Republic of Texas } Know all men by these presents
County of Tr. is } that I Wm J. Hotchkiss of the Republic
and County aforesaid have this day nominated, constituted and
appointed, and by these presents do nominate constitute and appoint
Peter Kerr of the Republic & County aforesaid my true & lawful
attorney for me and in my name to apply to the proper officer
of the Government and collect the sum of thirteen dollars & seventy
five cents for services as assistant clerk in the Genl Land Office;
as per account hereto annexed and to do and perform for me
any and all acts that may be required of him as said attorn-
ey as may I were personally present. Given under my hand
and seal at the City of Austin this 15th day of November 1843
Witness

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Wm J. Hotchkiss (Seal)

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