

The State of Texas
County of Kerns Blewett County
Court in session April 6
A. D. 1883, when among
other things the following
order was had to wit:

Order No 516.

Now comes W J
Leah, Surveyor, who was appointed
to run the County line between
Kerns & Live Oak & Alameda
counties at a previous time
& this court, & filed a report
of said survey which was ex-
amina approved & adopted
& ordered to be recorded in the
records of this court & for-
ward the certificate of this to
the Clerk of the General Land
Office at Austin Tex

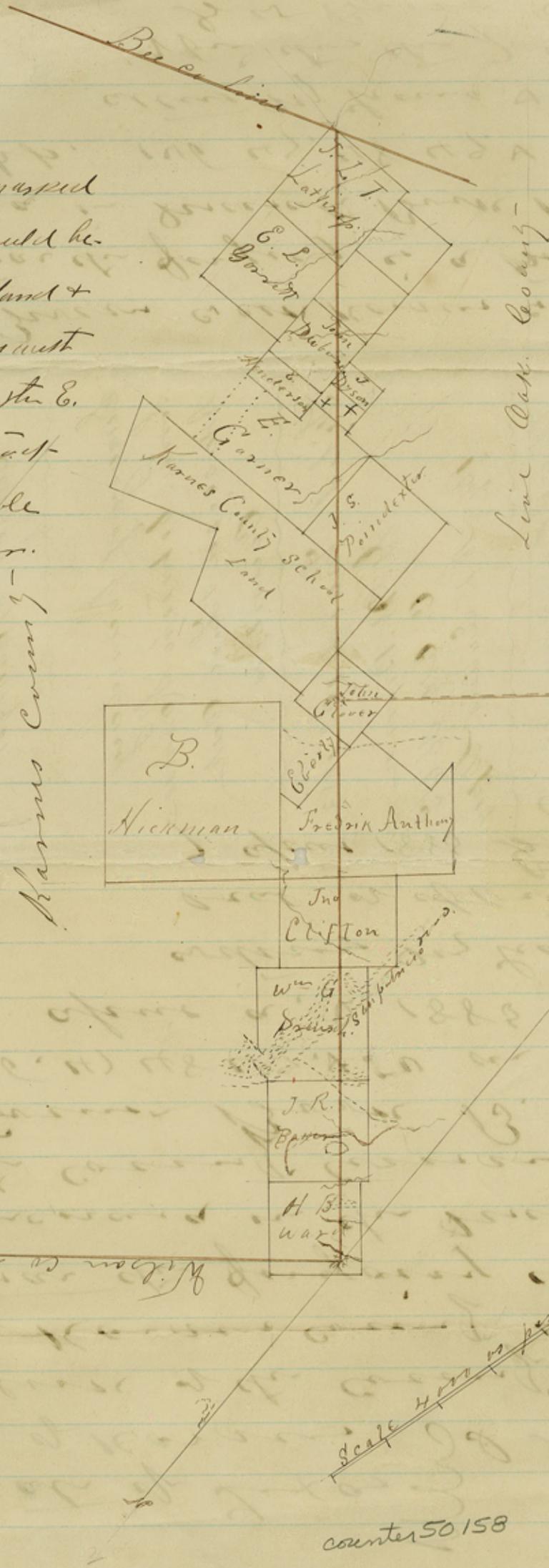
attest my hand &
seal of office this 6th
) April A. D. 1883
J W Brown
Clerk

The State of Texas
County of Kerns.

To the Hon Commissioners
Court of Kerns County Texas. The undersigned
Having been appointed by your
Honorable body on the 23rd day of January A.D. 1855
to survey & mark & establish the boundary line be-
tween Kerns and Alameda and Kerns & Lone Cone.
I proceeded to the place appointed by your
Honorable Court. (to wit - the North West corner
of Kerns County -) on the day appointed for the
beginning of the survey and there I met Mr
W. H. Fountain the surveyor appointed by the
Commissioners Court ^{of Alameda County} to assist in establish-
ing the boundary line between Alameda and Kerns.
and having agreed upon the place for beginning the
survey of said boundary line we made the survey
as follows.

Beginning at a mesquite post & mound the post mound
A N. & W. which is the N.W. corner of Kerns County and
the S.W. corner of Wilson County as established by the
W. J. Sutherland former Co Surveyor of Wilson County
and by self as Surveyor from Kerns County; this
corner being situated on the N.B. Ward survey of 1280 Acres
about 550 or 240 E. of the N.W. C. of same. Thence we
ran S 40° E. at 139 or a branch 24 or. wide 650 or. a
drain 1290 or. a drain 1650 or. top of a rocky hill 1900
or. raised a stone & earth mound in the edge of a post oak
point for the 1st mile - 2nd mile at 350 or. a drain
at 393 1/2 or. intersected the north line of the J. R.
Baker survey 621 or. N 50 E. of the N.W. corner of said
Ward survey. at 1455 or. middle of a Lake 1707
or. Jordilla Creek. (9) or wide 1820 or. a small drain
1900 or. placed a mesquite post & raised a mound of earth

N. B. The survey crossed
 E. Henderson should be
 Charles Frankland +
 the Small Survey west
 + in middle is the E.
 Henderson tract
 W. J. Seale
 Surveyer.



1800. is placed a mesquite post & marked 7th or 16th mile at 406.0
intersected the boundary of the Bullock survey & the west-boundary
of a survey in the name of E. L. Bennett. 155.0 north of the S.W. Cor
of the same and the S.W. Cor of a survey in the name of J. L. J.
Lathrop. at 1000.0 on the center of Elm Creek. (14)00 wide

1900. is placed a mesquite post & raised on the mound on an open
high Hill. 8th or 17th mile at 900.0 a road. 960.0 in a drain

1900.0 is a mesquite post & marked 9th or 18th mile at 660.0
on intersected the Bee County line placed a post & raised
a mound for the S.W. Cor of Kansas County - marked a mesquite
8 in dia L which br. from said post & marked N 76 3/4 W 6 3/4
another mesquite 8 in dia mound B br. S 33 W 7 1/2 is. and
a mesquite 12 in dia mound K br. N 53 E. 11 1/4 is. ...

I was unable to find the corner of the B. J. James
Survey at this point. Though I searched the timber for
marks in every direction at about 449.0 or 470.0 of
this place I find a corner that is claimed for the James
Survey, but the marks on the tree is not old enough in
my judgment to be the original bearing and to make
this line terminable - with that corner would require
the line to be deviated to the East-west almost one
degree from the Cells pin in the plat...

Variation of Compass. Davis Point. 9° East

R. G. Seale " " " Blair & Adams " 9° 41' E.

C. M. Latham " " " do. " "

Raymond Plummer. Surveyed the 27th 28th 29th 30th of Feb.

Jim Delly 1883. and 2nd 3rd 4th 5th days of March. 1883.

Witness my signature at Nelson this 19th
day of March. 1883.

W. J. Seale
Surveyor.

place of appointment on the day appointed by your
Honorable Court - sufficient time for any one
to come and assist in surveying the line and after
waiting as before stated, and no one representing said
Live Oak Camp opposing I proceeded with the
survey as directed in the order of your Honorable
Court: Beginning S 40° E. 750 or Weedy cross.
10 or wide 800 or placed a mesquite post & mound for the
9th mile from the beginning of the survey - 1st or 10th mile
700 or the N.B. of the P. Moore survey and the S.B. of the
John Glover survey 14 or West of the S.E. Cor of the Glover
tract 723 or the E line of the Moore survey 16 or South
of his North E. Cor. 1440 or a drain 1580 or 4 Live
Oaks. Drawing together marked K & L and blazed 1900
or placed a mesquite post & mound 2nd or 11th mile
at 1353 or the N.B. line of the J. J. Painter's survey
1632 or East of his N.W. Cor. 2072 or 1900 or placed
a mesquite post and mound 3rd or 12th mile at 1545
or intersected the N.E. boundary of said Painter's survey and
the S.W. B. of the Edward Gessner survey 1451 or North
of the S.W. Cor of said Gessner survey 1900 or a
mesquite post & mound 4th or 13th at 120 or. E or 1-
Weedy or Don Cristoval Cr (14) or wide 1669 or inter-
sected the N.W. boundary of the Ephraim Henderson survey
340 or East of the S.W. Cor of the same 1875 or a drain
1900 or a mesquite post & mound 5th or 14th mile at 1226 or
the West line of the John Debose survey and the East line
of survey in the name of Jesse Dyson 883 or ^{South} from the
N.W. corner of the Debose survey and 856 or South of his
N.E. corner 1900 or placed a mesquite post & mound 6th
or 15th mile at 565 or a drain at 998 or intersected the
South boundary of the Debose and the North boundary of a survey
in the name of Bulsler 1037 or East of the S.W. Cor of the
Debose + 904 West of the N.E. Cor of said Bulsler survey

The State of Texas }
 County of Karnes } J. G. W. Brown
 Clerk of the County Court
 of Karnes County do hereby
 certify that the foregoing was duly
 recorded in the Minutes of
 the County Commissioners
 Book B. & pp.
 146. 47 48 49. & 50 on this the
 7th of April A. D. 1888

witness my hand and
 seal of office this the
 7th of April 1888 J. G. W. Brown
 Clerk

Report of
 County Surveyor

Survey of boundary
 line between Karnes
 & Mesquite & Live Oak
 Counties

Filed March 19th 1883
 J. G. W. Brown
 Co. Clerk. H. G. J.
 By J. W. Evans. Deputy

These Field Notes were
 found in the attached
 envelope among miscellaneous
 papers in the S. L. O. 9/29/24
 Clerk

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 \$7.00

J. G. W. Brown Clerk Karnes Co. Texas do
 certify that the foregoing is a true copy of
 the record in Minute Book B of County
 Court pp. 146 47, 48, 49, & 50.

witness my hand & seal of
 office this the 7th of April 1888
 J. G. W. Brown Clerk