The State of Texas }
County of Wharton } Know ye that I Wm R Hargrove of the county and State aforesaid have this day made and constituted John Foster of the county and State above mentioned and do by these present make constitute and appoint the said John Foster my true and lawfully attorney for me and in my name to collect for me and receipt for the amount of money due me for services as a private in A B Hortons Company in what is known as "Vasques" campaign in the Spring of 1842 —— Hereby ratifying and confirming all the acts and things done by my said attorney touching the premises above mentioned —

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal (using scroll for seal) this 30th day of April A.d 1857 —

Wm R Hargrove Seal

The State of Texas }
County of Wharton } Before me Solomon J Thomas Clerk of the County Court of said County personally Came Wm R Hargrove to me well known and whose name is signed to the above power of atty dated 30th April 1857 and acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the same for the purposes and consideration therein stated ——

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in Wharton this 30th day of April A.d 1857

S J Thomas Clerk
C.C.W.C