Galveston June 2, 85

Mess Shaw & Smisher
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Austin

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Enclosed please find State of Cres W. Smyth which shows beyond a controversy that after Beal had the draft, it went back [illegible] and to a reasonable certainty that it is lost [illegible] transferred by Mellier. No doubt [illegible] this sufficient to authorize the [illegible] the certificate [illegible] heirs.

[illegible] will no doubt be [illegible] sufficient to authorize the delivery of the certificate to [illegible] the representatives of Mellier's heirs.

If anything is deficient please inform me of it. Please let me hear your answer as soon as convenient

Respectfully
O.C. Hartley