


WINT LIVINGSTON,
COUNTY SURVEYOR.
Mills County.



Goldthwaite, Texas, ¹⁰May 16 1898

T. O. Chamberlain Esq

Burnet Texas, Dear Sir In reply to yours of the 11th inst. I will say that I can not accept C. Brauns ~~work~~ for several reasons 1st because he made the survey before Mills Co was organized, 2^d I have substantial testimony that he did not begin his work at the proper place 3^d He is three degrees off of the proper course 4th the line between Hamilton and Lampasas counties is too well established to admit of any change although it may not be just where it should be 5th I dont think it would be fair to adopt Saxons line on the west as suggested by you and ignore it on the south as you demand

I will say further that all I want is a fair, just, and equitable settlement of the matter, in controversy between Mills and the adjoining counties and hope that this will soon be done. I have made my report which will be filed in the Land Office very soon, yours Respectfully
D. M. Hooks