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File 919

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Joseph Taylor

S.S. 2/3 League

1/3 "

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CERTIFICATE No. 1419  
1518

Hamilton Abst 815 ✓

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To Miss Taylor

No 374 vol 1/52

To Geo E. Burney

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No. 1. Certificate.

" 2. Field Notes.

" 3. "

" 4. Transfer

" 5. Sur. Explan

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No. 1419  
1518.

General Land Office

Austin, February 8<sup>th</sup> 1850.

This is to certify that Joseph Taylor is entitled to have surveyed, by any legally authorized surveyor, upon any of the vacant and unappropriated public domain of the State of Texas, One League of Land, in accordance with the provisions of an act authorizing and requiring the Commissioner of the General Land Office to issue a certificate to Joseph Taylor for One League of Land. Approved February 8<sup>th</sup> 1850.

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand, and affix the seal of said Office, the day and date first above written.

Geo. W. Smyth  
Commissioner.

Durney

Fee \$4.00

Joseph Taylor 25 Labors

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Milam Co. 1<sup>st</sup> Class  
I of Office Art. 1 League  
Joseph Taylor

F. C. Burrey



State of Texas  
District of Milam

Survey for Jonah Taylor of  $16\frac{2}{3}$  labor  
of land situated <sup>in the German County</sup> on the main bosque  
above at the mouth of Gillmours creek <sup>about 58 miles above Waco</sup> being  
part of the quantity of land to which he  
is entitled by virtue of certificate  
No  $\frac{1419}{1548}$  issued in the gal land office

Beginning at the N.E. corner of another  
survey made in the name of Jonah Taylor  
for the S.E. corner of this survey from which  
a post oak marked A bears N. 3 W. 2 varas  
and another marked B bears N. 15 W. 4  $\frac{1}{2}$   
varas then N. 30 W. 3465 varas to the

N.W. cor. of Henry S. Hoopfer's  $\frac{1}{3}$  league, the  
N.E. corner <sup>of the same survey</sup> with a post oak bears

N. 45 E. 6 varas another marked X bears  
S. 82 W. 6 varas then S. 60 W. 2950  
varas crossd bosque 4200 varas a branch  
4810 varas a mound in prairie for the

N.W. ~~X~~ corner <sup>of the same survey</sup> S. 30 E. 3465 varas to  
a mound for the S.W. corner then N. 60 E.  
910 varas to the bosque 2880 varas a branch.

4810 varas to the begining containing 10 labor  
arable rest pastos land Surveyed 20 July

S. Riggs } chain  
M. Grim } Carries  
J. B. Erath & Dudley  
Dist Milam

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

J. B. Erath  
Waco 31 July 1854. Dudley Dist Milam

I Wm Armstrong, District Surveyor for Milam Dist  
do certify that I have examined the foregoing plot  
and field notes and find the Survey correct and  
made according to Law given under  
my hand August 21<sup>st</sup> 1851

Wm Armstrong District  
Surveyor for Milam District

Jacob Taylor

2 2/3 Acres

Survey

Genl Land Office

Receipt of Jacob DeGardner, the full  
amount of Government dues on the within  
field notes this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1852

Robt. W. Egan

Chf Clerk

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Milam 1st class  
Price 919  
Date 10/1/51

Milam 1st class

Field notes 16 3/4 Acres

Jacob Taylor

Jacob Taylor

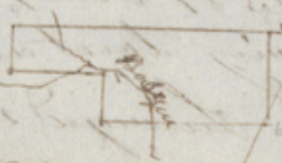
Jacob Taylor

Jacob Taylor

Valued May 6<sup>th</sup>

1852 - Johnson

Amount 370 recd. 10



State of Texas  
District of Milam

Survey for Josiah Taylor of ~~the~~ labor  
of land situated <sup>in McCombs County</sup> on the main bosque  
at the mouth of <sup>about 5 1/2 miles above Waco</sup> Gillmore's creek being  
part of the quantity of land to which  
he is entitled by virtue of Certificate  
No. 1419 ~~1518~~ issued in the 3rd Land Office  
Beginning at the N.W. corner of a Survey  
in the name of L. Hollingsworth from which  
a line back bears East 10 varas and another  
bears N. 6 E. East 18 varas then N. 30 W. with  
the east line of a survey in the name of Merriam  
Morse 990 varas <sup>to his N.E. corner</sup> from which a  
bearing marked N bears S. 37 W. 45 varas  
and a cottonwood bears N. 56 W. 50 varas  
then S. 6 W. 250 varas across Gillmore's creek  
1667 varas <sup>the S.E. corner of D. Cylins labor</sup> from which a post oak  
marked N bears S. 59 W. 30 varas and another  
marked R bears South 20 varas then N 30 W  
967 varas to the north west corner of this survey  
from which a line out marked B bears N 89 W  
105 varas and another marked X bears N 20  
W. 200 varas then N 60 E. 1500 varas  
to the bosque 3000 varas a branch of 1000 varas  
to the N.E. corner from which a Post oak  
marked A bears N. 3 W. 2 varas and another  
marked D bears S. 18 W. 4 1/2 varas then  
S. 30 E. 747 varas a branch of 1957 varas  
to the <sup>N.E. corner of said Hollingsworth's survey</sup> from which a Post oak marked  
M bears N 71 E. 6 varas and another marked N bears N 26 E

3 varies there. Still 2581 varies the borque  
3431 varies to the beginning containing 3 labor  
eruble rest part of land. Surveyed 20 July 1851

J. Riggs } them  
M. Green } lawyer

G. B. Erath  
J. P. Surveys & Milans

I solemnly declare the above survey  
to be made according to law at the time  
above written. Waco 31 July 1851

G. B. Erath Surveyor  
J. P. Milans

I, Wm Armstrong District Surveyor for Milans District  
do Certify that I have Examined the foregoing plot  
and field notes & find them correct and the Survey  
made according to Law given under my  
hand August 4th 1851

Wm Armstrong District

Surveyor for Milans District

General Saind Office, May 7 1852  
Received Payment in full of the Government dues  
on the within field notes from Geo. C. Bixby per  
Jacob D. Korman

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Milam. 910 910  
p. 10  
E-101755 H-101875

Field notes to League  
Joseph Taylor

Surveyed by Geo. C. Bixby  
per request of Jacob  
D. Korman

Patented 17 May 6th  
1852  
J. P. Milans

Robt. M. Edgum  
Chf. Clk

Surveyor Patent 374 Vol. 10

Joseph Taylor

The State of Texas } Has and in Consideration of the sum of  
 County of Milam } one hundred dollars to me in hand paid  
 the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged  
 I grant bargain and sell unto Geo E Bury  
 his heirs or assigns the one third of a  
 certain Certificate No <sup>1415</sup>/<sub>1518</sub> for one share of  
 Land Issued <sup>to me</sup> & dated at Austin February the  
 9<sup>th</sup> 1830 by the Commissioner of the General  
 Land office in accordance with a joint  
 Resolution of the Legislature of said State  
 approved February the 9<sup>th</sup> 1830 - here by war-  
 ranting and defending him the said Bury  
 his heirs or legal representatives in the full  
 use and enjoyment of said one third of one  
 share Certificate free from the claim  
 or claims of my self my heirs or any  
 other person claiming under me witness  
 my hand ~~and~~ and seal for seal this 30<sup>th</sup> day  
 the 30<sup>th</sup> 1830

Joseph Taylor Seal

Witness  
 James D. Duffau

The State of Texas } Personally came and appeared before me  
 County of Milam } Duffau Clerk of the County Court of said County Jo-  
 } seph Taylor a Gentleman to me well known who  
 acknowledged he had signed, sealed with seal and delivered to Geo. E.  
 Bury the above and foregoing Instrument for all the purposes and purposes  
 therein contained and set forth Witness my hand and seal of the  
 County Court of said County at Comanche  
 date above written  
 James D. Duffau  
 C. C. R. Milam Co



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Josiah Taylor  
To J. Emory

George E. Emory

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George E. Emory  
J. Emory

Waco 20 August 1857

The survey in the name of Gillmore on the main prong of the bosque was made on a certificate in a different name for Gillmore said certificate was withdrawn or lost from the county surveyor office and the field notes when made out from the original survey were made out with name blank Gillmore intending to furnish another certificate for the same with never was done, the field notes remained blank in stated office until a year or two back and may be there yet in that condition, it was filed on by Mr Burney about 12 months ago as there seemed to be no claimant nor certificate on file to which fact I now certify from the best of my own knowledge the party who had the survey made intending to cover it but never doing it, the lapse of time is considered as invalidating the survey made first and by demand of Mr Burney was resurveyed

by me at the date of the accompanying  
field notes in the name of Joseph Layton  
and there is at present to the best of  
my knowledge no other certificate on  
file or in the possession of the office  
covering the same ground

J. B. Smith, Jr. Surveyor  
Milam and special  
for County of Milam

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Dept. Surveyors  
Statement relative  
"Gillmore" Survey

Large 500th 51  
Small 400th Bosque  
1 1/2 E. 10th / 56  
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Joseph Taylor

Two 3 2/3 League  
Surveys 3 1/3 League

Both surveys on a survey mtd.  
on map Gilmore. Otherwise  
correct on map. Sept. 1/51

Both surveys correct on map.  
March 3/52 Greysbaur

Both surveys correct  
for patenting in accor-  
dance with an und-  
ulatory Act approved Feb.  
10th 1852. See in documents  
on file 9830.

Algin  
Bate surveys pale  
ted May 6th 1852  
Johnson

9830

~~2 S. East. Large sur. Erath 51  
S.S.  $\frac{1}{2}$  Erath 75 small, Lab. Besque 56  
 $\frac{2}{3}$  Bourque  $\frac{1}{3}$  Erath 58~~

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Milam 1<sup>st</sup> Class

Joseph Taylor

2 Surveys }  $\frac{2}{3}$  League  
                  }  $\frac{1}{3}$  "

Patented

See old wrapper within

Agc 9835

State of Texas

District of Milam

This will explain why <sup>two</sup> surveys made by me in July 1858 in the name of Josiah Taylor appear on the map in the genl Land office to cover the ground of another Survey in the name of Gillmore in 1845 when the country surrounding it was generally surveyed this league was surveyed for one Jost Gillmore who had several Certificates to locate but failed after the return of the surveyors to produce the certificate for the amount of land with purpoise per suit to have been deposited in the County surveyors office but never came to hand no record was ever made of the same the certificate or rather the record of the same indicated a different name but Gillmours being the individual known and the selector of the land the name Gillmours was attached to the survey but no certificate ever was furnished me and the presumption is that the certificate was withdrawn from the office by the real owner before the

returns of the company who  
made the survey nor has any  
other application been made  
for field notes from that time  
untill in the year 1850 when  
Mr Burney first entered a certifi-  
cate in the name of Leglos on the ground  
and subsequently employed me  
to survey it. Mr Armstrong Dist  
Surveyor being up the country  
and not likely to be at hand shortly  
would certify to the fact of  
no record being in the office in  
the name of Gilmore or other name  
covering that ground as he is aware  
of the circumstances and to facilitate  
the issuance of Patent for the  
Burney I make the explanation  
vouching for it personally or  
officially given at Wash  
this 21 May 1852

J. B. Bratts Surveyor  
St Milam

V. B. I might have stated that  
I was the offl surveyor in 1845  
of that District and that this trans-  
action took place before me and  
through me J. B. Bratts

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Milam - A. G. Glays.