State of Texas
County of Jackson

Know all men by these presents that I Joseph Ware of the County and State aforesaid do hereby appoint, Constitute and empower H H Haynie

My true and lawfull Attorney in fact for the express purpose of Collecting, asking, demanding, receiving, and receipting to the proper officers of the state for all Moneys due me by the late Republic of Texas - for Beeves furnished the troops at Corpus Christi under the Command of General Davis in 1842

And I do hereby bind myself, heirs and legal representatives to make good and binding all acts my said agent shall do or cause to be done in the premises, as if I myself were acting. Given under my hand & scroll for seal this the 27th day of April A. D. 1854

A. Tate
Jo. H. Rogers
N B. Thomas

Joseph Ware [illegible]

The State of Texas
Calhoun County

This day before me James T. O'Reilly, Notary Public, Commissioned and sworn in and for the State & County above named, personally appeared J. H Rodgers, (to me well known) who as one of the subscribing Witnesses to the above power of Attorney, acknowledges that he saw Joseph