Republic of Texas } Know all men by these presents that
County of Fayette } I Socrates Darling a citizen of the County
of Fayette and Republic aforesaid have constituted and
appointed and by these presents do constitute and appoint Gen.
Millard Fillmore my true and lawful Attorney for me
and in my name and in my behalf to make and receive
for the amount due from the Government of Texas for services
rendered by me under the command of Capt Jesse Carson in
a campaign against the Comanche and Indians in February
1839 also for loss of an horse in consequence there the Resolution of
which is hereunto attached. And also and may name to execute
the necessary receipts for the same hereby ratifying and con-
firming all and whatsoever he shall do in the premises
Signed and sealed this the 25th day of March
AD 1840

In presence of
A. W. Gardenier

S. Darling

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Republic of Texas }
County of Fayette } Before me N. W. Eastland Chief Justice
and Ex Officio Notary Public of Fayette County appeared
above named Socrates Darling and acknowledged his signa-
ture to the above power of Attorney to be his act and
deed for the purposes and things therein expressed
Given under my hand and
private seal (there being no
seal of Office) at La Grange
this 25th day of March AD 1840
N. W. Eastland
C. C. Fayette Co.

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