

The State of Texas,
County of Young,

Field Notes of a survey of
the Western boundary line, and a portion of
the Southern boundary line of Young County,
in accordance with an order of the County
Court of said County, passed at the February
Term, 1859.

Beginning at a point on the North West bank
of the Clear Fork of the Brazos River, designated
as the termination of that portion of the Southern
boundary line of Young County surveyed by R. H.
Matthews in November, A. D. 1856, a stake from
which the Southern bearing tree of the S. E. corner
of Colony & Alf section 1206, bears North 20
varas. Thence

West, - at 560 varas, foot of hill,
at 400 " stake on hill side; from
which a Post Oak, 12 inches in diam. - marked XX
bears $S 62^{\circ} 15' W.$ 11 varas, and a Post Oak 8 inches in
diam. bears North $75^{\circ} 15' East$, 3.5 varas. -

Thence West, -
at 860 varas cross branch, course South East,
" 1900.8 " stake and mound in Mezquite prairie
for the 21st mile corner; from which a Mezquite
4 inches in diam bears North $33^{\circ} 45' West$ 49.5 varas,

Said Bearing tree blazed and marked with the letters
Y. C. L. and XXI.

Thence West,

at 1120 varas, cross branch, course South-West.

" 1502 " " " " South.

" 1900.8 " Rock mound for 22nd mile, from
which a Live Oak 10 inches in diam. marked Y. C. L. bears
S 31° 30' E. 50.25 varas, and a Live Oak, 8 inches in
diam. marked XXII, bears S 41° E. 47.25 varas.

Thence West,

at 520 varas, cross branch course South West.

" 560 " top of Live Oak hill.

" 945 " cross creek, course South,

" 1870 " " branch, course South West.

" 1900.8 " Stake in Rock mound for 23rd mile
from which a Post Oak, 12 inches in diam. marked
XXIII, bears S 1° E. 18 varas, and a Post Oak marked
Y. L. bears East 8 varas.

Thence West

at 540 varas cross Oak Creek, 4 varas wide
course S 30° E.

at 980 varas foot of Mountain

" 1420 " cross branch, course North

" 1560 " top of Mountain,

" 1900.8 " Rock mound and stake for
the 24th mile post, from which a Post Oak 14
inches in diam. marked Y. C. L. bears S 6° E. 12 varas
and a Post Oak 6 inches in diam. marked XXIV.
bears North 61° 30' East 5 varas.

Thence West,

at 980 varas, cross branch, course N. East,
" 1900.8 " Rock mound and Stake for 25th mile post
from which a Post Oak 6 inches in diam.
bears N. 16° E. 2 varas, and a Post Oak 14
inches in diam, bears S. 4° E. 8 varas.

Thence West

at 260 varas, cross branch, course North,
" 1900.8 " Rock mound for 26th mile post, from
which a Black Jack, marked V. C. L.,
bears S 88° 45' E. 3 varas, and a Post Oak
8 inches in diam, bears, S 53° 15' W. 4 varas,

Thence West,

at 455 varas, cross Branch Course North,
" 1900.8 " a stake and mound for 27th mile
post, from which a Post Oak, 4 inches
in dia, marked V. C. L. bears N 16° 30' W.
1.2 varas, and a Post Oak 10 inches in diam,
marked XXVII, bears S. 8° E. 20.4 varas,

Thence West,

at 800 varas cross Miller's Creek, course South West.
" 860 " " " " " N. West.
" 970 " " Clear Fork trail, course N. and S.
" 1060 " " Miller's Creek " South,
" 1200 " foot of hill.
" 1900.8 " a stake and mound for 28th mile
post, from which a Post Oak, 14 inches in
diam, bears N 58° 45' E. 2. 8 varas, and a
Post Oak 8 inches in diam, bears N 22° 15' W.

4.6 varas. — Bearings marked Y. C. I. and XXXVIII
Thence West, at

- 764 varas, Branch, course S. 20° E.
- 936 " cross head of branch, course South.
- 1201 " top of Hill.
- 1240 " foot of the same.
- 1560 " cross branch, course S. E. and S. W.
- 1760 " " do do South.
- 1900.8 " Stake and mound for the 29th mile post, from which a Mezquite 6 in. in diam. marked XXIX bears S 70° - 30' E. 9.6 varas; and a Mezquite 8 inches in diam. marked Y. C. I., bears N 67° 15' W. 23.1 varas.

Thence West, at

- 340 varas, top of Rocky hill.
- 357 " cross the East line of a survey of 20 Labors in the name of H. S. Johnson, 217 varas S 30° W. of its N. E. corner.
- 400 varas, foot of hill.
- 480 " cross Rust's Creek, course S. E. 400 wide
- 1900.8 " South West corner of Young County a Rock mound in the valley of Clear Fork, from which a Forked Leaning Mesquite, marked "S. W. cor. Y. C." bears N. 56° 30' E. 17 varas. and a Mesquite 6 inches in diam. marked "XXX" bears South 1° 30' E. 94 varas. —

Also a Hackberry, on the North bank of Rust's Creek, 14 inches in diam. marked "Y.C." bears North 67³, 5 varas.

This corner bears from the N. W. corner of the Half Section No 1164, of the Texas Emigration and Land Company North 50° West 2502 varas, and from the N. E. corner of A. S. Johnson's survey of 20.3¹⁰ labors South 82° West 1538 varas.

Variation on the South line 10° 36' E. from the 21st to the 29th mile and 10° 50' E. on the 30th mile.

Western boundary line.

Beginning at the South West corner of the County, as above described, Thence North, at

- 222 varas, cross Rust's Creek Road, course East & West,
- 638 " " do do course East, 3 varas wide,
- 673, " Hackberry line and bearing tree, marked "Y.C."
- 780 " cross Hester's Creek, course South 60° East,
- 1220 " enter Post Oak timber at foot of a low Hill.
- 1900.8 " a Rock mound for the 1st mile post, on the Western boundary line; from which a Post Oak 14 inches in diam. bears N 34° E 5 varas, and a Post Oak 10 inches in diam. marked "T." bears N 58⁵° W. 12 varas.

Thence North, although alternate prairie and P.O. timber
 1900.8 varas, a stake in a Rock mound, from which
 a Post Oak 8 inches in diam. marked "II",
 bears $S 76^{\circ} 30' W.$ 4.5 varas, and a Post Oak
 10 inches in diam. marked P. O. I. bears $N 32^{\circ}$
 $E.$ 18.5 varas.

Thence North, through timber, at
 80 varas Branch, course South West, 1 or. wide
 1040 " enter prairie, with scattering Post Oak and Mesquite,
 1400 " cross Branch, course West,
 1900.8 " a stake and mound of Earth for the 3rd mile
 post, from which a Post Oak marked "III"
 and 6 inches in diam. bears $S 65^{\circ} 30' E.$ 6.5 varas,
 and another Post Oak, marked P. O. I. - 7 inches
 in diam. bears South $31^{\circ} 30' W.$ 6 varas.

Thence North, through glady Mesquite prairie, - at
 527 varas, cross the new blazed Road from Belknap
 to Clear Fork,

1160 " cross Creek, course S. W.
 1900.8 " a stake and earth mound for the 4th mile
 post, from which a Post Oak 14 inches in
 diam. marked P. O. I. bears $N 55^{\circ} W.$ 24.2
 varas, and a Post Oak 6 inches in diameter
 marked IV. bears $S 84^{\circ} 30' W.$ 19 varas.

Thence North, at
 940 varas, cross branch, course S. E.
 1760 " foot of hill,
 1900.8 " a Rock mound on the top of said hill

for the 5th ^{1.7} mile post, from which a double
Post Oak, marked "V. C. I. - V." bears S 4° W.
40 varas, - and a Live Oak marked "V." bears
N 25° 45' W. 15 1/2 varas.

Thence North, over Post Oak and Mesquite prairie
at 1900. 8 varas, Rock mound for the 6th mile post,
from which a Mesquite 10 inches in diam.
marked "V. C. I." bears S 56° 40' W. 8.6 varas, and a Post
Oak 10 inches in diam, marked "VI." bears
N 33° E. 23 varas.

Thence North, at

59 varas, cross North line of Peters' Colony Half Section
No 1650, - 375 varas West of its North
East corner.

380 varas, cross Branch, course West.

390 " " same branch " N. East

405 " " do do " West and South West.

1457 1/2 " " Fish Creek and Agency Road, course
N. E. and S. W.

1900. 8 varas, a stake and earth mound for the 7th
mile post, from which a Mesquite 8 inches
in diam, marked "V. C. I." bears S 23° W. 40.5
varas, and a Mesquite, 10 inches in diam, -
marked "VII." bears N 6° E 26 varas.

Thence North, through Mesquite prairie,
880 varas, cross Branch course S. W.

910 " " do do S. E.

1880 " " and recross same branch several times
the general course of which is South.

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1900.8 varas, a stake and Rock mound, for the 8th mile post, from which a Mesquite 4 inches in diam, marked "VIII," bears N 35° W, 15 varas, and a Mesquite 8 inches in diam, marked "VIII," bears N 75° W, 19 varas; and another marked V C I, and 6 inches in diam, bears S. 30° 50' W 35 varas.

Thence North, at 260 varas

260 varas, cross the Belknap and Camp Cooper Road, course N 60° E. and S 60° W. at which point, a large flat rock in the middle of the Road is marked "WEST LINE, Y. CO." and is likewise designated by a large Rock mound on the North side of the Road.

1005 varas, cross North Fork of Fish Creek. course S. E.

1900.8 varas, Rock mound for the 9th mile post from which a multi-pronged Live Oak marked "IX" bears N 81° 15' E. 487 varas.

Thence North, through high rolling prairie, 1900.8 varas, Rock mound for 10th mile post, from which a Mesquite, 5 inches in diam, bears N 24° 15' E, 9 varas, and a Mesquite 10 inches in diam, marked $\frac{VCI}{X-III}$ bears S 58° 30' E 25 varas.

Thence North, at

- 385 varas, cross branch, course N. E.
 1620 " " do " East.
 1900.8 " Stake in Earth mound for the 11th mile post,
 from which a Mesquite 8 inches in diam.,
 marked "XI" bears North 76° W. 43.25 varas,

Thence North, at

- 820 varas, cross branch course East,
 1900.8 " Rock mound on hill side for the 12th
 mile post, from which a Mesquite 5 inches
 in diam. marked "XII", bears $N 34^{\circ} 45' E.$
 9 varas, and a Post Oak marked
 "F.C.I." bears $S 79^{\circ} 30' E.$ — varas.

Thence North, at

- 1780 varas, cross branch course West,
 1900.8 " Rock mound for 13th mile post from
 which a Post Oak 12 inches in diam.
 marked "XIII" bears $S 2^{\circ} W.$ 80 varas
 and a Live Oak 12 inches bears $N 35^{\circ} W.$
 75.5 varas.

Thence North, at

- 1840 varas cross creek (a Branch of Elm.) 40 ft. wide
 Course N. E.
 1900.8 " a stake and mound in bottom, for the 14th
 mile post, from which a Chittim 8 inches

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 in diam. marked P. C. I. bears $N 14^{\circ} W$.
 10.5 varas, - a Chittim 6 inches in diameter
 marked "XIV" bears $N 30^{\circ} 40' W$. 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ varas,
 and a chittim 12 inches in diam. marked
 "XIV." bears $S 11^{\circ} 15' W$. 19.25 varas.

Thence North, at

160 varas, cross Eln Creek, (a bend of)
 210 " " " Eln Creek, course East, 4 varas wide,
 1900.8 " a stake and mound for 15th mile post, from
 which a Mesquite 12 inches in diam. marked
 "XV" bears North 5 varas, and a Leaning
 Mesquite, on the bank of a branch, marked
 P. C. I., bears $S 24^{\circ} 50' E$. 21.4 varas.

Thence North, at

180 varas, cross branch, course S. W.
 800 " " " do " " S. E.
 840 " " " do " " S. W.
 1900.8 " a stake and mound for the 16th mile
 post, from which a Mesquite 6 inches in
 diam. marked "P. C. I.", bears $N 13^{\circ} W$.
 42.3 varas, and a Mesquite 8 inches in
 diam. marked "XVI" bears $S 55^{\circ} 15' E$.
 67.5 varas.

Thence North, at

1000 varas, cross California Road, course E. & W.
 1900.8 " a Rock mound for the 17th mile post.

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from which a Mesquite, 5 inches in diam
marked ^{XVII} S $9^{\circ} 10' E$. 37 varas, and a Mes-
quite, 8 inches in diam, marked V. C. I., bears
N. $29^{\circ} 30' E$. 35.5 varas.

Thence North, at.

100 varas, - a Mesquite on line, marked for an old
line running North & South.

1160. " pass foot of Rocky Hill on the West.

1900.8 " a stake and mound for the 18th mile
post, from which a Mesquite 6 inches in
diam, marked V. C. I., bears S $36^{\circ} 25' W$.
42 varas, and a Mesquite, 6 inches in
diam, marked XVIII, bears N. $2^{\circ} E$ 24 vs.

Thence North, at.

420 varas, cross a large branch, course S. E. and N. E.

440 to 460, " and recross bend of said Branch.

1900.8 varas, a stake and mound for the 19th
mile post, from which a Mesquite
8 inches in diam, marked XIX, bears S.
 $78^{\circ} 20' W$. 7 varas; and a Mesquite 6 inches
in diam, marked V. C. I., bears S. $14^{\circ} E$.
15½ varas.

Thence North, at

1246 varas, cross line of Survey No. , of the T. E. and
Land Company, 65 varas West of its corner.

2 1900.8 varas, a Rock mound for the 20th mile post,

from which a Mesquite, 6 inches in diam.
marked V.C.I. bears $N 2^{\circ} 15' E.$ 44.5 varas, and
a Mesquite 8 inches in diam. marked "XX" bears
 $N 34^{\circ} 45' W.$ 16 varas,

Thence North, at

684 varas, corner of survey No. of the T.E. and
Land Company bears East 100 varas.
825 varas, Cross Boggy Creek course East and West,
1000 " " do do " North West
1090 " " do do " North East,
1440 " a bend of Boggy Creek bears West,
1900.8 " a stake and mound for the 21st mile post,
from which a Mesquite 10 inches in diam.
marked "XXI" - V.C.I. bears $N. 9^{\circ} 30' W.$ 119
varas, and a Mesquite 8 inches in diameter
marked XXI, bears $N 2^{\circ} 30' W.$ 127 varas.

Thence North, at ~~416~~ varas,

116 varas, corner of survey No. of the T.E.
and Land Co. bears East 123 varas.
1900.8 varas, a stake and mound in Valley Prairie
for the 22nd mile post, from which a
Mesquite 8 inches in diam. marked XXI
bears $S 89^{\circ} 15' E.$ 125 varas.

Thence North, at

32 790 varas S. W. edge of Brazos River, course

$N 69^{\circ} W.$ and $S 61^{\circ} E.$

980 varas - North bank of Brazos River,
 1900.8 " a stake and mound in prairie valley,
 from which a Bushy topped Mesquite on
 the side of the Bluff, marked "XXIII," bears
 $N 1^{\circ} 30' W.$ 1000 varas

Thence North, at

1900.8 varas, a rock mound on top of mountain
 for the 24th mile post, from which
 a large flat rock marked XXIV, bears $N 31^{\circ}$
 $W.$ 20 varas.

Thence North, at

255 varas, cross creek, near its mouth, course $S. W.$
 340 " Brazos River, course $S. 30^{\circ} W.$
 800 " West side of Brazos River - course $S. 5. W.$
 1900.8 " corner a stake in the bed of the River, for
 the 25th mile post, from which a Cotton-
 wood, blazed on West side, standing on the
 bank of the River, bears $N 89^{\circ} 15' E$ 104
 varas; another Cottonwood, marked, Y. C. I.
 -XXV bears $N 88^{\circ} 30' E$ 104 varas, and another
 bears $N 87^{\circ} 45' E.$ 104 varas.

Thence North, at

420 varas, River bank, course $S 10^{\circ} E.$
 590 " pass a Cottonwood marked Y. C. I., bearing West,
 800 " Cottonwood marked W. I., bears, West, 205.

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1900.8 varas, a stake and mound in valley, from which an Elm, 14 inches in diam. marked V.C.T.

bears $N 26^{\circ} 45' E$ 192.5 varas, and a Hackberry 4 inches in diam. marked XXVI, bears $N 58^{\circ} E$ 176 varas.

Thence North, at

1540 varas, cross Spring Creek, course S.W.

1590 " " do do " S.E.

1655 " " do do " S.W.

1900.8 " a stake and mound in prairie, for the 27th mile post, from which a forked Mesquite, marked V.C.T., bears $S 74^{\circ} 30' W$. 194 1/2 varas, and a Mesquite marked XXVII, bears $S 79^{\circ} 30' W$.

Thence North, at

1900.8 varas, stake and mound for the 28th mile post, from which a Mesquite, 6 inches in diam. marked XXVIII, bears $N 3^{\circ} 55' W$. 53 vs, and a Mesquite 8 inches in diam. marked V.C.T., bears $N 45^{\circ} 45' E$. 78.7 vs.

Thence North, at

1760 varas cross Creek, course East,

1900.8 " a stake and mound in prairie for the 29th mile post, from which a Mesquite 6 inches in diam. marked XXIX, bears

S. $64^{\circ} 15' E.$ 8 varas, and a Mesquite 10 inches
in diam. marked V. C. I. bears $N 74^{\circ} 30' W.$
38 varas.

Thence North, at

280 varas, cross Branch, course West,

575 " " Creek " S. W.

595 " " do " S. E.

1900.8 " the N. W. corner of Young County
a stake, marked "N. W. C." in a Rock mound,
from which a Double Mesquite 8 and 10
inches in diam. marked "N. W." and "A." bears
 $N 3^{\circ} 45' W.$ 30 varas.

A Mesquite 7 inches in diam. marked
"N. W. Cor." bears $N 56^{\circ} 15' E.$ 19.5 varas.

A Mesquite 6 inches in diam. marked "XXX-
-B" bears $N 87^{\circ} 45' E.$ 12.5 varas.

A Mesquite, 8 inches in diam. marked C.
bears $S 21^{\circ} E$ 41.6 varas.

A Mesquite 12 inches in diam. marked D.
bears $S 15^{\circ} 30' E.$ 41.8 varas, and

A Double Mesquite, - the South prong
marked N. W. Cor. bears $N 39^{\circ} 40' W.$ 4 varas
and the North prong marked V. C. bears
 $N 32^{\circ} W.$ 4.6 varas.

The Variation on the West line is $10^{\circ} 55' E.$ to the
20th mile, and $11^{\circ} E$ from thence to the N. W. corner.
2³ at which place the true variation, is $11^{\circ} 3' E.$

The mile posts are marked with the number of the mile, - and the Bearing trees are marked V.C.L. and Number of the mile post.

Through the timber (Post Oak) the trees are hacked with 6 hacks on the side next the line, and line trees are blazed on each side with the line.

Through the Mesquite, the trees are hacked to a distance of 10 feet from the line - Surveyed

from 10th to 20th March, 1859. - James H. Swindell

M. Sutherland } Chain Carriers
W. S. Brown } Surveyor.

H. M. Suffstulle } Markers.
J. W. Sutherland }

I, James H. Swindell, do hereby solemnly swear that the above and foregoing field notes represent the position of the County line as surveyed by me, - and that said survey was made in accordance with law.

James H. Swindell
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 28th day of March 1859

Alexander Dehman
Chief Justice Young County

Filed May 17th A.D. 1859.

William Burkett
Clerk, County Court
Young County
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Recorded in the minutes of the County Court of Young County.

William Burkett
Clerk C.C.

Young Co. Reg.

Filed November 26 1859
James H. Swindell