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Mr. J. M. Melson,  
 Acting Com. Genl. Land Office,  
 Austin, Texas.

Dear Sir:-

I have yours of April 24th enclosing carbon copy of a letter to Mr. W. R. Gibson at Cleude, Texas.

In your letter you refer me to Mr. Gibson's letter for the information that I asked you to furnish me in my letter to you of the 17th. I am very sorry to say that it is necessary that I refer you to my letter of the 17th in which I asked you if I was not correct in my idea of the correct location of the west boundary line of Donley County.

I am very well aware of the fact that this line was run a number of years ago, and I also know beyond doubt, as do the Commissioners of both Donley and Armstrong Counties, that the Southwest corner of Donley County as located, as you say by Mr. Gray, is about three miles West and 30 miles South of the Northwest corner of Donley County.

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The idea of the Commissioners of the two Counties before mentioned is to establish the correct line between the two Counties, and not to retrace any old and erroneous lines.

My idea of the correct location of the said line is to begin at the 42nd mile post on the 100th meridian and run west 60 miles for the N.W. corner of Donley County, thence South 30 miles for the S.W. corner.

Please advise me at once if this is not correct.

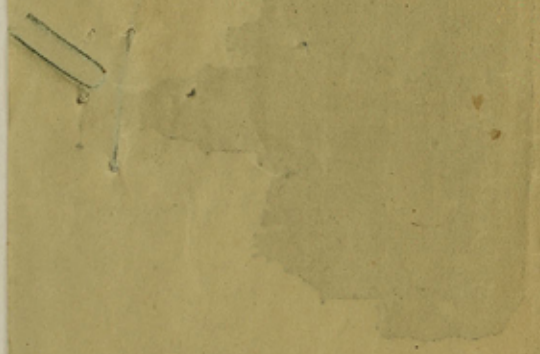
Yours very truly,

*R. A. Hawkins*

From the records of this office, Donley County by S. R. Clark Special Surveyor for Donley County in August 1903 began to survey the north line of Donley and South line of Gray at the N.W. corner of Donley by identifying the old established and recognized common corner of Armstrong, Carson, Gray and Donley, the same being a large rock monument in Ed Johnson field from which Johnson windmill No. 143 1/4 S, James windmill No. 150 1/2 W 2/3 of a mile. For your information see copy of letter to County Judge on Donley Co. June 6<sup>th</sup> 1901, also copy of field notes of county line between Armstrong and Donley counties approved by this office April 25<sup>th</sup> 1902. See also 155 S.W. page 100 6 Stephens count vs Palo Pinto county

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Donley Co. Bdry



Donley County, Texas

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Notary Public for the State of Texas  
My Commission Expires on \_\_\_\_\_

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Mr. J. T. Robison,  
Commissioner General Land Office,  
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Dear Sir:

I have been employed by the Commissioners Court of Donley County to locate the line between Donley and Armstrong Counties, and am writing you with a view of securing some information in regard thereto.

As I understand it, the proper way to locate this line would be to start at the 42nd. mile post on the 100th. Meridian, go west sixty miles, thence south parallel to 100th. Meridian 30 miles. Is this the correct way to locate same? If not, will you not kindly advise?

I wish to start this work about the 21st. or 22nd. of this month, and will, therefore, very much appreciate the information at as early a date as possible.

Yours truly,

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