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Austin, Texas, Sept. 8th 1892

To Hon. "H. L. McLaughley Comr." G. L. C.

On or about the 25th day of Aug. 1891 I was employed by the Hon. "Comr." Court of Lampasas County to establish the and mark up on the ground as required by law the boundary line between Burnet and Lampasas Counties. I qualified as such surveyor, & did the work as required by law, & established the line correctly between the Counties, made field notes & plat of the line; returned same to the Comr. Court of Lampasas County. Said Court after examining the field notes & plat refused to approve same, although the same was & is correct. The said Court of Lampasas County afterwards, so I am informed and believe employed one E. Brown to establish said line between Lampasas & Burnet Counties. Said Brown has established said line; the field notes of which are now on file in the Gen. Land Office



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As shown by the field notes of E. T. Brown, the beginning appears to be correct. He (said Brown) however having run said line on a variation of 9° the same is necessarily erroneous. This course if continued to the S.E. corner of Lampasas county would not reach same as established by law; but would encroach upon Burnet County largely. All of which can be seen by examination of the matter here submitted.

I therefore enter solemn protest against the adoption of the E. T. Brown line until I am paid for my work as surveyor; and was employed by said Com. Court of Lampasas County. The Com. Court of Lampasas County have paid me a portion of the amount & refuse to pay the balance; and the said Court have failed to show wherein I have made a mathematical error, or failed to comply with my contract.

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