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Bob Trezevant
908 Highland Ave.
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Dear Mr. Trezevant:

Enclosed are photocopies of the information that you had requested and paid for. This information was found in our Memorials and Petitions files under the heading of "Georgia Battalion Pay Vouchers, 1855".

After receiving your e-mail in which you referenced your Georgia Battalion Web site, I looked at the article that had been written by Jewel Davis Scarborough for the *Southwestern Historical Quarterly*. There were several footnotes that you had inquired about relating to the compensation to be paid by the State of Texas to the State of Georgia for arms and equipment lost during the Texas Revolution.

One of these references included a message of E. M. Pease, dated January 3, 1856. The footnotes shows that it is found in the Executive Record Books in the State Archives. These Executive Record Books have been microfilmed and you can get your local public library to order this microfilm through interlibrary loan. You can find more about how to order the film on our Web site at:
www.tsl.state.tx.us/arc/exrecordsbks.html

Several of the other footnotes in Ms. Scarborough's article show a letter from E. M. Pease to H. V. Johnson (August 8, 1856) and William F. Fannin to E. M. Pease (December 27, 1857). If you would like copies of these items please let me know and I will be able to determine the number of pages and cost for them. In addition to these letters, another footnote in this same article referenced an act passed by the Texas Legislature to provide payment to the State of Georgia. We also have this act published in *The Laws of Texas*. I can also provide you with a copy of that item if you need it.

Please let me know if you would like copies of this legislative act and the two letters. The item in the Executive Record Book would need to be ordered through interlibrary loan with your local public library.

I hope that this information will be helpful to you.

If I can be of further assistance please feel free to call on me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Donaly E. Brice". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

Donaly E. Brice
Senior Research Assistant