Sabine Town Tex
March 1860

~~Mr Commissioner~~

Dear Sir

I - respected the "Bounty Claim" of - 640 acres issued to James C. Boyd - for services rendered at the Battle of San - Jacinto -

from the fact that, that he was only five years old at the time said Battle should have been fought this I think will be no trouble to prove in Sabine Co -

I think I can prove he was - not in the State at that time

he is the One that was arrested at Austin with Polly for fraudulent Claims -

Our Representative left his Claim with you for investigation (J. H. Speight)

Soon, let me know the result of your decission

Respectfully
Yours Obt
C. P. Bedda
Dist Surveyor
for
Sabine Co
Tex -