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En 540.

Boogwe Co

Milam Treemp.  
Abst- 409

R. B. Harris  
no open  
160 ac.

539 Mil. P. for sketch  
Act Aug. 12<sup>th</sup> 1870.

Correction map of  
Boogwe Co.  
November 9/74 Abakumam  
7 mhd. pd. m<sup>r</sup> W. R. R. G.  
Consent for patenting  
to aug 1874 Fisher  
Patented April 10<sup>th</sup> 1874  
No. 1444 Vol. 21 Staff.

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C. C. Ap. 26 '72. Richardson

1. App. & Desig.
  2. Field Notes.
  3. Cert. of Occup.
- Nov. 25/78.  
Cook.

Specimen of  
for  
Mrs Mac Auley

Condition reported to Surveyor.  
June 1, 1872. Russell.



No 4

The State of Texas }  
County of Bosque }

Before me the Under  
Signed Authority personally appeared  
R. B. Harris Applicant and J. H. Casper  
and G. H. Casper witnesses to me well  
known who being duly sworn accord-  
-ing to Law declare that R. B. Harris  
is bona fide settled upon vacant  
public Domain the same described  
in the accompanying file and also  
"An Act to regulate the disposal of the  
public Lands of the State of Texas  
approved August 12, 1871 and  
that he has not a home that

R. B. Harris  
J. H. Casper  
G. H. Casper

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 1<sup>st</sup> day of August 1871

In testimony whereof I have  
hereunto affixed my official seal  
and signature

R. L. Nicholson clerk  
District Land  
Bosque County Tex



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No 540

Milaw Treemp

R. B. Harris

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Designation

Feet Feb. 8/72

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The State of Texas, Field notes of  
 County of Basque } a Survey of 160 ac  
 of land made for R B Harniss by vir-  
 tue of his affidavit as an actual settler  
 made before the Clerk of the District Court  
 on the first day of August 1871

<sup>Said survey is in Basque Co</sup>  
<sup>a tributary of the Meridian</sup> Situated on the waters of Spring Creek  
 about 8 miles S 5 W from <sup>the town of</sup> Meridian

Beginning 180 rods S 30 E from the  
 N W Corner of a Survey made for J G  
 Casper for the S E Corner of this a round  
 a Cypress tree mark + bears N 5 E 5 rods

Thence N 30 W 950 rods a small post oak  
 mark H bears N 17 E 180 rods

Thence S 60 W 950 rods to the N W Corner  
 a stake from which a post oak mark  
 M bears S 65 W 80 rods

Thence S 30 E 310 rods a Branch at 950 rods  
 S W Corner a live oak H bears N 8 E 400 rods

Thence N 60 E 950 rods to the Beginning  
 Meridian Feb 2<sup>d</sup> 1871

F C Curington

A P Knight

R Harbison

L. H. Sautchfield  
 County Surveyor  
 Basque County

I L. H. Sautchfield County Surveyor  
 of Basque County do hereby Certify that I  
 have Carefully Examined the foregoing field  
 notes and find them correct and than duly  
 recorded in my office in Book page 63

This Feb 2 1872

L. H. Sautchfield  
 County Surveyor  
 B Co



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No. 540

Milau Trempin

Feldw. 14000

R. B. Harris

Recd Feb 8. 72.

*Pat. Arch 11th 1874*

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e. e. App. 24. 72. Richardson



The State of Texas  
County of Bexar

Before me the undersigned  
District Clerk in and for the  
County of Bexar this day came  
and personally appeared R. B.  
Harris, a resident citizen of said  
County who being by me duly sworn  
declares that he is a bonafide  
settle upon (160) acres of vac-  
ant public land situated in said  
County and surveys for R. B.  
Harris, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Feb, 1872  
by <sup>H. S. Somersfield,</sup> surveyor of said County that  
he has occupied and improved the  
same as a homestead for the  
period of three consecutive years—  
beginning on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1871.  
That he is a married man, and that  
he makes this affidavit for the pur-  
pose of obtaining a title to the same  
for a homestead under an Act  
for the benefit of actual occupants  
of the Public Land approved May  
24<sup>th</sup> 1873 and that he has not a  
homestead other than the above  
and also at the same time came  
and personally appeared.



J. G. Casper.

and H. C. Cunningham two credible  
residents citizens of said county  
to me well known who being duly  
sworn depose and say that R.  
B. Harris. - The persons first  
above named in this affidavit  
has actually settled upon and  
cultivated as homestead the  
land surveyed for him on the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of Feb. 1872 by the surveyor  
aforesaid for the period of three  
years and they nor either of  
them have any interest in the  
said land.

R. B. Harris  
J. C. Cunningham

J. G. Casper

Sworn to and subscribed before  
me and I hereby certify that  
J. G. Casper and H. C. Cunningham  
are credible and trustworthy  
citizens of said County,

Witness my hand and seal  
Court of Bosque Co. Texas,

Given under my hand  
& seal of the Dist. Court  
of Bosque Co. at office  
in Meridian this Sept.  
2<sup>nd</sup> day 1874.

Jno: James, Clerk of C. B.  
By W. C. Smith, Dpt.



3. File 540

Milam Premption

R. B. Harris

Certificate of

Occupancy.

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