

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF *Hardin*

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS,

THAT *J. M. W. Burnstead* of the County and State aforesaid

have made, constituted and appointed, and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint D. W. Doom *my* true and lawful attorney, for *me* and in *my* name, place and stead, to demand, receive and collect and receipt for any and all moneys, vouchers, certificates, warrants or bonds due and to become due to *me* for and on account of *The Pension granted and due to me by the State of Texas*

giving and granting *my* said attorney full power and authority to do and perform all and every act and thing whatsoever, requisite and necessary to be done, in and about the premises, as fully to all intents and purposes as *I* might or could do, if personally present, with full power of substitution or revocation, hereby ratifying and confirming all that *my* said attorney or his substitute shall lawfully do or cause to be done by virtue hereof.

In testimony whereof *I* have hereunto set *my* hand, this *Fifth* day of *December* A. D. 187*7*
J. M. W. Burnstead

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

County of *Hardin*

BEFORE ME,

John J. Work Clerk of the County Court

within and for the county and State aforesaid, personally appeared *J. M. W. Burnstead* who *is* to me personally well known, and part *ly* to the above and foregoing power of attorney and acknowledged that *he* had executed the same for the uses and purposes therein stated.

To certify which I hereunto sign my name and affix my official seal, at office, in the town of *Hardin* this *Fifth* day of *December* A. D. 187*7*

John J. Work
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