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Mitchell Co. Boundary Line (a-c)

REPORT, FIELD NOTES and MAPS
of the SOUTH, NORTH and EAST
Lines of Mitchell County,
Texas-

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As made by H.W. STONEHAM,
Special Surveyor of
County Boundaries.

CERTIFIED COPY OF THE SAME-

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The State of Texas,
County of Mitchell. I, Earl Morrison, Clerk of the County Court
in and for the County of Mitchell and State of Texas, do hereby
certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct
copy of the FIELD NOTES and the MAPS thereto attached- of the
survey of the SOUTH, NORTH and EAST LINES of Mitchell County, Texas,
of date January 30th, 1908- as said FIELD NOTES and the MAPS thereto
attached- appears of record in Book Twenty-nine (29), on pages
2 to 19- both numbers inclusive- of the Deed Records of Mitchell
County, Texas.

In Testimony Whereof, Witness my hand and seal of said Court,
at office, in Colorado, Texas, this the 28th day of April, A.D.,
1908.

Earl Morrison

Clerk County Court, Mitchell County,
Texas.

By Zilpha Fox Deputy-

The State of Texas. |
County of Mitchell. |

TO THE HONORABLE COUNTY COURT OF MITCHELL COUNTY, TEXAS.

Comes now, H. W. Stoneham, Special Surveyor for County Lines Lines duly appointed, qualified and acting as such, ~~and~~ at the July 1907 Term of this Court, to make a survey of the Boundary Line between Mitchell and Coke Counties, Texas, and begs leave to report as follows with reference to that part of said order referring to boundary line between Mitchell and Coke Counties, --

(1)

That in accordance with said order a duly certified copy of the order of this court made July 15th 1907 was mailed to the County Court of Coke County, Texas, and that a sufficient time intervened between the date of adjournment of this Court and to convening of the County Court of Coke County to give the notice of said survey in the manner provided for by law. That in accordance with a request from the Surveyor of Coke County, the time of beginning the survey as fixed by said order of this court was delayed for a term of one week in order to give Coke County's Court time to make the order at their regular term; that said time having passed as per request, we got together a crew and was at the old South east corner of Mitchell County and South-west corner of Nolan County one week after the date fixed by the order of this court and waited for the appearance of a surveyor to represent Coke County one day before proceeding with the survey of the line as indicated and ordered by this Court.

(2)

That a reasonable time having elapsed and no one appearing to represent the interest of Coke County I proceeded to run the boundary line between said Coke and Mitchell County as directed by Articles 799 et seq R. S. Texas 1895, and the field notes of the same are hereto attached.

(3)

That said survey only fixes in a legal manner the boundary line established in March 1891 by Patten, surveyor, representing Coke County the line I report being a renewal and retracing thereof:

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DESCRIPTION AND FIELD NOTES OF BOUNDARY LINE

between

COKE AND MITCHELL COUNTIES, TEXAS.

Magnetic Declination 10 East--Angle from Polaris 1 24' in Western Elongation

BEGINNING at a Large stone monument about 4 feet high and 3 feet in diameter, located on top of a high mountain, and marked S. E. M. Co. and S. W. N. Co., 1907--Sept. 9th 1907.-- from which a large stone mound around a large cedar tree bears due South 52.8 varas, a Large Flat Stone marked "S. W. N. Co., and S. E. M. Co. Sept., 1907---S--W. S. --- is N. E. 5 varas----a large stone on the East side of Silver Peak bears South 37 West; the South end of a long mountain bears South 32 East; the most southern of three peaks bears South 58 East; the 25th mile-stone on the North line of Coke County(going west) is due West 50 varas. This corner is situated upon the North-west Quarter of Survey No. 255, Block 1a of the Houston & Texas Central Railway Company surveys at a point about 344 varas South and 400 varas East of the North-west corner thereof.

(1)

Thence West along the North line of Coke County at 50 varas pass over a large Flat Stone on the West brink of a high mountain, marked N. L. C. Co. 25 Mi W, at 1950 varas a large set stone marked N. L. C. Co. 26 M on North side and S. L. M. Co. W 1 Mi on South side. (crossing the west line of Survey No. 255, Block 1a Houston & Texas Central Railway Company surveys at a point about 340 varas South of its North-west corner).

(2)

Thence West at 1550 varas cross West line of Survey No. ²⁵⁴ 230, Block 1 a Houston & Texas Central Railway Company surveys at a point 350 varas South of its North-west corner, at 1845 varas cross Little Silver Creek, at 1900.8 varas a large set stone on the west side of Little Silver Creek marked N. L. C. Co W. 27 Mi and S. L. M. Co. W 2 Mi.

(3)

Thence West entering the Sallie C. Savage Pre-Emption survey, crossing a divide and entering a mesquite flat, in all a distance of 1900 8/10 varas to a large set stone marked N. L. C. Co. W 23 Mi and S. L. M. Co. W 3 Mi. from whence Silver Peak bears South 58 East.

(4)

Thence West at 465 varas crossed the East boundary line of Survey No. 3 Block No. 15 of the Southern Pacific Railway Company surveys, at a point 18 varas South 35 West of the North-east corner thereof, at 1100 varas crossed a sandy creek, at 1900.8 varas found set stone marked N. L. C. Co. W 29 M and marked it S. L. M. Co. W 4 Mi. (This marker was made in- to a large stone monument and is located in the East bank of a creek from whence a large China tree in sand hill bears South 83 West; a house on the west side of the Colorado River bears South 8 West; Silver Peak bears South 68 30' East East point of mountain on west side of Colorado River bears South 13 East.

(5)

Thence West at 165 varas cross Walnut Creek, at 1125 varas cross the North-west line of Survey No. 3 Block 15 of the Southern Pacific Railway Company surveys at a point 250 varas North 35 East of its South-west corner, at 1750 varas cross the West line of Survey No. 4 Block 15 of the Southern Pacific Railway Company surveys at a point 300 varas North 35 W.

The State of Texas. |
County of Mitchell. |

I, H. W. Stoneham, Special Surveyor of County Lines for Mitchell County, Texas, duly appointed, qualified and acting as such, do hereby certify that the foregoing Plat and Field Notes of a Survey of the Boundary Line between Mitchell and Coke County are true and correct; that said survey was actually made upon the ground in strict conformity with the law in such cases and that the marks, limits and boundaries and monuments described therein, natural and artificial, are truly described in the foregoing plat and field notes.

I further certify that the chain-carriers used and named above were duly sworn and instructed as to their duties and responsibilities in the manner and form as provided by law.

I further certify that the boundary line as established by me is identically the same line ran by J. R. Patteson, surveyor representing Coke County in March 1891, and that said line as re-traced and marked and located by me upon the ground is the true and legal boundary line between Coke and Mitchell Counties, Texas.

IN TESTIMONY OF ALL OF WHICH I have hereunto subscribed my name
officially at Colorado, Texas this 30th day of Jan. 1908

H. W. Stoneham

Special Surveyor, County Lines, Mitchell Co. Texas.