Head Quarters Volunteers
Army Bexar 14th Decr 1835

This may certify that Thomas Bell joined the army on the 28th of September & has discharged his duty in a manner that entitles him to the confidence of his country as a true patriot and a good soldier and is hereby honorably discharged

By order
Edward Burleson
Comdt. in Chief

Wm P. Austin
Aide de Camp

(On the reverse side)

Nov. 28 I do hereby certify that Thos. Bell was appointed Capt. of the Six lb. Cannon known as the Harrisburg Six & volunteered to storm Bexar & was in during the siege & acted brave and honorabel Decr 14th 1835

L B Franks
Lieut Col Artillery

I hereby certify that this discharge is correct & that Thos. Bell did enter the town of Bexar between the ~~fifth~~ and tenth of December 1835

Edward Burleson
Commander in Chief of the Volunteers