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Connecting Line West of Trinity - Jas. F. Weed

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Report

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1 Certificate of Jas. F. Weed, State Surveyor.
 2 showing the position of the old Survey sur-
 3 rounding the locations made for the Texas
 4 O. Ry. Co. & the Texas & New Orleans P. & O. Co. in
 5 Liberty County, West of the Trinity River.

James Humphreys

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 8 The S.E. cor. of this Survey was identified
 9 by the original loc. tree its South line det-
 10 ermined by old tracks. Beginning at S.E. cor.
 11 of Humphreys, I ran S. 89° 21' W. 5831 m. to
 12 the original P.O. corner of J. Hardin on South
 13 side of this Survey identified by its old loc. tree.

A. Hofmann

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 16 Beginning at the S.E. corner of this Survey estab-
 17 lished by me at the intersection of its well mar-
 18 ked South line with its plainly marked East
 19 line. I ran S 1° 1' W. with old line 1091 m. to
 20 the original S. W. corner of 153. S.E. corner of this
 21 Survey, place at intersection of its East & South
 22 lines, both well marked.

D. Pankin

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 25 Beginning at the S.E. corner of A. Hofmann
 26 on the North boundary of this Survey. I
 27 ran N 87° 2' E with an old line plainly
 28 marked on to the N.E. cor. of this survey
 29 (it being also the Original corner of 153 D)
 30 on the West bank of Jacksonville Bayou

Stephen Nicholson

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1 I found the West line of this survey
2 well marked very old, running $S 4^{\circ} 17' W$.
3 Also found its South boundary well marked
4 but very crossed.

5 Beginning at its S. W. corner placed at the inter-
6 section of its S. & W. lines. I ran with the
7 old marked line $S 8^{\circ} 20' E 313$ vs to the original
8 S. W. corner, 154 H. & J. C. Ry Co. Thence $S 8^{\circ} E$ 136
9 vs to the original N. W. corner, of 140 H. & J. C.
10 Ry Co. Thence $N 80^{\circ} 24' E 149$ vs to the original
11 N. E. corner of 140 H. & J. C. Ry Co.

12 Thence $N 88^{\circ} 25' E 176$ vs to the S. E. corner. the
13 survey placed at the intersection of the well
14 marked S. & E. lines of this survey.

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16 Hugh Means

17 J. B. Garrett

18 I found the West lines of both these surveys
19 well marked very old, & remain as shown in
20 the accompanying sketch.

21 The North line of the Hugh Means. I found
22 well marked but not the original marks. The
23 South line of the Means & also the South line
24 of the J. B. Garrett are plainly marked
25 & old but not the original marks.

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27 Nicholson to Simmons.

28 Beginning at the N. E. corner of ground South side
29 of Stephen Nicholson. I ran $S 1^{\circ} E 391$ vs to
30 the old corner of 140 on North side of Hugh
31 Means. Thence West vs to Means N. W.
32 corner at intersection of his N. W. lines both

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1 Hackle - Thence S 1/2 W. with very old hack
 2 ed line 148 vs. to the Original S. E. corner
 3 of 140. Thence S 1/2 E with very old line 184
 4 vs. to original S. E. cor of 150 - Thence S. 0° 5' W.
 5 with old line 212 vs. to the Original N. E.
 6 corner of Margaret Kennedy on West side of
 7 J. B. Giddens.

M. Kennedy

8 Beginning at its N. E. corner identified
 9 by original logs Thence with old line N. 88°
 10 16' W. 184 vs. to original S. W. corner at 151.
 11 Thence West 194 vs. to original S. E. cor of

D. Rankin Survey on West

12 bank of Farmington Bayou. identified by
 13 Original log tree.

14 Thence South 714 vs. to the Original N. W.
 15 corner of
 16 J. Huffman.

17 N. W. cor. this survey identified by Original
 18 logs. Thence I ran S 13° W. with bayou
 19 for 50 vs. at 130 vs. recross same at 130 for
 20 a gully at 133 vs. a gully at 187 vs. a gully (West)
 21 146 5 vs. to the old S. W. corner of this survey identified
 22 by its original log trees. One of which is now dead
 23 I marked a S. 1/2 10" dia. by S. 1/2 14" dia. & a white
 24 Oak 24" dia. near M. H. to be 142° W. 13 in.

25 Thence East with very old hacked line at 1150 leave
 26 old timber entered G. Whicket 1955 established the
 27 S. E. corner of the survey in prairie whence a person
 28 on tree 5" dia. by S. 1/2 86 vs. & a pine 4 in dia. by
 29 N. 11° E. 10 1/2 vs. Thence I ran South 210 vs. & West 104
 30 vs. to the old N. E. corner of 122 identified by its
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original log tree. Thence West 2843.00 to the N.E. corner
of

Geo. Simmons

Placed the N.E. cor. of this Survey at the intersection
of its well marked East line with its plainly hacked
North line. This corner being also the original N. W.
corner of 121 N. & J. O. Ryals. Thence I ran West with
old hacked line 1975.00 to the original N. W.
corner this Survey & S. E. corner of Chas. Smith Survey
identified by its original logs, both of which are in
good state of preservation & plainly marked.

Thence South with old hacked line 1930.00 to
the original S. W. cor. of this survey, identified by
original Sweet Gum log tree.

Thence East 1425.00 to S. E. corner this Survey.

Geo. Smith.

Beginning at its S. E. corner, identified by original logs.
I ran West with old hacked line 1988.00 to the
S. W. corner of this Survey, identified by original
logs, whence I White Oak marker & (very old) br. S.
37° E. 4.00 vs. a hickory br. N 3° W 9.00 & White Oak br. S.
37° W. 17.00 vs. an iron nail br. S. 85° W. 7.00.

Willis M. Wilkinson

Beginning at the original S. W. corner of Chas. Smith
& S. E. cor. this Survey. I ran S. 80° W. with very old line
at 600.00. I set a log (very old) at 897.00 & a quail runs
467.00 to the original S. W. corner of this Survey
S. W. cor. of W. O. B. Withall Survey, whence a Magnolia
20' dia. marked N. N. E. br. N 65° E. 5 1/10 vs. a pine Oak marked
7 br. S 85° W. 4 1/10 vs. an old hacked line runs.

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1 South from this corner, along an old survey North - Thence
 2 I ran S 89 1/2 W. with old line 2800 vs. made long
 3 & diligent search for the S.E. corner of the C.L. Brumham
 4 Survey but was unable to find either the big
 5 tree to its S.E. corner or its old packed East line -
 6 Thence I returned to the S.W. corner of the Miller
 7 M^c. Wilkinson's N.W. corner of W.P. Witham
 8 ran North 2500 vs. with an old packed line - was
 9 unable to find the N.W. corner of the M^c. Wilkinson
 10 on this line nor could I find any marked line
 11 for the South line of the Jas. C. Dorman survey -
 12 This line was in an extremely dense thicket
 13 & timber very scattering throughout its entire
 14 length.

Mary M^c. Keeley

15 Beginning at the original S.W. corner of Jas.
 16 Dorman's survey - I ran N 89 1/2 W. with
 17 an old packed line at 145 vs. into old timber
 18 at 540 vs. edge of another island of old timber
 19 at 1410 vs. into young gum timber 1468 vs. to the
 20 original N.W. corner of this survey. identified by one
 21 of original top a red Oak 24" dia. (called in F.
 22 M^c. Pine Oak). mkx (very old) br. N 89 1/2 W. 51 vs. mk
 23 a S. 6' dia. br. N 15 E. 8 1/2 vs. pin 18" dia. br. N 60 W.
 24 40 vs. Thence S. 111 E. 178 vs. pass the West
 25 pt of an island of large timber 1963 vs. to the
 26 original S.W. corner this survey. whence a Post
 27 O^c (called pin oak in note) 24" dia. mkx (very old)
 28 br. N. 48 E. 128 vs. & a Post Oak (called pin oak in note)
 29 28" dia. mkx N. (old) br. N. 35 E. 133 vs. (call is 123 vs.)
 30 both trees are in South edge of an island of Pine
 31 Oak P.O. P.O. timber, abt 40 vs. in diameter -
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1 Thence I ran East 2156 vs. to S.E. corner of this
2 Survey + North 1455 vs. to N.E. corner this Survey
3 on South bdy of Jno. Simmons.

4 Thence West with Simmons line 645 vs.
5 to the beginning.

6 I made the South line of this Survey
7 102 vs longer than field note call for three
8 reasons namely First this is required to
9 give the McKuddey its full grant land
10 while it does not create a conflict with
11 the survey on its East. 2nd this is the position
12 given the Sur. by its own field notes if we
13 reverse the calls in said notes + run back
14 ward. 3rd this latter method has been adopted
15 by the locating surveyors of N. & T. Co. as shown
16 in his notes of J. St. leading the distance on
17 South line of Simmons 645 vs. between S.
18 W. cor. of said Simmons + N.E. cor. of McKuddey.
19 Gilbert Brooks.

20 I found + identified the S. W. cor. of this
21 Survey on the East bank of East San Jacinto
22 River by its original. brog. whence a Holly m^{td}
23 \bar{z} 40 + 7 (very old) vs. N 38° E. 3 1/2 vs. Thence N.
24 89° E. with old hacked line 10000 vs established
25 the S.E. corner this Survey.

26 Thence N. 1° W. 2500 vs. to N.E. corner this Survey
27 Thence S. 89° W. 10000 vs. to N.W. corner this Survey
28 Thence 1° E. 2500 vs. to beginning.

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30 David Kobernot

31 I found the South line of this Survey
32 well marked + very old.

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Beginning on this line where it crosses
 Cedar Bayou. I ran S. 79° 40' W. with the
 old line 2400 vs to an old corner the S.W. cor.
 this survey established by J. J. Glaspien
 Co Surveyor Harris Co. whence a S. 8. 24" dia.
 iron & old brs. S. 30° 3/4 W. 49 vs. a pine oak
 15" dia. iron & old brs. S. 26° W. 47 vs. + a lone
 S. 8. 8" dia. brs. N. 53. 6. 43 vs. This corner is
 about 1/2 mile N.E. from Crosby Station on S.P.
 R.R.) Thence I ran N. 10° 20' W. at 650 vs. center
 of a marsh at 13.46 vs. old Lynchburg Road (S.W.)
 at 1640 vs. a deep Marsh at 3630 vs. center
 timber 3968 center of Cedar Bayou (E) at 3974
 vs. pass an old division corner 4494 vs. leave
 timber of Bayou 5000 vs. to N.W. corner this
 survey whence a Iron Tree brs. N. 8. 1/2 W. 57 vs.
 Thence N. 79° 40' E. 5000 vs. to N.E. cor. this survey.
 Thence S. 10° 20' E. 5000 vs. to S.E. corner this survey.
 Thence S. 79° 40' W. 2600 vs. to the beginning.

Lower Town League

I found the South line of this League
 plainly marked & very old, also found many
 sets of new marks on same line. Beginning
 at the S.E. corner of this survey, which
 is the N.E. cor. of Elizabeth Munson survey, estab-
 lished on West bank of Trinity River where
 the old hacked South line of this survey
 strikes it. I ran West with the old line
 at 1048 vs. a deep lake at 2689 vs. pass an old
 division corner with 2. S. 8. 1/2 brs. trees at 3390 vs.
 Bayou (runs) at 3934 vs. pass another old division

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1 corner of E. Munson League at 4580 vs. crop.
2 a Spring Branch (N) at 4890. vs top of hill at
3 7037 vs intersect Main Street of Dayton minimum
4 N 30° W at 10134 vs crop. S. P. R. R. track (course
5 S. 49° W) at 10537 vs. to an Old corner S. W. cor.
6 of Town League established by J. N. Dark at
7 10850 vs to the N. W. corner of E. Munson League
8 established also by J. N. Dark; accepted by me.
9 it being an iron, Hammered pile driven & weight
10 ing 2000 lbs.

11 Returned and began at the S. W. cor. of Lower
12 Town League & ran North 2500 vs. to N. W. cor.
13 of said League. Thence East 561 vs to S. W. corner
14 of Upper Town League.

15 Thence North 2840 vs to the S. W. corner of the
16 Deasly Prescotts League placed at the inter-
17 section of its South & West. lines both of which
18 are plainly marked; very old; this corner being also
19 the original S. E. cor. of the Alfred Lane survey
20 (identified by original logs) located in 1847, but
21 now abandoned. Thence Dray North with old
22 marked line at 105 vs. a branch. at 500 vs.
23 a large spring branch (J. McCallin Lane 500
24 3535 vs to N. E. corner of said Lane. Thence N.
25 1300 vs. a corner of Lane on E. side of J. B. Nagger-
26 ty League. Thence South 300 vs. to S. E. corner of
27 J. B. Nagarty League.

28 Beginning at its S. E. cor. as located above in acc-
29 ordance with the certificate & field notes of the
30 Lane Survey I located its other lines & corners field
31 note call from this S. E. corner.

32 In ^{the} location of this Survey I have accepted

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1 the work of H. Jackson Co. Surveyor of
2 Liberty Co. in 1847. whose certificate will be
3 found in the field notes of the Alfred Lane
4 Survey now abandoned. The Original location
5 of Lane was made in 1835. but conflicted with
6 the J. J. Haggerty - & was resurveyed in 1847
7 correcting said conflict with Haggerty since which
8 date the land office maps, the work of
9 subsequent County Surveyors have recognized the
10 Haggerty League as occupying the position
11 given it by Me. The S.W. corner of the Haggerty
12 falls in a large open prairie where the
13 nearest timber or island of timber is 3 miles
14 to the N.W. of it.

M. Jones

J. L. Greene

17 Beginning at the N.W. corner of Haggerty
18 I run North 21° 15' W. to a point & E. 34° 26' W. to
19 the N.W. cor. of J. L. Greene & S.W. cor. of M.
20 Jones thence N. 11° W. 950 vrs. to N.W. corner
21 of M. Jones identified by its orig. brgs.
22 thence N. 84° 25' E. 985 vrs. to the N.E. corner of M.
23 Jones identified by its orig. brgs. thence I run
24 S. 0° 55' W. 1836 vrs. to the S.E. corner of J. L. Greene
25 survey identified by orig. brgs. thence S.
26 84° W. at 830 vrs. East bank of Eagle Pond 950 vrs.
27 to original S.W. corner of J. L. Green survey on
28 W. bank of said pond an iron pipe 2" dia.
29 whence Old P.O. brs N. 88° E. 186 vrs. (F.M. Call 256)
30 thence North 0° 11' W. 842 vrs. to N.W. corner
31 of J. L. Greene

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West Town League

1 I found old corner at the S.W. + N.W. corner
2 of this League. which have been recog-
3 nized for many years + which agree with
4 field note Calls of said Survey by reopening
5 said calls. to wit: "beginning at the S.W.
6 corner of Lower Town League. Thence West
7 ~~etc.~~ This location gives said league its full
8 quota of land + does not occasion conflict
9 with the Survey West of it.

August McKillop

13 This survey known as Hickory Island League
14 is located independent of other Surveys. its
15 field notes calling for no connection with any
16 other Surveys. It was located ^{to wit} in a large
17 Island of timber. Its field notes call to
18 begin at a stake at the South West Point of
19 Hickory Island whence a peculiar 15" dia.
20 by N 58° E. 231 vs. + a dg 15" dia. + forked by N 59° E.
21 230 vs. Thence N 85° E. 4000 vs. ~~etc.~~

22 I found three old corners in the timber
23 of Hickory Island - + 2 old lines hacked
24 through the timber but none of them
25 bore original marks. The corners thus found
26 were all in the timber of the Island &
27 were evidently none of them near the orig.
28 position of said corner. In the field notes full
29 the big tree to be 230 vs. distant. The S.W.
30 pt of Hickory Island timber is clearly
31 sharply defined. No Surveyor could fail
32 to locate this point with accuracy & precision

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at this extreme S.W. point of the Island
stands a Bitter Pecan tree 18" dia. forked
thus fitting the description of the tree given
in the field notes. No marks however could
be found upon it. This ^{is} easily explained
by the fact that the Pecan sheds its
bark & consequently it would not retain
a mark many years. I accepted this
tree as the big tree called for in field
notes & located the corners 230 vs. 59° W.
from it set a Cedar Post 6" dia. for a corner
from which another pecan 18" dia.
brs 58° 26' 231 vs. & a dble. ash 7" dia. brs.
 $N. 83^{\circ}$ 46' 221 vs. an old corner in the timber
of Island brs $N. 61^{\circ}$ 34' 290° vs. & an old
hacked line (running $N. 85^{\circ}$ E) is North of my
corner 438 vs. This line extends from the Survey
abt 400 vs. of the Island of Tibubek, which
the Survey was evidently intended to include
from my S.W. corner of the McNeil. I located
the other corners: course distance as shown
on sketch.

Wm Bloodgood.

Located this Survey course distance from
the N.E. cor. of the C. McNeil, Survey it
being in the prairie.

Bloodgood to Town League
Beginning at the S.E. cor. of Bloodgood
I ran North 9500 vs. to South five
of lower Town League. Thence West
1345 vs. to the S.E. cor. of West Town
League on North line of the Elizabeth
Minison Survey

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H. Griffith

I found the South line of this Survey bearing very old marks also 2 sets of more recent marks, through the timber on West bank of Old River which on this South line is about 300 yrs. wide. I to ^{North} line found well marked & running $S 54^{\circ} 21' W$ below for ~~marks~~ ^{remarks} on this line. the timber on this line being about 2300 yrs. wide.

O. P. Welch

The South line of this survey is plainly marked and about 10 years old. - I made long and thorough search for the old marks on this line but failed to find them. I found, however, the S. W. corner of the 200 acre tract sold out of the N. E. corner of the Henry Griffith League to "Sects" & by line to A. B. Prowell, & by Prowell to Fitzgerald and in the deed from Prowell to Fitzgerald dated 1870, this S. W. corner is described, and called to be 874 yrs, S. 30° E. from the N. W. side of the Henry Griffith League. The new marked line found & accepted by me as the South boundary of the Welch was located from this old corner of the Sects subdivision, which has been long recognized by the owners & settlers living on lands adjacent to by the local surveyors of Liberty & Chambers Counties. I placed the S. E. corner of the Welch on the West bank of Old river, where its plainly marked South line strikes said bank, whence a

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1 white oak 20" dia. rkd. $\frac{3}{4}$ br. S. 60^o 2 N. 10^o 10^o
 2 r. & a S. G. rkd. $\frac{3}{4}$ br. S. 30^o 3/4 E. 10^o 10^o m. & a
 3 pine on bank br. N. 86^o 1/2 E. 5^o 1/2 m. - Thence
 4 with the meanders of the river I ran N. 49^o N.
 5 130 m. Thence N. 72^o 1/4 N. 220 m. Thence N. 17^o 3/4 E.
 6 164 m. - Thence N. 22^o N. 425 m. - Thence N. 2^o N.
 7 56 m. - Thence N. 54^o E. 131 m. - Thence N. 2^o N.
 8 329 m. - Thence N. 24^o E. 142 m. - Thence N. 56^o E.
 9 210 m. - Thence N. 48^o N. 135 m. - Thence N. 5^o 1/4 E.
 10 118 m. - Thence N. 26^o 1/4 N. 354 m. - Thence N. 36^o 1/2 N.
 11 143 m. - Thence N. 77^o N. 278 m. - Thence N. 43^o N.
 12 191 m. - Thence N. 13^o 1/2 E. 113 m. - Thence N. 30^o N.
 13 169 m. - Thence N. 54^o N. 120 m. - Thence N. 80^o 2/3 N.
 14 98 m. - Thence N. 4^o N. 155 m. - Thence N. 20^o 3/4 E.
 15 155 m. - Thence N. 4^o N. 97 m. - Thence N. 61^o N.
 16 42 m. - Thence N. 4^o N. 226 m. - Thence N. 17^o N.
 17 200 m. - Thence S. 30^o E. 67 m. - Thence N. 60^o E.
 18 48 m. to the N. E. corner of this survey on
 19 the West bank of old river, whence a wh.
 20 O. 70" dia. br. S. 18^o 3/4 E. 12^o 1/2 m. & a wh. O. 6"
 21 dia. br. N. 86^o N. 8 m. & a pine 20" dia br.
 22 S. 25^o 1/2 N. 15^o 2/10 m. - Thence S. 60^o N. at
 23 743 m. into prairie, at 1478 m. cross road
 24 to Dayton, at 3700 m. pass S. N. corner
 25 of L. Davis league, 6510 m. established
 26 the N. N. corner this survey. Thence
 27 S. 30^o E. 4063 m. to the S. N. corner this survey
 28 Thence N. 39^o 27' E. with old line 6154
 29 m. to the beginning.

Lewis Davis

31 Beg. at the N. E. corner of C. C. P. Welch,
 32 I ran N. 60^o E. 1800 m. to the East corner

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1 This survey whence a pine 12" dia. br. N. 77 1/2° E
 2 6 1/10 m. and a S. G. 6" dia. br. N. 62 3/4° W. 56 m.
 3 Thence N. 30° W. 5000 m. to the North corner
 4 of this survey a cedar post 6" dia. whence
 5 a dbl S. G. 7" dia. br. S. 1/2° E. 168 m. - Thence
 6 S. 60° W. crossing 2 head prong of Old
 7 river 5000 m. to the West corner this survey
 8 Thence S. 30° E. 5000 m. to South corner this
 9 survey on the North boundary of Welch.
 10 Thence N. 60° E. 3200 m. to the beginning

12 I James P. Heed, State Surveyor, hereby
 13 certify that the above statement of the
 14 positions of old lines and corners, as identified
 15 on the ground by me is true &
 16 correct. - The sketch accompanying
 17 this statement & signed by me officially
 18 correctly represents the positions of the
 19 surveys as established by me after careful
 20 investigation.

21 Jas. P. Heed
 22 State Surveyor.

29 Sketch File 36

30 Liberty County
 31 Connecting line by
 32 Jas. P. Heed State Sur.

West of Trinity river

See map file
with this.

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J. P. Heed
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