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Dear Sir

I understand that my son in law Liet. Col. Taylor has applied for the appointment of his son Francis H. Taylor to the office of military Storekeeper in Oregon, and I beg leave respectfully to unite with him in this application

Mr Francis H. Taylor is a young gentleman of unexceptionable character - well educated, - & intended to follow the profession of a Civil Engineer. But his health has suffered under the exposure of his professional pursuits; and it will require some time and a different occupation to reestablish it. He is I am satisfied well qualified for the appointment he desires and would faithfully discharge its duties.

The large family of Col? Taylor would make the appointment of his son at this time very convenient to him: and perhaps his military services, which are so much better known to you than to myself, may afford some ground for a favorable decision.

With the highest respect

I am Dr Sir Yr Obt. Svt

R. B. Taney

To

The President

of the U. States

Washington