Know all men by these presents that I John Rabb a citizen of the county of Lafette and Republic of Texas have constituted and appointed, and by these presents do constitute and appoint John Borden my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name and in my behalf to receive and receipt for me the amount due from the Government of Texas for loss of an American mare captured by the Comanche Indians on the San Saba on the 14th of February 1839

And also in my name to execute the necessary receipts for the same hereby ratifying and confirming all and singular the acts and doings of him my said attorney in the premises

Signed and sealed this 15 day of Oct 1840

In presence of

F. Washington, Corp

John Rabb, Seal

Republic of Texas } Before me Joseph Nail an
County of Lafette } acting Justice of the peace for said County personally appeared Helin Taylor & Benjamin Phillips who being duly sworn deposes & say that the American mare which Jacob Humphreys rode on the campaign against the Comanche Indians under the command of Col. John H. Moore, was the property of John Rabb and that the said Rabb loned said mare to the said Humphreys to ride on said campaign

his
Helin + Taylor
mark

his
Benjamin + Phillips
mark

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Sworn to and subscribed
Before me Joseph Nail
& acting Justis for Fayet
County October 15 - 1840
Joseph Nail
J. P.