State of Texas
County of Harris } Know all Men by these presents that J. Justin Castanié — administrator of the Estate of James Hickey decd. do hereby nominate constitute and appoint Francis T. Duffau of Austin Travis county, my true and lawfull attorney in fact, to demand obtain and receive from the proper officers of the State of Texas, any certificates of ~~money~~ pay and money to which the said Estate may be intitled to as a member of the Santa-Fe expedition & of the same to give receipts and acknowledgements and quittances that may be required & necessary to be given in the premises, hereby approving all and every act of my said attorney in vue of the premises —

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand & affixed my seal (scroll for seal) at Houston this 21st day of August A. D. 1852 —

J. Castanié
admr. of Jas. Hickey
decd.

The State of Texas
Harris County } Before me W. A. Baker Clerk of Harris County Court, came Justin Castanié of this County to me well known