State of Texas
County of Brazoria } Know all men by these presents that I Thomas R Davis of the state and county aforesaid have made constituted and appointed le R Johns my true and lawful attorney in fact for me and in my name and stead to prosecute my claim for a pension both under the Law of the Legislature of the state of Texas approved August 13th 1870, and also the Law of said Legislature approved April 21st 1874 and I do hereby fully authorize and empower my said attorney to do and perform all things that may be necessary to be done in order to procure for me a pension under both of said Laws, to institute and prosecute said claim, and to demand receive and receipt for any or all Certificates Bonds or Money that may be granted to me by virtue of or under either of said Laws of the Legislature of the state of Texas

Hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney may do or perform for me or in my name and stead, about or concerning my said claim for pension from the state of Texas

Witness My hand this August 1st 1874

Thomas R Davis