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ROEDER, LOUIS von - Born in Olenburg, Germany, October 24, 1806, son of Ludwig Sigmund Anton and Caroline Louise (Sack) von Roeder.

In 1834 Ludwig von Roeder, who had been an officer in the German army, was induced by Frederick Ernst of Industry, Texas to emigrate to Texas with his family, kin and some of their friends. It was decided that some of the unmarried members of the groups be sent ahead to select a place for all to later assemble. The advance party consisted of Albrecht and Joachin von Roeder, their sister, Valesca and a servant. On September 30, 1834, the main body set sail on the sloop Congress, commanded by Captain J. Adams. In the party were Ludwig S. von Roeder, Mrs. von Roeder and their children, Louise and Caroline von Roeder; Robert J. Kleberg and wife; Mrs. Otto von Roeder; Antionette von Donop; John Reineman and family; William Frels and others. After a voyage of sixty days they reached New Orleans where they remained for two weeks and then set sail on the schooner Sabine for Brazoria. On December 22d the vessel was wrecked off Galveston Island. After a long delay and perilous journey the passengers reached their destination.

Louis and Albrecht von Roeder when found by their relatives were in a hut fourteen miles from San Felipe de Austin. They were emaciated by disease due to exposure and lack of nourishment. Joachin and Valesca had died.

Albrecht and Louis von Roeder participated in the Storming and Capture of Bexar, December 5 to 10, 1835, as members of Captain Jehn York's Company. For this service the heirs of Louis received Donation

Certificate No. 43 for 640 acres of land, September 4, 1846. He at the same time received Bounty Certificate No. 114 for 320 acres of land for his services in the army from November 3, to December 13, 1835, and Bounty Certificate No. 3722 for 320

Note: Albrecht applied Feb. 23, 1836 Texas 1834 page 103 Book B

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Capt. Romans Company was transferred on the "Yellow Stone"
from Quintana to Major Nathaniel Whiting's home Feb. 19, 1836.

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No. 31.

Republic of Texas)
 County of Austin.) Know all persons by these presents that I
 Louis von Reeder of this county do by these presents sell, alienate
 and convey unto Charles Armsler a resident citizen of this County,
 two-thirds of a league of land for the considerate sum of \$5000.00
 to me in hand paid for the following described land to wit-

Being the two extreme thirds of the league of land that the said
 Reeder sells lying and being in this County and on the road that
 leads from this place to Bruant Daughtry s, known and called the
 Daughtery road and being on the western waters of Mill Creek about
 fifteen miles from San Felipe being two thirds of the league that
 the said two thirds that I sell is to comprise the North-east and
 South-west thirds- provided that an equal division of said league of
 land into three parts should it by running parallel with the original
 lines be so divided as to include the Vendors and Vendees present
 improvements and houses.

But should an equal third taken off from the south part of the
 said league not embrace the said Armsler present improvements then
 the lines are so to be run in the same manner and extended on the
 middle third so far as may be sufficient to embrace the said Armslers
 present improvement and in that event that a part of said middle third
 is taken by the said Armsler to embrace his improvement then he is
 to have less that amount on the Northern third of said league of land
 and should the middle third not embrace my improvement then in that

case I resume the right of running the lines or extending the lines
in the same direction as to embrace my improvement and the said Arms-
ler is to extend the lines of his southern third upon the middle third
on to his northern third.

All of which I transfer and sell for my heirs, executors,
administrators and assigns unto Charles Armsler, his heirs executors,
administrators and assigns unto Charles Armsler his heirs executors
administrators and assign forever in fee simple to use and enjoy and
dispose of as his own all of which I guarantee against all lawful
claims and claimants whatsoever.

All of which I declare and sign in the presence of the under-
signed witnesses who sign with me this the 21st. day of October 1837.

Witness

Louis von Roeder.

John B. Johnson
W. C. Polke

Republic of Texas)
County of Austin) I certify that on this 21st day of October
1837, Louis von Roeder signed the foregoing instrument in my presence
for the purposes therein expressed.

Town of Austin, 21st October 1837.

Jno. B. Johnson, C. C. C.

Entered and filed for record in this office 21st October 1837, Town
of Austin 7th November 1837 -

Joseph H. Barnard, County Recorder Pro Tem

The State of Texas)
County of Austin) I, Ed Batla, Cler, County Court, Austin
County, Texas do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a
true and correct copy of the Deed from Louis Von Roeder to Charles
Armsler, as the same appears on record in my office, in Volume A,
pages 50 - 51 - 52, Deed Records of Austin County, Texas

Given under my hand and seal of office, on this the 5th. day of
May, A. D. 1937.

Ed Batla, Clerk, County Court, Austin County, Texas
By Lawrence Dittert, Deputy.

(Note:} Name of Mr. Armsler is spelled Armsler in error.