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Dr Sir

I rec'd a letter from Genl Green informing me that the additional allowance had been made to my wife & her brother for the services of Dr Brenham in the Texan expedition - His information was corroborated by a newspaper I rec'd from Genl Combs who passed through this place last week

You will remember I left with you a memorandum authorising you to receive & remit a check or draft for the amt that might be allowed - deducting what you should deem proper for your trouble in doing so

My wife's desire is that you will do so No one else has any authority to receive it

To evidence this fact she joins me in signing this letter

Presents my best wishes to Mrs Swisher & accept for yourself our friendship

Yr ob Servt
L M Lindsay

My wife's receipt is good for both as her brother authorized her to receive his part & I suppose the authority is on file in your office - If not Freeman has it - Should there be any thing necessary to be done in the way of having his additional authority please advise me & it shall be sent

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