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Bosque 36  
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File 319

Milam Co. County

Wm E. Harris, by ass.

390 acrs.

Cancelled in Map  
July 46.

Correct for Patent to  
George W. Bright & ass.  
of Mr. E. Harris -  
McSwain

Patented 11<sup>th</sup>

August 11, 1846  
J. Green,

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Nov 13/48  
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1836

350 Acres

REPUBLIC OF TEXAS



KNOW ALL MEN TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME: I

That William E. Harris having served faithfully and honorably for the term of three Months from the 1st day of Aug until the 1st day of Oct 1836 and having been honorably discharged is entitled to three hundred and twenty Acres Bounty Land, for which this is his CERTIFICATE.

And that William Boardman agent of Mr. E. Harris is entitled to hold said Land, or to sell, alienate, convey and donate the same, and to exercise all rights of ownership over it.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, at Houston this 1st day of September, 1838

Approved August 4th 1846  
D. J. Ogden  
Adj. Genl

W. W. Hooker  
SECRETARY OF WAR.



TAKE ALL MEN TO WHOM THESE WARRANTS SHALL COME

For value received, hereby transports Henry to George

Bright of the above, all my rights, title and interest in the within

money 14 Aug 1840.

File 329  
Madison Co. County

County Warrant  
of E. Harris  
by us

Wm. J. Lewis

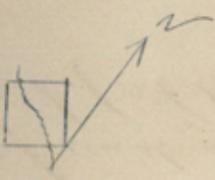
William J. Lewis

1840  
11/17/57

Mr. Clerk

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Republic of Texas  
County of Milam  
Survey for Wm Beardlee  
of 320 acres of land

situated on Mills creek  
a part of the bosque runs  
being the quantity of land to which  
he is entitled by virtue of Concession  
No 4262 dated Sept 1838 issued  
to Wm Beardlee assignee of Wm & Harris  
Commencing 775.00 acres S. 60 W. from  
the N. W. corner of a survey made  
for John Ferris for the S. W.  
corner of the survey from which  
a line is marked N. 80 E.  
250 acres running from

thence N. 50 W. 1344 acres to the N. W. corner  
from which an Elm bears S. 40 W.  
13 acres another S. 79 E. 17 acres

thence N. 60 E. 230 acres crosses Mills  
Creek 1344 to a mound to the N. E. corner

thence S. 30 E. 1344 acres to a mound  
for the S. E. corner

thence S. 60 W. 544 acres across  
Mills creek 1344 acres to  
the beginning survey Oct 14 1845

L. Deffoo Chain  
A Mill / Carrier  
Jacob Chanu

Testimony taken this day  
survey made according to laws  
at the time above written

Witnessed Nov 10 1845  
G. B. Cook  
Milam County

Mills  
Creek

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11  
No. 394  
Milan Co. Pennsylvania  
State Examiners

Filed notes 320 acres  
Wm B Harris by ass.

Wm Harris

Patented ~~the 16th~~  
J. Groves

320

~~James Harris~~

Wm Harris

Examined by District  
95

Republic of Perry  
County of Milam  
Examined the Within filed notes and find them  
Correct and the Survey made according to law  
Given at Caldwell this 16<sup>th</sup> day of January 1846  
James Howlett  
Surveyor

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

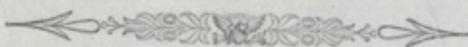
State of



Louisiana.

BY ISAAC JOHNSON,

Governor of the State of Louisiana.



These are to Certify, That *Edward Barnett*  
whose name is subscribed to the instrument of writing herein annexed

*is now & was at the time of his signing  
the same a Notary Public in & for the Parish  
& City of New Orleans, State of Louisiana,  
duly commissioned & sworn - and that  
all his official acts as such are entitled  
to full faith and credit*

GIVEN at NEW-ORLEANS, under my Hand, and the Seal of the  
State, this *seventh* day of *March*  
one thousand eight hundred and forty-*six* and of the  
Independence of the United States, the seven *teeth*

By the Governor.

*Isaac Johnson*

*Charles Gayarré*

Secretary of State.

State of Louisiana  
City of New Orleans

Be it known, that  
on this Tenth day of March, Eighteen hundred  
and forty six,

Before me, Edward Barnett,  
a Notary Public, in and for the City Parish  
of New Orleans, State of Louisiana, aforesaid,  
duly Commissioned & sworn,

Personally came & appeared  
George Young Bright Esquire of  
this City,

Who Declared that he does by these  
presents appoint and in his place and stead put  
Mr. Samuel Slater of Galveston Texas  
granting unto said Attorney full power for him &  
in his name, to ask, demand and obtain from the  
Government of Texas, or of and from any of the  
Officers or Courts of Law of said Government  
a Patent for Three hundred and Twenty Acres  
of Land, already surveyed in the name of said  
Apparer, which said Survey comprising the Quan-  
tity of Land granted to William Beardlee as  
assignee of William C. Harris in and to a certain  
Certificate of Bounty Land Number Four Thousand  
Two hundred & Sixty Two, issued by the Secret-  
ary of War of the Republic of Texas and a  
date of the Sixth of December, Eighteen  
hundred and thirty eight, which Certificate  
was sold and transferred to the said Apparer  
by the said Beardlee by get passed before Wil-  
liam J. Lewis Notary Public in this City on  
the Fourteenth of January, Eighteen hundred and  
Forty.

And for the full execution of  
the purposes aforesaid, to make, sign, seal, execute  
and deliver all acts, Deeds and Writings  
that may be requisite.

Also to appear before  
all Public Officers or Courts of Law and there  
do and perform in the premises all that shall  
be required for obtaining the said Patent in  
the Name of said Appraiser, as fully to all  
intents and purposes as if the said Appraiser  
himself (had) do if personally present. Also  
with Power of Substitution and Revocation,  
the said Appraiser hereby agreeing to ratify &  
Conform all and whatsoever the said Attorney  
shall lawfully do by Virtue hereof.

Done and passed, in  
my Office, at the City of New Orleans, aforesaid,  
in the presence of Alphonse Barnett, &  
John Wagner, Competent Witnesses, who  
hereunto sign their names, with the said  
Appraiser and me Notary, the Day, Month  
and Year first before written.

George C. Smith

J. Wagner

A. Barnett

James Bennett

Procuration  
By  
Geo. Y. Bright  
To

7<sup>th</sup> March  
1846

E. Barnet  
Not. pub.

File 329 <sup>3</sup>  
Milam Co County

Bright Power of  
By Attorney  
Slater } ~~Courthouse~~

CONSULATE OF THE REPUBLIC



OF TEXAS.

I WILLIAM BRYAN, Consul for the Republic of Texas, for the port of New Orleans, State of Louisiana, and United States of America, do hereby certify that William Young Lewis is a Notary Public duly commissioned, that his Signature to the annexed document is genuine and that as such his official Acts are entitled to full faith and credit

Given under my hand and seal of office, at the City of New Orleans, this *Sixteenth* day of *January* — eighteen hundred and *thirty* *four* and the Independence of Texas the *fourth*

Wm. Bryan  
Consul

State of Louisiana  
City of New Orleans

**BEFORE ME, WILLIAM YOUNG LEWIS,**  
NOTARY PUBLIC, in and for the City of NEW-ORLEANS, duly commissioned and  
sworn, this day Personally Appeared,

William Beardlee, now in this city

WHO DECLARED, That for, and in consideration of the Sum of  
Eighty dollars cash in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby  
acknowledged



He does **By these Presents, GRANT, BARGAIN, TRANSFER, SELL, CONVEY, AND**  
DELIVER UNTO

George Young Bright of this said city

present and accepting, and who hereby acknowledges possession thereof a certain

Certificate of Bounty Land, number Four thousand two hundred and  
sixty two, issued by the Secretary of War of the Republic of Texas to the  
Vendor as Assignee of William E Harris and calling for Three hundred  
and twenty acres, which said certificate is dated the Sixth day of Decem-  
ber, Eighteen hundred and thirty eight and is now transferred by endor-  
sement thereon to the said purchaser. — And the said William;

Beardslee hereby obligates and binds himself to locate the herein described land in the name of said purchaser, and to pay all expenses, costs and charges for effecting the same and produce and deliver to said purchaser a Patent therefor in due form of law

And the better to effect these purposes the said George B. Bright hereby authorizes and empowers the said William Beardslee to appear before all Public officers and Courts of law and there do and perform in the premises all that shall be required for executing the acts for executing the acts for the fulfilment of these presents.

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD, the aforesaid property \_\_\_\_\_ unto the said purchaser to his proper use and behoof forever: and the said vendor for himself his heirs and assigns, unto the said purchaser his heirs and assigns, the herein described property \_\_\_\_\_ against the legal claim and claims of all and every person and persons whomsoever, shall and will forever warrant and defend by these Presents; hereby subrogating and transferring to said purchaser all his rights of warranty and action against his vendor and all preceding vendors \_\_\_\_\_

DONE AND PASSED, at NEW-ORLEANS, this

eighteen hundred and

and

signed their names with said parties, and me, the said Notary.

fourteenth

day of

January

in presence of

William D Lewis

both of this City, Witnesses, who have hereunto

signed their names with said parties, and me, the said Notary.

(Signed) Wm Beardslee = George B. Bright = William D Lewis  
N. Johnson = Wm Lewis Not Pub

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original extant upon my current Register:

In witness whereof I grant these presents under my hand and seal of office at New Orleans this 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1840.

Wm Lewis  
Not Pub

✓ Aite 399  
Milam Co. County

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Burdles  
To S transferred  
Bright

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Geo. Young Bright

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George Young Bright  
— Sgt. Seaboard  
William Burdles  
— Sale —  
January 11<sup>th</sup> 1849

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