law — I do hereby appoint
make and constitute the Hon. Joshua E Morton my true
and lawful attorney for me and in my stead, to apply to,
and receive from the proper Office of the State, whatever
amount of money may be allowed me and appropriated
for my relief by said Legislature, hereby conferring upon
my said attorney full power and authority to do whatever
may be necessary to be done in the premises for carrying
out the objects herein intended — including the power
and authority to sign my name to whatever paper or
papers may be necessary for the purposes above speci-
fied —

Saml B Dickinson

Dated this 15th day of Augt A.D. 1856