The state of Texas
County of San Augustine } Know all men
by these presents that I John B Thacker of
the county and state aforesaid have this day
nominated and appointed W. L. Robards
of the city of Austine in said state my
true and lawful agent and Attorney in
fact for me and in my name place and
stead to receive and receipt for any and all
monies due and owing me from said state
of Texas as Pensioner, and generally to
do and perform any and all things necessary
to be done, hereby ratifying & holding
fast all act that my said ally may do
in and about the premises

~~Given~~ In testimony whereof I hereto
let my hand & scroll for seal this the 1st day of
April A.D. 1867

John his + B Thacker
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Witness J W Bullock
E. M. Weeks