Know all men by these presents, That I, John [illegible] of Caddo Parish, State of Louisiana of the United States, [illegible] have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents, [illegible], constitute and appoint and in my place and stead, [illegible] and deputy, [illegible] of Harrison county [illegible], and of the Republic of Texas, my true and lawful attorney for me in my name, and in my use, to ask, demand, sue for, recover and receive all such sum and sums of moneys, debts, dues, [illegible] accounts, [illegible] all Land Matters and any other demand whatsoever, which are, or may be due, owing, payable, and belonging to me or detained from me, by any manner of ways or means whatsoever, or in whose hands soever they may be found; and also to pay and to discharge all sums of moneys due and owing by me, to any person or persons whatsoever, [illegible] and [illegible] unto my said attorney, by this presents, my full and whole power, [illegible] and authority, in and about any effects, [illegible] to have use and take [illegible] and means in my name, and for the purpose [illegible] use and take the [illegible] and means in my name and for the purposes aforesaid, and upon the [illegible] [illegible] sums of moneys