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State of Kentucky, Mason County, S.S.

Know all men by these presents that I, John Reid, being the only legal heir and personal representative of my father Walker Reid, deceased, who was the only heir of my brother Walker Reid, who served in the war of the Texas revolution, of the County and State aforesaid, being now by operation of the laws of Kentucky, the only heir of my said brother Walker Reid, who served as a volunteer soldier, and as Adjutant, in the Army of the late Republic of Texas, under the command of Genl. Thomas J. Chambers do hereby nominate and appoint John T. Flint, late of the County of Perry and State of Ohio, my true and sufficient Attorney, to demand, obtain, sue for, and receive from the proper officers of the State of Texas, any Land Certificates which the estate of the said Walker Reid, deceased, may be entitled to, for services rendered by the said Walker Reid, deceased, to the late Republic of Texas, such as Bounty, Donation, or Head Right Certificates for Land, or any Certificate of Public Debt, for the pay of said services, as a soldier, or any other Certificates, under any name, and for whatever cause the said Walker Reid, deceased, may be entitled to: also to demand, collect and receive from the said Government of Texas, or officers thereof, any monies due and coming to the said Walker Reid, deceased, for his pay as a volunteer in said service, and for the whole to give proper receipts and acquittances in my name.

I also authorize my said Attorney to appoint substitutes under him, to whom he may delegate the whole power thereby vested in him, or any part thereof; and he is also authorized to have all Land Certificates located and surveyed; to demand and receive the Patents for the same, as the Law directs and permits, and to do and perform any and every act whatever in asserting my rights which I could do in my own proper person. And if my said Attorney should deem it necessary, or more convenient, he is hereby authorized to administer upon the estate of the aforesaid Walker Reid, deceased, and to do all things therein which the Laws of Texas allow, for my use and benefit. And the proper Courts are hereby authorized to turn over to him all the assets of the said Estate, as my Assignee, for my use and benefit: And whereas I have never authorized or empowered any person to Administer on said Estate, or to represent me in any way in obtaining said Certificates of Land, or of pay, or monies belonging to