Know all Men by these presents that I William Henry Hull of New Orleans State of Louisiana do hereby appoint and Constitute Thomas H. Duvall of the Town of Austin State of Texas, My true and lawful Agent and Attorney for me and in my name to collect and receive from the State or late Republic of Texas the Amount of a Claim say for Six hundred and Nine 74/100 Dollars which is justly due to me as the surviving partner of the Late firm of Latham Hull & Son of Mobile Alabama, said Claim being for Supplies furnished the Texan Navy in the month of May, 1842, In this power of Attorney I hereby give the said Thomas H. Duvall full power to make any and all concessions or reduction from the Amount as claimed by me, and that he has full Authority to receipt the Account in full upon his receiving what he thinks I am justly entitled to, and to do all other things appertaining to the above mentioned claim. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty Sixth day of May AD 1857. in the City of New Orleans State of Louisiana.

Witness:-
Word Bradlow
E. Pancheski

Wm H. Hull (L.S.)

State of Louisiana
City of New Orleans } Be it Known that this day before me, William Monaghan a duly appointed Commissioner of Deeds &c by His Excellency the Governor of Texas in the City of New Orleans, State of Louisiana, duly Commissioned and qualified

Personally Came and appeared William H. Hull, of this City, Known to