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Milam Co Bdry Line 6
Falls

Milam ^{and}

Bell Co Bdry

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see Bell Co Bdry line

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On this the 10th day of August 1897 came on to be heard the report of John P. Looney - County Surveyor of Milam County - who at a former term of this court was appointed to make a survey of the boundary between Falls & Milam Counties, and also a survey of the boundary between Bell and Milam Counties, which said report being inspected by the court and found correct is approved and ordered to be recorded on the minutes of this Court and is as follows, to wit:

The State of Texas Boundary Suit Between Falls & Milam Co. County of Milam Whereas at a special term of the Non-Commissioners Court of Milam County, Texas, held on the 18th day of February A.D. 1897, an order was passed to have the boundaries of Milam County more definitely defined and J. P. Looney, County Surveyor of Milam County was appointed to survey and define make connections with the original and individual surveys through which said line passed with such other surveyors as might be appointed by the other County Commissioners adjoining Milam County and Falls County was properly notified of the action of the Commissioners of Milam County and did at their May term of Court appoint Rob^t S. Kinnicutt, County Surveyor of Falls County Texas, to meet J. P. Looney of Milam County, and the 7th day of July 1897 was set to meet at the S. E. corner of Bell County, and at the appointed time and place the surveyors Looney and Kinnicutt met and proceeded upon their duties as follows, to wit:

We began and ran a line with with the compass to the Samuel Frost N. W. Cor. we ran on the North line of the Samuel Frost league about 4 miles and finding the running of same we retraced same to N. W. Cor.

1 where we found old bearings, "a hackberry N. 87 W.
 2 47 rs. still standing and alive", an Elm falling down
 3 stump brs. N. 17 E. which are the calls for the origi-
 4 nal cor. which is 10445 rs. from the N. E. cor. on
 5 Brazos River and is in Little Briery Creek bottom.
 6 From this point we ran a transit line S. 60 W.
 7 with a magnetic variation of $9^{\circ} 30''$ E. at 65 rs.
 8 the bed of Briery Creek - at 175 rs. leaves bottom -
 9 at 150 rs. enters small branch 20 rs. above its
 10 mouth. and leaves same at 230 rs. on right.
 11 At 955 rs. set the 6th mile post. At 6 miles 240
 12 rs. cross the bed of Big Briery 3 rs. below the
 13 mouth of a small branch. at 731 rs. enter Briery
 14 and leaves same at 365 rs. At mouth of small
 15 branch from the West and left branch 407 rs. as
 16 At 890 rs. cross Lane N. 30 W. 2445 $\frac{1}{4}$ rs. from the
 17 lower line of Powers pasture on S. line of the Brew-
 18 ster Lea. at 1693 rs. a bed of branch - At 7 miles
 19 set a post from which a very large p. c. marked
 20 M C bears S. $77^{\circ} \frac{1}{4}$ E. 76 $\frac{1}{5}$ rs. - Ditto 15 in. in dia.
 21 marked F. brs. S. $81^{\circ} \frac{1}{4}$ E. 56 $\frac{1}{5}$ rs. At 7 miles 100 rs.
 22 the Hammon & Brewster line 2445 $\frac{1}{4}$ rs. from the S. E.
 23 cor. of Hammon - At 1191 rs. bed of small branch -
 24 at 1340 rs. bed of Moore branch - at 1896 rs.
 25 small branch - the mark Elm with 8 notches for the
 26 8th mile post. - At 8 miles 78 rs. bed of large
 27 branch - At 1765 rs. bed of small branch - course
 28 about S. 40° E. At 9 miles 33 rs. we cut off a
 29 mesquite and marked it for the 9th mile post. at 360
 30 rs. enter the Gilbert Lake and cross it at 365 rs.
 31 At 767 rs. the E. bank of Big Pond creek and
 32 cross it at 783 rs. At 1788 rs. cross the S. W.
 33 line of the Hammon League S. 30° E. 1450 rs. from
 34 the N. E. cor. of the G. B. Crath 1780 acre survey.

At 1470 vrs. cross the bed of a ravine. At 1815
vrs. a large forked mesquite tree found after 10th
mile is S. 60 W. 85 vrs from the mesquite tree which
is marked for mile post. At 819 vrs cross a lane
and road through the G.B. Erath survey. Course S.
45 ³/₄ E. At 1791 ~~Enter~~ little Poudre creek - at
1811 vrs. west bank of same. At 11 miles we flag
and hack an Elm tree - at 11 miles 211 vrs. cross
the West line of G.B. Erath & East line of the
J. Zeller original survey 165 vrs. S. 30 E. from
the corner of same. - at 951 vrs. the center of the
S.A. & N.P. Ry. N. 6° W. 1178 vrs from Burling-
ton Station - at 997 vrs. branch, course about
North - at 1697 vrs. line between Pat Dillon and
Nagerty - at 1700 vrs. large branch, course about
N 70 E. At 17 miles we stopped and marked the
mesquite stump for the 17th mile post. - At 17 miles
518 vrs. cross line between O'Neil & Nagerty -
at 1733 vrs. West line of the Zeller S. 30 E. 165 vrs.
from the N. W. cor. of same. - At 13 miles in bed
of a branch we mark an Elm with 13 hacks. - at
13 miles 51 vrs. bed of branch - at 1170 vrs. line be-
tween the Bowers and Brown survey, S. 30 E. 157
vrs. from the N. W. cor. of the Bowers league and 357
vrs. from the N. E. cor. of the Browns. - At 14 miles
marked a mesquite for the 14th mile post. At 14
miles 240 vrs. enter Mustang creek and leave
it 277 vrs. on same side and cross it at 380 vrs.
at 455 vrs. cross the line between Glisson's and Sch-
neider N. 30° W. 914 vrs. from Glisson's S. W. Cor. - at
1600 vrs. West fork of Mustang creek. - At 15 miles
set a cedar post at 10 vrs. in line with the West
of the Shepards. - at 40 vrs. a lane between Min-
keman and Schneider and claimed to be the East

✓ 1 line of the Eaves Survey. - At 16 miles the West
 2 line of Eaves and East line of the Joseph N.
 ✓ 3 Clark's 1/3 league Survey. S. 30 E. 3 20 7/10 from the
 4 N.E. cor. of the Clark's 1/3 League. - At 16 miles by
 5 7/8 vrs. a branch - at 966 vrs. the S.E. corner of Bill
 6 and S.W. corner of Falls County. a Cedar post
 7 set from which an Elm marked F'rs. S. 40 N.
 8 7 3/4 vrs. and a misquite marked C'rs. S. 69 1/2 N.
 9 69 vrs. and a double p. o. marked F'rs. N. 59 1/2 E.
 10 56 3/5 vrs.

11 All of which we most respectfully submit.

12 J. P. Looney
 13 County Sur. Milam County.
 14 Robt. A. Stummitt
 15 County Sur. Falls County.

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 17 Boundary line between Bill & Milam Counties.
 18 The State of Texas
 19 County of Milam & Whereas at the special February
 20 term of the Commissioners Court of Milam County
 21 held at Cameron, Milam County, Texas, on the 18th
 22 day of February, 1897, an order was passed to
 23 have the boundaries of Milam County more def-
 24 inately defined, and J. P. Looney, County Surveyor
 25 for Milam County was appointed, to survey said
 26 lines with such other surveyors as might be ap-
 27 pointed by the several other counties joining
 28 and whereas Bill County was properly notified
 29 of the action of the said Court of Milam County
 30 and at their regular May term of the Bill Coun-
 31 ty Commissioners Court, Ed. F. Ricker, a competent
 32 surveyor from Bill County was appointed to meet
 33 said J. P. Looney from Milam County, and the
 34 31st day of May A.D. 1897 was set and agreed

1 on by said Surveyors to meet at Davilla
2 Milan County for the purpose of beginning
3 said work, and at the time and place mentioned
4 said Surveyors J. P. Looney from Milan County
5 Ed. F. Rucker from Bell County met at Davilla
6 Texas. --- We then went to the Williamson County
7 line - the cor. set by Peter Rucker in 1880, which
8 we found 95 vrs N. 20° E. from the Williamson
9 County line - From whence we ran N. 19° E. at about
10 400 vrs. Alligator Creek, at 1900 vrs we set the
11 first mile post. - At one mile 1100 vrs. Mrs. Charles
12 Fowler's South line. N. 71 W. 1470 vrs. from her S. E.
13 cor. at 2 miles we set a post. - At 2 miles 920
14 vrs. the N. line of Mrs. Chas. Fowler's and South
15 line of James Ferrers tract, S. 71. E. 1250 vrs. from
16 the S. W. cor. of said Ferrers tract - at 1740 vrs.
17 the S. E. cor. of the Jesse Mumford League - at
18 1900 vrs the 3rd mile post. - at 1900 vrs the 4th
19 mile on the side of a hill - at 4 miles 1470 vrs.
20 Double Creek 35 vrs wide. - Running S. E. at 5
21 miles in James Whittington's field at 1900 vrs.
22 6th mile - at 1900, 7th mile in M. B. Mathews
23 field - at 1900 vrs 8th mile - at 8 miles 1835 vrs.
24 the South bank of Little River, at a bend of said
25 river where the line crosses the river three times -
26 at 8 miles 1875 vrs. the North bank of Little River -
27 at 1900 vrs. 9th mile - at 9 miles 75 vrs. the bank
28 of Little River the second time - at 130 vrs the op-
29 posite bank of said river 375 vrs. the river - at 475
30 vrs. the N. bank of Little River, N. 71 W. 24 vrs. from
31 the E. line of J. R. Craddock's tract and on a base
32 line N. 71 W. 3700 vrs. from the line of Archa
33 Grant - We ran thence N. 19° E. at 1145 from
34 river, Craddock's N. E. Corner - at 1675 vrs. set a

stake in a ravine for a cor. between Milam and
 Bell Counties. - We ran thence N. 60 E. at 10.50 rrs
 14" mile post - at 1900 rrs. 13" mile post - 1900
 rrs 12th mile. - at 250 rrs the E. line of the Crocker
 and W. line of the Sauchs as settled by a decree
 of Dist. Court (which is 5000 rrs. N. 60 E. from
 cor. of Milam & Bell Counties) and 7275 rrs. N.
 20 E. from the cor. on Little river - At 1900 rrs 11th
 mile post. - At 1700 rrs. the G. C. & S. F. R. Pass-
 ing N. 65 W. at crossing - at 1900 rrs 10th mile post.
 At 1900 rrs 9th mile post. - At 1900 rrs. 8th mile post.
 at 1015 rrs the E. line of the Sauchs and the West
 line of the De Pena 11 Leagues grant - S. 20 W.
 310 rrs. from South Elm or Cow Creek and N. 70 E.
 17890 rrs. from the river. - at 1900 rrs. 7th mile post.
 at 1360 rrs. the West line of the Henry Pardon league
 N. 20 E. 2485 rrs. from the S. W. corner near Cow
 Creek or South Elm Creek - at 1900 rrs. 6th mile post. =
 at 1900 rrs. 5 mile post. = at 360 rrs. Big Elm Creek
 runs East. = at 1740 rrs the East line of Pardon on
 West line of Joseph H. Clark's 640 acre survey. -
 S. 19 W. 1100 rrs. from Pardon's N. E. cor. and Clark's
 N. W. cor. at 1900 rrs. 4th mile post. = At 170 rrs Mil-
 low Branch - at 1280 rrs. the North line of the Joseph
 Clark on South line of the J. M. Simons - N. 71 W.
 765 rrs. from the N. E. cor. of Joseph H. Clark's 640 acre
 survey. - At 1900 rrs. 3rd mile post. - at 1018 rrs. the
 W. line of the Joseph H. Clark's 1/3 la. 1870 rrs. N. 30
 W. from the cor. with Simons. on the Bradford N.
 line. - at 1900 rrs. 2nd mile. - at 960 rrs. the
 cor. of Bell and Falls Counties as set by Sumner's
 cutb - This point on a parallel line S. 30 E. 308
 rrs. from the S. W. cor. of the Shepard Survey. -
 We ran this line with a magnetic variation of

9th with a transit and set it out clear of
obstructions except on the Jesse Mumford East
line which is the Co. line. - This we ran with
the compass only - all the rest we ran with the
compass and then with a transit discarding
the needle. We have also made connections
with all the individual surveys of which we
herewith hand to the Hon. Commissioners Court
of both Milam^{Co} & Bell Counties, maps. We also
make a map showing all the original surveys
to the general Land Office at Austin.

We submit by way of explanation the follow-
ing mile posts as numbered from Williamson
County line to the cor. on the line where the line
runs N. 60 E. and from the Falls Co. line are also
numbered to said cor.

Respectfully submitted - July 2nd 1891.

John P. Loney
County Surveyor Milam Co.
Ed. J. Rucker.
Special Surveyor. Bell County.

The State of Texas }
County of Milam } I W. M. Gill County Clerk
} in and for Milam County
Texas do hereby certify that the two foregoing
instrument contain a true and correct copy
of the different surveys therein named
as the same appears from the records
of the Commissioners Court of Milam County
in Minute Book "B" pages 605 to 609
inclusive. - Given under my hand and the Seal
of the County Comt. of Milam Co. Texas - at office in Camera
this 9th day of December A. D. 1892. -
W. M. Gill. Clk. C. C. & C. L.
By Wm. H. Kendall spt.