Department of War & Marine
5 April 1842

Orders

Richard Bache Esq

Will assume charge of the Navy Yard, at Galveston, under the received rules & regulations of the service. The quarters (with the exception of those occupied by the family of Lieut. Taylor) will be from this day, held subject to further orders from this Department.

Yours Respt
W. W. Hockley
Secy of War & Marine

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