Enclose Francisco Dias Clarin
& Antonio Hernandez [illegible]

San Antonio, Texas, September 21st 1874.

Edward Miles. Esq.

Dear Sir

Your two letters of Sept. 19/74 were received this morning, I proceeded at once to hunt in your draw up stairs for the list, as you failed to enclose one, then I proceeded to find witnesses, Frank Paschal and Higgenbotham who know them all were both absent. but I found M. G. Anderson, who has been our District Attorney, several times, and Henry L. Radaz who was our Post Master, and held many other offices here and Lorenz Castro who has been County Commissioner before the war, Custom House Officer, U. S. Depy Marshal, and they each know personally all the parties whos names are in the list. I do not beleive that there is a single American living in Bexar County now, who participated in the storming of Bexar in 1835. so I beleive upon the whole that the three gentlemen who have signed the affidavit, are the very best that you could have selected if you had been here. There are quite a large number of old Mexican citizens, men and women, who say that those parties were all with the Americans,