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Mr. W. B. Hansbro, Judge, San Jacinto Co., Cold Springs, Texas

Dear Sir:

In your letter of March 22nd you ask that I furnish you the area in square miles, of San Jacinto county, indicating how much of this area was taken from each of the four counties from which San Jacinto county was formed.

As a basis for the area of this county, I used the present official map of San Jacinto county and by graphic method, I find that it contains 610.96 square miles, which could be considered 611 square miles within the degree of accuracy that this value could be computed.

Using the positions of the old county lines, as shown on an old map of Walker county, the areas from the different counties would be as follows:

Polk county,	329.14 s	q mi
Liberty "	121.20	17 17
Walker "	99.66	12 12
Montgomery "	60.96	17 17

San Jacinto county was created by Act of August 13, 1870; the Act of April 8, 1874 fixes the Western boundary. The present official map of San Jacinto county was compiled in 1899. I can send you a blue print from a tracing made at the time for \$1.25 on paper, or blue print copy on cloth for \$3.00, these being the statutory fees.

Yours very truly,

J. H. Walker

Commissioner

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