Adelbert Frommelt's Guild Office
Austin, Oct 11th 1848

To certify no change that during the past month, I found in the mountains about 3 miles or
more mile south of the San Antonio Crossing of the San Marcos, the skeleton of four dead, with
the bodies thereof lying near, the ground around churned with
fragments of clothing, etc., such as is the Bagafter way of the
Border Guards —

Having found the corpse, the
area after it, plundered by the
Indians, & observed the direction in which the trail left to entertain
no doubt that the children and
crew of the ship & ship's guards were killed. They were
killed by Indians.

Dr. [Signature]

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