

1630 December 27 ST AGI 54-5-10 N°30 bnd 1249

St Augustine. Letter from gov Andres Rodriguez de Villegas to the king. 7pp.

Replies to cedula of July 9, 1629 and March 11, 1629 (reference only); regarding treatment of Indians and oficios in that area; offices and descriptions by Villegas; certification by escrivano Juan de Cueva of salaries paid at the presidio.

1631 n.d. ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1231, p. 5

(Spain) Petition of Maria Menendez (Copy) 2 pp

Heirs of Maria Menendez recall previous petition to receive 400 ducados granted to their late mother, for their support. If Fla. lacks funds for grant they suggest money be given by Viceroy of Peru, from Indians.

6. N.d. Council discusses situation of Francisco Menendez at the death of his father who was tesorero in Fla. while his father Juan Menendez was Gov. of Popayan.

1631 January 18 ST AGI 54-5-10 32 bnd 1253

LaFlorida to Madrid. Letter from Andres Rodriguez de Villegas. 4pp.

Description of fort of Havana and how it could be corrected; repeats request for 50 soldiers. Martin de Vallecilla, Dn. Fadrique de Toledo

1630-1640 ST AGI 87-1-1 bnd 1250

St. Augustine. Petitions from Cap Eugenio de Espinosa to king. 9pp.

Concerning (1) chain of command at presidio; (2) license to travel for family and servants; (3) adequate housing within the presidio; king's reply; (4) request for two year leave to attend to family affairs in Toledo; (5) request to return to post.

1631 January 18 ST AGI 54-5-10 31, bnd 1252

St. Aug. Gov. Andres de Villegas' testimonio to the king. 6pp.

Relates taking up of post in LaFlorida; deplorable condition of fort of Havana; appoints substitutes to act in his absence; repeats request for 50 soldiers. Nicolas Ponce de Leon, Eugenio de

1631 March 27 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1254

St. Augustine to Madrid. Fr. Francisco Alonso de Jesus petitions the king. 15pp.

Requests that more religious persons be sent from Spain as they are needed in Fla. Names of intended persons and their origins are included. Luis de Rojas y Borjas.

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1631 January 18 ST AGI 54-5-10 31, bnd 1252

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Espinosa, Alonso de Pastrana, Gomez Alvarez Pineda, Baltasar Perez Salgado, Pedro de Cespedes Vallejo, Pedro de Asprolia.

1631 September 12 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1255

La Florida. Petition of Dionissia Menendez de Posada to the king. 2pp.

Request (represented by?) for monies promised mother upon her father's death.

1631 September 18 ST AGI 54-2-11 2 bnd 1256

St. Augustine. Petition from sgt. mayor Eugenio de Espinosa to king. 4pp.

Requests permission to possess tablas de juego as do sgts. of Panama and Cuba.

1632 January 24 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1258

St. Augustine. Certification by Nicolas Ponce de Leon. 1p.

Re: arrival of 12 religious persons. Fr. Francisco Alonso de Jesus.

1632 March? ST AGI 53-1-6 46 bnd 1259

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(4) Julio? Alfonso Cristin de Castilla; Argel Flanders, Levante, Marta, Valencia; Francis Drake.

(5) Cap. Domingo de la Maza; Enrique Alagon

(6) Almirante Martin de Oruea; Flanders, English channel; Martin de Vallecilla, Gen. Thomas de la Razpuru. (continued)

1631 October 2 ST AGI 54-5-14 90 bnd 1257

St Augustine. Nicolas Ponce de León, Eugenio de Espinosa and Juan Jimenez relate jurisdictional problems between the co-governors (Leon and Espinosa) to the king. 21 pp.

Matters concerning housing, the cajas, patronatos and repartimientos. Also comments on commerce, indians and religious persons. Joseph de Olivera Juan Fernandez de Olivera, Juan de (Arracha?).

1632 March? ST AGI 53-1-6 46 bnd 1259

Madrid. Selection of Luis Horruytiner as new gov. of La Florida. 9pp.

Lists candidates and backgrounds, as well as voting members of the Consejo de Indias:

(1) Cap. Luis de Horruytiner: Flanders, seige of Rinberque, Dutecon and Escudemburg, Amay, Neuporto, Balduque, seige of Ostende, Sicilia; alcalde de la fuerza del Morro, Havana. (continued)

1632 March? ST AGI 53-1-6 46 bnd 1259

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Consejo. Conde la Puebla, Fernando de Villa, Diego de Cardenas, Pedro de (Viriano?), Lorenzo Ramirez, Luis de Paredes, Bustos de Bustamante, Julio Pardo, Conde de Umanes, Julio de (Solorcano?) Pereira.

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1632 March? ST AGI 53-1-6 46 bnd 1259

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(2) Cap. Baltasar de la Cruz: Francia, Italia, Flanders, Milan, La Trinidad; seige of Bracvasco; Duque de Saboya, Archiduque Huerto, Pedro de Toledo; escala de Ginebra.

(3) Cap. Gabriel de Rojas: Sto. Domingo, Flanders, Portugal, seige of Osten, Puerto Rico; Alvaro Xarez. (continued)

1632 August 4 St AGI 54-5-14 92 bnd 1260

La Florida. Letter to the king from Nicolas Ponce de Leon. 4pp.

Related differences between himself and Eugenio Espinosa as interim, co-governors, prior to the arrival of Luis Horruytiner.

1632 September ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1261

Madrid. Petition from Pedro de San Martin to the king. 5pp.

Request an annual allowance based on his years of good service. Background resumé included. Alonso de Paltrana, Juan de Salinas, Bartolome Lopez, Martin Ortiz de Larate, Alonso Diaz; Ata. Catalina.

1633 Feb. 7 ST AGI 54-5-18 doc 4 bnd 1187, p. 16

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of Adelantado of Fla., 40,000 ducados from New Spain and one fishing grounds in Fla.

18. Aug. 19. Consejo de Indias advises that reward granted to Adelantado Menendez must be given to heirs as reply of petition of heirs in 1627

(Cont. 1633 Jun. 9)

1632 September 20 ST AGI 54-5-18 13 bnd 1262

La Florida. Petition from Maria Gonzalez de La Torre to the king. 4pp.

Request concerns annual payment granted her deceased mother now be paid to her; mode of payment. Julio Gonzalez de la Torre, Julio Ruiz de (Aucena?), Luis de Rojas y Borja.

1633 Jan 13 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1265

Madrid Alf Juan de la Herrerias to the King 6p

Requests an allowance for services rendered to the Crown; encloses resume of services. Lorenzo de Cabrera, capt de la Cerda, Geronimo Gomez de Sandoval, Thomas de la Fuente, Thomas de Lorrespuru, Martin de Llanos.

1633 May 12 ST AGI 2-2-245/2/13 bnd 1266

Madrid King to fr Francisco Alonso de Jesus 6p

License to travel, and aid, granted to Jesus, a companion and three servants.

1632 December 24 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1264

St. Augustine. Petition from royal officials to the king. 6pp.

Request that for administrative efficiency at port areas an official be appointed to over-see loading and unloading of ships. Reflects a lack of communications between gov. and royal officials in Havana. Francisco Menendez, Nicolas Ponce de Leon.

1633 Feb. 7 ST AGI 54-5-18 doc 4 bnd 1187, p. 16

Petition of Adel. Martin Menendez de Aviles y Porres (Copy) 4 pp.

16. Confirmation of sentence of law suit dated 1604, Jun 28 between the King's district attorney and Pedro Menendez de Aviles and his son Martin Menendez de Aviles, heirs of Adelantado Pedro Menendez de Aviles, concerning rewards granted to Adelantado but never given. Sentence by which Martin Menendez receives titl

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1633 (Jun. 9) ST AGI 54-5-18 doc 4 bnd 1187, p. 20-21

Madrid. Petition of Adelantado Martin Menendez de Aviles y Porres.

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Requests grants given to his uncle Adelantado Pedro Menendez de Aviles. Lists rewards granted but never received by Adelantado or heirs such as : tithe of Marques, 15% of income from mines in Fla., governorship of Fla. for two generations with 2000

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1633 (June 9) ST AGI 54-5-18 doc 4 bnd 1187, p. 20-21

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ducados salary, authorization for slaves etc.

22. Jun. 9, Madrid. Juan de Castillo from Consejo de Indias gives detailed description of grants and rewards given to the Menendez de Aviles; dates of grants and of Royal Cedula.
38. Petitions of Marquesa de Santa Cruz and Baltasar de Chases y Mendoza for extension of grants.

(Cont. 1643, Nov. 18)

1633 Nov 3 ST AGI 54-5-20/27 bis bnd 1269

St Aug Nicolas Ponce de Leon to the King 4p

Remits testimonio concerning repairs needed on the cathedral, and requests funds be provided; cedula granting money from the cuenta of lic Alonso de la Mota, of Tlaxcala.

1633 Nov 15 ST AGI 54-5-18/15 bnd 1272

St Aug Gov of Fla to the King 3p

Reports on fr Lorenzo Martinez's visita to Apalache area and proposed trip to the interior. Pedro Munoz, Amacanos.

1633 Sept 20 ST AGI 87-1-1 bnd 1268

St Aug Gov and Nicolas Ponce de Leon to the King 4p

Request that the 36 negro slaves, promised per order of an earlier cedula, be delivered to Fla. Gabriel de Alarcon, Juan Menendez Marques, Popoyan, Havana.

1633 Nov 15 ST AGI 54-5-10/35 bnd 1270

St Aug Gov of Fla to the King 6p

Replies to a cedula ordering information concerning the number of clergy there, their needs, and how they will be met in areas which have no encomiendas or tribute revenues(to 1635).

1634

1633 Oct 11 ST AGI 54-5-10/34 bnd 1267

St Aug Gov of Fla to the King 3p

Reports he has assumed post of gov; comments on Havana and his salary. Nicolas Ponce de Leon.

1633 Nov 15 ST AGI 54-5-18/14 bnd 1271

St Aug Gov of Fla to the King 3p

Reports capture of Englishmen, and states all but two will be transferred to Havana; caq Satuache.

1634 February 20 ST AGI 54-5-20 26 bnd 1275

Cuba. Petition from bishop to the king. 2pp.

Request that 12 religious persons be sent so as to remedy lack of same on island.

1634 March 24 ST AGI 54-5-10 36 bnd 1273

St. Augustine. Letter from gov. Horruytiner to the king. 2pp.

Request cedula to allow appointment of substitute in case of his death or absence. Copy of similar cedula issued to ex-gov. Villegas enclosed. Nicolas Ponce deLeon.

1634 May 26 ST AGI 54-5-20 27 bnd 1277

St. Augustine. Petition from Cathedral of St. Aug. to the king. 1p.

Requesting that the promised 200 ducados be sent.

1634 September 7 ST AGI 54-5-18/16 bnd 1280

St. Augustine. Melchor Dorantes petitions the king. 7pp.

Requests that his slave be appointed fifer of infantry company with an annual salary. Enclosed is cedula allowing the same. Luis de Rojas y Borja, Luis Horruytiner, Antonio Martin, Julio Dorantes.

1634 April 7 ST AGI 54-5-10 37 bnd 1274

St. Augustine. Petition from gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Request that entire salary be paid in coin as was ex-gov. Villegas'. Includes cedula of 1628 indicating payment method to Villegas. Nicolas Ponce de Leon.

1634 July 21 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1279

St. Augustine. Request by Felipe de Porres for Martin Menendez de Aviles to the king. 4pp.

As guardian request monies owed Martin. Martin request a merced and an encomienda as descendant of: Pedro Menendez de Aviles, Alberto Sanchez de Aviles, Alvar Sanchez de Aviles. Duke of Escalona.

1634 October 3 ST AGI 58-1-21/2 bnd 1281

Madrid. Cedula from the king. 2pp.

Granting sgt. mayor Epinosa permission to have a tabla de juego as do the sgt. mayores of Havana and Panama.

1634 May 23 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1276

Madrid. Petition from Fernando Gomez to the king. 2 pp.

Request a ventaja upon his return to St. Aug., based on his years of service to the king. Melchor de Orantes, Luis de Rojas; Guala.

1634 September 7 ST AGI 87-1-1 bnd 1278

Spain(1633-36). Petitions from Melchor Dorantes and others from Florida to the king. 5pp.

Requesting cedula authorizing the purchase of goods in Havana or Mexico. Includes 2 cedula: 1627 and 1636. Martin de Cueba.

1634 Nov. 29 ST AGI 58-1-35 bnd 1115, p. 5

Bruselas. Certification of Cpt. Juan de Arcega. 1p.

Certifies services of alferes Luis de Piedra Buena in the company of Marques de Calada.

1634 December 12 ST AGI 54-5-10/38 bnd 1282

St. Augustine. Letter from Nicolas Ponce de Leon to the king. 4pp.

Regarding the full payment of gov.'s salary in coin and exemption of soldiers from almorari-fazgo duties; diezmo figures, 1631-1633; cédulas of Dec. 18, 1604, Dec. 3 1628 and Aug. 1, 1626, regarding above.

1635 February 27 ST AGI 54-5-10/40 bnd 1286

St. Augustine. Petition from Fr. Alonso de Jesus to the king. 3pp.

States need for more religious persons; gives numerical estimates of indians and doctrines; Madrid grants 8 religious persons.

1635 May 20 ST AGI 2-2-245/2 15 bnd 1289

Madrid. Cedula to casa de contratación in Sevilla. 2pp.

Orders casa to provide Francisco de Jesus with ducados needed to transport 8 religious persons. Diego de (Vergara?).

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1635 March 2 ST AGI 54-5-18 17 bnd 1287

St. Augustine and Madrid. Petition from church of St. Aug. to the king. 6pp.

Petitions king for 2000 ducados needed for repairs and promised by previous cedula of Oct. 26, 1626; copy enclosed and response from cajas de Mexico.

1635 July 9 ST AGI 54-5-10/33 bnd 1282-A

St Aug Gov of Fla to the King 11p

Requests that his complete salary be paid in coin as was his predecessor's; cedula of Nov 13, 1632 (copy): announcing appointment, duties, etc.

1635 January 8 ST AGI 54-5-20/28 bnd 1284

Havana. Letter from gov. Riaño to the king. 3pp.

Concerning need for more religious persons in La Florida; oil and wine in Havana; mentions lack of encomiendas in Cuba.

1635 April 18 ST AGI 2-2-245/2 14 bnd 1288

Madrid. Cedula to Casa de Contratación in Sevilla. 2pp.

Fr. Francisco de Jesus, 8 religious persons and one layman given license to return to Fla. Financial arrangements included. Gabriel de Ocaña y Alarcón.

1635 August 7 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1290

St. Augustine. Petition from mariner Sebastian Rodriguez to the king. 1p.

Requests license to come to Spain to attend to the affairs of his deceased mother.

1635 August 21 ST AGI 41-4-13/23 bnd 1291

Madrid. Petition of Alferez Adrian de Canicares Osorio, presented by Gabriel de Ocaña y Alarcon to casa de contratación. 4pp.

Requests supplies, provisions, etc. needed in Fla. and a ship to deliver same; enclosed past cédulas pertaining to above: Feb. 9, 1580, 20 Nov., 1606 and 29 March, 1621.

1635 September 18 ST AGI 41-4-13/23 bnd 1292

Madrid. Letter to casa de contratación from Gabriel de Ocaña y Alarcon. 2pp.

Concerning provisioning of fort in La Florida and monies needed for same.

1635 October 30 ST AGI 54-5-18 20 bnd 1294

San Lorenzo el Real. Cedula from king to gov. Horruytiner and officials of prov. de la Florida. 2pp. (2 copies of each)

Orders that gov.'s salary be paid in full. Nicolas Ponce de Leon.

1635 Sept(?) ST AGI 54-5-18/19 bnd 1291-A

St Aug Petitions to the King 34p

(Some presented in Spain): Pedro de San Martin, requests a ventaja; Marcos Fernandez Turel, requests a ventaja; Adrian de Canizares, requests ventaja and promotion; cédulas of Nov 15, 1570: source of monies for ventajas, munitions, etc.; Jan 1, 1635: King requests accounting of all persons holding ventajas, and other expenditures. Luis de Rojas y Borja, gen Lopez de (cont)

1635 September 28 ST AGI 54-5-18 18 bnd 1293

Madrid. Petition from Adrian de Canicares y Osorio to the king. 7pp.

Requesting ventaja and promotion; enclosed background sketch: Melchor Dorantes, Juan de Salinas, Eugenio Espinosa, Luis de Rojas y Borja; indios chiscas and chichimecos; provincia de (Tama?).

1635 November 1 ST AGI 54-5-14 94 bnd 1295

St. Augustine. Petition to the king. 5pp.

Requesting that governors, alcaldes, etc., not be allowed to possess keys to the cajas due to poor security; cedula of August 26, 1579 pertaining to same is enclosed.

1635 Sept(?) ST AGI 54-5-18/19 bnd 1291-A

(card 2) Flores, prov de San Pedro, isla Sta Cathalina, San Cristoval, cayo de Matacumbe, canal de Bahama, Gaspar Ruiz de Pareda, Geronimo de Cuero, Pohoy, Alonso de Arguelles, sgt Pedro Fernandez de Bupas, Antonio Olmos, Pedro Menendez de Aviles, Chiscas, chichimecos, Timuqua, Apalache.

1635 Oct 25 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1293-A

Madrid Adrian de Canizares y Osorio to the King 10p

Failure of casa de contr to arrange for finances, Osorio, with poder from gov Horruytiner, requests a loan so as to purchase provisions and supplies needed at the presidio, and requests copy of latest dispatch to the casa; requests permission to travel for self and son. Diego de Villas, Pedro de Canizares, Antonio de Oquendo.

1635 November 13 ST AGI 54-5-18 21 bnd 1325

St. Augustine. Petition from Capt. Martin de Cueva to the king. 1p. (2 copies)

Request that salary be paid in same fashion as predecessors, per cedula of March 17, 1627.

1635 Nov 25 ST AGI 54-5-20/32 bnd 1295-A

Havana Archbishop to the King 1p

Concerning payment of diezmos and question as to whether la Florida is a part of the bishopric of Cuba(Madrid).

1636 ? ST AGI 54-5-20 30 bnd 1300

(St. Augustine). Petition from Fr. Francisco Alonso de Jesus to the king. 3pp.

Requests 24 religious persons for island of Cuba; oil and wine also as there are no encomiendas on that island.

1636 January 15 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1303

St. Augustine. Petition from sons of Juan de Arracola to the king. 1p.

Their representative requests that they return to Spain so as to further their services to the king. Luis, Phelipe and (Manuel) de Arracola y de el Corral.

1635 December 6 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1296

Madrid. Petition of Alonso Davila to king. 1p.

Requests license to return to St. Aug. as he has terminated his family affairs. Manuel Davila, Antonio Oquendo.

1636 January 8 ST AGI 54-5-10 41 bnd 1301

St. Augustine. Letter from gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Acknowledges receipt of cedula concerning the collection of import duties from the windward fleet; relates scarcity of commerce in that area and subsequent lack of import duties. Comments on how and where provisions come to St. Aug.

1636 February 15 ST AGI 2-2-245/2 16 bnd 1304

Madrid. Cedula from king to Casa de Contratación in Sevilla. 2pp.

Information relevant to financial and other aids to religious persons. Fr. Francisco de la Cruz.

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1636 January 8 ST AGI 54-5-10 42 bnd 1302

St. Augustine. Letter from gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Acknowledges receipt of cedula of June 8, 1635 ordering prayers and supplications in the churches of his province; comments on action against the French.

1636 March? ST AGI 54-5-20 29 bnd 1299

Madrid-Havana. Request from Fr. Francisco Alonso de Jesus to king. 3pp.

Depicts need for religious persons in Cuba, requests they be sent; wine and oil also needed. Briefs from gov. and archbishop enclosed. Francisco de Riaño y Gamboa.



1636 April? ST AGI 54-5-18 22 bis. bnd 1298

St. Augustine. Petition to the king. 6pp.

Miguel Ramirez de Guevara requests a ventaja for services rendered; background sketch and certification enclosed: Tomas Larrazpuru, Alonso de Pastrana, Martin de Cueva, Luis de Horruytiner, Diego Diaz Pimienta; Honduras, Matacumbé key.

1636 December 17 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1307

Madrid. Request from Consejo to (Contaduria?). 1p.

Request information concerning payment of duties on amber in La Florida, Havana and Sto. Domingo.

1637 March 31 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1309

St. Augustine. Petition from Alferes Alonso Solana to the king. 2pp.

Requests a promotion and ventaja for services rendered over the years. Alonso Arguelles, Alonso Franco, Martin de Cueñas.

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1636 July 2 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1305-A

Havana Indians Juan and Agustin to the King 4p

Request they be pardoned and returned to Fla. and enclosure from clergy requesting same; relate crime and punishment. Francisco Fernandez, Lorenzo Martinez, Francisco de la Cruz.

1637 June 24 ST AGI 54-5-10 44 bnd 1310

St. Augustine. Gov. Horruytiner to the king. 4pp.

Response to cedula of Aug. 10, 1635; relates successful conversion of Apalache Indians; discovery of a water route which will facilitate provisioning of religious persons in the interior.

1636 September 7 ST AGI 54-5-20 23 bnd 1305

Havana. Letter from Archbishop to the king. 2pp.

Response to cedula of Oct. 30 1635 concerning relationship between archbishopric of Havana and La Florida.

1637 January 25 ST AGI 54-5-10 43 bnd 1308

St. Augustine. Letter from capt. Martin de Cueva to the king. 2pp.

Details needs of the presidio; comments that infantry has not been paid in 6 years due to a lack of funds in Cajas de Mexico.

1637 July 6 ST AGI 54-5-10 45 bnd 1311

St. Augustine. Gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Concerns appointment of Miguel Ramirez de Guevarra to rank of sgt. mayor, replacing Eugenio Espinosa who has been recalled, by cedula of Jan. 6, 1636, to Spain. Minimal background sketch on Guevarra.

1637 July 6 ST AGI 54-5-10 46 bnd 1312

St. Augustine. Letter from Gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Advising king that he has responded to Cedula of Oct. 8, 1635, concerning remittance of monies found in a box by a cacique.

1637 November 19 ST AGI 54-5-18 27 bnd 1314

St. Augustine. Petition from Nicolas Ponce de Leon to the king. 4pp.

Complains of method of salary payment to sgt. Martin de Cueva and that it is causing discontent within the fort; cedula of Nov. 10 1634, enclosed.

1637 November 20 ST AGI 54-5-10 48 bnd 1316

St. Augustine. Nicolas Ponce de Leon. 2pp.

Copy of cedula of June 18, 1595, regarding a loan from the cajas de Mexico for reconstruction of presidio of St. Aug.

1637 Jul 15 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1199, p. 18

(Spain) Petition of Francisco Menendez Marques (Copy)

Recalls many years of service in Fla. as Tesorero; position given to his father Juan Menendez Marques. Petitions for a cedula giving him the position and recognizing his many years service.

(Cont. 1638, Oct. 2)

1637 November 20 ST AGI 54-5-10 47 bnd 1315

St. Augustine. Letter from Gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Requests that king issue cedula to Mexico ordering the transfer of monies needed to purchase provisions for the fort; request loan to pay soldiers' salaries. Bartolome Gomez de Pineda.

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1637 Oct 7 ST AGI 53-1-6/47 bnd 1313

Madrid Consejo de Indias to the King 3p

Recommend that the 2 indians incarcerated in Havana be pardoned.

1637 November 20 ST AGI 54-5-10 48 bnd 1316

St. Augustine. Petition from Nicolas Ponce de Leon to the king. 8pp.

Relates monetary discrepancies involving the real tesorero Francisco Menendez and others. Patricio de Florencia, Fr. Antonio de San Buenaventura, Melchor Orantes, Martin de Cuevas.

1638 ? ST AGI 54-5-10 49 bnd 1317

Madrid. Petitions from Bartolome Gomez de Pineda to the king. 6pp.

Requests loan of pesos to pay salaries of infantry in St. Aug., to be released from the cajas of Mexico; delivers to litigations concerning the treasurer and others in St. Aug. Hernando de la Casa Miguel Geronimo, Marques de Cerralbo, Francisco de la Barrera, Perdo de Anzieta, Julio de Vega Bazan, Marques de Cardinossa.

1638 March 4 ST AGI 54-5-18 23 bnd 1318

Madrid. Petition from Bartolome Gomez de Pineda to the king. 4pp.

Requests promotion and entretenimiento; ejemplares de capitanes; letter from Eugenio Espinosa. Francisco (Larrua?).

1638 May 25 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1321

St. Augustine?. Pedro Menendez Marques petitions the king. 2pp.

Request an entretenimiento; background sketch included. Juan Menendez Marques, Pedro Menendez Marques.

1638 September 12 ST AGI 54-5-10 50 bnd 1324

St. Augustine. Letter from Gov. Horruytiner to the king. 3pp.

Religious matters concerning the Apalache; gives thanks for his aid. Capt. Luis Sestin de Cañez, Sebastian Rodriguez.

1638 May 19 ST AGI 53-1-6 48 bnd 1319

Madrid. Fr. Francisco de Palma, procurador de su orden en la Florida, petitions the king. 2pp.

Requests monies from the king so as to purchase needed items for convents in Fla.

1638 July 16 ST AGI 87-1-13 26 bnd 1322

Madrid. Royal Cedula to Fla. 1p.

Relative to a loan granted to Franciscans in that province.

1638 Oct. 2 ST AGI 53-2-12 bnd 1199, p. 19

Spain. Petition of Francisco Menendez Marques (Copy) 2 pp

Concerning suit for 17,583 pesos and 5 reales charged to Tesorero Francisco Menendez Marques; Fiscal decided to order Gov. to receive Menendez Marques's properties and those of his wife and for Tesorero to leave prison and return to his position.

1638 May 19 ST AGI 53-1-6 49 bnd 1320

Madrid. Petitions from Fr. Juan Gomez de Palma to the king. 2pp.

Requests extension of cedula of Jan 24, 1631, for 6 more years; asks that the amount of wax provided for in that cedula be increased; states 43 religious persons in Fla.

1638 August 20 ST AGI 54-1-17 2 bnd 1323

Havana. Letter to the king from Gov. Francisco Riaño. 2pp.

Relates having executed dispatch of Sept. 1637, concerning provisions needed by Franciscans in the Apalache area.

1639

1639 February 8 ST AGI 54-5-18 25 bnd 1326

Spain. Petition from piloto Sebastian Rodriguez to the king. 24pp.

Requests cedula authorizing payment of salary in St. Aug.; ventaja for services rendered; certification of record by various officers. Capt. Cestin de Cañas, Luis de Horruytiner, Luis Roja y Borja, Juan de Salinas, Alonso Pastrana, Juan de Barbossa, Nicolas Ponce de Leon, Melchor

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Menendez Marques, Fernando de la Casa, Miguel Geronimo, Marques de Cerralbo, Francisco de la Barrera, Pedro de Ancieta, Gregorio de la Vega, Andres Ponce de Leon.

1639 June 2 ST AGI 58-1-35 3 bnd 1329

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Maria Alvarez, Elvira de Alvarez, Pacheco de Aragon, Luis Arias Altamirano, Lorenzo Fernandez, (Destero?), Antonio Garcia y Cristoval, Catalina de Portillo.

1639 February 8 ST AGI 54-5-18 25 bnd 1326  
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Dorantes; puerto de Vera Cruz, provincia de Apalacha.

1639 May 26 ST AGI 54-5-18 28 bnd 1328

Spain. Juan Gomez Navarro petitions the king. 14pp.

Requests a ventaja and cedula authorizing his sons to become soldiers in St. Aug.; service record and certification enclosed. Alonso de Pastrana, Luis Horruytiner, Martin de Cueva, Luis de Rojas y Borja, Miguel Ramirez de Guevara, Adrian de Canicares; Canary islands.

1639 July 8 ST AGI 54-5-18 29 bnd 1330

St. Augustine. Letter from Nicolas Ponce de Leon to the king. 5pp.

Concerning the treasurer Francisco Menendez and monetary discrepancies.

1639 March? ST AGI 54-5-18 26 bnd 1327

Madrid. Alferez Bartolome Gomez de Pineda petitions the king and Consejo de Indias. 7pp.

Via poder from officials in St. Aug., Pineda requests a solution to financial problems in La Florida; also per diem for self while in Spain; poder from Horruytiner outlines financial discrepancies; copy of cedula of 18 June, 1595 re: repairs on fort also enclosed. Francisco

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1639 June 2 ST AGI 58-1-35 3 bnd 1329

Madrid. Alferez Bartolome Gomez de Pineda petitions the king; events after his death in 1643. 23pp.

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