

December 20, 1926.

Mr. A. D. Kerr,  
County Surveyor,  
Seymour, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Referring to the field notes of the county line between Baylor and Knox Counties, beg to advise that upon examination of the certified copies of certain documents furnished by the county clerks of these respective counties, it appears that while these documents recite that some kind of an order was made but never entered of record in the minutes of the court, there is nothing to show what the order was, except by inference.

In establishing county boundaries all statutory requirements should be strictly complied with, as provided in Arts. 1582 to 1588, Chapter Four, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925.

As I understand the provisions of the law referred to, each county should appoint a surveyor, and in case one of these surveyors fail to act, the other surveyor may then act alone. (See indorsement on clerk's certificate Knox County dated Dec. 2, 1926 herewith returned.)

When this matter was first looked into some time ago, it was presumed that all statutory requirements had been complied with. This must be done to be acceptable to this office.

Your field notes and other documents are herewith returned.

Very truly yours,

Commissioner.

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