

Charles W. Edwards, 1/2 League  
 Certificate from T.S.C. No. 346, 2<sup>d</sup> Class  
 2<sup>d</sup> Aug. 1838 for 1/2 League

Situated in Colad County, on Pickett's Creek  
 Begin on S<sup>e</sup> boundary of R.O. Hunt, a stake

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stakes	Objects
1	East -	123	4	Said Hunt S.E. corner,
	S. 85° E.	145	4	Black Jack pin, MR X.
	S. 57 1/2° E.	109	4	Black Jack 12 in. MR H.
	S. 89° W.	1900	4	Hunt S.W. corner
		2870	3	a Stake
2	S. 11 1/2° W.	30	4	Post Oak 12 in. MR D.
	S. 27 1/2° E.	52	4	Post Oak 10 in. MR N.
	South	2880	3	a Stake in the prairie,
3	East -	2870	4	a Stake.
4	North	122		crop the Pickets
		2930	1	

Containing 8 1/4 Sections of pasture land,  
 J. W. Stanforth & J. H. Barnard Chain Carriers,  
 Surveyed & Recorded in Book A, page 391  
 9<sup>th</sup> February 1855 by  
 Joseph H. Barnard Dist. Surveyor

Frederick Rudge, 386 Acre

Certificate No. 1260 from Sec 7 of War, part  
 23<sup>d</sup> Dec 1837, for 480 acre

Situated in Colad County near Colito Creek  
 Begin at S.W. corner of 640 acre for Square Burns  
 at a Stake

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stakes	Objects
1	S. 14 1/2° W.	71		to Saw Oak 20 in. MR A.
	S. 4° W.	1130	2	A Stake
2	N. 4° E.	6		to Post Oak 16 in. MR S.
	S. 27° E.	10		to Post Oak 12 in. MR H.
	S. 86° E.	1930	3	a Stake
3	N. 86° W.	144		to Saw Oak 12 in. MR H.
	N. 4° E.	1130	4	to S.E. corner of P. Burns 640 acre
4	N. 41° E.	9		to Black Jack 12 in. MR X
	N. 86° W.	1930	1	with P. Burns S <sup>e</sup> bound.

Containing 386 acre, bounded S. by  
 J. Burns 320 acre, on W. by P. Gaps - on the  
 East by Simpson & Pettus

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Mo<sup>s</sup> J. Hole 640 Acre 20 - Survey.  
 Certificate No. 550, from Harrison T.S.C. -  
 Situated in Karns County, about 4 miles  
 S.W. of Helena.

Begin on the San Antonio river, at  
 P.S. Elliott's upper corner,

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stakes	Objects
1	S. 42° E.	45		to Mangrove MR B. (old mark)
	S. 55° E.	92		to Anagua MR Z
	S. 45° W.	5150	2	found old corner, taken for Elliott's W. corner & Mark the beginning of the survey
2	S. 68° E.	12		Mangrove stump MR A. old mark.
	South	20		bluffs of Mangrove, MR & ledge (old marks)
	S. 45° E.	1345	3	with P. Elliott S.W. boundary to Stake on A. Soto's boundary
3	N. 30° W.	56		Mangrove MR N.
	N. 15° W.	54		Mangrove MR O.
	S. 45° W.	1926	4	with S <sup>e</sup> Soto to Stake.
4	N. 45° W.	1025	5	to Stake on E. boundary of W. M. Pater,
5	North	1962		with S <sup>e</sup> boundary J.A. Lambert's boundary. to
			6	Stake in prairie th. S.W. corner of W. M. Pater,
6	East	1466	7	with S. Pater's S. boundary to P. Elliott N.W. boundary a Stake
7	N. 70° E.	10		Hatchery MR K.
	N. 66° E.	12		Hatchery MR Y.
	S. 45° W.	666	2	

J. W. Gopfert & D. C. Shannon Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed 19<sup>th</sup> January 1855 by  
 Charles A. Haysell Deputy Surveyor  
 for Karns County in Colad Land Dist.  
 Approved & Recorded in Book A, page 393  
 10<sup>th</sup> February 1855 by  
 Joseph H. Barnard Dist. Surveyor

J. C. Ketcher 6,078 5/100 Acres

20 - Survey to correct first Survey  
 Part of Land Warrant No. 1155 from  
 Secretary of War 18<sup>th</sup> Dec 1837

Situated in No West County, on the Colito  
 Creek a tributary of the Guadalupe  
 about 4 miles S. 70° E. from Georgetown.  
 Begin on Colito at intersection of Gonzalez's line

Station	Course	Distance	Object
1	S. 11 1/2° W.	69	to Saw Oak 4 in. MR X
	S. 41° W.	618	to Saw Oak 14 in. MR X
	N. 72° W.	236	2 off. S. corner of from S. corner
	S. 65 1/2° W.	238	3
2	S. 42° W.	673	4
3	S. 57 1/2° W.	110	5
4	N. 39 1/2° W.	1138	6
5	S. 68° W.	689	7
6	N. 86° W.	203	8
7	N. 53° W.	522	9
8	N. 73 1/2° E.	496	10
9	S. 61 1/2° W.	594	11
10	S. 85° W.	404	12
11	N. 26° E.	36	13
12	N. 17° W.	42	to Hatchery 12 in. MR H
13	N. 32° W.	37	to Mangrove 12 in. MR O
14	N. 26° E.	1128	S. corner of S. corner
		1725	Proposed N. Colito
		2165	Stake on J. H. Barnard
			to S. corner
14	S. 64° E.	2338	15
15	S. 39° E.	2732	1
			with S. boundary line

J. H. Barnard & J. H. Barnard Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed & recorded in Book A,  
 page 395 - 16<sup>th</sup> March 1855  
 by Joseph H. Barnard Dist. Surveyor

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William C. Howard 104 <sup>22</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Acres  
 remainder of Certificate No. 1397 from Adjutant  
 Gen. 9<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1853 - for 320 Acres

Situated on Elm Creek, a branch of the  
 Cabaña a tributary of the San Antonio river  
 about 14 miles N. 53° W. of Goliah  
 Begin on A. Lugo's S. E. boundary, at  
 V. Ramas N. corner, a Stake.

Stations	Course	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	S. 66 1/2° E. N. 49° E.	7 594 1030	2	to Live Oak 14 in. MR R cross Elm Creek with S. Lugo's boundary to Stake
2	N. 26 1/2° W. S. 69° E. S. 41° E.	22 41 575	3	to Live Oak 24 in. MR L, to Live Oak 14 in. MR V, Stake in the prairie
3	S. 49° W.	1006 1030	4	cross S. Elm Creek Stake on S. Ramas N. E. boundary
4	N. 59° W. N. 41° W.	35 575	1	to Post Oak 24 in. MR R, along S. boundary

G. Ford & H. Shaper Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed 1<sup>st</sup> March 1855 & recorded in  
 Book A, page 396, 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1855  
 by Joseph W. Barnard Dist. Surv.

A. S. Thurmond 81 1/4 Acres,  
 Certificate No. 38 1/4 from Gen. G. S. O. 6<sup>th</sup> July  
 1853 for Unlocated bal. of Bounty Land  
 Warrant No. 1229 from Adjutant General  
 12<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1853 for 320 Acres.

Situated on Elm Creek, a branch of the Cabaña  
 a tributary of the San Antonio river, in  
 Colial County about 14 miles N. 53° W. from Goliah  
 Begin on V. Ramas N. E. boundary, at  
 W. C. Howard's S. corner, a Stake.

Stations	Course	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	N. 59° W. N. 49° E.	35 1030	2	to Post Oak 24 in. MR R. with S. Howard's S. E. boundary to his E. corner, a Stake.
2	S. 41° E.	448	3	Stake in the prairie
3	S. 49° W.	1030	4	to S. Ramas N. E. boundary a Stake
4	S. 62 1/2° E. N. 41° W.	79 448	1	to Alouquit 12 in. MR V, with S. boundary

G. Ford & H. Shaper Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed 5<sup>th</sup> March 1855 and  
 Recorded. Book A, page 397, 23<sup>rd</sup> March  
 1855 by Joseph W. Barnard Dist. Surv.

James Huykendall 160 Acres,  
 Pre-emption law & Affidavit  
 Situated in Colial County, near Cabaña Creek

Begin on V. Ramas S. E. boundary, at  
 M. Carrina's N. corner, a Stake

Stations	Course	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	N. 77 1/2° E. S. 41° E.	50 1000	2	to Hackberry 12 in. MR T. a Stake in the prairie
2	N. 49° E.	904	3	a Stake.
3	S. 46° W. N. 48 1/2° W. N. 41° W.	162 108 1000	4	to Live Oak 10 in. MR T. to Ramas S. E. boundary, Stake
4	N. 9° E. S. 49° W.	110 904	1	Alouquit 12 in. MR G.

J. L. Harrison & S. W. Howell Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed & Recorded in Book G,  
 page 10, - 3<sup>rd</sup> March 1855 by  
 Joseph W. Barnard Dist. Surv.

John Johnson Purris 160 Acres  
 Pre-emption law & Affidavit  
 Situated on the Blanco Creek, a tributary  
 of Mexican River, - in Colial County  
 about 17 miles S. W. of Goliah.

Begin on S. bank of Blanco, at M. Miller  
 N. W. corner, a Stake.

Stations	Course	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	S. 65 1/2° W. N. 19 1/2° W.	50 413	2	Hackberry (one of three) 12 in. MR D with remainder of bank of creek
2	N. 83 1/2° W.	342	3	intersection of S. Davis E. boundary, a Stake
3	S. 84 1/2° W.	449	4	Live Oak 25 in. blazed & MR. B.
4	S. 20° E. S. 20° W.	95 758	5	with Davis E. boundary to a Stake
5	N. 27 1/2° E. S. 70° E.	30 1000	6	Alouquit 10 in. MR D, to W. boundary of S. Miller a Stake
6	S. 67 1/2° W. S. 2° E. N. 20° E.	49 20 710	1	MR 10 in. MR V. Alouquit 6 in. MR M

J. L. Harrison & J. J. Purris Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed 9<sup>th</sup> March 1855 and Recorded  
 in Book G, page 11 - 17<sup>th</sup> March 1855  
 by Joseph W. Barnard Dist. Surv.

Elizabeth Pinney, 18 3/8 Acres

Pre-emption law & Affidavit  
 Situated on the Manchavilla creek, a  
 tributary of the San Antonio, in Coliad  
 County, about 3 miles N. 32° W. of Goliah  
 Begin at D. N. White's N. W. corner, a State

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	S. 70° W.	17		Post Oak 12 in. MR. W.
	N. 44 1/2° E.	45		Live Oak 12 in. MR. A
	N. 41° E.	885	2	South S. White's N. W. boundary to Manchavilla creek
2	N. 60 1/2° W.	121	3	Up the creek to W. S. Thomson's S. E. boundary
3	S. 41° W.	861	4	with that boundary to a State,
4	S. 49° E.	119	1	

Surveyed 20th March 1855  
 W. Whitley & J. Smith Chain Carriers  
 Recorded in Book G, page 12  
 23rd March 1855 by  
 Joseph W. Barnard Dist. Surv.

Martha Moore 160 Acres

Pre-emption law & Affidavit  
 Situated on the border of the Sanchez  
 a tributary of the Guadalupe  
 in Harms County, about 18 miles  
 N. E. of Helena  
 Begin at Creek Taylors N. E. corner, a State

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	S. 20° E.	7		Live Oak 15 in. MR. M.
	N. 20° W.	309		Crop Brewery, a prong of Sanchez
		777	2	State on line of N. Reed
2	N. 45° E.	20		Post Oak MR. R.
	N. 70° E.	950	3	South Sanil Reed's line, State
3	N.	8		Post Oak 12 in. MR. M. M.
	N. 80° E.	10		Post Oak 12 in. MR. X.
	S. 20° E.	950	4	State.
4	S. 70° W.	309		Live Oak 36 in. MR. I.
	S. 70° W.	643		Crop Brewery
		950	5	
5	N. 38° W.	18		Live Oak 36 in. MR. M.
	N. 45° E.	19		Live Oak 24 in. MR. N.
	N. 20° W.	173	1	

John Stanton, Joseph Granger Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed & Certified 21st December 1854 by  
 Charles A. Beaufull Deputy Surveyor  
 Recorded in Book G, page 13 - 20th April  
 1855 - by Joseph W. Barnard District Surveyor

M. C. Graham 160 Acres

Pre-emption law & Affidavit  
 Situated on waters of Mustang branch of the  
 Colito (Colts) a tributary of the San Antonio  
 in Harms County, about 6 miles E. of Helena  
 Begin on N. M. Lane's E. boundary, at 1901  
 or distant from his N. E. corner, a State

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	N. 33° W.	36		Along 8 in. MR. G.
	N. 2 1/2° E.	31		1/2 Ashbury 8 in. MR. R.
	East	50		Crop Mustang creek
		950	2	State.
2	N. 42 1/2° W.	80		Along 8 in. MR. A.
	South	950	3	State, in prairie
3	West	950	4	State
4	S. 30° W.	75		Along MR. W.
	N. 15° W.	80		Along MR. X.
	North	900		Crop Mustang creek
		950	1	

M. C. Graham, A. Islands Strickland Chain Carriers  
 Surveyed & Certified 29th Dec 1854 by  
 Charles A. Beaufull Deputy Surveyor  
 Recorded in Book G, page 14 -  
 20th April 1855 by  
 Joseph W. Barnard District Surveyor

Jerome Strickland 160 Acres

Harms County pre-emption Claim No. 4.  
 Pre-emption law & Affidavit  
 Situated on the border of Mustang branch  
 of the Colito, a tributary of the San Antonio  
 in Harms County about 6 1/2 miles E. of Helena  
 Begin on E. boundary of N. M. Lane  
 950 acres from his N. E. corner, a State

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	N. 64 1/2° E.	80		Live Oak 48 in. MR. R.
	South	950	2	State
2	N. 33° W.	36		Along 8 in. MR. G.
	N. 2 1/2° E.	31		Ashbury 8 in. MR. R.
	East	50		Crop Mustang creek
		950	3	State
3	N. 42 1/2° W.	80		Along 8 in. MR. A.
	North	950	4	State
4	S. 50° E.	10		Along 7 in. MR. S.
	West	75		Crop Mustang creek
		950	1	

M. C. Graham, A. Islands Strickland Chain Carriers  
 Survey 29th December 1854, by  
 Charles A. Beaufull Deputy Surveyor  
 Recorded in Book G, page 15 - on  
 20th April 1855 by  
 Joseph W. Barnard District Surveyor

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Amos Strickland 160 Acres

Harris County Pre-emption Claim No. 5,  
Pre-emption law & Affidavit

Situated upon the waters of the Mustang  
branch of the Clets, a tributary of the  
San Antonio river mostly in Harris County  
about 6 1/2 miles E. from Helena.

Begin on Jerome Strickland's (Pre-emption No. 6)  
N. boundary 368 1/2 paces from his N. W. corner  
at a Stake

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	East	50		Aling <sup>t</sup> 16 in. W
	N. 29° W.	40		Live Oak MR X.
	East	566		Cross Mustang Creek,
		64 1/2		S. E. corner of No. 4
		950	2	Stake
2	S. 60° W.	81		Live Oak 16 in. MR P.
	N. 60° W.	75		Aling <sup>t</sup> 8 in. MR X
	North	400		Cross N. W. & Harris County
		950	3	Stake on N. bank Mustang Cr.
				Helena is a high bluff
3	N. 30° E.	95		Live Oak 16 in. MR A.
	West	950	4	Stake on N. S. Lytle's S. line
4	N. 26° E.	7		Live Oak 26 in. MR V
	South	950	1	

A. Orlando Strickland from Strickland Chain Survey

Recorded Book G. page 16, 20<sup>th</sup> April 1855  
by Joseph W. Barnard District Surveyor

A. Orlando Strickland 160 Acres

Harris County Pre-emption Claim No. 7,  
Pre-emption law & Affidavit

Situated upon the waters of Mustang branch  
of the Clets, a tributary of the San  
Antonio river, — in Harris County, mostly,  
about 7 miles East of Helena.

Beginning at N. E. corner of No. 3, a Stake

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	N. 42 1/2° W.	80		Aling <sup>t</sup> 8 in. MR A.
	East	950	2	a Stake
2	N. 88° W.	95		Aling <sup>t</sup> MR O.
	North	950	3	Stake
3	N. 53° W.	33		Aling <sup>t</sup> 16 in. MR T.
	N. 7° E.	33		Aling <sup>t</sup> 8 in. MR E.
	West	950	4	Stake
4	S. 50° E.	10		Aling <sup>t</sup> 6 in. MR S.
	South	950	1	

Jerome Strickland, N. C. Graham Chain Survey

Survey No. 29<sup>th</sup> 1854 by  
Charles A. Huffell Deputy Surveyor  
Recorded Book G. page 18, 20<sup>th</sup> April 1855  
by Joseph W. Barnard District Surveyor

William H. H. Davis 160 acres

Harris County Pre-emption Claim No. 6,  
Pre-emption law and Affidavit

Situated upon the waters of Mustang branch  
of the Clets, a tributary of the San Antonio river  
in Harris & W. Will Counties, about 7 miles  
E. of Helena

Beginning at Stake on S. boundary of  
W. S. Lytle, on bank of Mustang Cr. & 1258 paces  
from N. M. Lane's N. E. corner — a Stake.

Stations	Courses	Distances	Stations	Objects
1	N. 3° E.	95		Live Oak MR A.
	South	150		Cross N. W. & Harris County
		550		Corner N. 39° W.
		950	2	Cross Mustang Creek
				a Stake, at S. E. cor. of No. 5.
2	S. 60° W.	80		Live Oak 16 in. MR P.
	N. 60° W.	75		Aling <sup>t</sup> MR X.
	East	950	3	Stake
3	N. 30° E.	39		Aling <sup>t</sup> MR X.
	N. 15° W.	32		Aling <sup>t</sup> MR H.
	North	950	4	Stake, on S. Lytle's S. boundary
4	N. 78° E.	36		Aling <sup>t</sup> MR X.
	S. 86° E.	34		Aling <sup>t</sup> MR X.
	West	950	1	With S. Lytle Survey

Jerome Strickland & A. Orlando Strickland Chain Survey

Surveyed 29<sup>th</sup> Dec 1854 by  
Charles A. Huffell Deputy Surveyor  
Recorded Book G. page 17, 20<sup>th</sup> April 1855  
by Joseph W. Barnard District Surveyor  
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Surveys from 9<sup>th</sup> February  
to 7<sup>th</sup> May 1855

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