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Milam Donation

Rd-509

John Sewellin

540 Acres

Correct on map. March 22/54.

2nd mhd ptd C. W. Pfeister

Map 10/54

NO 308 Vol 2

Patent to Jacob De Cordova apud

Patented 30th March 1854

Major

From to J. De Cordova

22nd March 1854

J. De Cordova

Best Copy of fields notes for
Baryage
176

Map 6808
mhd ptd in R. 669

1. Warrant.

2. Field Notes.

3. Transfer.

Nov 14/78 Roche.

No. 208



649 Acres.

KNOW ALL MEN TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

That John Sewellen having participated in the battle at San Jacinto

IS ENTITLED TO

SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY ACRES OF

DONATION LAND,

In accordance with an Act of Congress of the Republic of Texas, passed Dec. 21, 1837.

Said John Sewellen

HIS HEIRS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, OR THEIR ASSIGNS,

ARE ENTITLED TO HOLD SAID LAND:

~~CANNOT BE SOLD, MORTGAGED, OR ENTEGRADED,~~
AND IS EXEMPT FROM EXECUTION DURING THE LIFETIME OF THE PERSON TO WHOM IT IS GRANTED.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, at Austin

this 29th day of May 1850.

Approved Oct 24 1853
James Shillett
Adjutant

Ben J. Hill
ADJUTANT GENERAL

NEW ERA OFFICE, AUSTIN.

LAND CERTIFICATE.

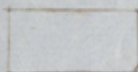
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John Jewell
Donation

640 Acres

Reg. M. 963856
Rondeau

Blanchard



State of Texas
District of Milam

Survey for John Stowell of 600 acres of land
situated ^{in Bosque County} on the waters of Bell creek on the
north side thereof about ten miles above its junction
with the Bosque being the quantity of land
to which he is entitled by virtue of Donation
warrant No 208 dated 29 May 1850
Beginning at the N.E. corner of a survey in the
name of ~~J. A. Houston~~ ^{J. A. Houston} a station being
for the N.W. corner of this survey thence
South 30° 1344 varas to the S.E. corner of
said Houston's survey for the S.W. corner of this
survey from which an Elm marked W bears S 22° E
123 varas and another marked V bears S 23° E
136 varas thence N. 60° E. 1240 varas a bench
2250 varas another 2688 varas to the S.E.
corner of this survey from which a live oak marked
X bears N. 31° W. 122 varas and another marked Y
bears N. 44° W. 94 varas thence N. 30° W. 1344 varas
to the N.E. corner from which a live oak marked
I bears N. 5° E. 2 varas and a Spanish oak
marked U bears S 62° W 13 varas thence S 60° W
500 varas a bench 2688 varas to the beginning
Survey 17 July 1853

G. B. Crutch Sleight Survey
Dist Milam

H. M. Lee } Chain
John Anderson } Carries

I solemnly declare the above survey to
be made according to law at the time above
stated Was 3 Oct 1853

G. B. Crutch Sleight Survey Dist Milam
J. W. Cunningham Dist Surveyor milam Land District
to certify that I have examined the foregoing plot and
field notes and find the same to be correct and

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~~John Stowell~~
~~Warrent~~

~~640 Acres~~

~~Endorsement~~

Geo DW

John Stowell

Corrected 1853

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John Stowell
Field Notes

640 Acres

J. H. Houston,
Patented 23rd Feb 1850
Major

The Survey made according to Laws
Given under England's Act 1853
Referred in Book J Page 385
Approved by the Surveyor General
Surveyor for Milam Co. Tex

State of Texas } Know all men by these presents, that I
County of Elveston } John Shively of the County and
State aforesaid for and in consideration of One Hundred and
Sixty Dollar Cash to me in hand paid the receipt of which
is hereby acknowledged, by Jacob De Cordova of Guada-
lupe County and State of Texas, have bargained, sold
transferred and conveyed and by these presents do bargain
sell transfer and convey unto the said Jacob De Cordova
his heirs and assigns forever, all my right title and interest
in and to the Donation Warrant for 640 Acres N^o 308
dated 29th May 1850 issued to me by the Adjutant
General of the State of Texas, together with all the lands
that may be now located Surveyed or Patented or that
may be hereafter located Surveyed or Patented thereon —

I have and to hold all and singular the aforesaid
Donation Certificate is hereby and herein granted with
the appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Jacob De
Cordova his heirs and assigns forever And I and
John Shively own binds himself his heirs and assigns
to warrant and forever defend the above described Dona-
tion Certificate unto the said Jacob De Cordova his heirs
and assigns against every person or persons whomsoever
lawfully claiming or claiming to claim any part thereof

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
Saul for Seal at the City of Galveston the 14th day of February 1850
Witness P. De Cordova John Shively
Robert Gilbert

The State of Texas

Galveston County

Be it remembered that on this
14th day of February A D 1854 before me the undersigned
John P. Darragh Notary Public of Galveston County
State commissioned and qualified personally appeared
Robert G. Allen some personally known who being of da
ly sworn, acknowledged and testified, having wit
nessed the signature of John Jewellson to a foregoing
Instrument, and that he signed it as a Witness at the
request of the said John Jewellson.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
set the impress of my official Seal
and signed the same with my official
Signature the day and date above
mentioned.



John P. Darragh
Notary Public

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John Stewellyn
To ^{the} Transfer
J. Alfordova

Filed February 25th 1844

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