The State of Texas }
County of Grimes } Know all men by these presents that I M. L. Kennard of the County and State aforesaid do hereby nominate constitute and appoint A W Raglin my true and lawful agent and attorney for me and in my name to receive from the Treasury of the State of Texas and receipt for the same for any and all moneys due me for Military services rendered the late Republic of Texas in the year 1840 in what is known the Archer Campaign. Hereby ratifying all the legal acts of my said Attorney in the premises as fully as if I were personally present and acting in myself — Witness my hand, and seal (only seale for seal) this 10th day of April A.D. 1854

M L Kennard (Seal)

The State of Texas }
County of Grimes } Before me G. M. Morris Clerk of the County Court in and for said County this day came M. L. Kennard to me personally known and signed the foregoing instrument in my presence and acknowledged that he executed the same for all the purposes therein stated

In all of which I certify from under my hand and official seal at my office in Anderson this 10th day of April AD 1854

G. M. Morris Clk
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