State of Texas
Bennet County

Know all men by these presents, that I, Joseph Benlieu of said State and County, have made constituted and appointed Lincoln J. Watson, also of said State and County, my true and lawful Attorney for me, and in my place, name and stead, to ask, demand, receive and receive all and any sums of money, belonging to me, by virtue of my right to a Pension, granted to me, by the State of Texas, by the Law, granting pensions to the persons specified therein, passed July 28 1876. This Power is intended and does apply only to the amount due to me, on the first day of April A.D. 1878, and to no other dues for another subsequent period of time. And the said L. J. Watson, is hereby empowered and authorized to sign and execute all receipts and papers, necessary for the drawing and collecting of the said sum of money, specified above, And I hereby ratify and confirm any act my said Attorney may lawfully do in the