The State of Texas }
County of De. Witt }

Know all men by these presents, that I, Robt. Kelley of said State and County aforesaid have nominated, constituted and appointed and by these presents do nominate constitute and appoint E. M. Pease vice president of the First National Bank of Houston my true and lawful attorney, for the purpose of receiving for me and in my stead from the Comptroller of the state of Texas the State Bonds to which I am entitled as one of the surviving veterans of the revolution which separated Texas from Mexico under the act of the 12th legislature of the state of Texas, approved August. 13. 1870 and of the late act of the 14th legislature of said state, granting Bonds to said veterans. And I fully empower my said attorney to give receipt for said Bonds and to do everything necessary in the premises as fully as I could do if personally present.

Robert Kelley

The State of Texas } Before me, Rudd
County of De Witt } Kelley, a notary Public for in said State and County aforesaid, personally appeared