

Washington Texas 19th Decr 1835

Dear Cousins

I again take this opportunity of
of writing a few lines to you to let you know
that I am still in the land of the living & in good
Health & I sincerely hope that these few lines
may find you & all your fathers family & all my
Reverations in the same I have no traveled on
foot 305 miles to 200 miles distant yet to fort
San Antonio at Bejar last Evening an Express
Arrived Here that the last named fort has fallen
in to our hands fallen in to our hands but
I am sorry to say that our Comander Colonel Miller
& 5 Privates ^{were killed} ~~were~~ taken the last fort & it
is expected that our next attack shall be on
Mittencora near the mouth of the Rio Grande River
& 200 miles distant from San Antonio where we are
now is a new town on the River Brazos & will
be before long a place of some business we had here
this Evening in 11 days expect to beat San
Antonio since we crossed the River to Trinity 70
miles back we have traveled over one of the
finest Countries I have ever seen if I shall

live to see the liberty of this Country it shall
be some considerable length of time before
shall visit the United States again & if I should
fall in Battle there ^{is} seven Hundred & 40 Acres
of Land coming to me in this Country which I
have to you if you if think it worth your while to
attend to it, for the law says if any Person fall in
battle that his Relation can have his bounty of Land
his monthly wages for the time he has served the
Country but I Expect to see Old Kentucky
yet Pleas give my best Respects to all your
fathers family & all my Relations give my
best Respects to Aunt Phillips no man at
Present but remains your Affectionate
Cousin H. C. J. C. Logan

To Lewis & Nancy bearing

I A. when you write to me direct
to San Felipe de Austin J. C. Logan
of the Louisville
Volunteers