Know all Men by these Presents that I, John C. Payne of the County of Shelby and State of Iowa have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Wm. P. Clark of Harrison County of Shelby and State of Iowa a true and lawful attorney for me and in my name place and stead and in my behalf =

To receive from the proper authority at Washington Iowa any and all certificates, State Bonds or what soever the said State of Iowa may be due me, or services rendered said State, claiming the same or that separated the said State from the Union being due me as a Revolutionary

Giving unto my said attorney full power and authority generally to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever requisite or proper to perform all or any of the premises or any other matter or thing appertaining to me with the same powers and to all intents, and purposes with the same validity as I if personally present could. Giving unto my said attorney power to appoint one or more substitutes under him.

Binding myself my heirs and assigns to defend the said Claims his heirs and assigns in all the premises herein set forth. This done at Harrison Shelby County Iowa. Signed sealed and delivered