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Houston Co

Houston, Tex

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W. H. Ross Roy.

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Patented

May-3-1862

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1. Darnant

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Aug 21, '78
4. Original patent.

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2497

GENERAL LAND OFFICE,
AUSTIN, April 5th, 1852.

This is to Certify, that Stevens Bess,
is entitled to have surveyed, by any legally authorized Sur-
veyor, upon any of the Vacant and Unappropriated Public
Domain of the State of Texas, Eighteen (18) Acres

_____ of Land,
it being the UNLOCATED BALANCE of Donation Warrant
No. 1155, issued by is J. Archer Secretary of War
_____ to the said Stevens Bess

for Six hundred and forty Acres of Land, dated the
Seventeenth day of February, 1841.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I herunto set my
hand, and affix the Seal of said Of-
fice, the day and date first above written.

J. K. Rusk
Commissioner.

C. H. Randolph per mail for 50 cts

✓ July 25th
Houma, Louisiana

Cert. U.S. War

Shiloh, Tenn.

1862

Filed June 21, 1865

520

Chas Stokes
720
Ch Stokes
720

The State of Texas }
 Houston County }
 Survey for Benjamin G. Hart-
 graves of 18 Acres of Land
 made by virtue of Certificate
 No ²³⁹⁶ 2497 issued to Stillwell Post
 April 5th 1852 for 18 acres of
 land at Genl Land Office by
 S Crosby - (situated South of
 Crockett about 8 miles)

Scale of 4000 varas to an inch

Beginning at the S E corner of Chas Evans most
 northerly survey of 320 Acres of land (State) whence a
 post Oak 24 inches in dia brs west $1\frac{3}{5}$ varas -
 Thence East with Evans line at 250 varas (Corner)
 whence a pine brs S 83 W $6\frac{5}{10}$ varas - Thence North
 at 406.5 varas (Corner) whence a post Oak brs S 25 W
 $9\frac{5}{10}$ varas - Thence West at 250 varas corner on
 the Evans line (whence a blk jack brs S 46 W $2\frac{5}{10}$
 varas - Thence South with Evans line at 406.5
 varas the place of beginning marked X

Ch. Ellis Surveyors
 Thos. Long } Surveyed Aug 2nd 1857
 Charles Stokes, S. H. Co

The State of Texas }
 Houston County } I Charles Stokes Surveyor
 of the County aforesaid declare on my oath of
 office that the survey designated by the within
 plat and field notes was made by me on the
 2nd August 1857 - that the lines bounda-
 ries and corners are truly and correctly described
 therein - And that the same are duly re-
 corded in Book 6 on Page 105. Bounty Warrants
 given under my hand Oct 2nd 1857
 Charles Stokes, S. H. Co

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Houston Donation

Field notes 18 acres

Stillwell Box.

Field June 21/58

Patented May 2^d 1862
A. J. Dumas

Recd June 2/58

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Houston Donation

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Millwell Pond

18 acres.

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Correct on map of Houston
County - May 1/62

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W. H. Johnson May 7 1862

Section N. 315

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Ms. 9250 c. Oct. 17
c. J. H. H.

IN THE NAME



STATE OF TEXAS

To all to whom these Presents shall come, know ye

I. R. Lubbock

GOVERNOR

of the STATE aforesaid, by virtue of the power vested in me by LAW and in accordance with the LAWS of SAID STATE in such case made and provided, do by these presents GRANT to *Stillwell Cox*

His heirs or assigns FOREVER, *Cypress Grove*

of LAND, situated and described as follows: *In Houston County about 8 miles South of Crockett by virtue of Certificate No. 2396 2497 issued to Stillwell Cox by the Commissioner of the General Land Office on the 5th of April 1852 being the Unallocated Balance of Donation Warrant No. 1135 issued to S. Cox by the Secretary of War of the Late Republic of Texas on the 17th of February 1841 for 640 acres of Land*

Beginning at the S. Corner of Moss Evans most Northwesterly survey of 320 acres, whence a Post Oak 24 in dia. by N 1/2 E 10 vars Thence East with Evans line at 250 vars, whence a Pine by S 1/2 W 60 vars Thence North 406 7/10 vars, cor whence a Post Oak by S 3/4 W 9 1/10 vars Thence West 250 vars, cor on Evans line whence a Black Oak by S 40 W 2 1/2 vars Thence South with Evans line at 406 7/10 vars, the place of Beginning *Boundaries Marked &*

Hereby relinquishing to *him* the said *Stillwell Cox* and *his* heirs or assigns FOREVER all the right and title in and to said LAND, heretofore held and possessed by the said STATE, and I do hereby issue this Letter Patent for the same.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have caused the SEAL of the STATE to be affixed, as well as the SEAL of the GENERAL LAND OFFICE.

J. Crosby

Commissioner of the G.L. Office.

DONE at the City of Austin, on the *third* day of *May*, In the Year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and *fifty* *Sixty-two*.

I. R. Lubbock Governor.

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Stillmill Bay

Location 18 Acres

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