San Antonio Texas August 7th 1877.

Major J. T. Brackenridge
1st National Bank
Austin

Dear Sir,

Your of the 2nd instant has this day been handed to me by our friend Mr. E. Miles, who promptly with the aid of others, came to my aid.

Life Certificate is here enclosed. pay is due me from the 1st day, of April 1877, I send a transfer which you can use if wanted, though you have my Power of atty.

Please send me a Draft for the amount, at once, as I not am only in want, but in very Feeble Health.

Send to the Care of Mr. E. Miles and much oblige Yours truly,

T. P. Gilsbury