Republic of Texas }
County of Travis } Know all men by these presents
That I David Rust of Bowdoches
County have this day nominated constituted
and appointed Col Jacob Snively of Travis
County my true and lawful attorney for me
and in my name to apply to the proper
officer or officers of the Government of Texas
and in my name to receive and Receipt for
any and all money's that may be due or
cumming to me and his acts and doings in
the premises shall be as Legal and
Binding as if done by me in my
own proper person Given under
my hand in the City of Austin
Travis County this the Eleventh day of
December AD 1840

In presents of

David Rust Seal

T. R. Marston }
Neri Chamberlain } Personally appeared before me Notary
public in and for Travis County T R Marston
and deposeth that David Rust did in
his presence sign the above for the purposes therein
contained
T R Marston

Sworn to an subscribe
before me this 9th Feb 1842
Given under my hand &
private seal having no
seal of office D Laughlin N P Seal