~~State of Texas~~
County of Shelby

Know all men by these presents - That I E B Rogers of the County & State aforesaid - have this day nominated & appointed [redacted] W Cooper of the State of Texas my true & lawful Attorney & Attorney in fact to demand & receive from the Government of Texas or from any one having possession of & liable for the same any & all money pay to which I may be entitled for services in the Texian Army A.D. 1842 in the Wolly Hunters & afterwards in Capt H W Allens Company of Mississippi Rangers - & also in the Somerville Campaign in the Fall of the year A D 1842 -

And all necessary receipts bonds & acquittances for me & in my name to make & execute & my Attorney may act when necessary by substitute & him may charge with all & every power necessary to carry out the premises - I hereby granting every necessary power for that purpose to my said Attorney - George W Cooper -

Hereby ratifying all the lawful acts & doings of my said Attorney in the premises as fully & completely as if doing the same in person -

Witness my hand & seal for and at Memphis this 16th day AD 1860

E B Rogers (Seal)