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Head Quarters
Washington 19th Dec 1835

To Jno Bowman

Sir

You are hereby notified that you are appointed a first Lieutenant in the 1st Regiment of Infantry in the regular Army of Texas by the General Council

You are required forthwith to report your acceptance or non-acceptance of said appointment

Should you accept, you will report yourself by letter to Head Quarters and in person to Col J. W. Fannin Jr at recruiting rendezvous of Matagorda for Orders and instructions

By order of

Sam Houston
Commander-in-Chief
Geo W Poe
Actg Adjutant General

Original withdrawn March 21. 73
J A Bowman