

No 27

Boundary line between  
the Counties of  
Gillespie  
&  
Blanco

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To the Honorable County Commissioners  
Court of Gillespie County.

In obedience to order of Court, by which I have been appointed to represent Gillespie County, in running and establishing the boundary line between Gillespie and Blanco Counties, and in accordance with petition of F. Wilke et al in relation to the said County line, which said petition was granted at the last meeting of your Honorable Body - have the honor to report that I have proceeded in said matter, have met Capt: P. F. Appell the surveyor of Blanco County at the time stipulated by the aforesaid order, and that it was agreed upon, to run the County line strictly in accordance with Chapt. LXXXIX.

An act to amend Art: 787 Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas. approved April 13<sup>th</sup> 1883 assisted by L. A. Moore F. Wilke and E. Wilke as chains carriers we retraced the Bexar and Travis District line and after finishing the necessary preliminaries, postponed our work until the 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1889 when we again resumed our labors, and having previously measured the distance of 18000 varas from the Pedernales S. 17° W. with the Bexar and Travis District line, we erected a stone monument, at a point over 600 vs east and several hundred south of the so called Kuechler Corner, for S. E. corner of Gillespie and S. W. corner of Blanco County <sup>SE SW</sup> G x B engraved thereon from which a Spanish oak 4' in dia: marked G  $\bar{x}$  bears N. 35° W. 59 varas and a Black Jack 6' in dia: bears S. 67½° E. 62¼ varas, marked B  $\bar{x}$  Thence we ran north marking and establishing the line, and ascertaining the distances to corners of surveys crossed by or adjacent to said line, at 1345 varas crossed southline of survey N° 68 granted to G. W. T & P. R. R. Co. 783 vs east from its S. W. corner, at one mile erected stone end,

2 feet high, and engraved thereon  $G \times B$  1M from which a liveoak 10' in dia; marked  $G$  bears  $N. 79\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} W. 124$  vrs. and a liveoak 6' in dia; marked  $B$  br.  $S. 89^{\circ} W. 114$  varas, at one mile and 777 varas crossed the northline of said survey  $N^{\circ} 68 - 783$  varas east from its N. W. corner and 561 varas west from its N. E. corner, also the southline of survey  $N^{\circ} 67$  granted to G. W. + T. P. R. R. Co. 580 varas east from its S. W. cor. at 2 miles erected a stone-mound 2 feet high, with  $G \times B$  2M engraved from which a Pecan 4' in dia; bears  $N. 63\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E. 9$  vrs. and a spanish oak 4' in dia; bears  $N. 58\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} W. 6$  varas at two miles and 90 varas crossed Williamson creek also north line of survey  $N^{\circ} 67$  and the south-line of a survey in name of J. Althofer at a point 580 varas east from the S. W. corner of said survey  $N^{\circ} 67$  and 986 varas east west from its S. E. corner and 450 varas east from the S. W. corner of said Althofer survey and 894 varas west from its S. E. corner, at two miles 1405 varas crossed the northline of said Survey  $N^{\circ} 570$  made for Althofer, 894 varas west from its N. E. corner and 450 varas east from its N. W. corner and 173 varas west from S. W. cor of a survey in name of A. Erlenneyer do S. E. cor. of survey  $N^{\circ} 570$  in name of W. A. Wainscott, at 3 miles erected stone-mound with 3M  $G \times B$  engraved, from which a Post oak 16' in dia; bears  $W. 36$  varas and a liveoak 14' in dia; bears  $N. 64^{\circ} E. 76\frac{1}{2}$  varas at 3 miles and 381 varas crossed the northline of W. A. Wainscott Survey, the same being the southline of Survey  $N^{\circ} 9$  in name of H. Kass, 253 varas east from its S. W. corner and 1492 varas west from its S. E. corner, at 3 miles and 837 varas struck the S. E. corner of Survey  $N^{\circ} 4$  in name of M. J. Cuerrera 7363 varas South from its N. E. corner, at 4 miles erected stone-mound 2 feet high and engraved on same  $G \times B$  4M from which a L. O. 12' in dia; br.  $N. 12\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E. 134$  vrs. do 12' in dia; bears  $N. 85^{\circ} W. 120$  vrs. at 4 miles

and 55 vrs crossed the southline of survey N<sup>o</sup> 8 in name of Robert Rogers the same being the northline of said survey N<sup>o</sup> 9 in name of H. Koss, 234 varas east from its N. W. cor do S. W. cor. of Robert Rogers and 766 varas west from its S. E. corner, at 4 miles 1055 varas struck the S. W. corner of survey N<sup>o</sup> 1. in name of Puraño Hincenas 5245 varas south from its N. W. corner, and 221 1/2 vrs east from the N. W. corner of said Rogers survey and 788 varas west from its N. E. corner and 1533 varas west from the N. E. corner of said Koss survey At 5 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high and engraved on same 6 x B 5 m from which a Post oak 12' in dia; bears S. 30° W. 7 varas and a Pecan 12' in dia; bears N. 36° E. 29 vrs at 5 miles and 1100 varas crossed Wilkenson Creek at 6 miles made a stonemound 2 feet high and engraved on same 6 M. 6 x B from which a R. O. 20' in dia; bears S. 49 1/2° E. 38 1/2 and a Black jack 10' in dia; bears S. 77 1/2° W 60 varas at 7 miles no rocks could be obtained and therefore sunk a live oak post 10' in dia; squared at the top marked on westside A and on the eastside B. 7 m. from this a Post oak 12' in dia; brs. N. 81° W 14 1/2 vrs do 12' in dia; brs N. 73 1/2° E. 7 1/2 varas, at seven miles and six hun, dred varas a stake on the south bank of Potomac for N. E. corner of survey N<sup>o</sup> 4 in name of M. J. Guerrero and N. W. corner of survey N<sup>o</sup> 1. in name of Puraño Hincenas at 7 miles 671 varas the northbank of Cedar, nales at 7 miles 720 varas a point 52 varas west from the S. E. corner of survey N<sup>o</sup> 2. in name of J. M. Dease at 8 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high and engraved on same 8 M. 6 x B from which a live oak 10' in dia; brs N. 35 1/2° E. 27 varas and a Black jack 9' in dia; brs. N. 31° W. 36 1/2 varas At 9 miles erected a stonemound 2 feet high and engraved on same 9 M. 6 x B from which an Elm 8' in dia; brs N. 45 1/2° E. 18 1/2 vrs and a live oak 14' in dia; brs. N. 65° W. 65 vrs. at

9 miles and 640 varas crossed southline of survey N<sup>o</sup> 382 in name of Eckhardt, same being the northline of said survey N<sup>o</sup> 2 in name of W<sup>m</sup> Dease at a point 52 varas west from the N. E. corner of said W<sup>m</sup> Dease survey and 153 varas west from the S. E. corner of the said Eckhardt survey at 9 miles 1320 varas crossed the northline of survey N<sup>o</sup> 382 in name of Eckhardt, do southline N<sup>o</sup> 128 in name of W. H. Jack 153 vrs. west from the N. E. of N<sup>o</sup> 382 and 632 varas east from the S. W. corner of the W. H. Jack survey and 712 vrs. west from its S. E. corner, at 10 miles erected stonemoument and engraved on same 10 M. G x B from which a h. O. 36' in dia; bears N. 14° E. 48 1/4 varas and a live oak 20' in dia; bears N. 33 1/2° W. 32 3/4 vrs. at 10 miles and 30 vrs crossed Frederick Kelby and Doublehorn Road, at 10 miles 792 vrs. southline of N<sup>o</sup> 129 in name of Spencer H. Jack 632 vrs. east of its S. W. and 712 varas west from its S. E. corner, at 11 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high and engraved on same 11 M G x B from which a live oak marked G bears S. 78° W. 16 1/2 varas do 6' in dia; bro. N. 60° W. 5 vrs marked B at 11 miles 240 varas, crossed the northline of survey N<sup>o</sup> 129 and southline of a survey in name of George W. Miss and also southline of a survey in name of W. F. Barrows at a point 632 varas east from the N. W. Corner of Survey N<sup>o</sup> 129 in name of Spencer H. Jack and 712 varas west from its N. E. corner and 144 varas east from the S. W. corner of the George W. Miss survey and 109 varas west from its S. E. corner and 632 varas east from the S. W. corner of said W. F. Barrows survey and 318 varas west from its S. E. corner, and 144 varas east from the South east corner of a survey in name of W. N. Walker, at 11 miles 1190 varas cross the northline of Barrows survey 632 varas east from its N. W. corner and 318 west from its N. E. corner, at 11 miles 1636 varas cross

the northline of the George W. Miss Survey and the southline of survey N° 331 in name of A. B. Edou, at a point N. 65° E. 189 varas from the S. W. corner of said A. B. Edou Survey and 1011 varas south 65° west from its S. E. corner and 186½ varas N. 65° E. from a corner of the W. W. Walker Survey N° 658. do N. 65° E. 186½ varas from the N. W. corner of the George W. Miss Survey, and 203½ varas S. 65° W. from the N. E. corner of the G. W. Miss Survey at 12 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high and engraved 12 M. G x B from which a siverak 12' in dia: marked B bro. N. 2° W. 18½ varas do 12' in dia: marked Q bro. S. 8° W. 16¼ varas at 12 miles 558 varas a point 56½ varas east from the S. E. corner of Survey N° 200 granted to T. T. R. R. Co. at 12 miles 584 varas the northline of survey N° 331 and southline of survey N° 101 granted to H. E. & W. T. R. R. Co. N. 65° E. 62 varas from a corner of said survey N° 101 H. E. & W. T. R. R. and N. 65° E. 542 varas from the N. W. corner of said A. B. Edou Survey, at 12 miles 1400 varas a point 56½ varas east from the N. E. corner of survey N° 200 and 543½ east from a corner of survey N° 101 do the S. E. corner of a Survey in name of E. Dittmar, at 13 miles erected a stonemound 2 feet high and engraved on same G x B 13 M. from which a Blackjack 4' in dia: bro. N. 39° E. 2 varas do 4' in dia: bears N 45° W. 1¼ varas; at 13 miles and 1000 varas crossed the south line of survey N° 37 made for B. S. & F. 493 varas west from its S. E. corner at 13 miles and 1355 varas Smith's Branch at 14 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high G x B. 14 miles engraved from which a siverak 6' in dia: bro S. 77½ E. 1¾ varas do 10' in dia: bro. N. 37° W. 17½ varas; at 14 miles and 73 varas crossed the southline of survey N° 216 made for Reutersville college, 945 varas west from its S. E. corner, at 14 miles and 175 varas the south-bank of Grapecreek, at 14 miles 240 varas the northbank of Grapecreek, at 14

miles 1850 varas centre of Peason Creek, at 15 miles erected a stonemound 2 feet high marked  $G \times B$  15M from which a live oak 20' in dia; marked  $\bar{B}$  brs  $S. 4\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E$  77 vrs and a live oak 20 in dia; marked  $\bar{C}$  brs  $S. 5\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E$  78 varas; at 16 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high  $G \times B$  16M engraved from which a live oak 12' in dia; brs  $N. 11\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  and a Post oak 22 in dia; brs  $N. 79\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} W. 168$  varas; at 16 miles 1286 vrs. crossed the northline of Rutgersville College survey 945 varas west from its  $N. E.$  corner and 4055 vrs east from its  $N. W.$  corner; and 205 varas west from the  $S. E.$  corner of survey  $N^{\circ} 207$  in name of J. N. Smith. This corner does not correspond with fieldnotes; but is on an old marked line. At 17 miles erected a stonemound marked  $G \times B$  17M from which a live oak 12' in dia; marked  $\bar{C}$  brs  $N. 1\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E. 428$  varas do 12' in dia; marked  $\bar{B}$  brs  $N. 2\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E. 432$  varas. At 17 miles 1270 varas crossed North-line of J. N. Smith survey; 218 varas west from its  $N. E.$  corner. At 18 miles erected stonemound 2 ft. with  $G \times B$  18M engraved from which a live oak 10 inches in diameter marked  $\bar{B}$  brs  $N. 47\frac{1}{2}^{\circ} E. 128$  varas a Spanish oak 4 inches in dia; brs  $N. 83^{\circ} W. 12\frac{1}{2}$  vrs. At 18 miles 183 varas point 218 varas west from the  $S. W.$  corner of Survey  $N^{\circ} 210$  in name of J. Elgin; at 18 miles 1035 vrs Branch at 18 miles 1058 vrs crossed northline of Survey  $N^{\circ} 344$  in name of A. B. & M. 218 vrs west from its  $N. E.$  corner do.  $S. E.$  corner of  $N^{\circ} 88$  in name of Chas. Althaus. At 18 miles 1528 wirefence at 19 miles erected stonemound 2 feet high with  $G \times B$  19M engraved from which a Post oak 4' in dia; brs  $S. 55^{\circ} E. 1\frac{1}{2}$  Blackjack 3' in dia; brs  $N. 87^{\circ} W. 2$  vrs. At 19 miles 446 varas crossed a rock fence, on the southline of Survey  $N^{\circ} 192$  made for Hens of Thos Quirk, at a point 968 varas west from the  $S. E.$  corner of said survey. and 1530 varas west from the westline of survey  $N^{\circ} 90$  T. T. R. R. Co. 2300 varas east from  $S. W.$  corner of said Quirk survey and 400 varas east

from the N. E. corner of survey  $N^{\circ} 345$  made for Althaus  
 assignee of A. B. & M. at 19 miles 1850 varas a Branch,  
 at 20 miles erected a stone and marked 20 M. Cr x  
 B from which a Mesquite 8' in dia; brs S.  $70\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 20  $\frac{1}{4}$   
 vs. do 10' in dia; brs S.  $44^{\circ}$  W.  $15\frac{1}{2}$  vs. at 20 miles  
 and 1690 varas Fredericksburg & Burnet Road  
 at 21 miles erected stone and 2 feet high marked Cr.  
 x B 21 M. from which a Post oak 18' in dia; brs S.  $43\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$   
 E. 17 varas do 14' in dia; brs N.  $50^{\circ}$  W.  $33\frac{1}{3}$  varas at  
 21 miles 30 varas crossed northline of the Queisk.  
 survey 2300 vs east from its N. W. cor. also the south-  
 line of survey  $N^{\circ} 193$  in name of P. P. Borden 2300 varas  
 east from its S. W. cor. at 21 miles 1200 varas Gran-  
 its Bluff; at 22 miles a stone mound, from which  
 a Post oak 12' in dia; brs S.  $41^{\circ}$  W.  $7\frac{1}{4}$  varas and a  
 Post oak 12' in dia; brs S.  $42^{\circ}$  E.  $23\frac{3}{4}$  varas. At 23 miles  
 erected stone and 2 feet high marked Cr. x B 23 M from  
 which a Pine oak 18' in dia; brs S.  $45\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  E. 75 vs do  
 8' in dia; brs S.  $36\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  W. 111 varas. at 23 miles and 30  
 varas crossed northline of Borden survey  $N^{\circ} 193$  at  
 a point 2300 vs. east from its N. W. Corner, a sec-  
 ond corner corresponding with the S. W. of survey  
 $N^{\circ} 185$  in name of B. H. Reed, is found east from the one  
 described by the field notes of said Borden survey. -  
 at 24 miles erected stone and 2 feet high with Cr x  
 B 24 M engraved from which a Mesquite 4' in dia;  
 brs S.  $83^{\circ}$  E. 10 varas and an Elm 10' in dia; brs  
 S.  $42\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$  W. 5 varas. at 24 miles 1112 varas intersected  
 a line, run west from a point 5 miles south of  
 Sandy, for Northline of Blanco and Southline of Blanco  
 Counties and accepted by both Counties, approved  
 by the Commissioners of the General Land Office and  
 by virtue of which the Comptroller has been requested  
 to make necessary changes on his books. said  
 point being 563 varas west from the so called Kuebler  
 Corner and 213 varas south from same, and 1117 G

varas east from the centre of Coal Creek and 2206  
 varas S. 85° E. from the S.W. corner of Survey N° 185 made  
 for B. H. Reed do N.W. corner of survey N° 194 in name  
 of Razine Mercer at this point erected a stonemound  
 2 feet high C x B engraved for N.E. corner of Gillespie and  
 N.W. corner of Blanco County, from which a live oak  
 12' in dia; marked C brs. N. 24 1/2° W. 25 varas, a live  
 oak 10' in dia; marked B brs. S. 17° E. 29 varas; a live  
 oak 20' in dia; marked C brs. S. 29 1/2° W. 47 1/2 varas  
 The stonemounds on the line are 2 feet high letters C x  
 B engraved and figures denoting the number of  
 miles from the beginning corner. Bearing trees on  
 the west-side of the line are marked C and those  
 on the eastside of the line are marked B only in  
 such places where both bearings are on the same  
 side of the line, they are marked in disregard of course,  
 live trees are marked I Variation N. 9 1/4° E. by one  
 compass & 9° 52' by another - Survey commenced  
 March 12<sup>th</sup> 1889 completed April 18<sup>th</sup> 1889

Chain carriers

Fletcher Leaton

Willie Wethers } Blanco Co

Friedrich Arhelger }

Otto Wilke } Gillespie Co.

Plat of line annexed. All of which is respectfully  
 submitted.

A. E. Schuchard Surveyor  
 Gillespie County.

J. P. F. Appell surveyor of Blanco County hereby  
 certify that the foregoing report, with the field notes  
 and plat contained therein is correct.

J. P. F. Appell Surveyor  
 Blanco County

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L L A N O C O

Rezin Mercer  
Sur N° 194

Paskel P.  
Borden  
Survey N° 193

Thomas  
Quirk  
N° 192

A. B. M  
N° 345

Walter  
Smith  
N° 345

Wm Kramer  
N° 344

J. N.  
Smith  
N° 208

Rutersville  
College  
N° 216

BS & P  
200  
N° 37

829  
Elisabeth  
Dittmar

Houston  
East & West  
Texas  
Ry Co  
N° 201

A. B. Eason

Wm Walker  
Messinger  
W. H. Jackson

129  
Spencer  
H. Jack  
N° 128

Wm H. Jack

382  
Heinrich  
Eckhard

El. Mercer

W. C. Pearce

William Dease

Maria Josefa Guerrero  
N° 4

P. Timmeros  
N° 1

Hrs. Robert  
Rogers

Heinrich  
Koss

Wm 572  
Waincoat

570  
Johan  
Althofen

67  
G. W. T. & P  
Ry Co

68  
G. W. T. & P  
Ry Co

Bexar & Travis N° 17 & 18000 varas

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WELLS

Box 60  
Box 65  
Apr. 1884

The State of Texas  
County of Gillespie

J. H. Bierschvahl

clerk of the County Court of said county do certify that the foregoing field notes and map, is a true and correct copy of the field notes and map, as reported by the County Surveyor of Gillespie County to the County Commissioners Court of said County, and as the same appear <sup>of record</sup> in the minutes of said Court. The said County Surveyor A. E. Schuchard, having been duly appointed special surveyor in running and establishing the boundary line between Gillespie and ~~Blanco~~ counties.

Given under my hand and seal  
of office this 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1884  
J. H. Bierschvahl  
clerk, & c. & c.

Gillespie No 2 Blk. (3)

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