Republic of Texas
Travis County } We the undersigned, Clerks &c, of the General Land Office of said Republic, do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint Joseph Baker, of said county, our true and lawfull attorney, specially to collect from and hold subject to our order our respective salaries due unto us from the Govt. of the aforesaid Republic, for services performed by us in the said General Land Office: hereby ratifying and confirming fully & severally all and singular the acts of our said attorney in the aforesaid premises & acknowledging them to be as valid, both in Law & Equity, and as binding upon us as if done & performed by us respectively in our own proper person. Witness our respective hands &c — the fourth day of January A.D. 1844.

R. L. McCallum
Thos Wood
Thos W. Ward Jr.
Geo. J. Nathans
Jas. P. Olivier

Republic of Texas
County of Travis } Personally appeared before me James M. Long Chief Justice of said County, all of the gentlemen whose signatures appear above, and severally acknowledged that they signed the foregoing power of attorney, that it is their voluntary act and deed for the purposes expressed therein.

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To certify which, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the impress of my official seal this 4th day of January A.D. 1845.

James M. Long
Ch. Jus. T. C.

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