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Bosque / 50 Feb 290

Milam Co. 2^d Class

George W. ^{my name} Entis

2 Surveys $\begin{matrix} 5 \\ 3 \end{matrix}$ $\begin{matrix} 17 \frac{2}{3} \\ 8 \frac{2}{3} \end{matrix}$ Sabors

Both surveys correct on map
June 19th 1848 T. Sidikun
& subd. pt.

Both Surveys Correct
For Patenting

Both Surveys Patented
22nd June 1848

A. J. Kimbree

cert. copy of patent of large survey
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Contents
to Certificate
to J. P. Melmore
of Secre. of Court
Oct 26/78 Lark

Wm. Soul

Second Class
~~of 1835~~

This is to Certify that J. W. Miller
has appeared before us the Board of Land
Commissioners for the County of Salustian
and proved according to Law that he was
in the Navy of Texas in the month of
May One thousand eight hundred and
Thirty Six that he is a Married Man
and Entitled to One League & Labor
of Land upon Condition of Paying
the Customary fees of them shall be very
Free Charged

Given under our hands this ²⁸ day of May 1839

R. Johnson Chf Jus Salustian Cty and
Chf of the Board Land Com

J. McFright Assistant Com

Attest-

C. W. Johnson Deputy
Clerk of the Cty let-vice off C. B. L. Com

State of Texas
 County of Galveston
 We of Galveston County
 Court do hereby certify that at the time
 of the date of the within paper I was Clerk
 of the County Court of Galveston County (but
 absent in Virginia) & D. Johnson was my
 deputy - from a thorough examination
 of the records of the Sacto Office of said
 County I see no entry of the same
 nor was the same acted upon by the
 Traveling Board of Sacto Commissioners
 The certificate is genuine I believe and
 its non-issuance on the within matter
 have proceed from an oversight.

In witness whereof I
 have subscribed my
 name & affixed the Seal
 of the County Court this
 16th March 1861
 D. Johnson

Clerk of Court
 D. Johnson

Certificate
 D. Johnson

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 Houghton & Robinson
 Esq. W. B. B.

18 1/2 labor

State of Texas
District of Milam

Survey for G. W. Estes of
18 1/2 labor of land situated on the waters of
the Bosque east side thereof one mile above
the mouth of meridian being part of
the quantity of land to which he is entitled
by virtue of certificate No 225 issued in
Galveston County

Beginning at the S. E. corner of W. A.
King survey for the E. W. corner of
this survey from which a marked bear
N. 34 W. 44 yards and another marked D bears
N. 56 W. 52 yards thence V. Co. of 2036 yards a
branch 2436 and 2950 yards crossed branches
and 2900 into prairie 4436 yards to the S. E.
corner in prairie thence V. Co. N. 35 84 yards
to the N. E. corner in prairie thence S. Co. W.
4836 yards to the N. W. corner in the East
line of a survey in the name of J. ^{Th Pratt} Caprell
a moan thence S. Co. of 896 yards passed the
S. E. corner of ^{Th Pratt} Caprell and continued with
the line of W. A. King survey 3584
yards to the beginning

Containing 7 labor arable rest pastured
Surveyed 20 May 1848
S. R. Davis } Chain
Sam Viles } Carriers
George Green
Dep. S. D. M.

I solemnly declare the above survey
to be made according to law at the
time above stated
Cameron 20 May 1848
George Green
Dep. S. D. M.

Feb 290.
McLean Co. 2044

Field notes of J. W. Estes
J. W. Estes

Corrected and signed J. W. Estes June 1848
J. W. Estes

J. W. Estes
June 1848

Examined by J. W. Estes

J. W. Estes

17 1/2 lots

Caddo

State of Texas }
District of McLean } I do Certify that I have Examined
the within field notes and find them Correct, and
the Survey made according to law
Given at Caldwell this 1st day of June 1848
James Howlet
District Surveyor

State of Texas
District of Milam

Survey for G. W. Estes of 8 and $\frac{2}{3}$

labors of land situated on the waters of the bosque and east side thereof 2 miles above the mouth of meridian being part of the quantity of land to which he is entitled by virtue of Certificate No 225 issued in Galveston County

Beginning at the N. E. corner of a survey made for ^{J. K. Pratt} J. Laprell for the N. W. corner of this survey from which a Spanish sack bears S 88 W 30 paras and another North 5 paras running from thence N 60 E. 4836 varas to the N. E. corner in praying thence S 30 E. 1792 varas to the S. E. corner also in praying thence S. 60 W. 4836 varas to the South west corner a mound in the valley of the bosque in the East line of ^{J. K. Pratt} J. Laprell's survey thence with the line of said ^{P. Pratt} Laprell N 30 W. 1590 w branch 1792 varas to the beginning

Containing 3 labors arable and rest pastures land

Surveyed 7 May 1848

George Green
Dep. S. D. M

L. R. Davis } chains
Sam Viles } carriers

I solemnly declare the above survey to be made according to law at the time above stated

Cameron 20 May 1848

George Green
Dep. S. D. M

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Field notes of Survey
G. W. Estes

Correct on map June 19th 48
J. H. Dickinson

Pat 22nd June 1848

A. G. Kimbree

384
1738
2382
4691

Andrew

8 2/3 Rds

G. W. Estes

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James H. Merrick

State of Texas }
District of Milam } I do Certify that I have exam-
ined the within field notes and find them Cor-
rect and the Survey made according to law
Given at Caldwell this 1st day of June 1848
James Howlett
J. D. Dickerson

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Be it remembered that on the eleventh day of November A^D eighteen hundred and forty six, there was begun and holden in the County of Galveston at the Court House thereof, a District Court for said County— Present the Honorable James Lee Judge, Franklin Cummings Deputy Sheriff, James W Moore Clerk. When the following cause came on to be heard, and the following proceedings were had

George W Cotes }
vs }
The State of Texas }

State of Texas } To the Hon the Judge of the District Court of
Galveston County } the first Judicial District including said
Galveston County—

The petition of George W Cotes a citizen of said State and Country respectfully represents and shows, That Petitioner entered the service of the Republic of Texas as a Volunteer in the Navy of said Republic after the second day of March A^D 1836 and before the first day of August A^D 1836 and that he arrived in said Republic in the month of June in the said year A^D 1836 That he was a married man in the aforesaid year A^D 1836 and that his wife arrived in said Republic in the month of December A^D 1838, and Petitioner further shows that from the time he so joined the Texas Navy as aforesaid he was an Officer, and that he continued in the service of said Republic as aforesaid until in the month of July A^D 1838 when he was honorably discharged from the aforesaid service— and that under the laws of said Republic and in reason of of the foregoing premises Petitioner was & is entitled to one League and one Labor of land of the vacant lands of the said former Republic now State of Texas, and that being so entitled the Board of Land Commissioners for said Galveston County granted him a Certificate for said quantity of land in the month of May A^D 1839 which is herewith filed in court, and that the Board of General and Local Commissioners

appointed to investigate the Land Offices have not reported the same as genuine - Wherefore Petitioner files this petition against the State of Texas and prays, that all usual and necessary steps having been taken, he may be permitted at the next term of your Honorable Court in and for said County to make proof of the foregoing allegations and all such other necessary proof as may be required - and that Petitioner may then and there have judgement and an approved Certificate for the quantity of land to which he may be found entitled

And Petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray &c

W. N. & M. M. Potter
 Attys for Petitioner

Personally appeared before the undersigned authority M. M. Potter agent & attorney of George W. Estes who ~~swore~~ oath saith that the allegations contained in the foregoing petition are true to the best of the knowledge and belief of affiant sworn to and subscribed }
 before me on this 23rd day of } M. M. Potter
 October A. D. 1846 before me }

Filed October 23rd 1846

W. Moore. Clerk D. C. S. C.

4440 Acres

Second Class
 No 225

This is to Certify that G. W. Estes has appeared before us the Board of Land Commissioners for the County of Galveston and proved according to Law that he was in the Navy of Texas in the month of May One thousand eight hundred and Thirty six that he is a married man and entitled to One league & Labor of Land upon condition of paying the Customary fees If there shall be any fees charged

Given under our hands this 28th day of May 1852

R D Johnson } Chief Jus Galveston City and Ex Off
 } Pres Brard Land Com
 Jas M Knight } Assistant Com^r

Attest

O D Johnson Deputy Clerk of the City & Ex Off C. B.
 La Com^r }

State of Texas } Oscar Parish Clerk of Galveston
 County of Galveston } County Court do hereby Certify that at
 the time of the date of the within paper I was Clerk of the
 County Court of Galveston County (but absent in Virginia)
 O D Johnson was my Deputy. From a Thorough examination
 of the records of the Land Office of said County I see
 no entry of the same nor was the same acted upon by the
 Travelling Board of Land Commissioners. The Certificate
 is genuine I believe and its non entrance on the records
 must have proceeded from an oversight

Seal

In witness whereof I hereto subscribed
 my name & affix the seal of the
 County Court this 16th March 1846

Oscar Parish
 C. C. C.

Fall Term 1846 December 30th 1846

This day came the Plaintiff by his attorney, and the
 State by John W Harris Esq Attorney General, and Thomas M
 Joseph Esq whom the Court appointed to assist in the defence
 of this cause. And thereupon came a jury to wit David
 Montier, James G Hurd, David Wadelle, John J Bush, John

U Just Francis B Phillips, Edward Morgan, Edward Drew,
 Jacob Lake, Archibald Moffitt, Mr L. Slight and Mr
 Robertson, good and lawful men, who being elected tried
 and sworn, upon their oath do say - "We the jury find
 a verdict for the Plaintiff one League and a Labor of Land
 Mr Robertson, Freeman". Therefore it is considered and adjudged
 that the Plaintiff do have and receive of and from the
 State of Texas one League and a Labor of Land and
 that the Clerk of this Court issue a certificate therefor
 to the Plaintiff

The State of Texas, }
 County of Galveston }

I, James W. Moore, Clerk of the District Court
 of said County, certify that the foregoing transcript contains a true
 copy of all papers filed, and all proceedings had, in said cause,
 George W. Ester versus, The State of Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of
 said Court this twenty seventh day of
 November A.D. 1847.

Attest,

James W. Moore clerk 12/6/47.

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James Love Judge
 pt. Lic. Dist

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George W. Estes

vs:

[Handwritten flourish]

Transcript

The State of Texas

Fees - \$10.⁰⁰/₁₀₀

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Wren of District Court
Confining G. W. Estes
H.R. Certificate

Mgt 7449
[Signature]

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