San Antonio July 24/850

Mr. James B. Shaw
Austin

My dear Sir:

Your esteemed favor of April 23d was received in due time. According to what you recommended me, I have made out the account and necessary affidavit. I hope as soon as the settlement is made and the claim audited, you will have the kindness to remit it to me. By to-day's mail I send the claim. I give you my thanks for your kindness.

I remain truly
Yours &c Angelo B. N. Cooke