Know all men by these presents that I, John M Shreve of the County of Travis Republic of Texas have made constituted and appointed, and by these presents do nominate constitute and appoint M C Hamilton my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name to receive from the proper officer of the government the pay to which I am now entitled to for three months service in the army of Texas in the year 1836 as set forth in the certificate issued to me by the secretary of war dated 10th Octr 1840.

Hereby ratifying and confirming the acts of my said attorney in the premises this 12th day of Octr 1840.

Witness
M C Woodhouse
Thos Gale

John M Shreve

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