The State of Texas
County of ~~Caldwell~~ } I, Alfred Kelso of said County do hereby appoint and fully Empower E Lewis of Gonzales County, my agent and attorney in fact, for me & in my name and stead to demand receive and receipt to the proper Authority at Austin Texas - the sum of money due me as pension on the 31st day of Decr 1870 - upon the Certificate granted me therefor, presented with this - No 187 -

Given under my hand and seal using scrall for seal this 31st day of Decr 1870 -

Alfred Kelso Seal

The State of Texas
County of ~~Caldwell~~ } Before me, the under-signed authority in & for said Caldwell co - personally came Alfred Kelso - who declared that he made Executed and delivered the above power of atty, to E Lewis - for the purposes and consideration therein Expressed - To Certify which I hereto set my name and seal of office, this the 31st day of December A D 1870 -

G W Shoaf
J P & Notary Public in & for
Caldwell co - Texas