Lieut Skinner

Hdqrs Quartermaster of the Army
Qr Mr Genl Office Camp Preston June 5th 37

Sir

I will proceed forthwith to Matagorda and procure for the Government the articles required for the use of the Company of Artillery now under the Command of Capt McFarland, as specified in the Enclosed memorandum.

You will keep them brought round to Texas by water for which purpose you will report to Major Pilling: should he not have left Matagorda

By Order of Brig Genl A S Johnson
Commdg the Army

Signed

E Markham
Capt & Actg Qr Mr

Respectfully of Orders
B F S Brigham
1 Qr White Lead
2 ℔ Lamp black

$7.00
1.00
$8.00

The above articles I have received from Mr B F S Brigham & Co. Upon the footing as above stated in order of Genl Johnson —

Matagorda April 9. 1837. M. B. Skinner
Lieut. T. S.

Let this be accounted May 28th 1838
A. S. Thompson 2d Mr Genl

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