The State of Texas }
County of Washington }

Know all men by these presents that I James Clemmons Guardian of David Wesh Minor heir of Geo Wesh Decd do hereby Nominate and appoint W. A. Higgins my attorney to receipt and receive for any Money that may due said Minor in right of his deceased father for Services in the late Republic of Texas as fully as if I were personally present and signing the same My self -

Given under My hand this 20th day of Sept 1853 -

James his mark Clemmons

J. T. Norris
The State of Texas }
County of Washington }

Before me ~~Sam Lusk~~ Clerk of the County Court in & for said County personally appeared J. T. Norris who being duly sworn saith that he saw James Clemmons sign the above power of attorney by making his mark and deliver it for the purposes therein contained and that he signed the same as witness

Given under my hand and the seal of the County Court this 28th 1853

Sam Lusk Clk Clerk
By Jeff Bassett Dpty