Mr C Gerlach and Lewis Beardsley do hereby solemnly swear that I was a member of the Santa Fe Expedition organized in 1841 under the Command of Genl Hugh McLeod, that I was taken a prisoner by the Mexicans, and remained as such until the release of the main party, I also certify under oath that I was acquainted with ~~B. M. Owens~~; ~~Mr M. Alsbury~~ ~~and~~ Thomas H Spooner who was also members of said Expedition and was also taken prisoner and confined as such and was ~~been~~ released also at the time the main body of the Men were.

Lewis Beardsley
Caspar Gerlach.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of August 1857.

Samuel Wharff
Cryd.

Owen & Alsbury point