The State of Texas
Montgomery County

Know all men by these presents that I Hiram Little of the County and State aforesaid one of the Veterans of the revolution which seperated Texas from Mexico have made nominated and appointed and by these presents do make nominate and appoint Jonathan S. Collard of Montgomery County Texas my true and lawful agent and attorney in fact for me and in my name and for my use and benefit to ask demand and receive of and from S. H. Laidlaw Comptroller for the State of Texas all arrearages now due and owing unto me the said Hiram Little by and from the State of Texas by virtue of my services in said revolution; and to have use and take all lawful ways and means in my name and otherwise for the recovery thereof; either in money or the Bonds of the State of Texas due me under the act of the Legislature of the State of Texas of august the 13th 1870 and the act of April the 21st 1874 and the said Jonathan S. Collard my attorney as aforesaid by these presents is hereby impowered to make nominate constitute and appoint any other person to aid and assist him in carrying out the intent meaning and purposes of the said Hiram Little in the premises, and should I be paid in