The State of Texas
Colorado County } Know all men by
these presents that I, Ira A Harris of
Lee County have and do hereby
Constitute and appoint Wm M Walton
My agent and atty. to have audited
my Military Claim for services rendered
in behalf of the late Republic of
Texas in the Spring of 1842 at the time
Vasquez invaded Texas, To receive
the claim when audited and also
to draw from the Treasury of the
State all money coming to me
on the same claim. and for me and
in my name to Execute all proper
receipts in and about the business
and do rately all acts done in
virtue of the premises
Given under my hand
Seal this July 17. 1854
Witness
Geo. W. Smith

Ira A. Harris (Seal)

The state of Texas } Before me George W
Colorado County } Smith a Notary
Public of said County this day appeared
Ira A Harris to me Known and acknowledge
that he Executed the above power of
atty for the purpose & consideration therein
mentioned therein set forth. To certify which
I hereto sign my name and
official seal this July 1854
No 242

Geo W Smith
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