Houston May 17th 1837

This is to certify that the following were the orders and instructions in substance given to Lieut P Bryan by Myself on the 1st Jany 1836 being then in Command of the recruiting rendezvous at Harrisburg

"Viz — To proceed forthwith on recruiting service to any point or points he might deem most beneficial for the service of the Country following as a guide in so doing the instructions issued by the acting adjt Genl. and reporting Monthly or oftener if necessary to officer in Command of recruiting Station at Harrisburg"

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Late. Maj 1st Atty Genl

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