

TEXAN DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE UNITED STATES, 1843  
TO 1846 (WITH ADDITIONAL LETTERS, 1835-1842), WITH MEXICO AND  
YUCATÁN, AND WITH GREAT BRITAIN AND THE EUROPEAN STATES.

CALENDAR OF CORRESPONDENCE HITHERTO  
PRINTED.

ADDENDA TO CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE UNITED STATES, 1835 TO 1846.<sup>a</sup>

Burnley to Jones, October 11, 1838 (extract). Failure to secure loan in the United States. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 143.

Williams to Jones, March 11, 1839 (extract). Negotiations for a loan in the United States. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 145-146.

Reily to Jones, November 10, 1844 (extract). Fears that annexation will be delayed several years. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 396-397.

Donelson to Allen, December 10, 1844. Measures adopted by United States to guard interests of Texas in case of renewal of war by Mexico because of annexation. Senate Journal, 9th Tex. Cong., 191-195.

Allen to Donelson, December 13, 1844. Attitude of Texas toward delay of annexation and opposition of United States to Mexican method of prosecuting war against Texas. Senate Journal, 9th Tex. Cong., 195-197.

Kaufman to Jones, September 30, 1845 (extract). Discusses his position as Texan chargé to the United States. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 495-496.

Kaufman to Jones, November 3, 1845 (extract). Announces his return to Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 503-504.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH MEXICO.

Santa Anna to Filisola, April 22, 1836 [No. 1]. Announces his defeat and capture, and gives orders for the withdrawal of Filisola and Gaona to Bexar, and of Urrea to Guadalupe Victoria. Telegraph and Texas Register (Houston), August 23 and September 6, 1836; Niles' Register, L, 337.

Santa Anna to Filisola, April 22, 1836 [No. 2]. Directs that no damage be done property of citizens of Texas. Telegraph and Texas Register, September 6, 1836.

Santa Anna to Filisola, April 22, 1836 [No. 3]. Orders that prisoners taken at Cópano be sent to San Felipe. Telegraph and Texas Register, September 6, 1836.

Filisola to Santa Anna, April 28, 1836. Cessation of hostilities in obedience to Santa Anna's orders concerning the armistice. Property will be respected. Deplores past plundering. Niles' Register, L, 337.

Santa Anna to Filisola, May 14, 1836 (extract). Orders that the treaty of May 14, 1836, between Burnet and himself be complied with. Niles' Register, L, 413; Telegraph and Texas Register, August 23, 1836.

Filisola to Santa Anna, May 25, 1836. Promises obedience to terms of agreement between Santa Anna and Houston. Telegraph and Texas Register, August 23, 1836.

Santa Anna to Burnet, June 9, 1836. Protests against violation of Treaty of May 14, 1836, with respect to his own treatment, to that of Woll, and to the failure to exchange

<sup>a</sup> See the calendar of correspondence with the United States, 1835-1845, hitherto printed, in Part I, pages 25-49.

prisoners. Niles' Register, LI, 191; Telegraph and Texas Register, October 4, 1836, and March 23, 1842; Austin City Gazette, March 30, 1842.

Burnet to Santa Anna, June 10, 1836. Answers protest of Santa Anna in his letter of June 9, 1836. Niles' Register, LI, 191; Telegraph and Texas Register, October 4, 1836.

Jackson to Santa Anna, September 4, 1836. United States believes that nations have the right to change their governments as the people may dictate, and refuses to interpose in affairs of Mexico and Texas over the protest of Mexico. Niles' Register, LI, 336.

Lamar to Citizens of Santa Fé, April 14, 1840. Announces entry of Texas among the family of nations as a free Republic, invites people of Santa Fé to share blessings of liberty, and promises to send Commissioners to cement union between Texas and Santa Fé. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 148-150; Journal of Consultation, Address of Lamar to Citizens of Santa Fé, 12-14.

Lipscomb to Hamilton and Burnley, July 7, 1840. Discusses relations between Mexico and Texas and between Mexico and Yucatan. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 281-284.

Santa Anna to Houston, November 5, 1836. Urges importance of Santa Anna going in person to Washington to secure the mediation of the United States in settlement of boundary question between Mexico and Texas. Niles' Register, LXII, 115; The Red-Lander (San Augustine, Texas), April 14, 1842 (extract).

Wright to Lamar, March 18, 1841 (extract). Makes charge against Houston for acceptance of a bribe for the release of Santa Anna. The Red-Lander, September 29, 1842.

Arista to Lamar, April 21, 1841. States that the expedition which is to set out from the Rio Grande is for the purpose of punishing the Indians, and not intended to attack the Texans. Quarterly of the Texas State Historical Association, VII, 173-174.

Lamar to Inhabitants of Santa Fé, and other portions of Mexico East of the Rio Grande River, June 5, 1841. Calls attention to his letter of April 14, 1840, repeats invitation then given, explains advantages of a union between Texas and Santa Fé region, and announces appointment of commissioners to effect this union. Journal of Consultation, Address of Lamar to Citizens of Santa Fé, 3-12.

Bee to Santa Anna, December 27, 1841. Does not believe that Texas can be conquered by Mexico, as the people of the Mississippi will give Texas aid, and hopes that Santa Anna will treat well the prisoners taken in the Santa Fé expedition. Mexico in 1842, p. 215; Niles' Register, LXII, 49; Telegraph and Texas Register, March 23, 1842.

Hamilton to Santa Anna, January 13, 1842. Hamilton is commissioned by Texas to treat with Mexico for the recognition of Texan independence. Proposes peace on condition of an indemnity of \$5,000,000 to be paid by Texas to Mexico. Mexico in 1842, p. 220; Niles' Register, LXII, 50; Telegraph and Texas Register, March 23, 1842; Austin City Gazette, March 30, 1842.

Santa Anna to Bee, February 6, 1842. Thanks Bee for past favors. Mexico must keep Texas. A freak of fortune alone has given Texas a victory. The prisoners taken will be treated according to generally recognized principles. Mexico in 1842, p. 216; Niles' Register, LXII, 50; Telegraph and Texas Register, March 23, 1842.

Santa Anna to Hamilton, February 18, 1842. Hamilton, as a citizen of the United States, has no right to treat in behalf of Texas. Mexico has won many victories in the past over Texas, and has suffered a single defeat. Five million dollars too small an indemnity. Texan brutalities. Expresses personal gratitude to Houston. To acknowledge Texan independence would be to sacrifice Mexico's noble stand on slavery. Mexico in 1842, p. 221; Niles' Register, LXII, 50; Telegraph and Texas Register, March 23, 1842; Austin City Gazette, March 30, 1842.

Ham  
owes h  
revolu  
1842, I  
Hou  
the re  
Fé exj  
LXII,  
Som  
reports  
172-17  
Dair  
Memor  
Dair  
Washii  
Officia  
Hou  
willing  
case p  
Han  
wester  
succes  
Som  
troops.  
Han  
troops.  
Som  
and gi  
Texan  
Han  
line t  
han  
han

Hamilton to Santa Anna, March 21, 1842. Santa Anna abhors people to whom he owes his life. Mexico's violation of her agreement with colonists was one cause of the revolution. Mexico's only victory was the Alamo. Defies Santa Anna. Mexico in 1842, p. 227; Telegraph and Texas Register, April 13, 1842.

Houston to Santa Anna, March 21, 1842 (extract). Defends the Texan conduct of the revolution, particularly the treatment of Santa Anna. Justifies the Santa Fé expedition. States future attitude of Texas toward Mexico. Niles' Register, LXII, 98.

Somervell to Jones, March 25, 1842. Somervell has taken charge of troops, and reports dissatisfaction among them. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 172-173.

Daingerfield to Jones, April 1, 1842. Texan blockade of Mexican ports. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 201.

Daingerfield to Jones, April 15, 1842. Daingerfield's efforts to co-operate with H. Washington in preparation for a descent upon Mexican coast. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 201-203.

Houston to Somervell, October 3, 1842. Orders concentration of such troops as are willing to invade Mexico upon the southwestern boundary, and invasion of Mexico in case prospects for success offer. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 3-4.

Hamilton to Somervell, October 13, 1842. Orders Somervell to proceed to southwestern frontier, to organize troops, to move with secrecy, and to invade Mexico if success seem probable. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 5-6.

Somervell to Hamilton, November 7, 1842. Reports progress in organization of troops. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 10-11.

Hamilton to Somervell, November 9, 1842. Gives method of securing supplies for troops. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 6.

Somervell to Houston, November 14, 1842. Reports progress in organizing troops and gives information as to location of Mexican troops on border and disposition of Texan prisoners. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 11-12.

Hamilton to Somervell, November 19, 1842. Regrets poor organization and discipline of the troops, repeats orders to enlist none but those willing to invade Mexico, and urges energetic action. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 7-9.

Hamilton to Somervell, November 21, 1842. Urges prompt but cautious advance in order to avoid surprise, and directs disposition of supplies in case troops are disbanded. House Journal, 7th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 9-10.

Somervell to Hill, February 1, 1843. Gives detailed account of his invasion of Mexico. House Journal, 9th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 70-75; Telegraph and Texas Register, February 22, 1843.

Hill to Hockley and Williams, September 26, 1843. Instructions for arrangement of armistice with Mexico through the mediation of Great Britain. The Red-Lander, June 1, 1844.

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH YUCATÁN.

Moore to Cooke, August 28, 1840. Reports his movements from July 22-August 28, 1840. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 232-237.

Peraza to Roberts, September 16, 1841. Santa Anna is preparing to invade Yucatán by land and by sea. Asks that Texas send two or three of her vessels to aid in repelling the Mexican squadron. Offers pecuniary inducements. Moore, To the People of Texas, 15-17.

Roberts to Peraza, September 17, 1841. Texas will aid Yucatán. Accepts Peraza's proposals with some modifications. Moore, To the People of Texas, 17-19.

Peraza to Roberts, September 17, 1841. The proposals as modified by Roberts are accepted. Adds one article and asks that it be accepted. Moore, To the People of Texas, 19-20.

Archer to Moore, September 18, 1841. Moore is to keep three vessels in readiness for sea. The Government of Yucatán will furnish him with \$8,000 each month. Secret orders inclosed. Moore, To the People of Texas, 12-13.

Archer to Moore, September 18, 1841. Secret orders. He is to sail for Sisal, capture the enemy's vessels if possible, and co-operate with the forces of Yucatán generally. Moore, To the People of Texas, 13-15.

Roberts to Peraza, September 18, 1841. A number of Texan vessels have been ordered to proceed to Sisal. Moore, To the People of Texas, 20-21.

Moore to Lemus, January 8, 1842. Is at Sisal with one ship and two schooners ready to carry out the treaty on the part of Texas. Moore, To the People of Texas, 25.

Lemus to Moore, January 8, 1842. The governor will receive him on Monday. Moore, To the People of Texas, 25.

Moore to Rejón, January 10, 1842. Is surprised that Yucatán has entered into a treaty with the Central Government of Mexico. Moore, To the People of Texas, 26-27.

Rejón to Moore, January 12, 1842. The treaty with Mexico should surprise no one. Yucatán has not renounced her right to be incorporated in the Mexican Union. Moore, To the People of Texas, 27-29.

Gray to the Mexican and Yucatán commissioners, January 12, 1842. Fearing for the safety of Commodore Moore he will detain them as hostages. Moore, To the People of Texas, 31.

Gray to Moore, January 12, 1842. Has deemed it advisable to detain the commissioners of Mexico and Yucatán as hostages. Moore, To the People of Texas, 30.

Rejón to Moore, January 12, 1842. The commander of the Texan vessel *Austin* took the Mexican and Yucatán commissioners prisoners. Demands that they be set at liberty. Moore, To the People of Texas, 32.

Moore to Rejón, January 14, 1842. Has never doubted the right of Yucatán to dispose of her political and natural rights as she may deem proper. Leaves for Sisal to-day. Moore, To the People of Texas, 29-30.

Moore to Rejón, January 15, 1842. Regrets that the Mexican and Yucatán commissioners were detained; has ordered that they be set at liberty. Moore, To the People of Texas, 32-33.

Rejón to Moore, January 18, 1842. Incloses a copy of a decree of the Congress of Yucatán, October 25, 1841, relative to Peraza's instructions; copy of agreement made by Yucatán with Texas, September 18, 1841; and copy of convention with Mexico, December 28, 1841, for the reunion of Mexico and Yucatán. Moore, To the People of Texas, 33-34.

Moore to Rejón, January 31, 1842. Has received his letter of January 18, 1842; Yucatán should have a flag so that her vessels would not be molested by the Texan warships. Moore, To the People of Texas, 35.

Moore to Lemus, February 25, 1842. Requests that \$8,000 be placed in his hands as per the agreement. Has been cruising near Vera Cruz. Moore, To the People of Texas, 37.

Lemus to Moore, February 26, 1842. An order has been issued for the payment of the \$8,000. Moore, To the People of Texas, 38.

Moore to Cárdenas, March 7, 1842. The rumor that Texas will make war on Yucatán vessels is unfounded. Moore, To the People of Texas, 38-39.

Moore to Celerayan, March 7, 1842. The rumor that Texas will make war on Yucatán vessels is unfounded. Moore, To the People of Texas, 39-40.

Cárdenas to Moore, March 7, 1842. The rumor that Texas would make war on Yucatán vessels was not credited by the Government of Yucatán. Moore, To the People of Texas, 40-41.

Celerayan to Moore, March 7, 1842. No credit has been given to the rumor that Moore's acts were to be hostile to Yucatán. Moore, To the People of Texas, 41.

Moo:  
that hi  
To the  
Lem  
Moore'  
Texas,  
Moo  
\$8,000  
Lerr  
is will  
To the  
Moo  
Yucat  
the Pe  
Lerr  
Moore  
Moo  
Peopl  
Moc  
of the  
Moc  
pende  
Texas  
Cár  
Name  
To th  
Moo  
mone  
De  
addre  
Moo  
To th  
Moo  
can r  
Bas  
subje  
Peraz  
Me  
Moo  
Cár  
ary 1  
Texa  
Mo  
1843.  
Peop  
Mc  
Pera  
He  
requi  
in ca  
cont  
Mc  
To t

Moore to Lemus, March 8, 1842. Arrived at Campeche on March 6. The rumors that his acts were to be hostile to Yucatán were spread to injure his reputation. Moore, To the People of Texas, 41-42.

Lemus to Moore, March 18, 1842. The governor is gratified at the contents of Moore's letter of March 8. The rumor was never credited. Moore, To the People of Texas, 43.

Moore to Lemus, March 28, 1842. Will cruise a few days before Vera Cruz; received \$6,000 from the collector at Carmen. Moore, To the People of Texas, 52-53.

Lemus to Moore, March 29, 1842. Serves notice that the Government of Yucatán is willing for Moore to withdraw with the squadroñ under his command. Moore, To the People of Texas, 53-54.

Moore to Lemus, April 19, 1842. Regrets the determination of the Government of Yucatán as expressed in the matter of the withdrawal of the squadron. Moore, To the People of Texas, 54-55.

Lemus to Moore, April 22, 1842. The accounts have been adjusted with Mr. Seeger. Moore, To the People of Texas, 55.

Moore to Lemus, April 24, 1842. Sails for Campeche in an hour. Moore, To the People of Texas, 56.

Moore to Cárdenas, April 25 [?], 1842. Will give the necessary orders for the safety of the vessels mentioned in his letter of April [26]?. Moore, To the People of Texas, 58.

Moore to Lemus, April 26, 1842. Regrets that the monthly payments will be suspended. Texas has proven her friendship to Yucatán. Moore, To the People of Texas, 59.

Cárdenas to Moore, April 26, 1842. The flag of Mexico is still the flag of Yucatán. Names several schooners that fly this flag and hopes they will not be molested. Moore, To the People of Texas, 56-58.

Moore to Lemus, May 26, 1842. Captain Seeger will visit Mérida to settle for the money still due Texas. Moore, To the People of Texas, 76.

De Llergo to Moore, June 8, 1842. Incloses a copy of the official communication addressed to Mr. Seeger. Moore, To the People of Texas, 76-77.

Moore to Cárdenas, January 16, 1843. Incloses a letter for the governor. Moore, To the People of Texas, 121.

Moore to the governor of Yucatán, January 17, 1843. Asks for \$8,000 so that he can refit and attack the common enemy. Moore, To the People of Texas, 119-121.

Barbachano to Moore, January 31, 1843. Mr. Peraza is fully authorized on the subject of Moore's letter of January 16. The pecuniary aid will be given as soon as Peraza arrives in New Orleans. Moore, To the People of Texas, 122.

Mendez to Moore, February 3, 1843. Peraza has already sailed with the \$8,000. Moore, To the People of Texas, 122-124.

Cárdenas to Moore, February 5, 1843. Has complied with Moore's request of January 16, and placed the letter in the hands of the governor. Moore, To the People of Texas, 124.

Moore to Mendez, February 23, 1843. Received his communication of January 27, 1843. Had concluded an agreement with Peraza a few days before. Moore, To the People of Texas, 128-129.

Moore to Barbachano, February 24, 1843. Has concluded an agreement with Peraza. Moore, To the People of Texas, 129.

Houston to Morgan and Bryan, March 23, 1843. Authorizes Morgan and Bryan to secure possession of national vessels, equipments, etc., to call upon the United States in case of resistance, and to deprive E. W. Moore of the command which he has held contrary to orders since October 29, 1842. The Morning Star, June 13, 1843.

Moore to Barbachano, April 28, 1843. Informs him of his arrival at Sisal. Moore, To the People of Texas, 148.

Barbachano to Moore, May 1, 1843. Glad Moore has arrived. The Yucatán Government has ordered a renewal of hostilities with Mexico. Moore, To the People of Texas, 148.

Moore to Barbachano, May 15, 1843. Thinks he should have been consulted in the making of the treaty of capitulation, since it stipulates that he is not to attack transport vessels. Moore, To the People of Texas, 157-158.

Barbachano to Moore, May 20, 1843. Moore's objection to the treaty is well founded but it was entered into to free Yucatán of the capitulating forces. Moore, To the People of Texas, 158-159.

Moore to Mendez, May 22, 1843. Asks for the services of a vessel. Moore, To the People of Texas, 163.

Mendez to Moore, May 22, 1843. The schooner *Independencia* will be placed under his orders. Moore, To the People of Texas, 167.

Moore to Mendez, May 26, 1843. Would like to use the *Independencia* for another cruise. Moore, To the People of Texas, 163-164.

Mendez to Moore, May 26, 1843. Has no objection to his using the *Independencia*. Moore, To the People of Texas, 164.

Moore to Barbachano, June 1, 1843. Requests him to remit the balance of the \$8,000 that was due on May 30. Moore, To the People of Texas, 166.

Barbachano to Moore, June 24, 1843. The Government of Yucatán will pay the rest of the \$8,000, but thereafter can pay no more. Moore, To the People of Texas, 167-168.

Moore to Barbachano, June 27, 1843. Has drawn on him for \$300. Moore, To the People of Texas, 176.

Moore to Barbachano, June 28, 1843. Leaves for Sisal to get the \$2,000 that is still due him. Should Yucatán be again involved in war it will be a pleasure to come to her aid again. Moore, To the People of Texas, 177.

Moore to Barbachano, June 30, 1843. In consequence of President Houston's proclamation, is anxious to get back to Texas. Asks for an order for \$2,000. Moore, To the People of Texas, 177.

Barbachano to Moore, July 6, 1843. Moore's brother has received \$1,700 which with the \$300 previously received clears the debt. Moore, To the People of Texas, 178.

#### CORRESPONDENCE WITH GREAT BRITAIN.

Irion to Henderson, August 3, 1837 (extract). Captain Thompson of the *Invincible* transcended his orders in capturing the *Eliza Russell*. Henderson is to make a candid statement to the English Government and express the regrets of the Texan Government. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 5-6.<sup>a</sup>

Certificate of Carpizo, August 11, 1837. The affair of the *Little Penn* and the capture of the *Eliza Russell*. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 16-17; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, November 5, 1837.

Henderson to Palmerston, October [26], 1837. Apologizes for the seizure and detention of the *Eliza Russell*. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 13; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, November 5, 1837.

Palmerston to Henderson, October 31, 1837. Has received Henderson's of the 26th. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 14; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, November 5, 1837.

Henderson to Irion, November 5, 1837 (extract). Incloses copies of correspondence with Palmerston concerning the *Eliza Russell* claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 13-14.

<sup>a</sup> This report contains, besides the letters calendared, considerable matter not belonging to the Diplomatic Correspondence, but nevertheless pertinent to the British claims. Only one copy of it, so far as I have been able to learn, is in existence, and that belongs to Mr. Richard Burgess of El Paso, Tex., who has kindly lent it to the editor to use in preparing this volume.

Protest of Joseph Russell and others, December 2, 1837 (extract). The capture and detention of the *Eliza Russell*. Statement of the claim and description of various documents submitted to sustain it. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 20-23; copy inclosed with Tolme to Palmerston, December 20, 1837.

Tolme<sup>a</sup> to Palmerston, December 20, 1837. Transmits extracts from the protest of Joseph Russell relative to the capture of the *Eliza Russell*. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 20-23.

Lizardi & Co. to Palmerston, January 5, 1838. Gives an account of the seizure of goods carried by the *Little Penn*. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 15-16; copy inclosed with Palmerston to Henderson, January 24, 1838.

Palmerston to Henderson, January 24, 1838 (extract). Transmits copy of a letter from Lizardi & Co. with statement of property seized on the *Little Penn*. British Government can not doubt, since Henderson's letter of October 26, that the Texan authorities will order immediate restitution. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 14; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, January 30, 1838.

Henderson to Palmerston, January 25, 1838. Has received Palmerston's of January 24; but, being without instructions on the subject, can only transmit them to his Government. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 18; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, January 30, 1838.

Henderson to Irion, January 30, 1838. Incloses correspondence with Palmerston as to damages in the case of the *Little Penn*. Does not regard the claim as just, but suggests necessity for prompt attention to it. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 14-18.

Palmerston to Henderson, February 19, 1838. Transmits documents relative to the case of the *Eliza Russell*. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 19; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, March 8, 1838.

Henderson to Palmerston, February 20, 1838. Acknowledges receipt of Palmerston's of the 19th with accompanying documents; will transmit them to his Government for advice. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 23; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, March 8, 1838.

Henderson to Irion, March 8, 1838. Transmits Palmerston to Henderson of February 19, 1838, with inclosures. Seizure of the *Eliza Russell* legal. Admissions obtained from Palmerston. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 19-26.

Irion to Henderson, May 20, 1838 (extract). The Texan Government has never authorized nor sanctioned violations of neutrality by its officers. The evidence of illegal seizure in the case of the *Little Penn* is not satisfactory. The appointment of an English agent in Texas would greatly facilitate the adjustment of private claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 6-7.

Irion to Henderson, June 6, 1838 (extract). Congress has made no appropriation to pay the *Eliza Russell* claim. Texan Government not disposed to reject just claims, but it will be difficult to adjust them without a resident English agent. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 7.

Palmerston to Henderson, August 24, 1838. Refers to correspondence concerning the *Little Penn* and *Eliza Russell* claims and asks what has been done to fulfill the promises made. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 27; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, September 5, 1838.

Statement of Captain Russell's claim, September [1], 1838. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 44; copy inclosed with Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co.,<sup>b</sup> December 12, 1838.

<sup>a</sup> Improperly given as "Tolene" in the printed copy.    <sup>b</sup> Printed as "Arranquiz, Drooster, & Co."

Henderson to Palmerston, September 3, 1838. Acknowledges receipt of Palmerston's communication of August 24. Defends the condemnation of the *Abispa* and denies that the *Brutus* took any goods from the *Little Penn.* The President recommended to Congress an appropriation to pay the *Eliza Russell* claims, and it failed only because the owner failed to appear personally, or by his authorized agent, to fix the sum justly due. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 28-30; copy inclosed with Henderson to Irion, September 5, 1838.

Henderson to Irion, September 5, 1838. Recites correspondence with Irion relative to the *Little Penn* claims and sends copies of correspondence with Palmerston on that subject. Complains of the unsatisfactory nature of the evidence furnished him by the Texan Government. Less difficulty in dealing with the case of the *Eliza Russell.* Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 26-31.

Henderson to Irion, October 28, 1838 (extract). Prays to be furnished immediately with more definite information concerning the British claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 32.

Backhouse to [Swain, Stevens & Co.], November 1, 1838. Summarizes the history of the *Eliza Russell* claim. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 42; copy inclosed with Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co., December 12, 1838.

Adam to [Nash], November 20, 1838. Has seen Mr. Backhouse relative to the *Eliza Russell* claims and will communicate whatever he may say. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 42; copy inclosed with Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co., December 12, 1838.

Adam to [Nash], November 21, 1838. Mr. Backhouse states that the case of the *Eliza Russell* is still before the Queen's advocate. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 43; copy inclosed with Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co., December 12, 1838.

Adam to Nash, November 25, 1838. Has communicated the letter received yesterday to Mr. Backhouse, who replied that he hoped soon to be able to give information in regard to the *Eliza Russell.* Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 43; copy inclosed with Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co., December 12, 1838.

Irion to Henderson, November 28, 1838 (extract). Henderson's course as to the British claims for indemnity approved. He is authorized to settle the *Eliza Russell* claims for any amount up to the £365 demanded. The Texan Government is convinced the Mexicans got most of the goods from the *Little Penn.* The Government is not disposed to evade any just claims for indemnity. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 8-10.

Backhouse to Swain, Stevens & Co., December [1], 1838. In reply to theirs of November 28, sends a letter from Palmerston to Shields, British consul at Laguna, directing him to assist Captain Russell in the case against him at that place. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 43; copy inclosed with Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co., December 12, 1838.

Swain, Stevens & Co. to Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co., December 12, 1838. Asks Arrangoiz, Droosten & Co. to write to agents of the *Eliza Russell* claims at New Orleans directing them to urge the settlement of the claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 41-44; copy inclosed with Vogelgsang & Co. to Webb, April 16, 1839.

Henderson to Secretary of State [Bee], January 26, 1839 (extract). Calls attention again to the British Claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 33.

Henderson to Bee, March 10, 1839 (extract). Hopes to be able to settle the claims with the British Government soon. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 32.

Irion  
of th  
ackn  
Hou  
V  
mad  
Incl  
Rel  
Cr  
for t  
on F  
Jo  
do  
men  
H  
mer  
orar  
H  
Jon  
Jon  
P  
ject  
cop  
E  
183  
Off  
E  
Ap  
Tex  
in l  
on  
I  
Bu  
hav  
on  
J  
an  
fir  
to  
He  
coj  
cla  
Co  
tot  
be  
st  
cl  
4  
T  
14  
12  
—



Irion to Henderson, March 20, 1839 (extract). A claim for indemnity in the case of the *Eliza Russell* has been made on the Texan Government. Its justice has been acknowledged by the president, who has promised to recommend payment. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 6.

Vogelsgang<sup>a</sup> & Co. to Webb, April 16, 1839. Have had no answer to requests made for the settlement of the *Eliza Russell* claims through Thomas Toby and others. Inclose correspondence concerning the claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 40-44.

Crawford to Webb, April 17, 1839. Asks on behalf of G. Vogelsgang & Co., agents for the owner of the *Eliza Russell*, attention to his claims. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 40-44.

Jones to Hughes, April 24, 1839. Appreciates his interest in Texas; thinks he can do much in England and France to secure the recognition of Texas. Incloses a memorandum of Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 148-151.

Hughes to Jones, June 10, 1839 (extract). Incloses a letter from Hughes to Palmerston on behalf of Texas. Texas will soon be accorded recognition. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 151.

Hughes to Palmerston, June 10, 1839. Incloses Jones's Memorandum on Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 151-152; copy inclosed in Hughes to Jones, June 10, 1839.

Palmerston to Hughes, June 10, 1839. Thanks him for his letter on Texas; the subject is important but difficult. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 152; copy inclosed with Hughes to Jones, June 10, 1839.

Hughes to Jones, June 10, 1839, midnight. Incloses Palmerston's letter of June 10, 1839. Believes Texas will soon be recognized by England. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 152-153.

Burnet to Crawford, June 14, 1839. Acknowledges receipt of Crawford's letter of April 17 concerning the *Eliza Russell* claims. Excuses the former admissions of the Texan Government and argues against the justice of the claims. Congress will meet in November, and the subject will be presented to it again. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 11-12.

Burnet to Henderson, June 16, 1839 (extract). Sends copy of a letter addressed by Burnet to the British consul at New Orleans relative to the *Eliza Russell* claims, which have risen to double the amount originally demanded. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 10-12.

Palmerston to Henderson, October 23, 1839. States the amount of the *Eliza Russell* and *Little Penn* claims and refers to the promise by the Texan authorities to settle the first. The British Government would be justified in sending a ship of war to Texas to enforce payment of the claims, but wishes to try one more application through Henderson. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 33-34; copy transmitted with McIntosh to Secretary of State, November 12, 1839.

Palmerston to Henderson, October 23, 1839. Asks relief for certain British subjects, claiming lands in Texas. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 35; Telegraph and Texas Register, October 18, 1843; The Morning Star (Houston), October 14, 1843; copy transmitted with McIntosh to Secretary of State, November 12, 1839.

Henderson to Palmerston, October 30, 1839. Acknowledges receipt of both Palmerston's communications of the 23rd. Discusses the *Eliza Russell* claim and the land claims of certain British subjects. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 36-38; Journal and Advertiser (San Augustine, Tex.), June 11, 1840; Telegraph and Texas Register, October 18, 1843 (extract); The Morning Star, October 14, 1843 (extract); copy transmitted with McIntosh to Secretary of State, November 12, 1839.

<sup>a</sup> Mutilated by the printer into Vogieraug.

McIntosh to Secretary of State [Burnet], November 12, 1839. Henderson has left the business of the legation in McIntosh's hands. Incloses correspondence with British Government concerning claims against Texas. Existing Government too fearful of offending O'Connell and the Abolitionists to extend recognition to Texas. Report House Committee on Foreign Relations, 4th Tex. Cong., 33-39.

McGregor to President of Texas, December 26, 1839. Commander Ramsey has been ordered to support Commander Hamilton in his mission to Texas to recover certain "British negroes" supposed to be held in slavery in Texas. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 19.

McGregor to President of Texas, December 26, 1839. Asks aid for Commander Hamilton, of the British navy, in identifying and recovering certain negroes, subjects of Great Britain, alleged to be held in slavery in Texas. House Journal, 5th Tex., Cong., Appendix, 19-20.

Burnet to Hamilton, January 29, 1840. Professes ignorance of any negroes, British subjects, held in slavery in Texas, but promises assistance if such can be identified. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 22-23.

Lipscomb to Hamilton, February 14, 1840. Incloses Proclamation concerning negroes, British subjects alleged to be held in slavery in Texas. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 23-24.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, February 25, 1840 (extract). Asks for commission to treat with Belgium for recognition, and hopes for aid from France in securing a loan in Europe. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 284-285.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, February 27, 1840. Demands delivery of negro "John", a British subject alleged to be held in slavery in Texas, and incloses statement as to present ownership of said negro. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 20-21.

Lipscomb to Hamilton, March 31, 1840. Declares that question as to ownership of a certain negro, if found to be a slave, must take usual course of law, but if proved to be a British subject will be delivered to proper authorities. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 24-25.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, April 21, 1840. Acknowledges receipt of letter from Lipscomb, March 31, 1840. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 21-22.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, April 21, 1840. Reports success in mission of identifying and recovering negroes, subjects of Great Britain, alleged to be held in slavery in Texas. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 22.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, June 3, 1840. Reports prospects for loan bright; reports chartering of vessels by Mexico in Great Britain for attack on Texas. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 285-286.

Lipscomb to Hamilton, June 6, 1840. Revokes instructions for purchase of arms, munitions, etc., in Great Britain and France. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 280-281.

Palmerston to Hamilton, October 18, 1840.<sup>a</sup> England is ready to enter into a commercial treaty with Texas and to recognize her on condition that Texas shall assist in suppressing the African slave trade. Incloses draft of a convention. Telegraph and Texas Register, January 12, 1842; copy inclosed with Hamilton to Lipscomb, January 4, 1841.

Hamilton to Palmerston, October 20, 1840. Acknowledges receipt of Palmerston's letter of October 18, 1840, and the draft of a convention. With some slight changes, he is ready to sign it. Telegraph and Texas Register, January 12, 1842; copy inclosed with Hamilton to Lipscomb, January 4, 1841.

Palmerston to Hamilton, November 5, 1840. The signing of the treaty will have to be postponed a week. Colorado Gazette and Advertiser (Matagorda), January 23, 1841; House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 382-383.

<sup>a</sup> A few lines at the beginning of the letter were omitted in printing it.

re  
m  
18

of

ex  
M

fa  
en

fr  
li

to  
A

fo  
A

n  
b

i  
l

l  
f

l  
l

(

Hamilton to Lamar, November 6, 1840. The preliminary articles of a treaty of recognition, amity, and commerce have been agreed upon. Incloses a copy of Palmerston's note of November 6, 1840. Colorado Gazette and Advertiser, January 23, 1841; House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 381-382.

Hamilton to Jones, November 6, 1840 (extract). Has procured the recognition of Texas by England. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 156.

Smith to Jones, June 8, 1842. The ratifications of the treaty have not yet been exchanged. The sympathies of England are for Mexico and against Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 182-184.

Teulon to Jones, June 25, 1842. Is still in London and without money. Has not faith in the ministry; it favors Mexico. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 189-190.

Smith to Jones, July 10, 1842 (extract). Texan bonds in England. Incloses note from G. Shaw to Thos. Wilson & Co. Telegraph and Texas Register, February 22, 1843.

Elliot to Jones, September 30, 1842. Urges the claims of certain British subjects to lands in Texas. Telegraph and Texas Register, April 3, 1844. The Morning Star, April 2, 1844.

Jones to Elliot, December 24, 1842 (extract). The claims of the British subjects for lands in Texas will be presented to Congress. Telegraph and Texas Register, April 3, 1844; the Morning Star, April 2, 1844.

Jones to Smith, January 31, 1843. Smith is to make representations to the governments of France and Great Britain relative to the predatory warfare carried on by Mexico. Telegraph and Texas Register, June 21, 1843.

Elliot to Jones, February 4, 1843. Presents the claims of Beales and others to lands in Texas. The Morning Star, April 2, 1844; Telegraph and Texas Register, April 3, 1844.

Jones to Elliot, February 16, 1843. Has received his communications of January 17, 1843, and February 4, 1843. Desires a personal interview with Elliot. The Morning Star, April 9, 1844; Telegraph and Texas Register, April 10, 1844.

Jones to Smith, June 10, 1843. The relations of Texas with Mexico. The Red-Lander, April 20, 1844; Telegraph and Texas Register, November 13, 1844 (extract). Duplicate sent to Van Zandt.

Elliot to Jones, July 7, 1843. Is without authority to appoint a consul at Corpus Christi. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 226-227.

Smith to Aberdeen, August 1, 1843. The persons working in London for the abolition of slavery in Texas are not recognized by the Texas government. Niles' Register, LXVI, 97; copy in Smith to Jones, September 20, 1843.

Smith to Jones, August 2, 1843. The abolition of slavery is the avowed purpose of the English Government. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 236-237. Elliot to Jones, August 17, 1843. The claims for the *Eliza Russell* should be adjusted. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 246-247.

Elliot to Jones, August 17, 1843 (extract). Hopes the President will make a representation to Congress relative to the land claims of certain British subjects. The Morning Star, April 9, 1844; Telegraph and Texas Register, April 10, 1844.

Elliot to Jones, August 17, 1843. Urges settlement of *Eliza Russell* claims. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 246-247.

Elliot to Jones, August 28, 1843. Believes General Houston will accede to the proposition of Santa Anna relative to the exchange of prisoners. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 248.

Kennedy to Jones, September 4, 1843. Thanks him for his communication of August 20, 1843. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 249.

Jones to Elliot, September 11, 1843. Glad that he has been able to settle the claim for the *Eliza Russell*, Relations with Mexico. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 250-253.

Aberdeen to Smith, September 11, 1843. Acknowledges Smith's note of August 1. Her Majesty's Government has no intention of interfering in the internal affairs of Texas, but wishes to see slavery abolished throughout the world and is not surprised that private individuals should do their best to attain an object so desirable. Niles' Register, LXVI, 97; copy in Smith to Jones, September 20, 1843.

Elliot to Jones, September 14, 1843. Thanks him for his prompt attention to the case of the *Eliza Russell*. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 256.

Green to Elliot, November 6, 1843. Requests copies of certain letters. Green, Texan Expedition against Mier, 456; Telegraph and Texas Register, December 13, 1843; The Morning Star, December 12, 1843.

Elliot to Green, November 7, 1843. Declines his request for copies of certain letters. Green, Expedition against Mier, 456; Telegraph and Texas Register, December 13, 1843; The Morning Star, December 12, 1843.

Green to Elliot, November 7, 1843. States reasons for applying for copies of certain letters on November 6, 1843. Green, Expedition against Mier, 456-457; Telegraph and Texas Register, December 13, 1843; The Morning Star, December 12, 1843.

Kennedy to Jones, November 9, 1843. Pringles project for a colony in Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 269.

Aberdeen to Pakenham, December 26, 1843. Great Britain desires to see Texan Independence established, but with no occult designs. She wishes to see slavery abolished in Texas, but will not interfere unduly or improperly. Senate Docs., 28th Cong., 1st Sess., V (Serial No. 435), Doc. 341, pp. 48-49; Niles' Register, LXVI, 171; copy inclosed with Elliot to Jones, February 10, 1844.

Elliot to Jones, January 8, 1844. Has heard that Texas has settled her difficulties with Mexico; hopes for news of the release of the Texan prisoners. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 301.

Elliot to Jones, February 10, 1844. Sends a copy of a despatch from Pakenham. Is persuaded that annexation is entirely out of the question. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 307-308.

Jones to Elliot, March 18, 1844. Incloses a copy of the proposed armistice between Texas and Mexico, which can not be accepted. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 327, 328.

Elliot to Jones, March 22, 1844. The British Government is engaged in an effort to procure the recognition of Texas by Mexico. Asks for explanations concerning the contemplated move for annexation. Green, Expedition against Mier, 483; Niles' Register, LXVIII, 35; The Red-Lander, June 15, 1844.

Elliot to Jones, March 22, 1844. Thanks him for his letter of February 16, 1844. Believes that annexation will be defeated in the United States Senate. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 329-331.

Jones to Elliot, March 25, 1844. Gives the explanations requested by Elliot in his note of March 22, 1844. The Red-Lander, June 15, 1844.

Elliot to Jones, April 3, 1844. Believes the time very favorable for the mediation of France and England. Niles' Register, LXVI, 280; The Red-Lander, June 15, 1844; The Morning Star, June 8, 1844; Telegraph and Texas Register, June 12, 1844.

Smith to Jones, June 2, 1844 (extract). Lord Aberdeen remarked that he would say nothing more about slavery. The Red-Lander, August 31, 1844.

Kennedy to Jones, June 3, 1844. Received Jones's letters of May 2 and 19, 1844. Can not come to Washington. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 357-359.

Elliot to Jones, undated (extract). Has informed British Government of Houston's determination to sustain the independence of the Republic, and supposes that Hender-

son's mission to the United States is to explain this position. The Morning Star, June 27, 1844.

Jones to Smith, September 30, 1844 (extract). The subject of abolition can not and will not be entertained by the Government of Texas. The Red-Lander, August 31, 1844.

Smith to Jones, December 24, 1844. Just arrived from Liverpool. Tells of interviews with Guizot and Aberdeen. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 411-412.

Elliot to Allen, January 8, 1845. Asks for settlement of *Little Penn* claims, and incloses declaration of Thomas Hibbert, September 16, 1844, in support of said claim. Senate Journal, 9th Tex. Cong., extra sess., 62-64.

Elliot to Jones, January 14, 1845. General Green is singing another verse to the tune of British influence. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 413-414.

Terrell to Jones, January 21, 1845. Has been in London nine days. Tells of an interview with Aberdeen. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 415-417.

Terrell to Jones, February 2, 1845 (extract). Since his last despatch he has had two interviews with Aberdeen. Was assured that England had no desire to acquire Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 419-420.

Terrell to Jones, February 13, 1845. Has arrived at Paris from London; before leaving he had a conversation with Aberdeen who was rather cool, having heard that Jones favored annexation. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 422-431.

Smith to Elliot, February 22, 1845. Denies validity of *Little Penn* claim on grounds that goods really belonged to Mexicans. Senate Journal, 9th Tex. Cong., extra sess., 64-67.

Jones to Aberdeen, March 31, 1845. It has been thought advisable to have Elliot go to Mexico. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 475-476.

Elliot to Jones, April 3, 1845. The new government in Mexico adheres to the favorable disposition expressed by Santa Anna. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 441.

Elliot to Jones, April 5, 1845. Will leave on the *Eurydice*. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 443.

Smith to Jones, April 9, 1845. Fears that when it is known that he has been sent to Europe public opinion will become inflamed beyond control. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 446-449.

Smith to Jones, April 14, 1845. Will proceed at once to Boston and embark for England where he will use every exertion to accomplish his mission. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 451.

Elliot to Jones, April 21, 1845. The Government of Mexico has demanded of Congress the authority to treat with Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 452-453.

Smith to Jones, May 1, 1845. Arrived at Boston; leaves at once for England. His journey has caused much speculation in the United States. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 456-457.

Elliot to Jones, June 12, 1845. The excitement in the United States may drive the Mexicans out of the humor of complying with the preliminaries of the treaty. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 468-469.

Elliot to Jones, June 13, 1845. Should the present storm blow over, Texas can rely on the friendship of England. Implores Jones to preserve Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 470-471.

Elliot to Allen, June 13, 1845. Takes formal leave upon departing from Texas. Senate Journal, 9th Tex. Cong., extra sess., 67-68.

Allen to Smith, June 26, 1845. There is no doubt that annexation will be accomplished; recalls Smith. The Morning Star, August 16, 1845; Telegraph and Texas Register, August 20, 1845.

Terrell to Jones, July 25, 1845 (extract). Has just arrived from Liverpool. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 481.

Elliot to Jones, January 4, 1846. Sends a copy of a despatch from Lord Aberdeen. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 508.

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH FRANCE.

Henderson to Jones, October 6, 1838. Had an interview with Count Molé relative to recognition. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 133-135.

Henderson to Jones, October 28, 1838. Believes Texas will be recognized by France before March. He is not much concerned about a commercial arrangement. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 135-137.

Henderson to Jones, November 12, 1838 (extract). The withdrawal of the annexation proposition has removed the one obstacle to the recognition of Texas by France and England. His proposition for a commercial arrangement will be accepted by the French King. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 137-138.

Henderson to Jones, December 5, 1838 (extract). Thinks Texas should not allow vessels manned by free negroes to enter her ports. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 138-139.

Henderson to Jones, December 28, 1838. Nothing of importance has transpired since his last. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 144-145.

Henderson to Jones, June 20, 1839. The French King is anxious to recognize Texas provided Saligny's report is favorable. Pontois thinks that the question of slavery is influencing Great Britain to delay recognition. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 146-147.

Soult to Hamilton, September 12, 1839. The Republic of France will facilitate the negotiation of the loan. Telegraph and Texas Register, February 16, 1842.

Henderson to Jones, September 27, 1839 (extract). Has completed the negotiation for the loan. Will leave for England in a few days. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 147-148.

Hughes to Jones, March 24, 1840. Tells of his part in bringing about recognition by France. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 153-155.

Guizot to Hamilton, March 31, 1841. Received his letter in which he recalls the promise of Marshall Soult. A guaranty of such a nature would have to be submitted to the Chambers. Doubts its passage. Telegraph and Texas Register, February 16, 1842.

Hamilton to Guizot, April 21, 1841. Regrets that the Government has withdrawn its guaranty of the loan. Telegraph and Texas Register, February 16, 1842.

Saligny to Jones, November 21, 1841 (extract). His Government has vindicated him of the charges against him and he is preparing to return to Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 173-174.

Saligny to Jones, December 6, 1841 (extract). Thinks the views of his Government relative to the charges against him are as conciliatory as those of Texas. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 174-177.

Hamilton to Jones, March 2, 1842. Thinks that the Saligny affair should be kept open no longer. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 177.

Jones to Smith, January 31, 1843. Smith is to make representations to the Governments of France and Great Britain relative to the predatory warfare carried on by Mexico. Telegraph and Texas Register, June 21, 1843.

Jones to Smith, June 10, 1843. See Calendar of Correspondence with Great Britain.

Hughes to Jones, November 24, 1843 (extract). Claims credit for securing recognition of Texan independence by France in 1839. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 271-273.

Te  
30

po

Jo

trc  
sp  
MLe  
44Te  
en

U

St

G  
co  
One  
B  
H

A

H

Smith to Jones, January 29, 1844. Believes the best feelings are entertained for Texas both at Paris and London. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 304-305.

Guizot to Saligny, August 1, 1844. Saligny is to discourage annexation as much as possible. Niles' Register, LXIX, 403.

Smith to Jones, November 14, 1844. Glad to hear of his election as President. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 399-401.

Terrell to Jones, November 22, 1844 (extract). Saligny has received despatches from his Government on the subject of annexation. France will give the guaranty spoken of by Doctor Smith provided Texas will suspend annexation operations. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 404-405.

Saligny to Jones, April 3, 1845 (extract). Has received cheering news from Mexico. Leaves for New Orleans soon. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 443-444.

Saligny to Jones, May, 1845. The Deputies of Mexico have declared in favor of Texan independence by a vote of 41-43. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 463-464.

DeCyprey to Jones, May 20, 1845. See Calendar of Correspondence with the United States in Part I.

Jones to DeCyprey, June 6, 1845. See Calendar of Correspondence with the United States in Part I.

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH SPAIN.

Fisher to Jones, May 3, 1842. Gives news of movement of Spanish fleet in the Gulf of Mexico, and suggests that negotiations be opened with Spain for a treaty of commerce in order that she may not force the blockade. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 195-196.

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH BELGIUM.

Lipscomb to Hamilton and Burnley, April 18, 1840. Hamilton is authorized to negotiate a treaty of amity and commerce with Belgium. Relations between Great Britain and the United States, and status of affairs between Mexico and Texas. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 277-280.

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE NETHERLANDS.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, June 6, 1840. Asks for power to treat with Belgium and Holland for the recognition of independence, and for commercial treaties. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 286.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, July 28, 1840. Reports progress of negotiations with the Netherlands for recognition preparatory to securing a loan, and discusses prospects for securing a loan in France or Great Britain. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 287-291.

Hamilton to Lipscomb, September 1, 1840. Reports on course of negotiations with the Netherlands for recognition, and discusses prospects for securing a loan in Europe. House Journal, 5th Tex. Cong., Appendix, 292-293.

## CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE HANSE TOWNS.

Daingerfield to Jones, February 4, 1843. Has received information relative to the government of the Hanse Towns. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 207-209.

Daingerfield to Jones, April 22, 1844. Sends greetings. For official information refers to despatches of the same date. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 347-348.

Daingerfield to Jones, November 8, 1844. Congratulates Jones on his election to the Presidency. Has been counteracting Mexican influence in Hamburg. Jones, Memoranda and Official Correspondence, 394-396.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE PAPAL STATES.

Cardinal Fransonius to President of Texan Republic [Burnet], July 18, 1840 (translation). Announces appointment of John Timon as prefect apostolic, or pastor of the Catholic Church in Texas, and of other priests as his associates, asks that property of the church be turned over to Timon, and commends them all to Burnet's aid and protection. Ikin, Texas, 77-78.

Burnet to Cardinal Fransonius, December 24, 1840. Announces that principles of religious toleration prevail in Texas although most of the citizens are Protestants, and promises that such property of the Catholic Church as can be identified will be turned over to Timon. Ikin, Texas, 78-79.