Jas H. Raymond.

Dear Sir

I received in due time your letter containing a Draft in my favor for the benefit of James Ball and in pay of the Discharge of Scantling drawn by John M. Swisher on Shube & Bros. N. York for $148.50. payable on sight &c which I have sold to the Messrs Alexandras of this place at par. I send you a Power of Atty to receipt the Treasury for the amt. and thank you for your prompt and indulgent kindness in the matter.

Yours very truly.

G. A. Earle

Bonham 19th Jan
1853-