

To
 Hon. J. P. Borden
 Com. Gen. of the Land Office

Sir

Obediently to my appointment and instructions furnished me at that time by his Hon. the President, I have surveyed the Western boundary of Travis County, the minutes of which, together with the preliminary surveys requisite for establishing the North Western ~~corner~~ corner of Milams Colony, are herewith respectfully submitted.

Preliminary Surveys

General course of the San Antonio Road between the Colorado and Gaudaloupe Rivers S. 59° 38' W.

Distance from one River to the other 54 Miles

" of Meanders of the Road 69.33 "

Course of the Colorado River from Bastrop to a point 75000 varas above the same N. 58° 30' W.

Distance of the line meandering the River 59 Miles

Thence S. 37° 38' W. To Bear Creek 9 "

" " " " " Orion " 19.40 "

" " " " " Blanco River 31.50 "

" " " " " Gaudaloupe " or N.W. 58.50 "

Corner of Milams Colony. This corner consists of a mound of rocks, standing on a point upon the bank of the River where the rocks form an almost perpendicular descent of about one hundred feet, at the termination of a dense Cedar Brake.

Boundary Line

Beginning at the corner above described - Thence N. 17° E.

Cross Gaudaloupe 2 Miles

Acrop do 2.50 "

To Pedro Creek 5.40 "

Boundary Line Continued

To the dividing ridge between Colorado creek & Blanco	9.80
" " Blanco	16.34
" " dividing ridge between the Blanco & Piedermalles	23.50
" " Piedermalles	39.10
" " dividing ridge between the Piedermalles & Colorado	49.00
" " Colorado	57.30

This corner is a Blk Walnut 8 in diam. Sur-
 rounded by witness trees of Pecan and Blk.
 Walnut and at the mouth of a small creek about
 3/4 of a mile below the mouth of Sandy - and S 35° E
 1/4 chain to the S.E. corner of L. Mercers League & labor
 In the absence of timber the line has been designated
 by mounds of rock where timber occurred the sight
 trees are marked with a blaze with a hack above
 and below it the line trees with three hacks.

The lines were all run to a variation of 9° 53'
 The true magnetic variation at Austin

Very Respectfully
 Your Obedt Servt.
 L. C. Weston

Austin, May 16th 1840

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County Boundaries:

Travis & Bexar

Notes of Survey made by
S. C. Wilkes of the N. W.
line of Travis County
Austin May 16th 1840.

Notes of Survey
made by Wilkes
on the
Western line Travis County

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