Houston Harris Co. Tex.
Sept. 15th 1858.

Hon. Edward Clark;
Com. Claims: Dear Sir: [redacted]
Several days ago, I sent you some papers touching upon the claim of Edward A. Townsend together with a letter from Com. General Land Office — Please return the same, and if not too much trouble to you, give me your opinion as to the best mode of bring forward the matter for adjustment.

It can be done by Ex Parte Testimony before the Legislature when it sits.

With deep respect I remain. Yours truly,
G. H. H. Woodward.

The Parties having the claim are under the impression that the certificate in ~~Austin~~ issued in Austin Co is a good one — Com Genl Land Office, letter to