Mier in the Republic of Mexico in or about the year A.D. 1842 and lost his life in the said expedition in or about the year 1842 as we have heard and believe, and that we have not heard of the said Stephen A. as living since the time of his reported death as aforesaid, and that the said Stephen A. decd. was a single man and that he left surviving neither wife nor descendants, and that the Father of the said Stephen A. is dead to our personal knowledge, and that the brothers and sisters of the said Stephen A. decd. all died before reaching mature age excepting the said Thomas C. and that none of the deceased brothers & sisters of the said Stephen A. left any issue living, and that we have known the said Dorothy and Thomas C. in this country for as much as twenty one years and in Ireland for at least Nineteen years, and that they each are above the age of twenty one years, and are resident citizens of the County of New York in the State of New York.

Andrew Nolan

Bridget her × mark Nolan

Sworn to & subscribed before me, as witness my hand and official seal on this 9th day of February A.D. 1861

(Seal)

Joseph C. Lawrence
Commissioner for Texas
in New York