



General Land Office.

State of Texas.

Austin.

January 28, 1905.

JOHN J. TERRELL, COMMISSIONER.
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Mr. J. W. Turner,
County Surveyor,

Belton, Texas.

Dear Sir:

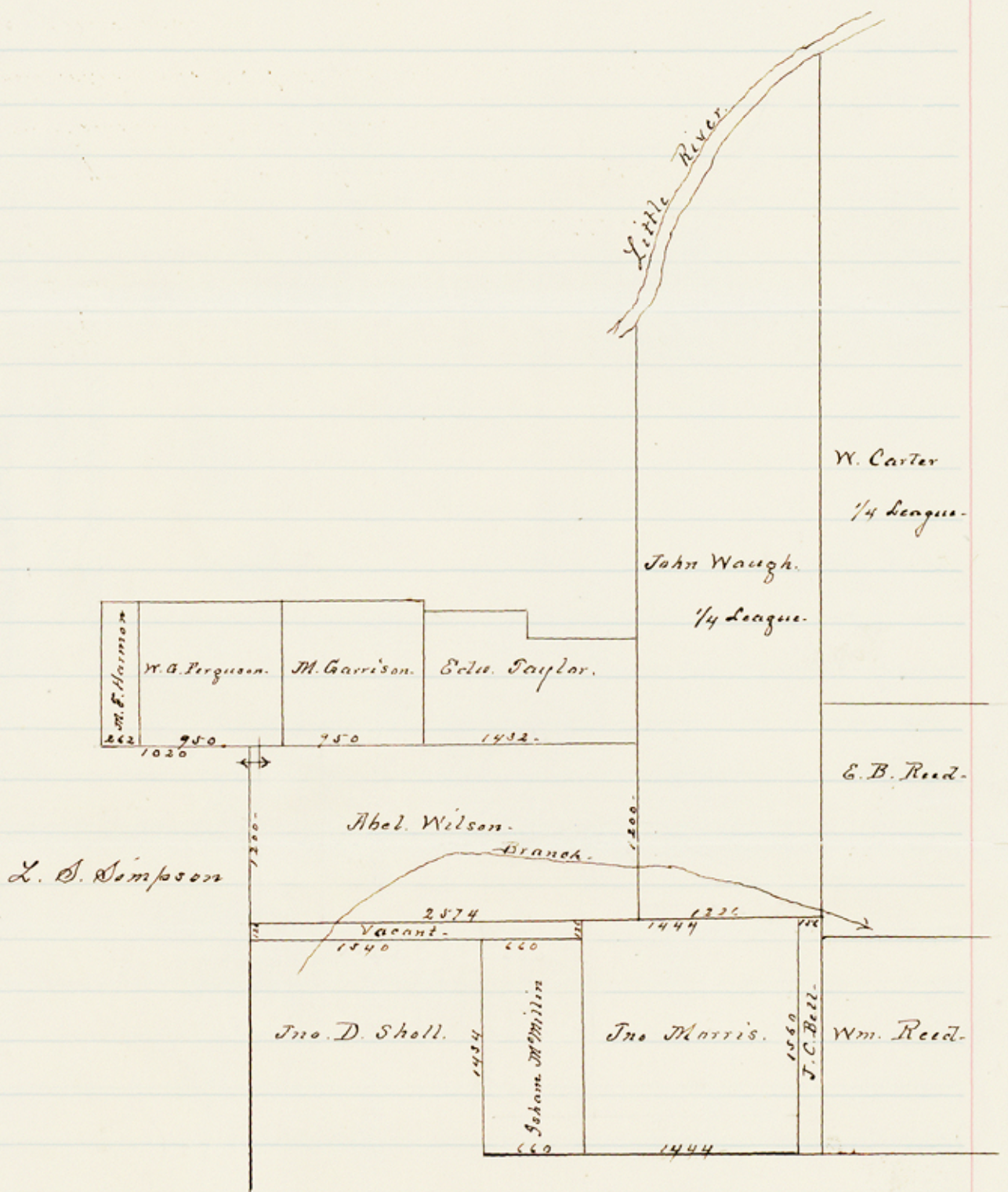
In the matter of a tract of land in Bell county situated about 14 miles Southeast of Belton, between the Abel Wilson and Jno. D. Shell and I. McMillan, you are advised that such vacancy as indicated in your letter of explanation of the 19th instant, and sketch attached does exist and, therefore, this is to advise you that same is subject to application and survey under the act of February 23, 1900. I enclose you blanks and a copy of the law. You are advised further that the entire tract, being less than 640 acres, should be included under one file. Of course, after the land has been purchased and patented, the parties at interest can make such arrangements as they may see fit among themselves.

Very respectfully,

Hutchins-Ewing

Commissioner.

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Scale - 1" = 1000 Yards.

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a correct plat, showing correctly the connection between the Abel Wilson and John Waugh surveys on the North - and the John D. Sholl, Isham McMillin, John Morris and J. C. Bell surveys on the South - and I further certify that the N.W. corner of the Isham McMillin 163 acre survey - (the same being a Post oak tree from which another Post oak tree 5716-1/2 yds. both now standing) is 126 yds. S19W - & 1034 yds. N71W - from the S.W. corner of the John Waugh survey. Witness my hand, this 19. day of January 1905

J. W. Turner, Co. Surveyor
Bell Co. Texas.

Sketch File No. 32.

Bell County

Surrey's Sk & Statement.

Dated Jan. 19th, 1905.

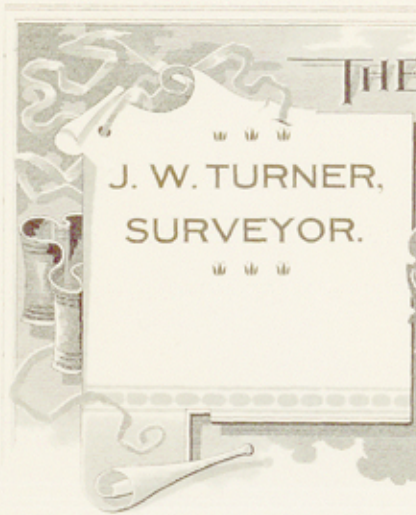
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On Little River

11 Mi. S. 25° E. Belton

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J. W. TURNER,
SURVEYOR.

THE STATE OF
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COUNTY.
BELTON, TEXAS.

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would conflict with The Morris 126 vs x 374 vs. & its S. E. Corner -
would be 126 vs N 19 51. from Waugh's S. W. Corner - The East
line of The Wilson is about 70 vs short - so also is the West line
of The Waugh survey. The West line of Morris measures 1560 vs -
instead of 1444 vs. & The East line of McMillin measures 1434 vs -
instead of 1400 vs - Mrs. M. L. Houston & J. B. Mosely - who own
The Abel Wilson survey have this strip of land enclosed - and in the
Spring of 1900 - Mr. Mosely filed on that portion of said strip of land
that was in his enclosure - & Mrs Houston filed on the portion in her
enclosure, but the Commr. of the Land Office ruled that the land
was not vacant - but belong to The Wilson survey - I call your
attention to this matter would like to have your ruling in the case
as Mr Mosely & Mrs Houston would like to be quieted in their
title to this land -

Yours Truly

J. W. Turner -

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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
 J. W. TURNER,
 SURVEYOR.
 BELL COUNTY.

BELTON, TEXAS, January 19 1905.

*Wrote Surveyor J. W. Turner
Belton*

Hon. J. J. Ferrell.

Commr. Genl. Land Office
Austin Texas-

1/28/05

Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith I send you plat. showing the connection of the Abel Wilson survey with the surrounding surveys. The vacancy south of the Wilson + north of the Sholl + McMillin actually exists and contains about 49 acres of land. The S. E. Cor. of the John Waugh survey is well established, and is 1425 vs. S1921- from the S. W. corner of the Wiley Carter 1/4 League - instead of 1408 vs. as shown by field notes - @ The S. W. corner of Waugh - is a planted rock - 1226 vs. N71W. From its S. E. corner - at the point where the South + West lines intersect - from this rock - S1921. 126 vs. and N71W - 1034 reaches the N. W. corner of McMillin - also a corner of Sholl - on a Post Oak tree marked for corner from which a Post Oak Tr. - S71E. 1 1/2 vs. - The Abel Wilson survey calls - to begin at the S. W. corner of the Waugh. and calls for an Elm bearing tree - same as called for in Waugh field notes - and it calls to run from thence N71W - with the N. line of John Morris - survey - If the S. line of the Wilson is same as the N. lines of Sholl + McMillin then the Wilson

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