

Bosque Co/72.

Pat. 687.

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Wm M Coy.

160^{ms a few} ac

Act Aug. 12 1870.

Correct on map of Bosque
County. August 27/72
January 2/75. C. W. Poffler.
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to orig Poffler,
Jan'y 5/75.

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1. Aff. & Desig.
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C. C. July 5/72
C. W. P.

The State of Texas, Before me the undersigned
County of Washita, District Clerk in and for
the County aforesaid this day came and per-
sonally appeared William M Cox a resident
citizen of said county who being by me duly
sworn declares that he is a bonafide settler upon
one hundred and sixty acres of vacant public
land situated in said county and surveyed
for William M Cox on the tenth day of
October 1870 by Ward Keeler Surveyor of said
County that he has occupied and improved
the same as a homestead for the period of
three consecutive years beginning on tenth day
of December 1868 that he is a married man
and that he makes this affidavit for the purpose
of obtaining a title to the same for a homestead
under an act supplementary to an act to regulate
the disposal of the public lands of the State of
Texas approved March 24th 1871 and that he has
not a homestead other than the above And
also at the same time came and personally
appeared H C Ford and W J Burns

Two credible resident citizens of said coun-
ty to me well known who being duly
sworn depose and say that William M
Cox the person first above named in this
affidavit has actually settled upon and
cultivated as a homestead the land survey-
ed for him on the 10th day of October 1870

by the Surveyor aforesaid for the period of
three years and they nor neither of them have
any interest in the said land

W. H. Ford
H. C. Ford
W. H. Burns

Sworn to and subscribed before me
and I hereby Certify that H. C. Ford
and W. H. Burns are creditable and
trustworthy Citizens of said County
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed the seal
of said County this June the
3rd AD 1872

Philip Howard Clerk
Dist. Court, B. C.

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W. H. Ford
H. C. Ford
W. H. Burns

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The State of Texas } Field Notes of a Survey
County of Bosque } of 160 Acres of Land made
for W. M. Cox it being the quantity
of Land to which he is entitled by
virtue of Compliance with existing
preemption Laws situated ^{in Bosque Co.} on the
Waters of Coon Creek a tributary of
Brazos River about 17 ^{South 64° East} miles ^{East}
of the Town of Meridian

Beginning S 60° W 535 vrs from the
inner ~~S.E.~~ Corner of William Crabtree's
Survey on the S.E. Corner of a Survey
made for the Texas and N. O. R. R.
Company a Pile of Rocks from which a
Live Oak marked W by N 30° W another man
led W by North Thence S 60° W 950 vrs a Pile
of Rocks from which a Hackberry marked
Thence N 30° W 365 vrs W^m M. Cox's Chimney by N 15° E
Thence N 30° W 950 vrs to the N.W. Corner
Thence N 60° E 960 vrs a Pile of Rocks
from which a Live Oak marked W by S 30° E
Thence S 30° E 950 vrs to the place of
Beginning

Surveyed October 10th 1870
R. E. Conine } Chainman
S. P. Houston } Carriers

I J. H. Scutchfield County
Surveyor of Bosque County hereby
Certify that this Survey
was made by Wanda Keller

File 687
Melius Pruyet

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Wm. M. Leaf.

Filed July 1/72

Patented Aug 13/75

(Signature)

68 July 5/72
W.M.L.

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and adapted by me and
that the same has been carefully
examined and that the same has
been duly recorded in Book
A Page 81 in my office
Meridian June 25th 1842

L. H. Smith & Co.
County Surveyors Beque &c