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Number 173:

The governor of the province of Los Texas remits to Your Lordship the report of balances and debts of the troops of the cavalry company of this presidio of La Bahía del [E]sp[í]ritu Santo. The report pertains to the adjustment of accounts [for the period] from the month of September of the proximate past year of 1779 to the end of December of that year. The report and the note preceding it will inform Your Lordship of the balances in the troop's favor.

My dear Sir:

By the enclosed report of the balances and debts Your Lordship will be informed of balances pertaining to the troops of the cavalry company of this presidio of La Bahía del Espíritu Santo; these balances result from the adjustment of accounts made against those troops [for the period] from the month of September of the proximate past year of 1779 to the end of December of that same year. For your further information the said report includes a note <sup>lv</sup> // which will familiarize Your Lordship with all these particulars.

Our Lord protect Your Lordship's life many years.

Bahía del Espíritu Santo, January 15, 1780.

Your Lordship's most devoted  
and faithful servant kisses  
your hand.

Lord Commandant General }  
Cav[aller]o de Croix }

Dom[ing]o Cabello

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