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Los Angeles California Aug 5. 1871

Mr A Bledsoe
Comptroller
Texas

Dear Sir

Your favor of the 12th ult is before me. Mr Atkinson an old Texas Soldier (My Client) is now absent on a prospecting tour, on his return I will make out his affidavit, with the necessary proof and forward to you.

I am now employed in the case of Andrew A. Boyle of this County whose application is on file in your office. The proof of which is regularly made out by Balney E. Stewart and others (Old Texans) that he was an old Texas Soldier and wounded in the revolution of Texas

By the act of your Legislature he was entitled to draw ($500) Five Hundred dollars on the 31st of December 1870 - Is it necessary to send additional proof to enable him to draw the amount? If not please forward