Republic of Texas.
County of Nacogdoches.

Know all men by these presents that I Genereux Benard, of the aforesaid County, have Constituted and appointed and by these presents do Constitute and appoint Jacob Snively also of said County, my true and lawful Attorney, for me and in my name and in my behalf to make application to the proper officers at the City of Houston in the Republic of Texas, and receive whatever claims may be due or coming to me for goods, wares and Merchandize or provisions furnished the Soldiers or officers in the actual service of this Republic, for the use of the Republic, and for me and in my name to make and execute the necessary receipts for the said Claims, whether they be in Treasury notes, Military Scrip or otherwise. - hereby ratifying and Confirming all and singular the acts and doings of him my said Attorney, in the Premises.-

Signed and sealed this Eighth day of May one thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

In presence of

L. Dewaal

G. Benard Seal

H. I. Offutt

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Republic of Texas
County of Nacogdoches.

Before me Bennett Blake an Associate Justice of the County Court for said County, by virtue of an act passed 12th of June 1837, to authorise Justices of the County Court to act as Judges of probate and as Notaries Public in Certain Cases, Personally

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