San Francisco May 1st 1854.

John. W. Swisher Esq.
Auditor
Austin Texas.

Dear Sir

I learn there is probably a balance due to my deceased brother, Dr R F Brenham from the State of Texas, for his services as Surgeon in the Mier Expedition. Should such be the fact you are hereby authorized from me to pay whatever may be due to him, either to my brother in Law Thos N Lindsey or to my sister Mrs Louisa M Lindsey.

Respectfully
G Brenham

Mr P De Cordova  Frankfort 7 July 1854

Dr Sir

Accept my thanks for deposition Herewith you have $5 Louisiana note & $1. post stamps bal your fee Please hand Mr Swisher the affidavit & letter sent herewith & present him & Mr Shaw & Mr Raymond my best wishes

Th N Lindsey