in my name that may be necessary to procure the issuance of said pension bonds to me as fully as could do were I present in person, and to sign my name to any paper or receipt where it may be necessary to procure said pension bonds, &c hereby ratifying all that my said attorney may lawfully do in the premises in procuring the issuance of said pension bonds.

Given under my hand in the Town of Helena on this the 28th day of Sept 1874.

Dewitt C. Lyons

The State of Texas } Before me J. K. Bailey
County of Karnes } Clerk of the District Court of Karnes County Texas personally appeared Dewitt C Lyons to me well known who acknowledged that he signed & delivered the foregoing instrument of writing & he declared the same to be his act and deed for all the uses purposes & considerations therein stated. In Testimony Whereof I hereunto sign my name & affix the impress of my Official Seal at my Office in Helena the 28th day of September A D 1874

J. K. Bailey
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