## TARRANT COUNTY

## SKETCH FILE NO. 33

- 1. Rejected corrected field notes to John H. Duncan Survey File-Rob. 2-484.
- 2. Surveyors Sketch.
- 3. Surveyors report.
- 4. Copy of letter to Henry M. Dickson 11/4/1954. Rejecting Survey.
- 5. Copy of Working Sketch
- 6. Copy of letter to: Stone, Agerton, Parker & Kerr, RE: Review and rejection of survey dated 5/23/54.

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by virture of Section 4 of House Bill No. 9, pass	ed at the Regular Session of the F	orty-sixth Legislature,		
and approved June 19, 1939, regulating the sale	of excess acreage in titled or pa	atented surveys. Said		
	, about 10 miles S.			
Fort Worth , the county seat, and is	described by metes and bounds	as follows, to-wit:		
Beginning at the S. W. corner of the	ne T. O. Moody Survey.			
THENCE West with the	North line of the J. A.	Gill Survey		
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I, Henry M. Dickson Licensed State	landSurveyor of Tarrant	County,		
Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing surve	ey was made by me on the grou	nd, and according to		
law; that the limits, boundaries and corners, wit				
in the foregoing Plat and Field Notes, just as I found them on the ground; and they are recorded in				
Book "B" , Page 400 , of the County Surveyor's Records of Tarrent				
County, Texas.				
This 2nd day of September	, 19.54.			
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Surveyor of Tarrant County, Texas.

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#### Corrected Field Notes

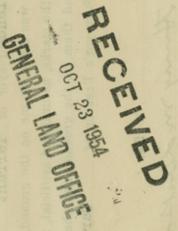
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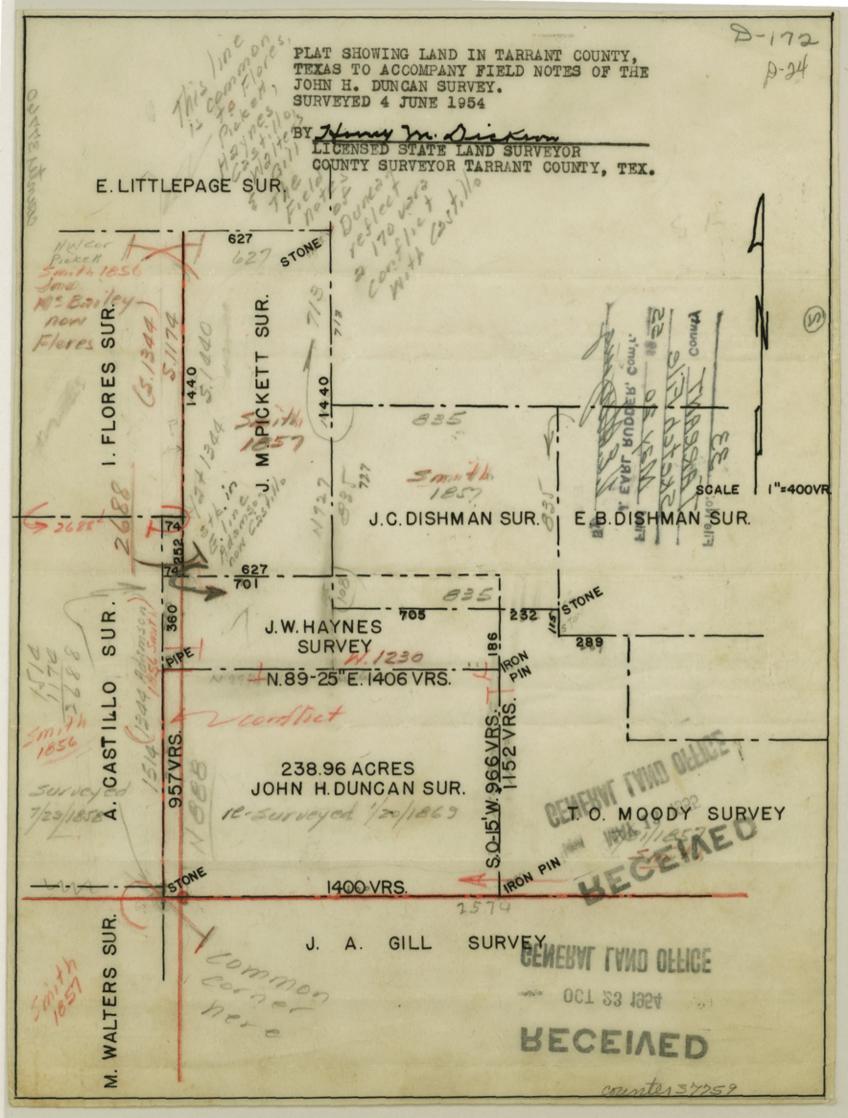
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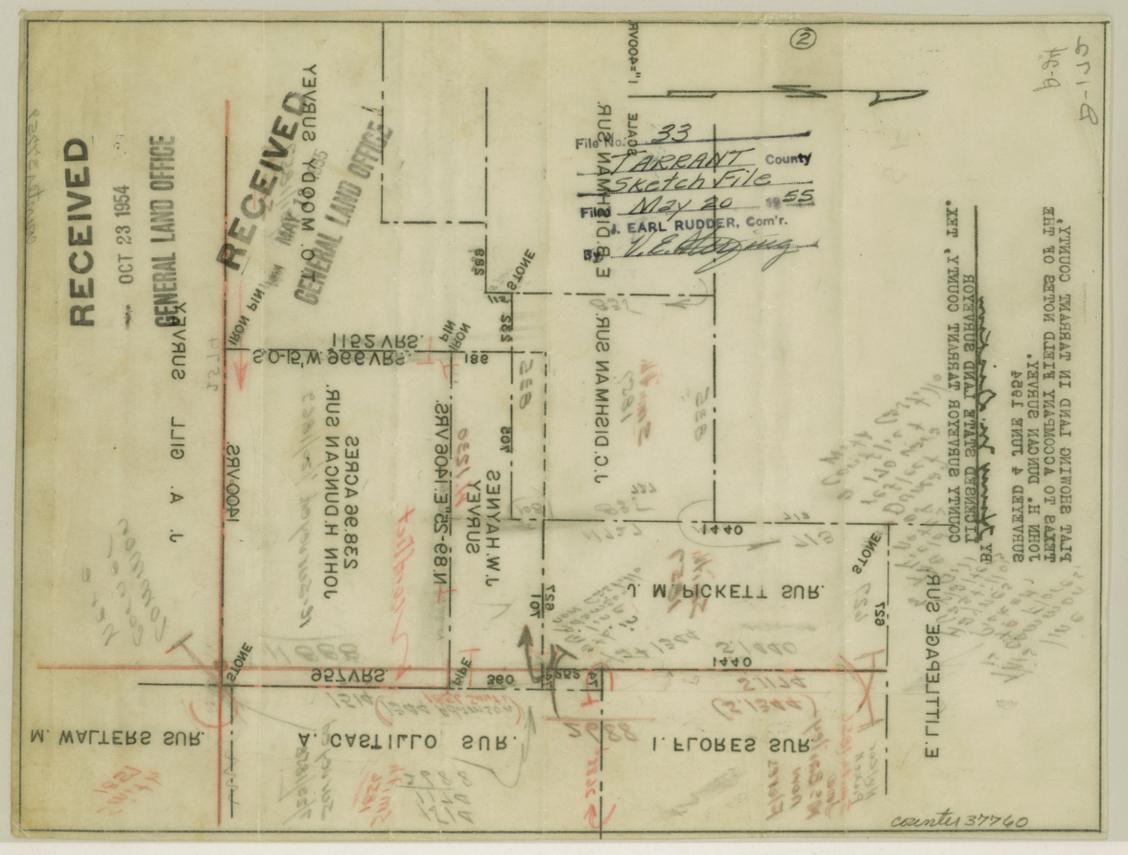
Surveyor of **Tarrant**County, do hereby certify that the character and reasonable market value of the land included within the limits of the within field notes are as follows:

Soil (state character) Thin Loam	100	-
Timber None		•
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FORT WORTH, TEXAS

TARRANT COUNTY COURT HOUSE

20 September 1954

Mr. Baseom Giles Commissioner of the General Land Office Austin, Texas.

Dear Mr. Giles:

Im making the survey of the John H. Dincan Survey, I found an excess of 18.96 acres of land. I then went to the N. E. corner of the J. M. Pickett Survey where I found a rock that I had found in 1913 when I made a survey on July 21, 1913, out of the J. Jennings Survey.

I then ran a line South 1440 vrs. as called for in the original field notes for the J. M. Pickett Survey. I then ran a line South 360 vrs. as called for in the original field notes of the J. W. Haynes Survey and found it to be exactly on the North line of the J. H. Duncan Survey, as now located on the ground.

I then went to the S. W. corner of the T. O. Moody Survey and ran a line 1400 vrs. west as called for in the priginal field notes and found a stone the S. W. corner of the John H. Duncan Survey

I then ran a line North at 63 vrs. and set a stone for the S. E. corner of the A. Castillo and the N. E. corner of the Moses Waters Surveys, continuing North in all 957 vrs. to a pipe set by John Baker for the S. W. corner of the J. W. Haynes Survey, the N. W. corner of the John H. Duncan Survey.

I then ran with fence line N. 89 25' W. 1406 vrs. and found an iron pin the N. E. corner of said Duncan Survey, in the West line of the T. O. Moody Survey. I found this pin to be 232 vrs. West and 186 vrs. South of the S. E. corner of the J. C. Dishman Survey, The S. E. corner of said Dishman Survey being a rock the original corner.

I then ran a line S. 60 15' W. with fence line, the West line of said Moody 966 vrs. to the place of beginning.

Sincerely yours

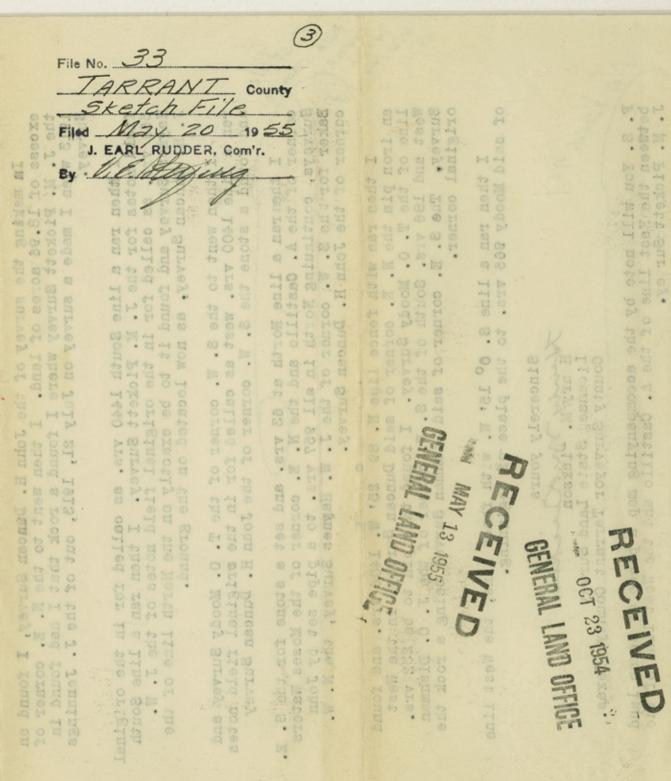
Henry M. Dickson

Licensed State Land Survey County Surveyor Tarrant County, Texas.

P. S. You will note by the accompanying map a piece of scrap land between the East line of the A. Castillo and the West line of the J. M. Pickett Survey.

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Vacancy



# November 4, 1954

Mr. Henry M. Dickson James Building Fort Worth, Texas

Dear Mr. Dickson:

I have made an examination of your corrected field notes, report and sketch relative to the J. H. Duncan Survey in Tarrant County, which were received from the law firm of Stone, Agerton, Parker & Kerr of Fort Worth, Texas, in their letter of October 22, 1954. These instruments have not been approved for the following reasons.

All of the surveys adjoining the Haynes and Duncan Surveys are senior having been made originally by surveyor J. P. Smith in 1856 and 1857 except the J. A. Gill Survey which was made by Mr. Lively in 1859. The area now occupied by the Castillo and Flores Surveys was previously surveyed for Adamson and McBailey. The J. McBailey calls for the NW corner of the Pickett Survey and ran 1344 varas with its West line; the Adamson Survey adjoining the McBailey on the South, thence 1344 varas South to a common corner with the Walters Survey; total distance of both surveys you will note is 2688 varas. The Flores Survey also calls for the Pickett NW corner and ran South 1174 varas with its West line, the Castillo Survey calls for the SE corner of the Flores in the West line of the Pickett Survey, thence South 1514 varas, also making a total of 2688 varas. From the above you will conclude that the Flores, Pickett, Castillo, Walters and Gill Surveys all have a common line North and South, whereas you have indicated the Castillo Survey to be 74 varas West of the Pickett and its SE corner to be 63 varas North of the Gill Survey.

The J. W. Haynes Survey was originally surveyed Nov. 7, 1863 calling for a total of 360 by 1400 varas. These field notes were cancelled and patent issued on corrected field notes dated December 21, 1863 calling for an area 360 by 1230 varas. This survey begins at the SW corner of the Pickett Survey, runs East 1230 varas, South 360 varas to the NE corner of the Duncan and West 1230 varas to the East Line of the Castillo.

Mr. Henry M. Dickson Page 2 November 4, 1954

The J. A. Gill Survey calls for the SE corner of the Adamson and the NE corner of the Walters Survey which is also the SE corner of the Castillo heretofore mentioned, thence runs East 2574 varas and calls for the SW corner of the Martin Survey which is also the SE corner of the Moody Survey. The distance West on the Moody Survey is 1344 varas which added to the Haynes West distance of 1230 varas also totals 2574 varas. The Duncan Survey begins at the SW corner of the Moody Survey, thence West 1400 varas; the total distance of the Moody and Duncan Surveys being 2744 varas, and if the 2574 varas distance is subtracted a conflict of 170 varas would appear to exist between the Duncan and Castillo Surveys.

I am returning the field notes, report and sketch to you herewith The pertinent fact outlined above being delineated on your sketch in pencil. You will note no vacancy will exist in the area referred to in your report.

Sincerely yours,

BASCOM GILES, COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

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Enclosures

Files-Rob. Sc. 1226 Rob. 1-929

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cc: -Stone, Agerton, Parker & Kerr Fort Worth National Bank Bldg. Fort Worth 2, Texas Attention: B. G. Mansell

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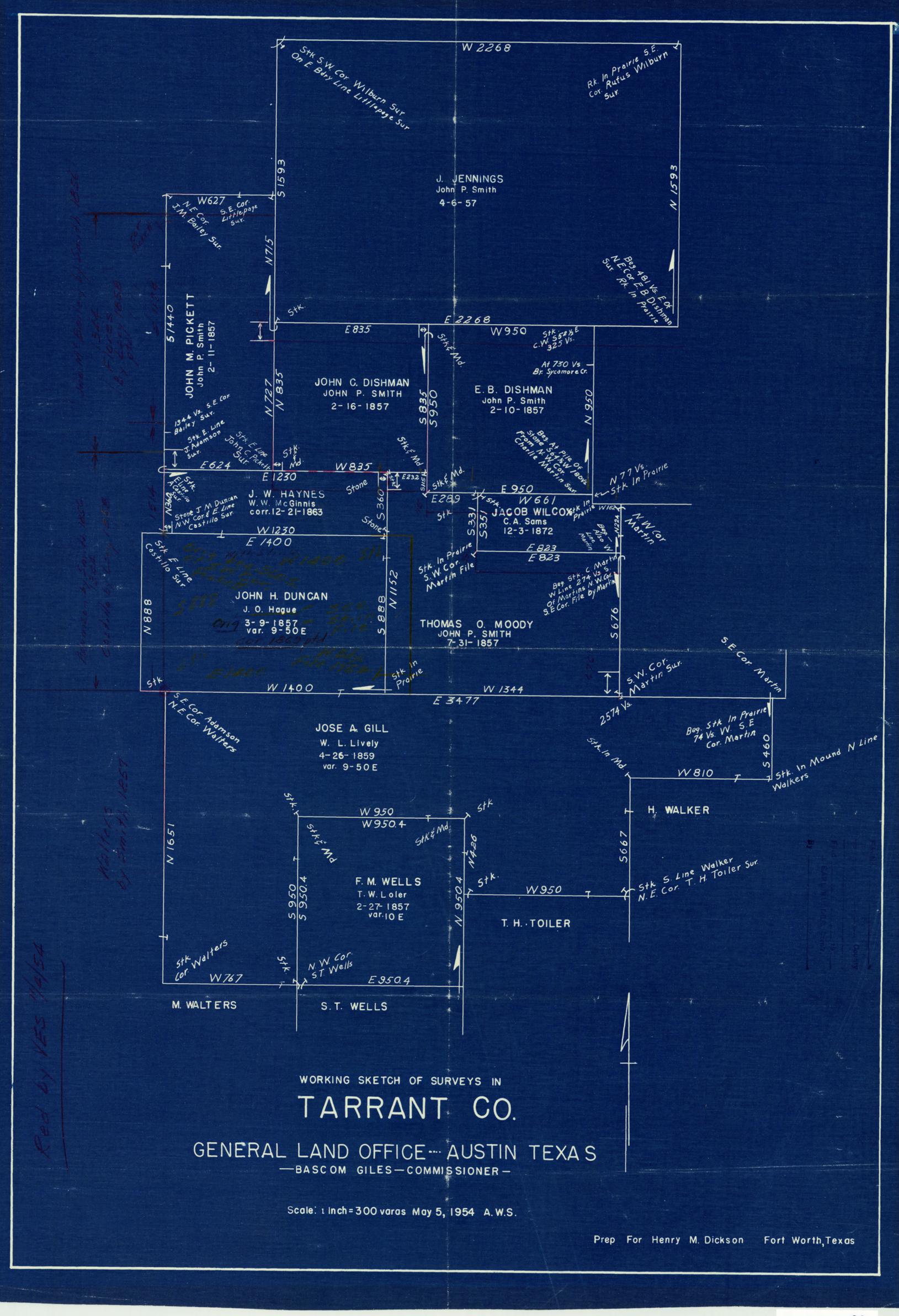
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Filed May 20 1955

J. EARL RUDDER, Com'r.

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May 23, 1955 Stone, Agerton, Parker & Kerr Fort Worth National Bank Building Fort Worth 2, Texas Attention: Mr. B. G. Mansell Dear Mr. Mansell: I have your letter of May 12, 1955 in which you requested a re-examination of the Survey of J. H. Duncan, by Mr. Henry M. Dickson. Receipt is acknowledged of the three papers enclosed in your letter, 1. Mr. Dickson's letter of September 20, 1954, to the Commissioner, 2. His sketch showing the alleged excess, and 3. Mr. Dickson's corrected field notes. According to the records of this office the J. H. Duncan Survey as patented is in conflict with the Antonio Castillo, a senior survey, and the re-tracement of this survey by Mr. Dickson has not eliminated the conflict. The corrected field notes of the Duncan Survey by Mr. Dickson cannot therefore be filed in the Land Office records as correct. The three papers listed in your letter of May 12, 1955 are being filed in the Tarrant County Sketch File, and an endorsement made on the jacket of the Duncan File Robertson 2nd Class 484" as follows: "See Sketch File No. 33 for rejection of excess application. 5-20-55 VES:" I have requested a refund warrant from the State Comptroller in the amount of \$5.00, which sum you mailed to this office in your letter of October 22, 1954. The photostatic copy of the Danciger Deed is being returned to you herewith. Sincerely yours, EARL RUDDER, COMMISSIONER BY: V. E. Sterzing Engineering Department VES:mlc Enclosure File: Rob. 2nd Cl. 484 counter 37765 Tarrant Co. St. File #33

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