Rancho San Diego, County of Nueces
August 3d 1858

Hon. Edward Clarke
Commissioner of Claims
Austin, Texas

Dear Sir,

Enclosed you will please find my affidavit under which I claim Land, Bounty or pay according to law, for services rendered in the cause of Texan Independence, which I would ask you to cause to be filed.

The necessary proofs shall be furnished in accordance with the law, and as soon as possible

Very respectfully
Your obt Servt
José Alejo Perez