may transfer or cause to be transferred the Certifi-
-cates aforesaid, to ask for demand and receive
of the Government of the State of Texas or the
proper officer thereof all such sum or sums
of money as I am now, or might hereafter be
entitled to, by virtue of said Certificates and such
receipt or acquittances to give as by law may be
necessary — And I do hereby authorize my
said Attorney to substitute in their place, any
attorney or attorneys, hereby giving and granting
to the said substitute all the powers and au-
-thority vested, by virtue of this letter, in my said
attorneys — and I do declare this my letter of
attorney for the consideration aforesaid, to be
irrevocable — Hereby ratifying and confirm-
-ing, all that my said attorney, or their sub-
-stitute or substitutes may legally do in
the premises —

Given under my hand and
seal a (seal) being used therefor,
this Seventh day of July A.D.
Eighteen hundred and forty eight

Witness
Thos Davis

Ezel Sharpe
(Seal)

The State of Texas
County of Harrison

Before me H McGowen
a Notary Public for Harrison
County this day personally appeared
Ezel Sharp who is known to me
as being the person who signed the
foregoing Power of Attorney and
acknowledged the same to be
his act and deed for
the true intent and purpose
and for the consideration
therein expressed — — —