+ Find no N.R. return in this name

Columbus Colorado Co.
June 11th 1858 —

Clark Esq.
Com. Claims } Dear sir —
You answer to my enquiry how to proceed to obtain the unconditional certificate of Alexander + Mc. Millen (dec) together with the pamphlet was received by due course of Mail. Enclosed you will find one dollar, you will please procure the conditional certificate from the Land Office and register the same ~~if you~~ I have read the pamphlet, and must confess that I now scarcely know how to proceed in the matter. You will oblige the Widdow & Orphan son of the deceased if you will examine again my letter and give me some definite directions how to proceed in the matter. The heirs of Mr. Mc. Millen are in a foreign state and cannot attend to it in person. I am anxious to perfect the claim for them. Mr. Mc. Millen came to Texas in dark times, and fought its battles as you will see by examining the records of the War department — your Obt. servt

[illegible]

+ Mr. Mc. Millen was [illegible] a married man but his wife and infant son did not accompany him to Texas.