as to inform me — If the Original Certificate of John Wheelers has been returned to the Land Office and land surveyed please inform me where Also the No & date of the Certificate and if Any transfers legally made by Mr Wheeler are filed in either Office, if so I will forward an amot sufficient to pay for Certified Copies of the same and pay you for your trouble I have been Acquainted with Mr Wheeler since 1830 And his Character always has been that of an honorable man the disposition he made of it as stated in his Affidavit was that he gave it to a person — name not recollected to locate for half, Mr Wm H. Pea done the same his I found in the surveyors office at Refugio hence some mistake

Yours with the greatest Respt

David P. Zeley

W. S. Hotchkiss
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