

Jasper Texas Aug 1st 1890.

Report of re-survey of lands situated in Jasper and Orange Counties, made by L. D. Scarborough, State Surveyor, under an act to provide for ascertaining the conflicts and errors in and making proper corrections of surveys of lands made for the Common School, University, and Asylum grounds, approved April 2nd, AD 1887.

We began on the East bank of the Neches river at a point opposite the mouth of Big Sandy Creek. Thence, ran South 76° East 3900 varas, as per call in original field notes of survey No 1 made for H. Filley. Found and identified the North west corner of said survey, one of its original bearing trees still standing (a pine). The other bearing call for an ash was entirely gone, but small ash trees were standing near that point, which is the only point for a long distance each way on that line that an ash tree would probably grow. Thence we ran E. following a very old blazed line, at 1114 varas crossed the E line of T & N. O. R. R. Sur. No 4. and west line of No 5, at 1900 varas made search for N. E. Corner of H. Filley No. 1 and N. W. Corner of H. Filley No. 2. Failed to find any bearings. The timber immediately surrounding this point had been almost entirely destroyed. Continuing East, still following the old blazed line, at 2566 varas, crossed the E. line of Sur. No 5. and W. line of Sur. No. 6. T & N. O.

and at 3800 varas, made search for N.E. Corner of A. Filley No 2 and N.W. Corner of Fred. Stover No 3, found no bearings, all the old timber had been cut and removed. Thence we ran South for the E. line of Filley No 2. at 1900 varas, found a very old blazed line, Course East & West, found no Corner, old timber had been recently cut and removed. Thence we ran West, following old blazed line, at 1400 varas, crossed Rich Marsh Creek, at 1900 varas, South west Cor. of A. Filley No 2, one old bearing tree marked X still standing. Continuing west, still following old blazed line at 3800 varas, found no Corner, old timber all destroyed by storm. Thence we ran North on old blazed line, at 1900 varas the place of beginning, or N.W. Cor. of A. Filley No 2.

We then returned to the N.W. Corner of the J. Stover sur. No 3. and ran East, on old blazed line which had been side-hacked later at 370 varas, passed the west line of J. Rudge sur. which is also the East line of survey No 6. J. N. C. at 556 varas passed the S.W. Cor of Jas A. Mason sur. and at 1900 varas, found the N.W. Corner of the J. Busley presumption sur. in the E. line of the J. Rudge sur. this is also the South East Corner of the James A. Mason sur. and N.E. Corner of J. Stover sur. and N.W. Corner Ann A. Ayer sur. All timber cut and removed, stumps standing that corresponds with course and

distance for the bearing trees called for in original notes; continuing East on north line of the Am. A. Hyer sur. which is also the North line of the J. Busley sur. at 2984 varas passed Busley's N. E. Corner which is also the N. W. Corner of William Williamson pre-emption survey. the line still marked with the old blazes and side hacks, later. at 3284 varas passed an interior corner of said Williamson survey both bearing trees standing. at 3800 varas, N. E. Cor. of said Hyer sur. we found no bearing trees, but the old blazed line does not continue beyond this point. A + + + +

We then returned to the S. E. Corner of H. Filley survey No. 2. and ran South for the East line of H. Filley No. 7. and west line of H. Filley No. 6. 1400 varas but found no marks. We then ran East for South line of Filley No. 6. 500 varas found no line or corner marks. We then ran South for west line of Filley No. 6. at 610 varas found the North line of Martin Palmer's League, which is plainly marked with old blazes and side hacks, made later. We only identify this as the Palmer line by the statement of an old citizen, (L. A. Pattillo) who claims to have helped make a re-survey of the Palmer League, while the original bearing trees were still standing. We then ran East in North line of said League, at 310 varas crossed Ten Mile Creek. at 1400 varas E. line of H. Filley sur. No. 6. All old timber cut and removed.

We then ran North, 2010 varas for the S.E. corner of F. Stover, No 3. Here we found a very old blazed line, Course East and West, which had been side hacked later. We also found a corner which had evidently been made when the line was side hacked but we did not find the original bearing trees called for in the Stover field notes. We then ran East for the South line of Ann A. Heyer sur. No. 4. following said marked line 1400 varas, but found no corner, also blazes cease here; timber cut and removed. Hence ran North 1900 varas, for the N.E. corner of the Ann A. Heyer sur. as mentioned on page 3 of this report.

We then returned to the point on the East bank of the Neches river, opposite the mouth of Big Sandy Creek. and ran East on Jasper and ^{Orange} ~~Neches~~ Co. dividing line, 13,225 varas, for S.W. cor. of George Uhler and N.W. cor. of Ed. Hurst sur.; found no old marks, but at 13,283 varas found a newly marked corner, made by N.W. Blake, for same.

We were then informed by an old citizen, (Wm Williamson) that he knew of a very old corner in the woods, which he pointed out to us. This proved to be the South East corner of the Ed. Hurst survey No. 10. both original bearing trees still standing and agrees with the calls in the original field notes of said survey. ✓

From this point, we ran West, following an old blazed line 1900 varas to the South West corner of said Ed. Hurst sur.

and N.W. Cor. of F. Stover sur. No. 14.

Here we found both bearing trees, still standing, one plainly bearing the corner marks the other dead and too badly decayed to show the marks. We then ran north on very old blazed line, at 1900 varas passed the Jasper and Orange Co. line, found no corner marks, the old timber at this point having been destroyed by storm. ~~Continuing North at 2685 varas.~~

This point is 785 varas west of the corner made by W.W. Blake for the N.W. Cor. of Ed Hurst and S.W. Cor. of Geo Uhler sur., and is 12498 varas East of the Neches river.

Continuing North on old blazed line, which has been side hacked later, for East line of Sur. No. 2. To N.O.; at 1900 varas from County line, corner in marsh from which a pine having an old \times bears S. 67° E. 61 varas, as called for in Uhler's original field notes; the other bearing tree having entirely disappeared. We also found an old blazed line running East from this point.

We then returned to the N.W. Cor. of H. Jolley Sur. No. 1, and found and identified the most Northerly corner of M.A. Harris 1280 acre sur. Thence North 815 varas to the South line of Sarah Gray's sur. at N.W. corner of survey No. 4. To N.O. Thence ran East on Gray's South line 1314 varas to N.E. Cor. of Sur. No. 4, and N.W. Cor. of Sur. No. 5. To N.O. bearing trees still there, but one down,

Thence ran South 813 varas to North

line of H. Filley No. 1.

Returning to N. W. Corner of sur. No 5 To N. O. and ran East on S. line of Sarah Gray's sur. at 1250 varas Rich Marsh Creek, at 1452 varas, passed N. E. Corner of sur. No 5; and N. W. Cor. of sur No 6, To N. O.; Continuing East at 3071 varas passed the N. E. Cor. of To N. O. No 6, and N. W. Cor. of F. Rudge sur.; bearing trees cut and removed, stumps still there, agreeing with Calls in original notes. at 4601 varas passed the N. E. Corner of F. Rudge; in the W. line of J. A. Mason sur.; timber all cut and removed; at 5985 varas, the S. E. Corner of Sarah Gray.

We then returned to S. E. Cor. of H. Filley sur. No. 1. and ran west 680 varas for N. W. Cor. of H. Filley sur. No. 7. Thence ran South for west line of said sur No. 7 at 284 varas, crossed the North line of J. C. Westcott sur. and at 1234 varas, crossed Westcott's South line, and at 1400 varas, located S. W. Corner of H. Filley sur. No. 7.; found no line or Corner marks. Thence ran East for South line of H. Filley No. 7. at 1509 varas, crossed E. line of sur. No. 1. To N. O., and at 2580 varas, the most Northerly S. W. Cor. of H. Filley sur. No. 6. Thence North 1406 varas, to the S. E. Cor. of H. Filley sur. No. 2. Thence west 2580 varas, to the place of beginning.

A. L. D. Scarborough, State Surveyor
do hereby certify that the above and
foregoing report is true and correct.

and that the marks natural and artificial therein mentioned are truly described as found on the grounds.

L. S. Scarborough

State Surveyor

J. J. Casley
Compassman

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J. J. Colburn
To the
Messrs. J. J. Colburn & Co.

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Orange, Texas, Sept 21 1892

I J. A. Prickster County Surveyor
of Orange County Texas hereby Certify
that I ran the following connecting
on the ground with duly qualified
Chain men on the 27 may 1891
Began at the N. W. Corn. of the
H. Slane Survey No 14 which is
also the S. W. Corner of Ed. Hurst
No 10, as established by L. D.
Scarborough this State Surveyor
Pine Trees. Thence ran No 40 in
960 yards and S 82 W 176 yds. to
the South East Corn. of William
Williamson's Preemption Survey
Original. Original bearing trees
still standing. These corners
were shown to me by Old Mr
William Williamson the Original
settler }

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J. A. Prickster
County Surveyor, C. T.

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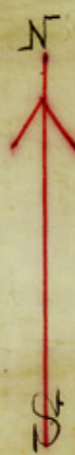
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Connecting Lines
in
Orange County
NW part of County -
Dated Aug. 1, 1890.

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Variation 8° 15' E

Variation for County Line 7° 54' E



Sarah Gray

County Line

M.A. Harris

Martin Palmer League

Jas. A. Winn
J.S. Cole

Joshua Cole

Thomas Pratt

W.F. Harrison

Geo. Uhler

W. Duncan

Jas. A. Massey

Ed. Hurst

S.J. Wilney

F. Stover

F. Stover

Ed. Hurst

H. Filley

Scale - 1000 yards per inch