Henderson Texas 8th May 1844

My dear Sir

I have taken the very great liberty of soliciting the favour of you to attend as my attorney to presenting the enclosed account to the Treasury Department.

You will please after getting the account audited procure me a draft or drafts for the amount upon the Custom Collector for the District of San Augustine – which if you get them please enclose to "Hugh O'Neill – San Augustine Texas" properly indorsed.

I hope Sir that you will yield your prompt attention to this matter and I will with very great pleasure reciprocate the favour whenever an opportunity occurs.

Truly your friend

Hugh O'Neill (TX)

To Hon John Lockhart
Washington
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