The Republic of Texas

Know all men by these presents that I Richard M Northrum of the County of Red River have this day nominated, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do nominate constitute and appoint Albert H Palmer my true and lawful agent and attorney in fact for me and in my name and behalf to ask demand and receive of the proper Officers of the Republic of Texas at Austin all monies which may be due to me in any manner shape or form whatever And I do further authorize and empower my said Attorney to ask demand and receive of the Commissioner General of the Land all patents to land which may be made out and ready for delivery either for me in my own right or for me, as administrator Executor or agent, as also such as may hereafter be made out &c. as above

And I do hereby authorize him my said attorney to execute the necessary receipts for the same as fully and effectually as if I were personally present and acting in my own proper person.

In testimony whereof he the said Richard M Northrum hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal this 15th day of October AD 1841

In presence of
Gilbert Clark
Chas J Eaf
Notary Public Red Cty

R M Northrum (TX)

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