The State of Texas
County of Washington

Know all men by these presents that I John S. Jones Executor of the Estate of Thomas H. Webb decd & Guardian of his Minor Children have nominated and appointed W. A. Higgins My attorney for me and in my name to receive and receipt for any Money that may be due the said Thomas H. Webb for services on the Somerville & Vasquez Campaign as fully as if I were personally and signing the same My self –

Witness my hand this 21st day November 1853 –

J. S. Jones

Jeff Parsons