The State of Texas }
County of Cherokee }

Know all men by these presents, that I Elisha Tubb of the County aforesaid, do hereby authorise and empower Adolphus Sterne of the County of Nacogdoches, in my name and for my use to ask, demand, and receive from the proper authority, payment for a Horse which I furnished the government of the late Republic of Texas in the year One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine, and receipt or receipts for the same to give, and do and perform all such acts as may be necessary to be done and performed in the premises.

In virtue of which I have signed this in Cherokee County this twelfth day of August, 1851

Elisha Tubb (Seal)

in presence of
W. L. Rousseau
S. P. Donley

The State of Texas }
Cherokee County }

Before me S. P. Donley Notary Public in of Cherokee County Personally Come Elisha Tubb to me personally known and acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the above power of Attorney to Adolphus Sterne for the purpose therein stated.

To certify which I hereto sign my name and affix my seal of Office Done at Office at Rusk this the 9th day of August AD 1851

S. P. Donley
Notary Public of Cherokee Co.