

CASE No.

259

**NORTHERN DISTRICT**

---

BOGA or FLUGGES RANCHO GRANT

LEONGE HOOVER. Admr.

CLAIMANT:

LAND CASE 259 ND 25 pgs.

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**PROVER BOND**  
25% COTTON FIBER  
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664

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# TRANSCRIPT

OF THE

# PROCEEDINGS

IN CASE

NO. 664.

*Seonice Hoover, Adm<sup>r</sup>* CLAIMANT

VS.

THE UNITED STATES, DEFENDANT,

FOR THE PLACE NAMED

*"Boya or Huggie's Rancho."*

FOR THE ROYAL SOCIETY

THE LONDON SOCIETY OF NATURALISTS

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PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

ROYAL SOCIETY

Office of the Board of Commissioners,

To ascertain and settle the Private Land Claims

IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

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Be it Remembered, that on this first day of March, Anno Domini One Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-three, before the Commissioners to ascertain and settle the Private Land Claims in the State of California, sitting as a Board in the City of San Francisco, in the State aforesaid, in the United States of America, the following Proceedings were had, to wit;

The Petition of Seenee Hoover, Adm<sup>r</sup> for the Place named "Boga or Plugge's Rancho," was presented, and ordered to be filed and docketed with No. 664 and is as follows, to wit;

(Vide page 3 of this Transcript.)

Upon which Petition the following subsequent Proceedings were had in their chronological order, to wit;

San Francisco January 2<sup>d</sup> 1855;  
Case no. 664, S. Hoover, Adm<sup>r</sup>, for the place named "Boga or Plugge's Rancho," was submitted without argument.

San Francisco, January 23<sup>d</sup> 1855,  
In the same Case Commissioner R. Aug. Thompson delivered the opinion of the Board rejecting the claim;

(Vide page 21 of this Transcript)

And the following order was made, to wit;

(Vide page 23 of this Transcript.)



To the Honorable

The United States Commissioners  
for ascertaining and settling private land  
claims in California -

Your petitioners since

Hoover Administrator of the Estate of Charles  
W. Stugge deceased resident of the County  
of Los Angeles State of California who  
files herewith a certified copy of his Letters  
of Administration on said Estate respectfully  
represents, That he claims as such ad-  
ministrator a certain tract of land more  
particularly hereinafter set forth & described  
which was originally granted to the deceased  
Charles W. Stugge by Manuel Micheltreaux  
as Governor of the California and as such  
vested with all the powers necessary & proper  
in the premises by deed of grant bearing  
date the 21st day of February in the year  
1844, which said grant was approved by  
the Departmental Assembly of the California  
by act dated the 14th day of June in the  
year 1845, -

Said tract of land is situated  
on Feather River ("Rio de las Plumas"),  
in the County of Butte State of California  
and is bounded and described as follows -  
to wit - Beginning where the latitude North  
39 deg 33 min 45 Sec crosses the said river  
running up said river five leagues on its  
western side, thence west one league or in  
a westerly direction opposite & at right  
angles to said river thence Southly parallel  
with said river one league wide & five  
leagues long thence Westly to the place of  
beginning containing five square Spanish  
leagues of land -

The same has not been

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Petition

name

granted by the United States Surveyor General for California - It is known by the name of "Rancho de Roga" or Muggis Rancho

Your petitioner is informed & believes that an adverse claim to the tract of land aforesaid has been filed with the Secretary of your Honorable Board by Thomas C Larkin whose claim is numbered 129 in the list of claims presented before your Board.

Of the nature & extent of the said adverse claim your petitioner is not well informed, but has heard that said Larkin claims to hold under the said original grant deceased by conveyance from him documentary or equitable -

But your Petitioner avers that the said deceased has never alienated his right & title in & to said tract of land to the said Larkin or to any other person whatever -

Petitioner is also informed that the said Larkin makes claim to the whole of said tract of land, but petitioner declares the fact to be that the said Larkin has no legal or equitable right in & to the whole or any part of said tract of land.

Your Petitioner therefore prays your Honorable Board to confirm to him title in said tract of land as he avers that he has legal title therein under the aforesaid grant -

And petitioner further states that the deceased in the same year of said grant took possession of said lands erected suitable houses thereon & cultivated considerable of the lands thereon - but was prevented

he died from continuing in the cultivation

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...of the said ... - but was prevented  
by sickness of a lingering nature whereof  
he died from continuing in the continual  
occupancy of the said tract of land except  
by virtue of his legal & equitable title  
to the same by the grant aforesaid.

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Therefore petitioner prays  
that he be confirmed in his said grant  
according to law trusting in the legal  
knowledge & sense of Justice by which  
Your Honorable Board will be governed,  
And he files herewith a true and fac simile  
certified copy of said grant taken from  
the archives in the possession of the United  
States Surveyor for California together  
with the copy of the Confirmation aforesaid  
of the said Departmental assembly, certified  
by the said Surveyor upon which petitioner  
relies in support of his said claim -

He further relies upon  
such parole Evidence & such further docu-  
mentary Evidence as shall be required to  
substantiate the foregoing claim of petitioner  
And he prays for Justice in the premises  
And as in duty bound &c.

Lionel Hoover Admr.  
By Seth & Granger  
his attorneys - 3

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Respd! Geo Fisher Secy

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State of California  
County of Los Angeles

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"C"

Certificate  
of  
Appointment  
as  
Admin

I, Wilson W Jones Clerk of  
the Probate Court of Los Angeles County  
hereby certify that Linco Hoover was  
on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Sept 1852 appointed  
by the Probate Court aforesaid Adminis-  
trator of the Estate of Charles W. Muggen-  
dieck and has filed his bond approved  
by the Probate Judge and that letters  
of Administration have been issued to him  
as by order of said Court.

Attest my hand as  
Clerk of the Probate Court aforesaid  
and my private seal affixed there being  
as yet no separate seal provided for said  
Court on this July 14, 1853

Read  
cell

Wilson W Jones  
Clerk

Filed in office March 1, 1853

(Signed) Geo Fisher  
Deputy

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Expediente promovido por Don  
Guillermo Hugg en solicitud del parage  
nombrado Rio de las Plumas.

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Año de 1844.

Numero. 347.

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D<sup>o</sup> Carlos Guillermo Hugg.

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Sello tercero un peso.

Habilitado provisoriamente por la Aduana Maritima del puerto de Monterey en el Departamento de las Californias para el año de mil ochocientos cuarenta y tres.

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Mícheltorena.

Manuel Custumares.

Monterrey Dto. 31. de 1843.

a Su Excelencia el Señor

Jefe del S. Nro del despacho

Comandante General y

Justiciero enes. los que meces

Gobernador de ambas

- tiene el efecto.

Californias.

Mícheltorena.

Carlos Guillermo Hugge

natural del reino de Hannover y residente en este Departamento hace dos años ante V. E. con el debido respeto me presento y digo: que hallandome desearo de conseguir un terreno baldio situado sobre el lado occidental del rio de las Plumas y extendiendose sobre el dicho rio de latitud del norte  $39^{\circ} 33' 15''$  hasta el grado  $39^{\circ} 33' 15''$  y formandome encima de esta linea un cuadrado una legua de ancho se llaman boca segun consta el adjunto diseño.

458 DK) A. V. E. Suplico se obigue acceder a esta solicitud en lo que recibiré mereced.

Carlos Guillermo Hugge.

Monterrey. y 22 de Diciembre de 1843.

Dispone el Exmo Sr. Gobernador pase la presente instancia al Sr. Sutter como encargado de la frontera del Rio del Sacramento p<sup>a</sup> que informe sobre su contenido.

Monterrey. 4 de Enero de 1844.

Manuel Jimeno.

El terreno que solicita en este pedimento el Señor Don Carlos Guillermo Hugge y que es representado en el adjunto diseño esta desocupado y doy esta certificacion para los fines que convegan.

Nueva Helvetia. Enero 27 de 1844.

Juzgado del Distrito del Rio Sacramento.

D. A. Sutter.

558 DK) Exmo. Sr. Gobernador.

Estoy bien informado, que el terreno que se pretende esta sobre el rio de las plumas en donde hay mucha Yerbabuena que podra resentirse si no se les hiciera ver primero que se vá a proceder a la colonizacion de aquellos terrenos y deberian ser preferidos en concederse los terrenos q. tienen ocupados.

que tienen ocupados y los que residen para el beneficio de ellas y de sus familias. insurreccionista



8.5.84) Ala Excelentisima Asamblea Departamental del Departamento de la Alta California.

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Carlos Guillermo Bugge Ciudadano Mexicano por naturalizacion con el debido respecto ante la Excelentisima Asamblea Departamental se presenta ofreciendo: Que habiendolo recibido del Señor General Manuel Micheltorena la concesion de cinco sitios de ganado mayor al lado occidental del rio de las Plumas en un terreno que Manuel Boga segun consta en el titulo lo a qui incluso, otubo en Monterrey a veinte y cinco de febrero de mil ochocientos cuarenta y cuatro.

A la Excelentisima Asamblea Departamental humilladamente suplica que se sirva dar la aprobacion de la dicha concesion y que admitt este procedimiento en papel comun por falta del sellado.

C. G. Bugge.

Angeles y 23 de Mayo. de 1845.

Angeles. Mayo 26 de 1845.

Dado cuenta a la Srma. Asamblea en sesion de ley con esta solicitud y titulo adjunto de paso a la comision de terrenos baldios.

Pio Pio. Agustín Olvera. Sr. Sr. Sr.

9.5.84)

La comision de terrenos baldios habiendose hecho cargo con toda la escrupulosidad posible del expediente promovido en virtud de la solicitud hecha por Dn Guillermo Bugge con fha. 22 de Diciembre de 1843 sobre el pumage nombrado Boga situado al lado occidental del rio de las plumas que le fue concedido por titulo legalmente otorgado por el Gobierno del Depto con fha. 2 de febrero de 1844. y resultando del examen verificado que la concesion espresada en favor de Dn Carlos Guillermo Bugge fue ejecutada con total arreglo a lo que sobre el particular disponen las leyes: la comision en consecuencia de lo referido pone a la deliberacion de V. E. la siguiente proposicion.

Se aprueba la concesion hecha al Ciudadano Mexicano por naturalizacion Carlos Guillermo Bugge del pumage nombrado Boga situado a lado occidental del rio de las plumas conserida en propiedad el 21 de febrero de 1844 de

conferencia con el procedimiento en la ley de 1824 y referenciamiento el articulo 5º del

Flügge del parrage mencionado luego situado a lado oriental del rio de las Plumas

conformidad con lo proveniente en la ley de 18 de agosto de 1824 y reglamento el artículo 5º del Reglamento de 21 de noviembre de 1828. Esta de comisiones en la ciudad de los Angeles Junio 4 de 1845.

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Igancio del Valle.

10.5. Del Angeles Junio 13 de 1845.

In sesion de este dia se aprobó por la Honorable Asamblea la proposicion del Sr. Estanislao Gutierrez mandando se devuelva el expediente respectivo al Excmo Sr Gobernador para las fines correspondientes.  
Preside. Agustín Olvera. Vio.  
Se libro al agraciado el comprobante respectivo.

11.5. Del

Manuel Micheltorena Gral. de Brigada del Ejercito Mexicano, Ayudte Gral. de la Plana Mayor del mismo Gobernador Comandte e Inspector del Departamento de California

Por cuanto Sr Guillermo Carlos Guillermo Flügge Mexicano por naturalizacion ha pretendido para su beneficio personal la estension de cinco sitios de ganado mayor al lado occidental del rio de las Plumas y en el centro un terreno que llaman Proya debiendo ser su primera lindero desde el grado 39. 33. y 45 de latitud Norte segun esplica el dibujo respectivo practicadas previamente las diligencias y averiguaciones concernientes segun lo dispuesto por leyes y reglamentos usandole de las facultades que me son conferidas a nombre de la nacion Mexicana he venido en concederle el terreno mencionado sujetandose a la aprobacion

12.5. Del de la Exma. Asamblea departamental y a las condiciones siguientes.

1º Debera prudentemente tratar bien a los Yucatis que pr otro terrenos si hallen establecido infundados las ideas de Confianza y de Sociabilidad y civilizacion como tambien religioas de Catolicismo y no se les impetira el uso que por el mencionado parrage hayan comprado, pe sea L.

2º No podra venderlo, enajenarlo ni hipotecarlo imponer censo, vinculo, ni otro gravamen alguno.

3º Cuando se le confirme la propiedad solicitada del Yucá respectivo q. le de posesion juridica en virtud de este despacho, por el cual se le demar

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Caron los linderos en cuyos limites pondra a unas de las  
sugetas algunos arboles frutales o silvestres de  
alguna utilidad.

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Lo el terreno de q. se hace donacion es de 5 litos  
de ganado mayor segun explica el diseno respectivo.  
El Dey que diere la posesion lo hara medir conforme  
a ordenanza que el dno el sobrante que resulte a la  
nacion para los usos que le convengan. En consecuencia  
mandado q. teniendose p<sup>o</sup> firme y validero el presente  
13 S. Del se tome raron de el en el libro respectivo y se entregue  
al interesado p<sup>o</sup> su resguardo y de sus fines. Dado  
en Monterrey a 21 de Febrero de 1824.

Office of the Surveyor General of the United States for  
California.

I Samuel D. King, Surveyor General of the  
United States for the State of California and as such  
now having in my Office and under my custody  
a portion of the archives of the former Spanish and  
Mexican Territory or Department of Upper California  
Do hereby Certify that the thirteen preceding and her-  
-eunto annexed pages of tracing paper numbered  
from one to thirteen inclusive, exhibit true and accurate  
Copies of certain documents on file and forming part  
of the said archives in this office.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto  
signed my name officially and affixed my private  
Seal (not having a seal of office) at the City of San  
Francisco, Cal. the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January. 1853.

Saml D King  
Surveyor Gen. Cal.

Filed in Office. March. 1. 1853.

Geo. Fisher. Secy.

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Translation  
of  
Expediente

Expediente instituted by Don Guillermo Flügge  
relating the place names Nisdelas Palmas  
Año de 1844  
number 349

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Don Carlos Guillermo Flügge

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Letto Perera un hijo  
Provisionally authorized by the Maritime  
Customs House at the Port of Montevideo  
in the Department of the Calipurnias for  
the year one thousand eight hundred  
and forty three

signed Nicotullumia y of Manuel Castañares  
place of the stamp  
Major Commandant  
General and Governor

Settles of both Calipurnias  
Secretary of Government  
Guillermo Flügge  
report asking for  
land for what is  
all the may want  
for the purpose  
signed  
Nicotullumia

in this Department since  
two years ago  
I have the honor to  
acknowledge and say  
that  
in as much as I find my  
self desirous to obtain  
what appears being  
unoccupied situations

of the western side of Pealton river stretch  
ing along shore of the said river from 390  
to 450 and for many waters and a square  
one league in breadth is called Boca  
and is being manifestly the exporting  
Dutch Territory for the purpose of  
to avoid further request of them I will  
receive my

4 SSK

signed  
Carlos Guillermo Flügge  
Montevideo December the 22nd 1843  
This be calling the Governor directs the

14.

measuring instruments to be transmitted to Senior  
Sutter at the party in charge of the frontiers of  
the Sacramento River in order that he  
may report about its contents

Washington January 11th 1844  
Signed

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Wm. J. Fennell

The tract of lands solicited in this petition  
by Senior Don Carlos Benlloren Flagg  
and represented in the adjoining sketches  
unoccupied and I give this certificate for  
my Government was

Newa Delicia Jan 11th 27th 1844  
Signed

J. W. Sutter

to certify Senior Sutter

5 LTB

I am well informed

of the fact that the lands solicited  
lie along (above) the Feather River where  
there is a numerous Indian population  
that might feel resentment if it was  
not made visible to their eyes and  
that the colonization of these lands  
is about to be undertaken and they ought  
to be prepared in the wants of the lands  
which they have in occupation and those  
they may want further comfort and  
that of their families

By imposing this  
confidence into their minds they may  
more likely be useful than prejudicial  
to the parties whose lands border on theirs  
You & all our support & discernment  
will resolve what may be convenient  
Washington February 11th 1844  
Signed

Wm. J. Fennell

Washington February 11th 1844

Let the little lessons and omitt be to  
be improved there instead of making  
of prejudice that might be made by the Indian  
population or imposing on to their minds

CSOR

Confidence ideas of sovereignty and civil  
ization and likewise religious ideas  
of Catholicism to the end that they may  
become aware of the  
mutual interests that flow from the com-  
pany and friendship

Supra

Mistakenly

Montevideo February 21st 1844

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after leaving  
in the Petition as the case of this record of  
proceedings the preceding reports and other  
steps which were taken and sought to be  
executed in conformity with the laws and  
regulations in the matter I declare that  
Carlos Guillermo Flügge the owner of  
five square leagues (sitios de ganados  
mayores) on the western side of the Frigate  
River and on the eastern part of land  
called Paga its first boundary to be reduced  
is from  $31^{\circ}33'43''$  Southern Latitude  
to the corresponding be issued  
(incomplete)

In the most excellent Departmental assembly  
of Montevideo

Carlos Guillermo

Flügge a Mexican citizen by naturalization, whom  
appears in the due respect before the excellent  
Departmental Assembly saying that having  
received from the Honorable General and  
Mistakenly the grant of five square  
leagues (sitios de ganados mayores) on the  
western side of the Frigate River on  
tract of land called Paga as it appears  
by the title herein enclosed, given in Mon-  
trevideo the twenty fifth day of February  
and thousand eight hundred and  
forty four

He humbly petitions the most  
excellent Departmental assembly to  
grant its approval to said donation and  
to admit this Petition written in common

paper in the want of stamped paper  
signed by W Fluggé  
August 23<sup>rd</sup> 1845  
August 26<sup>th</sup> 1845

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account having  
been rendered to the excellent assembly  
in this session in the then petition and  
views till all was referred to the com-  
mittee on vacant lands

Signed Sir Pici

President

Signed Augustin Munnig

Secretary

g S D K

Excellent Sir

The Committee on vacant  
lands having noted withal possible  
some part of the records of Proceedings  
at the instance of Sir Sullivan Fluggé  
made at the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of December  
1843 about the location called Baga  
situate on the western side of Feather River  
which was granted to him by a title legally  
issued by the Government of the Department  
under date of the 21<sup>st</sup> February 1844

and  
it resulting from the examination that  
the expressed grant in favor of Sir  
Charles Sullivan Fluggé was executed  
in total conformity with what the  
Law does on the subject the committee  
in consequence of what has been re-  
lated submits to your excellency  
the following proposi-  
tion

The grant made to the Mexican citizen  
by naturalization Charles Sullivan Fluggé  
of the location named Baga situate on  
the western side of the Feather River made  
in fee on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Feb, 1844 is approved  
in entire conformity with the provisions  
of the Law of August the 18<sup>th</sup> the eighteenth  
hundred twenty four & the art 15<sup>th</sup> of the Regulation

of the same bearing full and entire conformity  
and to the title

of the Land of August the 18th Eighteen  
hundred thirty five

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of November twenty first Eight hundred  
and twenty eight  
Hall of Deputies in the City of Los Angeles,  
June the 2nd 1845

10 SSB

signed Agustin del Valle  
Angels June 13th 1845

In this days session the  
Honorable assembly approved the proposition  
of the preceding opinion ordering that the  
Respective heads of the respective Returns  
take to calling the General for correspondence  
and legal

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signed Pio Pico President  
signed Agustin Alvarez

Secretary

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The respective Comproventing proof  
Comprovente was issued to the Comite  
Manuel Micheltona General of Brigade of the  
Mexican Army Assistant General of the Staff  
of the same General Comandante General  
and Inspector of the Department of the  
Isthmus

Whom as Don Carlos Gutierrez Flügge  
American by naturalization has solicited  
for his personal benefit the extent of four  
square leagues (situated in Bayamo, Major)  
on the western side of the Feather River and  
on the center of a tract of land called  
Bayamo first boundary to be from  $37^{\circ}33'$   
 $45''$  northern latitude as the respective  
Sketch explains the investigation of the  
unto concerning have been primarily  
accomplished according to the prescrip-  
tions of the Laws and Regulations in the  
exercise of the authority in measures  
in the name of the Mexican Republic  
Have found expedient to grant to him  
the mentioned tract of land subject to  
the approval of the Most Excellent  
Departmental Assembly and to the  
following conditions  
1st He shall prudentially treat with

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knowing the Indians whose scattered  
 upon (not) said lands infusing into them  
 various ideas of confidence, of a title and  
 and civilization and like matters beyond  
 ideas of Catholicism and they are not  
 to be permitted or released from the use  
 they may make about the open surrounding  
 locations such as sawing, fishing &c  
 And shall not sell or alienate mortgage  
 nor impose any burden or any other encumbrance  
 there upon.

And when the property shall be conveyed to  
 him he shall solicit the respective Judge to  
 give him the judicial possession by virtue  
 of the patent by whom the boundaries shall  
 be marked out to him on the limits of  
 which he shall put besides the land marks  
 some fence trees or other signs of some utility  
 And the two adjacent parishes of four square  
 leagues situate at Kansas, New York, with the  
 respective Dutch parishes

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The Judge who  
 shall give the possession shall cause to  
 be measured according to a chain or rods  
 the several parcels which is to remain to the  
 native for his use and it may ever signify  
 herein that the present document being  
 duly signed and sealed, the same be entered  
 in the respective books and be admitted  
 to the party concerned, for his security and  
 other uses

Given in Manhattan City Feb 21st 1784  
 Henry Rutgers, Secretary to the said  
 court. Translation of a document in case  
 No 644 in the Court of Sessions at  
 New York my official signature this 11th day  
 of March 1783

Hen Rutgers

Secy

Filed in Office March 11th 1783

Hen Rutgers

Secretary

copy of do ...

Memorandum Micheltorrea Brigadier Gen-  
eral of the Mexican Army Adjutant General of  
Staff of the same Governor Commandant  
& Inspector General of the Department  
of the Californias -

"P"

Translation  
of  
Grant

Inasmuch as Don  
Carlos Guillermo Pluggé, Mexican by  
Naturalization has asked for his personal  
benefit the extent of five (5) "Legas de  
ganado Mayor" on the west side of  
"Rio de los Humos" in the Centro of a  
tract of land called "Pogw" his first line  
to be from degree 39, 33, and 11 1/2 of North  
latitude as explained by the documents respectively,

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The requests concerning the  
said land previously practiced according  
to the disposition of the laws and rules - using  
the faculties which are conferred on me  
in the name of the Mexican Nation I  
have come to concede the said land  
subject to the approval of the Most  
Excellent Departmental Assembly and  
the following conditions -

1st - He shall well and prudently treat  
the Indians which may be found estab-  
lished on said land and impress them  
with ideas of confidence society and  
civilization and also of the Catholic  
Religion and not impress them in the use  
they may make of the said land  
in gardening or fishing &c.

2d - That he shall not sell, alienate  
or hypothecate nor shall he impose  
any tax upon it whatever -

3d - When this property shall be confirmed

to him he shall solicit the respect's  
Judge to give him Judicial possession  
in virtue of this dispatch by the which  
the lines shall be marked in the limits of  
which he shall find for land marks some  
fruit trees or forest others of sound utility

4th - The land of which donation is made  
is of five sitios de ganada Mayor accord-  
ing to the Explanation of the respect's Assmo

The Judge who shall give  
possession shall have it measured accord-  
ing to ordinance the excess remaining to the  
Nation for Casermita uses -

In consequence I command  
that this be had for firm and valid  
that Acts be taken of it in the respect's  
book and that it be delivered to the  
interested party for his security and for  
other ends -

Given in Monterey on this 21<sup>st</sup> of  
July 1844.

Filed in Office March 1. 1833 -

(signed) Geo Fisher  
Secy.

George Hoover Administrator  
 of the Estate of Charles Plugge dec'd -  
 as  
 The United States } 5 Leagues of  
 } land in Patto  
 } la called Boga  
 } in Pluggs Rancho.

Opinion  
 by  
 Commr -  
 Simpson

The only evidence introduced in support of this claim is a traced copy of an Certificate from the archives of the former Government of California now in the custody of the W. S. Sawyer General for California containing the proceedings upon the application of Charles Plugge for a grant of land in Stratho River -

This document is unsupported by other proof and is of itself insufficient to establish the Claimants right to a confirmation -

It is accordingly respecting the claim will therefore be entered -

Filed in Office Jan 23. 1855 -

(Signed)  
 Geo Fisher  
 Secy

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Linco. Hooveir Administrator  
of the Estate of Charles Huggie dec'd.  
vs  
The United States.

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Decree,  
in

In this case on hearing the  
proofs and allegations. It is adjudged  
by the Commission that the claim of the  
petitioner is not valid -  
It is therefore decreed  
that his application for a confirmation  
thereof be denied -

Alphons Duch  
R. Bag Simpson  
S. B. Smith  
Commission

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Clerk Geo Fisher  
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and it appearing to the satisfaction  
of the Board that the same had been  
deposited in the Northern  
District of California it is hereby ordered  
that two transcripts of the proceedings  
and of the decision in this case and of  
the facts and evidence upon which the  
same are founded be made and sent  
copies of the same to the  
transcripts shall be filed with the  
Clerk of the United States District Court  
for the Northern District of California  
the other two transcripts to the Attorney  
General of the U.S.

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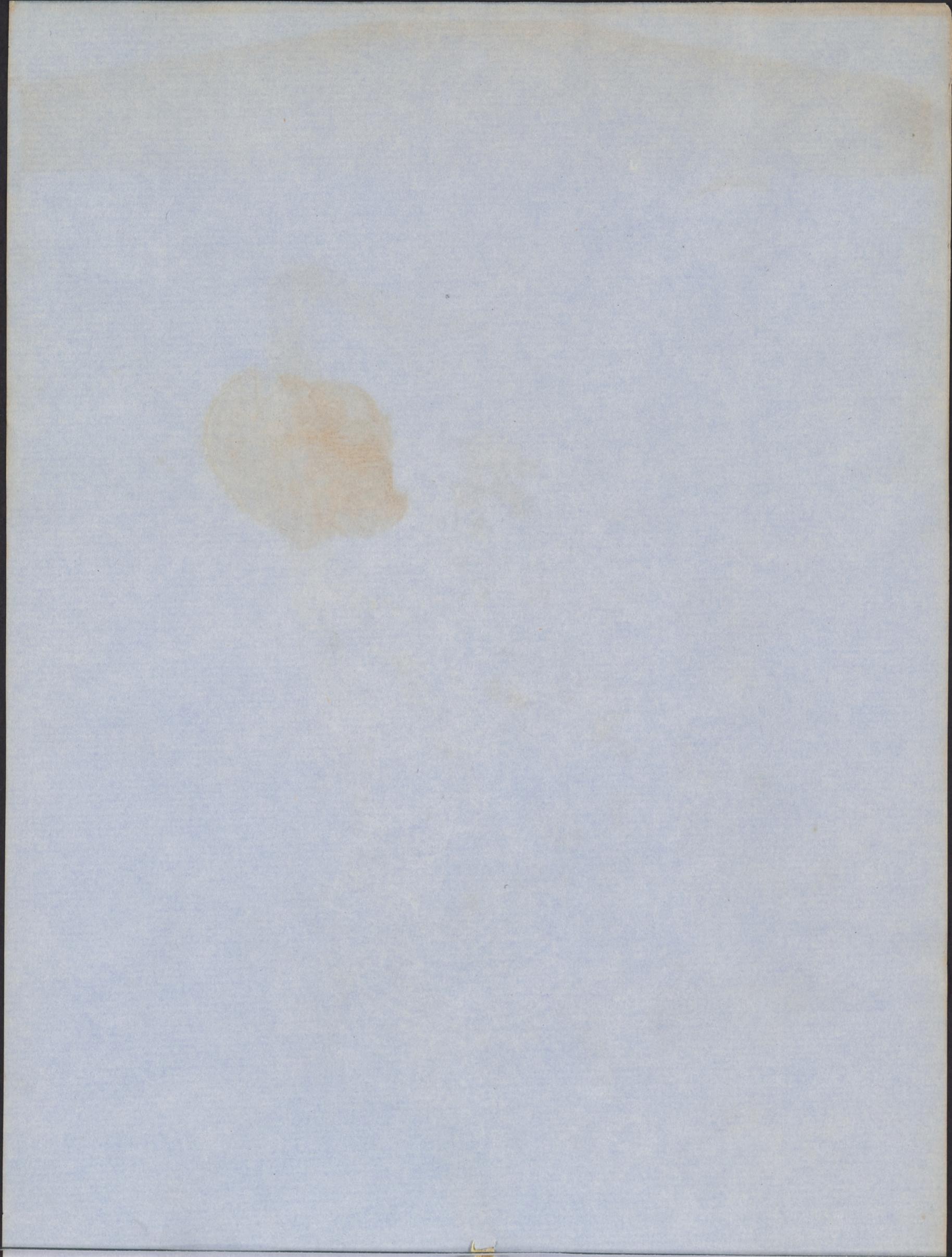
*George Fisher* Secretary to  
the Board of Commissioners to ascertain and settle the Private  
Land Claims in the State of California, do hereby certify the  
following *Twenty three* pages, numbered from  
1 to 23, both inclusive, to contain a true, correct and full Tran-  
script of the Record of the Proceedings and of the Decision of the  
said Board, of Documentary Evidence and of the Testimony  
of the Witnesses, upon which the same is founded, on file in this  
Office, in Case No. 604, on the Docket of the said Board,  
wherein

*George Hoover, Adm.* is  
the Claimant against the United States, for the place known by  
the name of *Boya or Plugge's Rancho.*

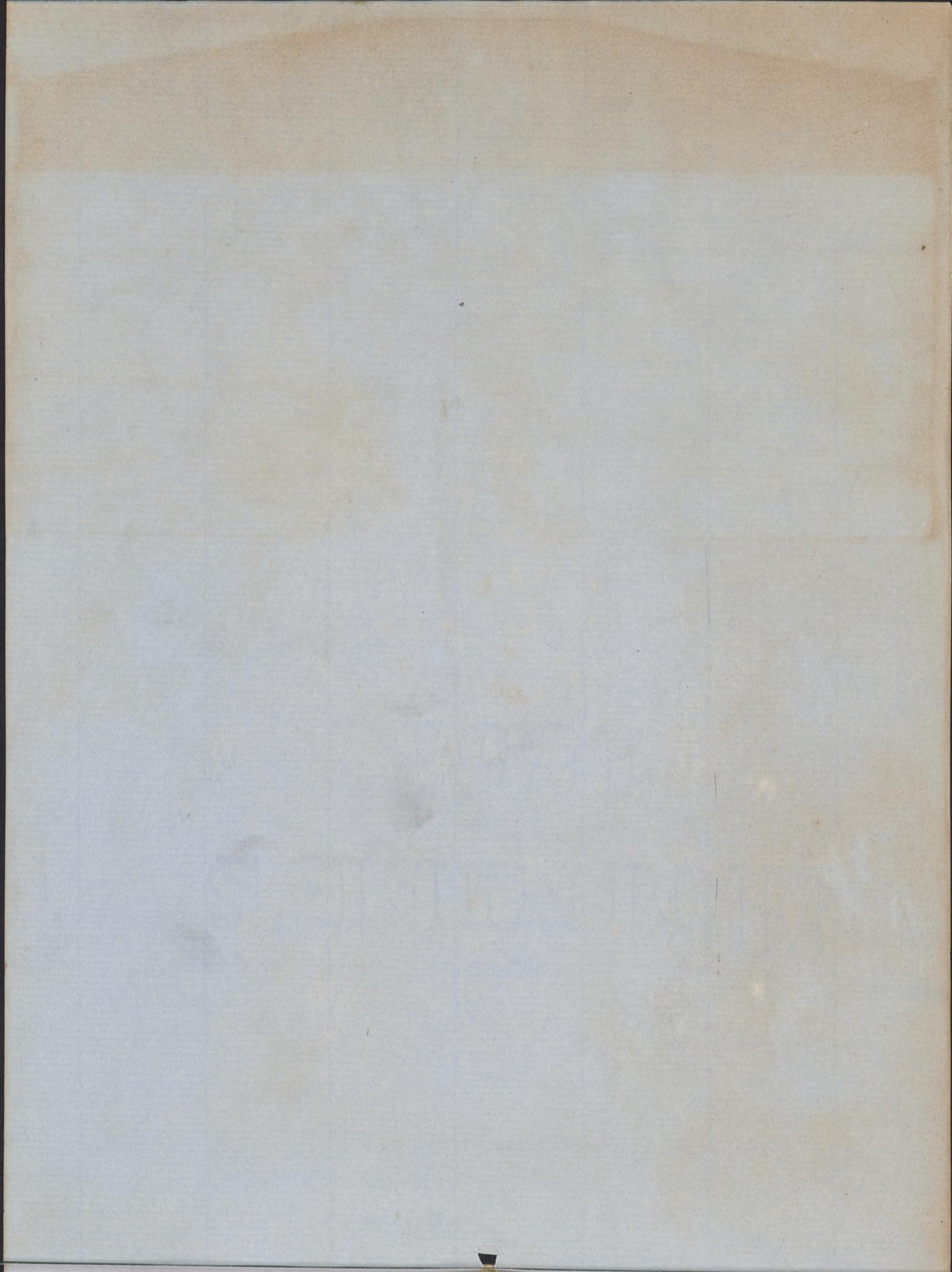
In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto set my hand  
and affix my private Seal (not having a Seal  
of Office) at San Francisco, California, this  
*Twenty first* day of *July*  
A. D. 1855, and of the Independence of the  
United States of America the *seventy-eighth*.

*G. Fisher*  
*Geo. Fisher*









U. S. DISTRICT COURT,

*North* District of California.

No. *259* - **259**

THE UNITED STATES,

vs.

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*George Hoover, Adm'r.*

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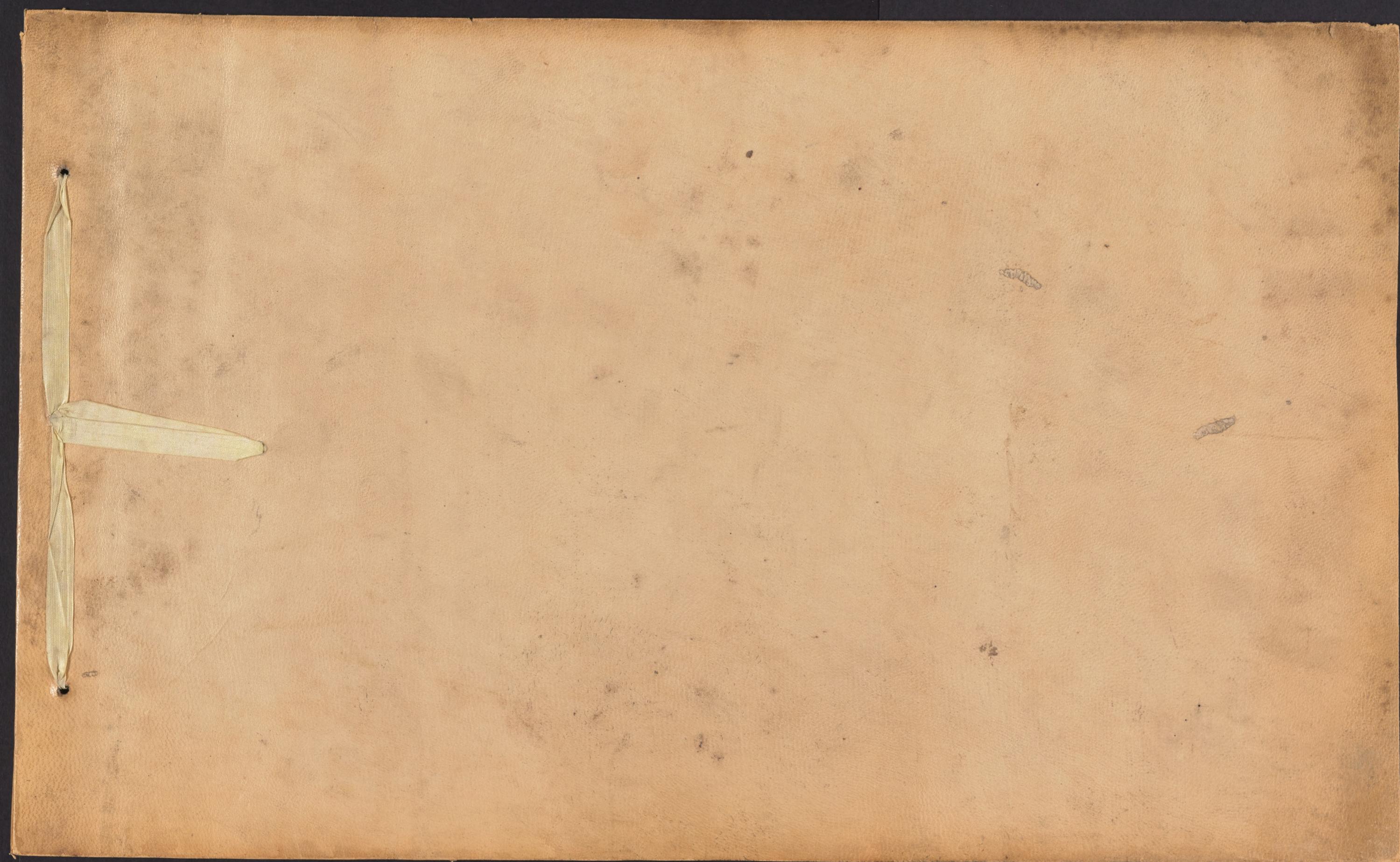
In Case No. *664*.

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*J. A. Mowbray,*  
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Office of the Board of Commissioners,  
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San Francisco, July 21<sup>st</sup> 1855

*J. A. Monroe Esq.*  
Clerk of the U. S. District Court for the  
*Northern* District of California.

Sir;

I herewith transmit you, pursuant to the requirements of the Act of Congress, approved August 31<sup>st</sup>, 1852, a Transcript of the Record of the Proceedings and of the Decision of this Board, of the Documentary Evidence and of the Testimony of the witnesses upon which the same is founded, in Case No. 64 on the Docket of the said Board, wherein *Seance Kover, Adm<sup>r</sup>* is

the Claimant against the United States, for the place known by the name of *"Boga" o' "Flugge's Rancho"* and request your receipt for the same.

I am, Respectfully,  
Your Obedt Servant,

*Geo. Fisher*