

Surveyors Office Menardville

December 17th 1892.

Hon. W. L. McJannet,
Comm. Gen. Land Office
Austin, Tex

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Dear Sir: I have received your letters with instructions for running the Co. line and also the two scetches with reference to the correction of the old county map. At our last Commissioners Court, after considering the contents of the letters sent me from your Office, it was decided to let Mr. Shuchard correct his mistakes on County line which ^{was} run by him, in consequence of which I will probably not be ready to run the south line til next summer; as our County is very poor it cannot afford to have the Co. lines surveyed twice now; the Court ~~also~~ thought that surveying County lines and making connections to the Surveys was a County affair and the Land Office had nothing to do with it.

A few days ago I went out and examined the connection of the 20 mile post on North Co. line to S.E. cor. N: 76. H & T. C. Bk. 8 and found it correct (1194m (over) north and 1358m west) but it looks like the 20 Mile post is not in the right place because from it to the S.W. corner N: 143. E. L. & A. L. (L. 8" S 6 W 34m on the ground and the stump of the other bearing also) is 267m (over) E and 100m N of said 20 mile post and I took the precaution to go over this 4 times, to assure myself that it was not a mistake.

I have always thought that Bk 2 - T. W. N. G. as well as the Blacks north of this depending on it for distance in nothing, could not be entitled to the excess in
counter 31513

Pass for Van

1308
263
1620 Vm from
25 Wm 143 to point
15 N 76 E Cor. 7 & Bk 8

hold good
that your opinion will hold good in this
case also.

I can give one more connection that
that your draftsman might want for the
map, that is from an old Jiddings corner
in Cass Co. supposed to be the SW cor.
N: 2047 or NW cor at: 166 - a dry mesquite 6" dia
marked X very old and plain br. about NW 10 rs. it is
the SW cor. of the so-called Cade's Pasture; from
this point to the 17 ml post on north Co. line
is S 2 ml and 15' 0" and E 394'.

Respectfully

Arthur Strieker.
C. S. M & S. Co.

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