

Harris and
Montgomery Cos.

- 1- line from mouth Lake Creek
to head of Pond Creek
power of attorney
J. W. Wade to J. W. Scott
p/a. Geo W. Bringhurst to J. W. Scott
to run county line.
- File 11- Boundary line between of
Harris County -
Report of Chf Justice on.
- 12- County Boundaries Montgomery
+ Austin counties - part of
boundary line between
- 14. Survey of line between M. + H. Co
fr. mouth of Lake Cr. to head of Pond Cr.
- 15. acct of Bringhurst for running
line between Harris + M. Co ^{\$325}
- 16. acct of Bringhurst for transcript of field
notes of surveys N. of Spring Creek,
Montgomery County
- 17. acct of Bringhurst for running line between
Harris + M. Aug 8/43 - \$162.75
- 18 p/a. fr Bringhurst to J. W. Henderson
to receive money for running line
- 19. p/a fr Wade to Harper to receive
for surveying line of H + M. Co
- 20. acct of J. W. Wade for running line
between Harris + Montgomery Co.
- 21. acct of G. H. Bringhurst for transcript of
plot & fd. notes of that part of county
taken from Montgomery Co.
- 22. Plot of County Boundary between
Harris + Montgomery Co.

1045

No 39

Boundary lines of
Harris Co

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See endorsements on old
wrapper.

10-5-1871
Harris Co. boundary lines

Varas to the head of Pond Creek
an Oak 14 inches diam. mtd M & H & A,
thence N 1/4 W

+00) Varas to the Head of Spring Creek,
from which two Post Oaks bears
S. 65 E. dist. 300 Varas mtd M & H;
Then commencing the true line at the
Head of Pond Creek, running and
marking the course, the Mouth
of Lake Creek Course N 73 E
distant:

54500 Varas.
Chain Carriers: James G. Reed }
Geo Toppsland } Deputy for John M.
(Fully certified). - Made S. of M. Co.

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194.

Survey of the Boundary line separating
the Counties of Nacogdoches and Fannin
commencing at the South East Cor-
ner of Fannin County, established
by Deputy Surveyor of
Fannin County, Geo. Thos. D. Brooks

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↑
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Copy of Field Notes to a certain part of the dividing
line between these Counties, relating to
the above mentioned laws.

Began the Random-line between the Counties
of Harris and Montgomery on the 31st Day
of March A. D. 1841 as follows, viz:

Beginning at the junction of Lake
Creek and the Sau Jacinto River, on
a Gynn Tree, 14 inches diam, marked
M & H thence S. 81 $\frac{1}{2}$ W, at:

10368 Varas crossed the Egypt & Montgomery Road,

22368 Varas crossed the Houston & Montgomery Road
in Tillis' Prairie, at

24768 Varas crossed Mill Creek, at

50268 Varas a line S. 8, 30, E at

3500 Varas will intersect A. Robertson's
NW Corner of Survey of One Third
of a League of as made by Wm
Raushin, Surveyor of Montgomery
County and Henry Trott of Harris
County, at

54268 Varas terminated the Random Line
thence S. 8, 30 E:

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Deputy Surveyor of Nacogdoches Co.,
 said corner being a Large Post Oak, three
 or 4 sides, about 20 Miles N. of the
Sabine River in open prairie, a
 solitary or lone tree witness Post Oak
 12 inch. N. 45 E. 25 Varas, Post Oak
 18 " S. 4 W. 35 $\frac{1}{10}$ Varas, thence
 West

- 1260 Varas Timber
- 1415 " Creek 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ wide. Course S.E.
- 1510 " Prairie
- 2310 " Timber
- 2374 $\frac{3}{10}$ " Creek 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ Co. S.
- 2580 " Creek 8 " Co. S.E.
- 2683 " Creek 8 " Co. N.E.
- 2730 " Creek 8 " Co. S.E.
- 2909 $\frac{4}{10}$ " Branch 1 " Co. N.E.
- 3120 " Prairie
- 3552 " Branch $\frac{1}{10}$ Varas Co. N.E.
- 4899 " Branch 1 " Co. N.W.
- 5099 " to Corner Post in Prairie, Wit-
 ness Post Oak 18 inch S. 38 E. 109 $\frac{4}{10}$ Varas
 Post Oak 15 inches, S. 70 W. 12 $\frac{2}{7}$ $\frac{2}{10}$;
 thence West:
- 1400 Varas Branch Co. S. ~~1000~~
- 2000 " Lone tree, lone Persimmon
 8 inches.

- 2265 Varas Branch
 3065 " Branch & Pine Tree Beam
 12 Inches
 3410 Varas Junction of two Branches S.
 3582 " Branch & Pine Tree Beam
 10 Inches.
 3990 Varas G.T. Elm 18 Inches & Branch
 4835 " Branch & Hackberry 6 Inches
 G.T.
 4980 Varas Branch.
 5000 " Corner Post in Prairie, Wit-
 ness Beam 12 Inches N. 41 E. 40 Varas,
 Beam 20 Inches S. 44 E. 28 ³/₁₀ "
 Hence West:
 158 Varas Branch
 160 Varas G.T. Post Oak 16 Inches
 792 Varas Branch
 940 " G.T. Beam
 1922 " G.T. Elm 8 Inches & Bot-
 tom Timber
 3045 Varas G.T. on South of North
 Fork of Sabine. Bois d'arc 18 Inch
 3400 Varas G.T. Red Oak 20 Inches at
 Edge of Bottom
 4330 Varas Branch & Varas C. S. D.
 G.T. Elm 10 Inches.
 4685 Varas G.T. Black Jack 10 Inches

- 4690 Varas Forks of Branch
- 4830 " Branch
- 4980 " Creek. 10 feet C. S. & L. T. Post Oak 10 inches
- 5000 " to Corner Post in Cañon. Witness: Hickory 15 inches. S. 64 W. 1 1/2 Miles, Ash. 2 inches. South: 18 1/2 Varas,

thence West:

- 170 Varas Slough 10 feet
- 190 " Edge of Bottom and Cañon
- 1955 " " Prairie
- 3880 " Branch & L. T. Ash 12 inches
- 5000 " Corner Post in Prairie. Witness Cottonwood 18 inches N. 8 1/2 E. 231 Varas. Cottonwood 18 inches N. 7 1/2 E. 240 Varas.

thence West:

- 2130 Varas Timber & L. T. Post Oak 18 inch.
- 2985 " Branch & L. T. " " 24 "
- 3870 " " S. & Edge of Prairie to Cañon 12 inches, 4 Varas North of line,
- 4915 " L. T. Post Oak 12 inch & Timber,
- 5000 " Corner Post in Timber, Witness. Post Oak 18 inch. N. 13 W. 15 Varas Post Oak 20 " N. 30 E. 26 1/10 "

thence West:

1125 Varas Branch ~~1125~~ S

- 1960 Paras Creek 10 Paras. S.
- 1980 " West Branch of same
- 1990 " Elm 10 Inches. E. T.
- 2290 " Post Prairie
- 3095 " Branch of E. T. Ash 14 inches.
- 3500 " Line of Survey
- 3720 " Post Prairie
- 4515 " E. T. Post Oak 21 inches, and
Timber
- 4715 " Branch
- 4797 " E. T. Post Oak 36 inches.
- 5000 " to Corner Post in Timber, wit-
ness Post Oak 14 inch. N. $72\frac{1}{2}$
W. $3\frac{1}{10}$ Paras, Post Oak 15
inches. S. $78\frac{1}{2}$ W. 10 Paras,

thence West:

- 50 Paras to Post Prairie
- 650 " Branch
- 1720 " Bottom timber
- 1970 " Bear Creek 10 feet. S.
- 2150 " Prairie
- 2410 " Branch
- 5000 " Corner Post, Edge of Post
Oak Grove, witness Post Oak
12 inches, S. $84\frac{1}{2}$ E. $32\frac{1}{10}$ Var.
Post Oak 18 inch N. 56 E.
31 Paras, thence West:

- 1700 Varas. Timber
- 590 " Edge of Bottom & Slough
- 683 " Mill Creek 10 feet S.
- 1000 " Prairie
- 2742 " Branch
- 5000 " Corner Post in Prairie, witness.
Sol. Elm 14 inch. S. 1 1/2 W.
232 6/10 Varas. Solitary Elm
18 inches, N. 2/3 W. 318 Varas,
thence West:
- 300 Varas Bottom Timber
- 662 " Brushy Creek 8 feet S.
- 800 " ~~not~~ and highland
- 2150 " Branch
- 2960 " " and tree blared in
Grove of Elms 40 Yds North of
Line.
- 4945 Varas Branch
- 5000 " Corner Post in Prairie, wit:
Musteet 4 inch. S. 5/6 E. 66 Varas,
2 x dead Musteets, West 95 Varas.
thence West.
- 1040 Varas Branch to Hackberry 9 inches
4 Varas South of Line.
- 1590 " Creek 2 Varas. to L.T. Hackberry
4 inches.
- 4791 " Creek 7 feet to L.T. Elm 12 inch.

- 5000 Varas Corner Post in Prairie. Wit. Elm
14 inch. East 219 Varas, Elm 30 inch.
N. 68 $\frac{1}{2}$ East 213 $\frac{1}{10}$ Varas, thence
West.
- 5000 Varas. Corner Post in Prairie, Wit.
a small Cottonwood Bush, transplant-
ed for Corner Post, Witness. Soli-
tary tree on high Prairie S. 19 E.
about 1 mile dist., there being
no other tree in its vicinity and
at the distance of 700 Varas West
Saw tree bears S. 35 E., this tree
cannot be seen from Corner but
may be seen 10 Varas from
it in any direction, thence West
- 1070 Varas Branch
- 2620 " "
- 2920 " "
- 4680 " Bottom thicket
- 5000 " to Corner Post in thicket. wit.
Ash 20 inches N 10 W. 8 $\frac{8}{10}$ Var.
Elm 24. " N 32 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 15 $\frac{6}{10}$ "
thence West.
- 60 Varas Creek 10 feet wide S. W.
- 600 " Saw
- 900 " Highland thicket
- 1910 " Small Branch S.

- 2522 ²/₁₀ Varas. S. T. Elm 14 inch. on bank of East. fork of Bois d'arc 25 Varas wide S.
- 4660 Varas Bois d'Arc River 30 Var. S. cut on East bank S. T.
- 5000 " to Corner Post on Bois d'Arc top wit. Elm 13 inch. S. 50th. 6 Var. Bois d'Arc 18 inch. S. 3rd C. 9th/₁₀ " thence West:
- 400 Varas: highland thicket
- 490 " " Branch
- 1800 " " Indian trace. N & S.
- 1900 " " Branch
- 3620 " " Edge of prairie (thick grass), corner with ~~thicket~~ scattering dead thicket trees.
- 3750 " " Open prairie
- 3990 " " Branch
- 4130 " " "
- 4380 " " "
- 5000 " " Corner Post on high prairie, ~~cut~~ 50 Varas S. of small run, wit: Cottonwood 20 inch N. 16th/₁₀ W 53 Var. Elm 14 " N 35th/₂ W 76th/₁₀ Var. thence West:
- 1900 Varas Branch
- 3840 " " "

- 4720 Varas Clear Water Creek 10 feet S.
Thicket
- 4780 " " " " " "
- 4850 " " " " " "
- 5000 " Corner Post in Thicket, with
Overcup Oak 12 inch. N 9 E
5²/₁₀ Var. Ash 8 inch. S 56¹/₂ W
12²/₁₀ Var. thence West.
- 70 Varas Prairie
- 760 " Line of Survey
- 2810 " Clear Shallow Creek 12 feet S.
- 4705 " Branch S.
- 4937 " E. T., Solitary Elm 36 inch.
- 5000 " Corner Post in Prairie, with
Elm 36 inch. Sol. East 63 Var.
Elm 6 " S. 7 E. 21⁶/₁₀ Var.
thence West.
- 720 Varas Timber
- 750 " Branch
- 2160 " Creek 12 feet S., Red Oak
14 inch. E. T. at bank.
- 2526 " Another fork 12 feet S,
both forming Spring Creek
junction about 400 Varas
below or S. of line
- 3000 " high Prairie & Line of Survey
made for C. A. Longory.

Harris Co. Bdry. Line #37

5000 Varas. Corner Fort in Prairie, wit:
Lone tree S. 70 E. about 400
Varas, Lone tree S. 85 E. about
400 Varas, thence West.

4025 Varas Branch

4375 " Bush Creek 2 Var. S.

5000 " Corner Fort in Prairie wit:
Lone Hackberry N. 73 1/2 E. 200 Varas
Lone Elm, S. 71 1/2 E. 250 Varas.
thence West.

1280 Varas. Branch S.

3900 " " S.

5000 " Corner Fort in high Prairie, wit:
2 high Saplings and Branch N. 23 1/2
E. about 400 Varas, Lone Bush
S. 9 1/2 E. about 300 Varas, thence
West:

1240 Varas Branch

2750 " "

3228 " Col. Cook's Army road

5000 " Corner Fort in Prairie at
Edge of thicket in Creek bottom,
wit: Elm 12 inch. N 5 E. 17 2/10 Varas.
Elm. 6 inch. S. 31 1/2 W. 21 2/10
thence West:

639 Varas Creek (White Rock) 1 1/2 feet S.

880 " Branch

910 Varas. Branch
 1000 " Open Prairie
 1020 " Branch
 1050 " "
 5000 " Corner Post in Prairie wit:
 Elm 12 inch. N 23 E 9 1/10 Var.
 Cottonwood 8 inch. S. 46 W. 80 Var.
 thence West:

130 Varas. S. T. Elm 14 inch. & thick

240 " Branch

440 " Prairie

1020 " Branch

1590 " "

2090 " "

5000 " Corner Post in Prairie Wit. S. T.
 Cottonwood 8 inch. N 65 W. 7 1/10
 Varas. Lone Bush S. 67 W.
 thence West.

2650 Varas Edge of Timber

2700 " Branch

5000 " Corner Post in Elm fork bot-
 tom. Wit: Overcup Oak 24
 inch. S. 86 W. 9 1/10 Varas, Over-
 cup Oak 30 Varas S. 58 1/2 E.
 11 Varas. thence West.

353 Varas: to back of Elm fork of
Pinity. Corner at back
 Tapping square, wit. Cotton-
 wood 4 ft. N. 25 1/2 W 6 Varas, Mul-
 berry 10 inch. S. 62 E. 5 1/10 Varas, other
 trees and Tappings blared about

Harris Co. Bdry Line # 39

Corner some distance.

Surveyed Jan. 1841.

Wm Atkin }
S. Campbell } Chain carriers.

Solely certified by Ferris (W. A.)
Dep. Surveyor

Attested by A. A. Nelson. C. S. Major.
Witnesses to 4. Aug 7. 1843.

B. Every tree near the line is blazed
thus \bar{o} , for and aft. every tree on
the line thus $\bar{\bar{o}}$, for and aft. every
witness tree thus: $\bar{\bar{x}}$
 $\bar{\bar{oo}}$

County of Nagadoches - West-boundary of
the Cherokee Reserve.

Field notes of the West boundary of the
Cherokee reserve, as run by W. A.
Ferris, in Jan. 1841.

Commencing at the junction of
Raccoon & Owl Creeks which point
may designate the head or
Source of the River Nacoochee.

Corner Post (situated in the forks,
a few feet from the point where
the waters mingle) a Steeple, 4 inches

diam. squared. witness. Black Gum
 11 inch. S. 48 1/2 W. 10 feet; Red Oak
 18 " S. 64 1/2 W. 15 Varas. Sweet
 Gum. 24 inch. S. 40 W. 16 1/10 Varas.
 all the other trees are Saphings
 near the corner blazed so as to
 be seen some distance in every
 direction; this corner is in open
 bottom. thence N. 45 W.

1530 3/10	1st Branch West
2785 7/10	" "
4562 7/10	" "
4900 7/10	" " 7 feet
5179 7/10	" "
5264 7/10	" "
5464 7/10	" "
7271 7/10	" " W.
7356 7/10	" " W.
7706 7/10	" " East
7956 7/10	" " 2 Varas wide W.
9133 7/10	" "
9198 7/10	" " 2 Var. wide W.
10163 7/10	" " 1 " E.
10278 7/10	" " W.
11440 7/10	" " North.
12470 7/10	" " E.
12555 7/10	" "
13602 7/10	" "
15379 7/10	" " W.
15574 7/10	" " W.
15624 7/10	" " W.

16004 7/10	Karas. Branch W.
16634 7/10	" " Var. E.
17004 7/10	" "
17464 7/10	" " E.
17494 7/10	" "
17544 7/10	" "
18254 7/10	" "
18344 7/10	" "
18984 7/10	" "
19094 7/10	" "
19609 7/10	" "
19614 7/10	" " Trace. W.
19894 7/10	" " Branch. 2 Var. N.W.
20104 7/10	" "
20514 7/10	" " N.
20594 7/10	" " E.
20959 7/10	" "
21394 7/10	" " N.
21684 7/10	" " N.
21789 7/10	" " E.
22234 7/10	" " Creek. 2 Var. N.
22419 7/10	" " Branch. W.
22844 7/10	" "
22944 7/10	" "
22984 7/10	" " Corals 12 feet. E.
26939 7/10	" " Branch N.
28204 7/10	" " Corals 12 feet, Cave Bottom E.

29740 ² / ₁₀	Karas.	Lime Tree Red Oak 20 in diameter
30103 ² / ₁₀	"	Branch N.E.
31383 ² / ₁₀	"	" S.W.
32173 ² / ₁₀	"	" S.E.
32913 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime Tree Black Locust 10 in diam.
33922 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree Black Locust 12 in.
35052 ² / ₁₀	"	Branch N.E.
35572 ² / ₁₀	"	" N.E.
36785 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree, Post Oak 12 in diam.
37601 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree Post Oak. 20 in
39309 ² / ₁₀	"	Locust 10 Kar. wide N.E.
40671 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree Red Oak 10 in.
41490 ² / ₁₀	"	" " Hickory 10 "
41600 ² / ₁₀	"	Branch 3. ¹ / ₂ N.E.
44560 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree Post Oak 15 in. 4 large Indian trace. N.W.
45259 ² / ₁₀	"	Post 5 ¹ / ₂ N.E.
45529 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree Red Oak 30 in.
46949 ² / ₁₀	"	Branch 3 ¹ / ₂ N.E.
48459 ² / ₁₀	"	" N.W.
49164 ² / ₁₀	"	Lime tree Post Oak 10 in.
49309 ² / ₁₀	"	Prairie
51138 ² / ₁₀	"	Timber
51939	"	Lime tree Post Oak 15 in.
52089	"	Branch N.E.
52679	"	" N.E.
52939	"	" S.E.
53419	"	" S.E.

54874 ² / ₁₀	Naras. Branch
55179 ² / ₁₀	" "
55459 ² / ₁₀	" Prairie
56590 ⁶ / ₁₀	" Creek 6 feet to Cottonwood 40 In. Line Tree & Timber
56850 ⁶ / ₁₀	" Same Creek
57060 ⁶ / ₁₀	" Branch
57653 ² / ₁₀	" Duck Creek 20 ft wide E.
58063 ⁴ / ₁₀	" Indian Trace
58236 ⁴ / ₁₀	" Branch
59231 ⁴ / ₁₀	" Prairie
59692 ² / ₁₀	" Timber
59799 ⁷ / ₁₀	" Branch
60072 ⁷ / ₁₀	" Prairie
60647 ⁷ / ₁₀	" Branch
63993 ² / ₁₀	" "
64113 ² / ₁₀	" "
66294 ⁶ / ₁₀	" Timber
67150 ⁴ / ₁₀	" Branch
68025 ⁴ / ₁₀	" "
68325 ⁴ / ₁₀	" "
68545 ⁴ / ₁₀	" "
68968 ⁷ / ₁₀	" Dim Trace
69038 ⁷ / ₁₀	" Branch
70566 ⁷ / ₁₀	" "
71458 ³ / ₁₀	" Line of Survey previously made.
71947	" Branch

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72 397
72 997 2/10
73 675 2/10
74 152 2/10
74 323 6/10

Karas Branch
'
'
' Creek 20 feet. S.E.
' Plough 8 feet.
' to bank of the Sabine River
established Corner Post, wit:
Red Oak 30 In. S. 23 E. 2 7/10
Karas, Red Oak 17 Inches
S. 73 1/2 W. 3 Karas, 20 or 30
Trees and Saplings blazed
about Corner, so as to be seen
at some distance from it.

13. Every line tree is marked
thus $\overline{\text{O}}$ fore & aft., every
tree very near the Line
thus O, and trees on either
side of the line facing
it are marked with 3 side
marks. The witness trees
are marked $\overline{\text{X}}$.

John Campbell }
Wm. Aikin } Chain carriers
W. A. Ferris
Dep. Surveyor

Duly Certified by Wm. A. Ferris in
January 1841.
Attested by A. O. Nelson C. Y
Surveyor of Navarroches
Aug. 7. 1843.

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