

Mr. Commissioner:-

The league surveyed to William H. Hodges is situated on the south side of Old River, adjoining and above the quarter league surveyed to Charles Tilton. And from the upper corner of said Tilton, following the meanders of the River up, a line was run North  $30^{\circ}$  West 1420 varas. Thence North  $48^{\circ}$  West 190 varas. Thence North  $16^{\circ}$  West 130 varas. Thence North  $37^{\circ}$  West 290 varas. Thence North  $39^{\circ}$  West 140 varas. Thence North  $30^{\circ}$  West 200 varas. Thence South  $72^{\circ}$  West 220 varas. Thence South  $49^{\circ}$  West 200 varas. Thence South  $24^{\circ}$  West 480 varas. Thence North  $37^{\circ}$  West 270 varas. Thence North  $49^{\circ}$  West 230 varas. Thence North 200 varas. Thence North  $20^{\circ}$  East 50 varas. Thence North  $43^{\circ}$  East 120 varas. Thence North  $8^{\circ}$  East 120 varas. Thence North  $16^{\circ}$  West 90 varas. Thence North  $67^{\circ}$  West 70 varas. Thence North  $37^{\circ}$  West 130 varas. Thence South  $68^{\circ}$  West 300 varas. Thence South  $36^{\circ}$  West 280 varas. Thence North  $34^{\circ}$  West 150 varas. Thence North  $75^{\circ}$  West 270 varas. Thence North  $8^{\circ}$  West 380 varas to the lower corner of the league surveyed to Henry Griffith which is a landmark. Thence South  $60^{\circ}$  West 6850 varas to a stake in a mound of earth which is a landmark. Thence South  $30^{\circ}$  East 3000 varas to another stake in a mound of earth which is a landmark. Thence North  $60^{\circ}$  East 8600 varas to the first landmark and completing one league of land; of which, five million square varas or, what is the same, five labors belong to the class of arable land and the remainder to that of pastureland, its configuration being that shown.

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We, said Commissioner Baron de Bastrop and Empresario Stephen F. Austin, the witnesses, Presley Gill, Christian Smith, John Jiams, the surveyor, Isaac Hughes, and the interested party, William Bloodgood, went to the said league which, by the preceding act, we have granted to this last and which is situated on Cedar Creek five leagues, more or less, above its mouth on the east side of San Jacinto Bay. And from a point where a landmark was set in the prairie on the east side of said creek, the surveyor began. Thence he measured 5000 varas South  $9\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  East where another landmark was set. Thence South  $30\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 5000 varas crossing Cedar Creek to where a landmark was set. Thence North  $9\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 5000 varas to where set another landmark a distance of 1 vara from an elm North  $50^{\circ}$  West and 6 varas from an oak South  $25^{\circ}$  West, both marked WB. Thence North  $30\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  West 5000 varas crossing said creek again to where the first line began, comprising within all these lines the area of one league of land and being contiguous on all sides with vacant lands of the nation.

Mr. Commissioner:-

The league of land surveyed to Henery ~~Griffiffith~~ Griffith is situated on the south margin of Old River, adjoining and below a quarter league that is vacant; from the northeast corner of said quarter league a gum 8 inches in diameter bears North 42°West 8 varas distant and a white oak 12 inches in diameter bears South 12°West 7 varas distant. ~~Thence~~ Thence South 60°West 7800 varas to a stake which is a landmark. Thence South 30 East 2450 varas to the intersection of the north boundary line of the league surveyed to William Bloodgood. From where another line was run East 250 varas to the northeast corner of said Bloodgood. Thence South 500 varas, following said Bloodgood's east boundary line, to a stake which and thence following the meanders of the river up is a landmark. Thence North 60°East 9000 varas/to the place of beginning and completing one league; ten million square varas or which or, what is the same, ten labors belong to the class of arable land and the remainder to that of pasture land. Its timber is pine, oak, gum etc. and its configuration is that shown.----  
Stricken out - "Griffiffith" - "Thence" - incorrect.  
Interlined - "and thence following the meanders of the river up" - correct.

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Translations of Title  
of  
Wm Bloodgood  
Wm H Hodges  
Henry Griffith

Mr. Commissioner

of the State of Georgia

in relation to the application of

the said Wm Bloodgood, Wm H Hodges

and Henry Griffith for a patent

for their invention of a

method of printing

by means of a

rotary press

and the said Henry Griffith

for their invention of a

method of printing

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and the said Wm Bloodgood, Wm H Hodges and Henry Griffith

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Wm H. Hodges  
(Applicant)

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