Brownsville March 21st 1857.

I hereby certify that Caspar Gerlach was a member of the Santafe Expedition in Capt Hudson's Company, & served as such from its organization, to its release in Mexico —

Correct, enlistment
May 21st 1841 W. L. Upshur
Actg. Adjt Genl

W. W. Lord
Late Pot Brig Genl
Texas

The State of Texas }
County of Nueces }

This day came and personally appeared before me W. H. Bailey clerk of the District Court in and for the State and County aforesaid Charles Stroud and Elph M Haines to me the said clerk well known who upon their oath do say that they recognize Caspar Gerlach now present as the same and identical Caspar Gerlach that was a member of Capt R Hudson's Company Santa fe Pioneers in the service of Texas A. D 1841. 1842. they being attached to the same.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 20th Aug. A. D. 1857.

W. H. Bailey Clerk
N. C. N. C.

Chas. X his mark Stroud
Elph M Haines

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