The Republic of Texas } SS
County of Washington }

Be it Known that I William B Archer judge of the 5th Judicial District of the Republic aforesaid do hereby constitute my John Lockhart Esq of the County of Washington for me and in my name to receive all the amount to which I am entitled from the treasury of the Republic of Texas for my Services as Judge aforesaid on the quarter ending 4th day of October 1844 and full discharges and acquitances for me and my name place & stead to make to the Land Treasury department - hereby binding myself fully to acknowledge all & singular the acts of my said attorney done in the premises - Witness my hand & Seal this the 20th day of July 1844

Attest
Stephen F. Hoyle

(TX) W B Archer

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