Republic of Texas
County of Bexar } Before me John W. Smith Notary Public in and for the County aforesaid this sixth day of November 1840 Personally came and appeared Valentine Schneider, and declared that he has made, and does hereby constitute and appoint Joseph J. Crane of the same and County his good and lawfull agent and attorney to apply to the Proper Officers of the Republic of Texas at the City of Austin and have audited and receive the amount of the Arrears amount being thirteen dollars sixty eight and three fourth cents ($13 68¾) with full and ample power to do and perform all things that I myself might or could be required to do were I personall present at the doing thereof hereby ratifying and confirming all and singular the acts and deeds of my said attorney touching the premises.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand on the date above written

Valentin Schneider

Signed sealed and passed before me the day and date above written

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal of Office, Done in the City of San Antonio.

Jn. W. Smith
Notary Public

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