

General Land Office,

State of Texas.

Austin.

J.T.ROBISON, COMMISSIONER J.H. WALKER, CHIEF CLERK.

February 7, 1914.

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Hon. C. H. Curl, County Judge Lamb County, Olton, Texas. Dear Sir:-

Replying to your letter of the 2nd instant, relative to the field notes of the boundary lines of Lamb County, beg to advise, that there are field notes of the north, west and south lines of said county, made by W. H. Tilson in 1910 on file in this office, and same have been applied on the official map of Lamb County. This office has no knowledge of any irregularities in the procedure in making this survey, therefore, so far as this office is concerned, these field notes will be recognized until same are superceded by others or cane celled by the courts.

In conclusion I would refer you to Revised Civil Statutes of 1911, Art. 1400, page 332, "The County boundaries of the counties of this State, as now reorganised and established, are adopted as the true boundaries of such county and the Acts creating such counties and defining the boundaries are continued in force."

See also 155 S.W. Reporter, page 1006., Stephens Co. vs. Palo Pinto Co.

Respectfully,

Commissioner.

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See Letter Books, 1000, 1001, 1005 + 1013

Amarillo Texas Nov. 15,1915.

Hon. J. T. Robison

Austin Texas.

Dear Sir:-

Lamb and Castro Counties desire that I establish their common boundary. Please write me setting out any controversy in this line or anything necessary to be done to make this the official common boundari.

Yours respectfully,

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November 16, 1915.

Mr W D Twichell, 710 Pierce Street, Amarillo, T e x a s.

Dear Sir: --

The Castro County boundaries were surveyed by Deputy Surveyor, W. D. Twichell, approved by County Surveyor, who states that he was duly appointed by the court to locate the boundaries. The notes were read and approved in open court April the 11th, 1892, and signed by County Judge and County Commissioners. This work appears to have been done under order of the Commissioners' Court and instructions from the General Land Office.

The field notes were filed and recorded in Commissioners' Court Minutes, Book 1, pages 19 to 35, and were filed in the General Land Office with corrections on May 23, 1892. These lines were recognized by the General Land Office as the boundary lines of Castro County and abstracts corrected accordingly. There are no papers on file with the above field notes showing that notice was given to the adjoining counties.

Field notes of the north, west and south boundaries of Lamb County, connections, and sketch by W H Tilson were filed in the Generaliand Office on November 26, 1910. These notes are of record in Volume 1, pages 50 to 57, Minutes of the Commissioners' Court. There are no papers on file with these field notes to show that notice was served on the adjoining counties.



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The Judge of Lamb County was notified on February the 7th, 1914, that Tilson's field notes were on file in this office and had been applied to the official map of Lamb County; that this office had no knowledge of any irregularities in the procedure in making the survey, and so far as this office was concerned the field notes would be recognized until same are superceded by others or cancelled by the courts. This office will take the same position with reference to the field notes of Castro County now on file.

Yours truly,

Commissioner.

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