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de Galveston.

Barataria 21st July 1830.

Dear Sir. The Schooner Transport Captain
Bradford arrived here yesterday she was boarded
outside the Bar by Mitchell, who received her
Manifest Register, and Letters. The Manifest
and Register were included in one and placed
into the hands of Mr. Marsh to deliver but
on receiving the Packages found the Register
had been taken out by the Captain, you have
been enclosed; Manifest, Passengers List
&c. Capt. Brown sails for San Felipe this
evening where you have an opportunity of
collecting of him the Funnage duty on the
Transport. There are several Reports in
circulation relative to you, one of which
is that Genl. Teran had written you, to
stop collecting the Funnage duties until
further instructions from the Government on
the subject, this appears to be generally be-
lieved, an other is that you were about to
resign your office &c. There are some others
but I will relate them to you when we
meet again. I am now sailing for
Matagorda, I hope you have received
my letter by Mr. Scott, and have to
request your answer to the same as early
as possible, for in the event of your not
considering it within the bounds of your
duty, I will of course be obliged to go
on to La Bahia, altho my health
is such, as almost forbids the attempt

I was glad to learn your health was
completely restored. Very Respectfully Your
Obedt Servt - Geo. B. McKinstry. To
Serge Fisher Exp. San Felipe de Austin
Harrisburgh. Thursday P. M. 21st
July 1830 - They arrived in this Port
this morning the Sloop Alabama Packet
from New Orleans, Captain Lovejoy, with
about twenty or twenty five Passengers
among which is Capt Harris of the House
of John R. Harris, late of this place,
all I believe in good health the fatigues
of the Passage excepted. Cargo: Whiskey
Flour, Castings &c. She had some Tobacco
on board but the Passengers and Crew in
general (I believe) declare and say that the
Captain on hearing of the difficulties of bring-
ing Tobacco into this Government, actually
threw overboard and into the Water, all the
Bales of Tobacco, say twenty or twenty five
which they had on board. I have not recd
your drafts or proposal of either Light
house or Customhouse, and never having re-
ceived instructions from you, nor signed
any official Bond, I have not attempted
to discharge the duties of Deputy Customhouse
Officer, nor shall I until further directed.
Reports are various here, some say the
Office is to remain the same, the duties of some
posting goods free of duties are lengthen-
ed for two years more. It is so that I
should esteem it a singular favor
if you would write to me by
Capt. Herlow, or some certain Conveyer
so that I may get your Answer &c.
Respectfully. W. D. Dunlap. To Ser-
ge Fisher Exp. San Felipe de Austin

Harrisburgh 24th July 1830. I
wrote to you a few days past since which
I have received yours of the 21st instant
and have and shall continue to act ac-
cordingly. — W. D. Dunlap. — Sr Jorge
Fisher Esq. San Felipe de Austin —
Et Copia de su original que Certifico.
Hecho en Austin a 27 de Julio 1830.

Jorge Fisher