The State of Texas }
County of Washington }

Know all men by these presents that I John Dodd have nominated and appointed W. A. Higgins my attorney for me & in my name to receive & receipt for any money that may be due me for services on the Vasques Company as fully as if I were personally present & signing myself —

This April 18th 1854

Attest
Jas. P. Pressley

John Dodd

The State of Texas
County of Washington

Before me ~~W. A. Higgins Chief~~ Sam Lusk Clerk of the County ~~Court~~ ~~Justice of said~~ County personally appeared James P Pressly who being duly sworn saith that John Dodd acknowledged to him that he signed and delivered the above power of attorney for the purposes therein contained

Given under my hand & seal of the County Court this day of 1854

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Sam Lusk
Clk CCHC