

Bellou Tex, Jan'y 21<sup>st</sup> 1876.

Hon. J. J. Gross Commr. &c.

Sir,

Your letter of 17<sup>th</sup> is received. In regard to the Berryman Survey - The call 'S.  
19°W. 1640 1<sup>2</sup>" is correct, by actual measurement -

I think a report of Saul McMillin's survey of the  
W. Moreau Grant was forwarded to the G. L. O. But  
in any case I shall delay sending you a trans-  
cript of the Decree of Court until further orders  
from you, for the reason that in the suit of "R.  
Ayes et.al. vs Phillips & Worrall," our District Ct.  
rendered a judgment locating the North boundary  
of the Moreau grant nearly co-incident with the North  
line of the W.W. Daws 1/3 League, which is correct  
running 87°E. from the N.W. corner as located by  
measurement from the junction of Leon & Lampasas  
rivers - This suit is now in Supreme Court, on  
appeal from our Dist. Court. The judgment above  
mentioned orders the Berryman patent to be cancelled.  
I thought perhaps it was best to await the decision  
of the Supreme Ct & if the judgment is affirmed to  
furnish your office with the decree & corrected

map in accordance therewith - If you desire it  
I will forward the "McMillin report" upon re-  
ceipt of your reply -

I have the honor  
to be Respectfully  
Yur Obt Servt.  
E. T. Rucker  
C. Surveyor Bell Co.

Sketch File No. 30.  
Bell County  
Dated Jan. 21, 1876.  
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Surrogate's Statement about  
Wm Derryman Sur.  
12 Min. N & E Belton.  
*See sketch 1-1657*