

In Commissioners Court of Kaufman
County; August Term A. D. 1882.

The State of Texas } To the Hon Com=
Kaufman County } missioners of
Kaufman County:

Pursuant to your order of
17th September A. D. 1881. After having duly
qualified and made the bond as the
law directs, I met Mr J. A. Money who
was appointed Special Surveyor by
the Commissioners Court of Hunt
County to assist in making a survey
of the line between Kaufman County and
Hunt County, on the 28th day of November
A. D. 1881, he and I disagreed as to the
true point of beginning, and reported
our disagreement to the Commissioner
of the General Land Office, His decision
dated Dec 19th 1881 I append as a part of
this report;

General Land Office

Austin, Texas Dec 19th 1881

L. H. Bryant Esq.

Dear Sir:

I have your report of Nov 30th 81, relative
to disagreement between yourself and
J. A. Money Special Surveyor of Hunt Co.
as to dividing line between your counties
I enclose a copy of a letter of 7th inst to
Mr Money on this question which
answers your letter. The object of the
law under which you are acting was
to ascertain and definitely mark the

the boundaries of counties, where any doubt existed as to their exact position; I do not see the pertinacity of a plea of limitation. If it were contemplated to run a new line different from that specified in the law, such a plea might possibly be entitled to consideration, but your efforts are to find and mark the exact line indicated by the acts creating Hunt and Kaufman County. If you and Mr. Money cannot otherwise agree on the starting point, you must go back to S. W. corner of Lamar as established in 1844 and run Thence South $38\frac{1}{2}$ miles Thence West 25 miles, on this last course, when you have reached N. E. corner Kaufman Co, you have your beginning corner. Let me call your attention to the concluding paragraph of my letter to Mr. Money

Yours Respectly
W. C. Walsh Comr.

On the 23^d day of April A. D. 1882 Mr. Money and I met by agreement again to determine said county line, and Mr. Money and I failing otherwise to agree on a starting point. I proceeded immediately to the S. W. corner of Lamar County, I would state here that Mr. Money accompanied me; but distinctly stated it was not for the purpose of taking any part in the survey; but to defeat if possible any survey I should make. The corner

of post at the S. W. of Lamar county) having been removed, and not being able to obtain any field notes of said corner. I then proceeded to the mouth of Bois d'arc on Red River and measured to a point 30 miles South of the mouth of said Bois d'arc and on the meridian South from the late residence of Carter T. Bliffts deceased. Here Mr J. A. Money acknowledged that I had made the S. W. corner of Lamar county definite and that there could be no objection to beginning here on account of uncertainty, but declaring that he as soon as his health would admit, would begin at a point marked in 1846, as the S. E. corner of Hunt County and run the line, left me, I began here at the S. W. corner of Lamar county surveyed South, at the 23rd mile post Mr J. A. Money returned to me saying he had come to acknowledge himself whipped and asked to take part in the survey, if I would permit, which I readily agreed to, Mr Money on account of feeble health remained in the wagon and I continued the line to a point 38½ miles South of the S. W. corner of Lamar county, at this point we lay in camp one week on account of High Waters, Mr J. A. Money health remaining feeble, after fully agreeing to my survey, saying there would be no protest against the

line etc etc and that it was not necessary for him to be known in the report, he left me for his home. I then ran West to the N. E. corner of Kaufman county, This point is 38 $\frac{1}{2}$ miles South and 12 miles and 10 $\frac{7}{11}$ vrs West of the S. W. corner of Lamar county and 603 vrs West and 142 vrs North of the S. E. corner of Chase Price survey of land. Erected a monument from which an Elm 8 in dia marked H bears N 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ W 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ vrs an Elm 8 in dia marked K bears S 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ W 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ vrs running West through Sabine River bottom at 1809 vrs entered Sabine river bottom and left it on the South side at 1870 vrs 1st mile post. at 1900 $\frac{9}{10}$ vrs erected a monument from which a spotted oak 40 in dia, marked H bears N 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 7 vrs a pecan 10 dia marked K bears S 11 $\frac{1}{4}$ W. 3 vrs. 2nd Mile Post: at 2 miles erected a monument from which an ash 15 in dia marked H bears N 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ W. 7 vrs an ash 16 dia marked K bears S 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ vrs at 1671 vrs cross East line of John P Borders survey of 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ labors of land 142 vrs North of its S. E. corner: 3rd Mile Post: at 3 miles erected a monument from which an Elm 9 dia marked H bears N 7 $\frac{1}{4}$ W. 3 vrs an Elm 14 dia marked K bears S 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 7 vrs: at 4 miles erected monument from which a mulberry 10 in dia marked K bears S 27 $\frac{1}{4}$ E. 35 $\frac{1}{5}$ vrs and

4 ash 12 in dia marked H bears S 21° E 36 2/5
vrs at 657 vrs crosses West line of
John Borders survey and East line
of O. O. Woodman survey of 320 acres
at 873 vrs small creek at 1607 vrs cross
the West line of said O. O. Woodman
survey and East line of Brittain Lock-
heart survey of 320 acres of land
142 vrs North of its S. E. corner. 5th mile
Post: at 5 miles erected a monument in
Elm jungles, no witness trees near, at 471
vrs cross the S. W. line of said Brittain
Lockheart survey and N. E. line of J. S.
Irvine survey 1104 vrs S 45° E. from its
North corner, 6 mile Post: at 6 miles erected
a monument in jungles of Elm at 148
vrs cross S. E. line of Jose Santos 26
Labors survey 1104 vrs S 45° N. from its
East corner at 860 vrs cross Isreany
creek at 900 vrs cross same creek at
1080 vrs cross same creek. 7th mile
Post: at 7 miles erected monument from
which a pecan 10 dia marked H bears
N. 52 1/2° W. 4 vrs an ash 16 dia marked K
bears S 70° E 10 vrs: 8th mile Post, at 8
miles erected monument from which
a post oak 20 dia marked K bears
S 32 1/2° E 2 vrs a post oak 22 dia marked
H bears West 6 1/5 vrs: 9th mile Post:
at 9 miles erected monument on the
N. E. line of E. Turner's survey of 26
Labors of land 1104 vrs S 45° E. from
its North corner from which an Elm
20' marked H bears N 18 1/2° E. 12 vrs a

Black Jack 10 in dia marked K bears
 N26 E 5 1/2 vrs: 10" Mile Post at 1577 vrs
 cross S. E. line of John J. Ayall survey
 1104 vrs S 45 W. from its East corner: 10"
 mile Post: at 10 miles erected monument
 from which a black Jack 17 dia marked
 K bears S 79 E 3 vrs a Post Oak 16 in
 dia marked H bears North 8 1/2 vrs: 11th
 Mile Post: at 11 miles erected a monument
 from which a Post Oak 22 in dia marked
 H bears N 85 W. 13 1/2 vrs a Post Oak 16
 in dia marked K bears S 23 1/2 E. 19 1/2 vrs.
 12" Mile Post: at 12 miles erected a
 monument from which an Elm 13' dia
 marked H K. bears N 57 1/2 E 29 1/2 vrs at
 823 vrs reach the East line of
 Rockwall County as run by J. W.
 Sherwood in 1881. Erected a monument.

W. E. Jackson
 Thos Michall
 Zack Davis
 W. E. Lemons

L. N. Bryant
 Surveyor
 Chain carriers

Sworn to before me Aug 14th 1882
 Henry Crow
 Co. CLK.

Addenda

In running South from Carter bluffs
 I traced the old Gammil land dist
 line as run by W. D. Orr in 1850. to S. W.
 corner of Hopkins County the old marks
 are plain yet, variation 8° 40' East
 I marked the side line trees with
 two hooks, fore and aft with

three backs. L. N. Bryant

Aug 16th 1882

Examined and approved at Aug Term 1882 of commissioners court by county commissioners court of Kaufman County Texas, and ordered recorded as evidence of the line in question and the line so surveyed and marked recorded, is adjudged to be the true boundary line between Kaufman and Hunt counties.

Wm. Charlton Co. Judge
and acting commissioner

Wm. A. Anderson Comr.

A. J. Hardin "

J. L. Crawford "

S. A. Buchanan "

Filed Aug 14th 1882

Henry Crown

Co. Clk.

See plat on next page.

Shunt County

J. J. Ryall.

1385 3/4

4497 acres

E. Sumner

3188 3/4 acres

442
797

Jose Santos

1416 1/4 acres

317
797

J. S. Irvine

B. Lockhart

O. O. Woodman

John Border

Russ Price

Shankman County

The State of Texas } I. L. N. Bryant
Kaufman County } Special Surveyor for
Kaufman County, hereby certify that the within
plat correctly represents the line between
Kaufman and Hunt counties. August 14th 1882.

L. N. Bryant
Special Surveyor.

Sworn to before me Aug 16th 1882

Henry Cronin

Co. Clk. of Co.

By A. J. Kindman
Deputy.

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Henry Cronin
Co. Clk. of Co. Texas

The State of Texas } I.
County of Kaufman } Henry Cronin
County clerk of Kaufman County
hereby certify the foregoing to be a
correct copy of the Report of L. N.
Bryant Special Surveyor for Kauf-
man County, and the order approv-
ing same, made and entered of
record on the minutes of the

County Commissioners court of Kaufman County at the August Term 1882.



To certify which, Witness my official signature and the seal of the commissioners court of said county this 30th day of September A.D. 1882.

Henry Cronin
County Clerk
Kaufman County Texas.

2/
L. W. Bryant.

Report of Survey

Kaufman & Hunt
of Line between
Kaufman & Hunt Counties

Kaufman Co Bdry Line 2
(see wrapper in Rockwall Co
Bdry Line 52)

Certified Copy

Filed Octob. 4th 1882

Abstract Correlated
1884
Beaman

