

In County Commissioners Court
of Gillespie County August term
1895.

In matter of the North boundary
line of Gillespie County.

This Court having been informed, that by a recent survey made by Mason and Kimble Counties, a portion of Gillespie County, ^{on} its North line, was cut off, and should ^{this} finally prove to be the fact, this Court would earnestly and rightfully protest against such survey as much as it affects its North line, for the following good reasons:

1st Because this Court never had notice that it was intended to survey and establish the boundary line between Gillespie and Mason Counties.

2nd Because it appeared from a certified copy of an order passed by the County Commissioners Court of Kimble County, dated Feby 21st 1895 and transmitted to this Court for notice, at its prior term, that it was only intended to survey and establish the boundary lines between Kimble and Mason Counties, by commencing at the South west corner of Llano County; thence running west 31 miles; thence North etc. That from the reading of which said order it plainly appeared, that it was intended to survey and establish the boundary lines between Kimble and Mason Counties which survey would not have affected

the north boundary line of Gillespie
County, for which reason this Court
has not deemed it advisable to
participate in said survey. The only
point in which this, Gillespie, County
could have an interest in said survey, is
its north west corner, and this being al-
ready well established in the survey of the
boundary lines between Gillespie and
Kimble Counties made August 25th 1891
under the laws of the 16th Legislature
of Texas in which said survey the County
of Kimble has taken part, a certified copy
of the report made and signed by A. C.
Schuchard, special surveyor for Gillespie
County, and Frank Victory, special sur-
veyor for Kimble County, is now on file
in the General Land office at Austin
Texas. This Court being aware that
should the survey so made by Kimble
and Mason Counties show, that the
north line of Gillespie County has been
moved, or intended to be moved south, at
any distance, that it would create great
disturbance among some of the citizens
and property holders residing near
said line. Therefore this Court hereby
kindly requests the Hon. H. J. Butler, Com-
missioner of the General Land office, to
give this matter a full and fair in-
vestigation, and should it appear from
the report of the surveyors of Kimble &
Mason Counties, that said survey will,
or is intended to change the north boundary

line of Gillespie County, to the detriment
of said County, to set aside said sur-
vey as much thereof as it will affect
the N. line of Gillespie County, or the N.W.
corner thereof. It is further ordered by
the Court that a certified copy of this or-
der, and also a certified copy of the or-
der of Kimble County above mentioned
be transmitted by the Clerk of this
Court to the Genl Land office at Austin
Texas, for Notice & Consideration.

Copy from Kimble County.

It is ordered by the Court, that the boundary
lines between Mason and Kimble Counties
be established, by commencing at the S. W.
corner of Llano County, then running west
31 miles, thence North to the S. W. corner of
Menard County. It is further ordered that
W. J. Hope, be and he is hereby appointed spe-
cial surveyor to represent Kimble County in
the establishment of said boundary lines,
and who shall enter into bond and qualify
as the law requires. Said Hope shall receive
for his services the sum of Five Dollars per
day, payable out of the 3rd class funds, and is
hereby authorized, at the expense of the County
to employ all necessary assistance and pay
all necessary expenses in the establishment
of said boundary lines. It is further or-
dered that the Clerk of this Court shall issue
proper notices to the County Commissioners
Courts of Mason and Gillespie Counties
respectively, that said W. J. Hope, Special

surveyor, will proceed to establish said boundary lines on the 21st day of May 1845 by beginning at the said S. W. corner of Llano County and proceeding as aforesaid and requesting the Co-operation of said Commissioners Courts of Mason and Gillespie Counties in the establishment of said boundary lines.

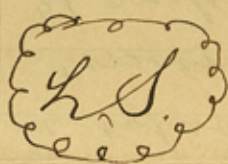
The State of Texas

County of Kinble

This is so certify, that the foregoing is a true copy of an order passed by the County Commissioners Court of Kinble County, on the 12th day of February 1845, as the same appears of record in the minutes of said Court in Vol. I page 539

Witness my hand and the seal of said

Court this 21. day of February 1845,



W. S. Boyle County Clerk
Kinble Co. Texas

The State of Texas

County of Gillespie

I H. Binschvau, Clerk of the County Court of said County do Certify, that the above and foregoing is a true copy of an order passed by the County Commissioners Court of Gillespie County, at the August term, 1845, as appears of record in the minutes of said Court, and also a true copy of a certified copy of an order passed by the County Commissioners Court of Kinble County now on file in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office this 16th day of August 1845.

H. Binschvau Ck. &c. &c.

