necessary in the transaction of the aforementioned business, and all his bonafide and lawful acts which he may thus perform shall in my name shall be as valid as if performed by me. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 29th day of August A.D. 1851. G. H. Simpson (Seal)

Witnessed by
Edwin N Hart
C I Hart

On this the twenty ninth day of August A.D. 1851 before me Benj H Graves a commissioner for Texas personally appeared George H. Simpson and acknowledged on oath the foregoing power of attorney to be his own free act and deed. Given under my hand the day and year last above written

Benj H Graves commissioner
for the State of Texas

State of Ky
County of Fayette } S.S.

On this the twenty ninth day of August A.D. 1851 before me George H. Simpson personally appeared and being duly sworn according to law declared that he was the father of Lawson S. Simpson deceased who was a soldier in the service of Texas in the war between Texas and Mexico. That said Lawson S. Simpson volunteered at the [illegible] in the state of Ky and