State of Texas } Know all men by these
County of Jackson } presents that I John S Menefee of the County and State aforesaid have made constituted and appointed and by these presents do make constitute and appoint Clark L Owen of same place my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name place and stead to demand, ask for, Collect and receive all sums of money which are due, owing or payable to me by or from the Government of said State and to give good and sufficient receipts acquittances and discharges therefor, Giving and granting to my said Attorney full power and authority to act for me and in my stead as fully to all intents as I might or could do if personally present. – Hereby ratifying and confirming all that my said attorney or his substitute may lawfully do or cause to be done

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & scroll for seal this 9th day of March A.D. 1852

John S. Menefee (Seal)

E.J.

The State of Texas } Personally appeared before me the
County of Jackson } undersigned authority, John S Menefee whose signature appears above who acknowledged and declared that he signed sealed and delivered the foregoing power of attorney for the uses and purposes therein set forth

Given under my hand and seal of County Court this 9th day of March A.D. 1852

Geo R Bellaps C C J C
by his deputy Edwd Flanagan