Sir you will execute a draft in favor of Edward Hall for fifty one 85/100 dollars payable out of the contingent appropriation for the Treasury Department under the act of Feby 3d 1840 this being an advance for the purchase of stationary — and charge the same to the said Hall —

Jas. H. Starr (TX)
Secy of the Treasy

Treasy Department
Austin Feby 6 - 1840

Please execute the draft as soon as possible as Mr Hall is waiting for it —

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