State of Texas }
County of Harris }

Know all Men by these presents that we John Rundell and David G. Burnet of the County aforesaid have jointly and severally made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Jas W Scott our Attorney with full power and authority to ask demand and receive and full acquittancy to give for us and each of us, all moneys dues and demands that are or may become due to us or either of us from the government of the State of Texas or the authority thereof. And we hereby ratify and confirm each for himself all that our said Attorney may or shall do in the premises —

Houston March 3d 1852

John Rundell
David G Burnet