

La Grange March 27, 1873.

To the Hon. Jakob Kuechler Comm'r of Gen'l Land Office  
Austin Texas.

Sir: I have the honor to answer on your call of the 13<sup>th</sup>. inst' about the condition of my Office as to County map and the records of field notes according to Section 4 and Section 5 of 'an Act to give each corporate County of this State its own County Surveyor map and records, and defining the duties of Surveyors.

- 1.) Fayette<sup>(County)</sup> was all the time a District by himself
- 2.) I have a old map and a new map in my Office also is one in the Clerk's Office and I mark every new survey on my maps. I have more than that I have records and plates of all the privat surveys
- 3.) I have a well bound entry book in wich all files and locations, made by the Surveyors of Fayette County are recorded, open for every body in my Office — but there are several locations made in my District by Surveyors of the adjoining Counties I would like to have those Surveys, but in wich County are they recorded and how can I get them? Can you sent them down, or will it be allowed for me to make Charges for my service when I go by myself to the different County seats and get coppie of them locations wich I have not got — please answer soon

Very respectfully,

your obedt serv't  
Rich'd D. Dofs.

Dist. Sur. Fayette Co. 2d. Dist.

Sk. File No. 7

Fayette County  
Surveyor's Statement on Co. Records

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By GARRY MAURO, Com'r  
Ken Hill

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