Republic of Texas
Department of State

To all to whom these presents shall come

Greeting

I, the undersigned Secretary of State of the Republic of Texas, hereby request all whom it may concern to permit
the bearer hereof, and his three companions, freely
[to pass to and return from San Antonio, or such
other points to which they may wish to go, so long as
they conduct themselves with decency and order,
and in case of need to have them all lawful
aid and protection.

Done under my hand and seal of office
27th April 1838

(Signed) R. A. Smith

The signatures are here omitted
in consequence of the Bearer being
unable to write.

(Signed) of the Bearer
Copy of Pless's "Mezcal" letter to jfr dated April 14, 1830.

Jfr. 2/8
Republic of Lof
Department of State

To all whom these presents may come,

Greeting.

I. The undersigned Secretary of the Republic of Lof, hereby

proclaim all persons present to give them all lawful

protection and assistance. Further under the authority of

this decree, he has the power to free any of the "Mexican"

citizens of this Republic, from the said

citizens of the State, who may be accused of

misconduct, etc.

Yours truly,

[Signature]

Secy. of State