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File 1166

Milam 1st class

John K. McLenin  
abt 525 no assn  
Labor.

cert-41

On a 320 acre survey marked John King  
otherwise correct on map. Octob. 2/55  
as marked filed  
In sum cert. within. C. W. Pfeifer

In file 673 Milam 1st class  
for a case turning to S. N. H.

Corrnt for Patenting

MP 469 Vol 12 Elgin

Dated July 24<sup>th</sup> 1856

John T. Scott

Redd. J. De Cordova

July 24<sup>th</sup> 56

J. B. Grattan

Aug. 11/49

MP in Reg

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1. Certif. 1 Salva.
  2. Field Notes.
  3. Dist. Sur. & Sect.
- Oct 21/78.  
book.

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Lana Office  
Milam Co

Republic of Texas  
24<sup>th</sup> Febry 1838

No 41

Duplicate

This is to Certify that Jno H McLevin  
has appeared before us the Board of Lana Com  
missioners for the County of Milam and proved  
according to Law that he owned in this Repu-  
-lic in the Year 1834 and that he is a  
man of men and entitled to one Salvo of  
Lana upon condition of paying at the rate of  
Three dollars <sup>50</sup>/<sub>100</sub> for each Salvo of Arable  
Lana Two dollars <sup>50</sup>/<sub>100</sub> for each Salvo of  
Temporal or Arable Land one dollar <sup>20</sup>/<sub>100</sub>  
for each Salvo of Pasture Land which may  
be contained in the survey therein by this

Certificate

J. W. McLevin

This 24 Febry 1838

J. W. Bell

David McLevin  
agent Board of  
Lana Com

Attest. C. J. McLevin  
Clerk

The State of Texas }  
County of Milam } I now all men by

these presents that  
J. A. Dodd of said

County have this day purchased and  
conveyed and transferred the within  
Leahore certificate issued to John H. Mc  
Lennan on the 4th day of February 1838  
by the board of Land Commissioners of  
said County of Milam & the said  
Dodd have this day transferred all my right  
title and interest in and to said certificate  
to Heill Mc Lennan junior for a valuable  
consideration the receipt of which  
is hereby acknowledged and I hereby warrant  
unto said Heill Mc Lennan jr of  
said County in said State  
full use and enjoyment of said  
certificate against the claim or claims  
of person or persons whatsoever

Lawfully claiming the same  
or any interest therein

This the 8th of Novr 1852

Witnesses  
John H. Mc Lennan  
Shroud " Mellon

Samuel C. King

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D. H. King

Shoup Melton

The State of Texas } Before me Shoup Melton  
County of Milam } Clerk of the County Court of  
Milam County in the State of Texas duly Commissioned  
and qualified this day came and personally  
appeared Aaron C. Dodge of Milam County to  
me well known who acknowledged the execution  
of the foregoing Transfer dated the 8<sup>th</sup> day of  
November 1853 and delivered the same as  
his binding Act and Deed for the purposes  
and Considerations therein contained and  
at length set forth given under my hand and  
official Seal at my office in Cameron this the  
8<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1853

Shoup Melton Clerk  
R C M G



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Milam 1st class.

Certificate 1st or

John A. McSennan

Samuel C. Lord

To transfer

Neill McSennan.

Filed 22nd Dec, 1853.



State of Texas

District of Milam

Sheweth for John H. Williams of one labor of  
 land situated <sup>in Bosque County</sup> on the Bosque <sup>5 1/2 miles</sup> below the mouth  
 of the Eastprong <sup>Bosque</sup> <sup>3 miles above the town of</sup> Meridian  
 being the quantity of land to which he is entitled  
 by virtue of Certificate No 41 issued in Milam by  
 Begimiy at the N. E. corner of a survey in the  
 name of James Powell for the N. W. corner of this  
 survey from which a birch marked N bears S 6  
 E 6000 yds and a Walnut tree marked S bears N 6  
 E 6000 yds then S 30 E 1200 yds cross Bosque  
 700 yds recrossed 1344 yds to the S. W.  
 corner of this survey from which a live oak  
 marked A bears S 89 W. 32 yds then  
 N. 60 E 135 yds a hanch 744 yds a mound  
 for the S. E. corner then N. 30 W. 1344 yds  
 to a mound for the N. E. corner then S 60. W  
 220 yds a hanch 744 yds to the begining

Containing 1/2 arable half pastos land  
 Surveyed 15 Oct 1853

James Williams } Chain  
 Gul Robins } Surveys  
 J. B. Erath & S. M. S.

I solemnly swear the above survey to be made according  
 to law at the time above stated and I also certify  
 that the survey in the name of John Knapp which  
 appears on the same ground was not returned  
 to the genl land office being to law and the certificate  
 was withdrawn out of the Surveyors office and field notes  
 returned to me with said original field notes in the name  
 of John Knapp are now in my possession null & void  
 Waco 22 Novbr 1853

J. B. Erath & S. M. S.

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Milam 1st clasp.

Freda notu Mabw  
John K. M Lennen  
Filed 22nd Decr, 1852.

Patented July 24<sup>th</sup> 1856.  
Sam. S. Scott.

Recd Post Due on the  
within field notes amount-  
ing to Thirty seven cents  
Specie from P. De Cordova  
July 26/56

J. W. Moore  
Scrieg Clerk

case of  
J. K. M Lennen  
debtor  
Fred M Lennen  
assignor

Wm Omberting District Surveyor for Milam Co. & att  
do certify that I have examined the foregoing plat and  
fields site and find the same to be correct and the  
Ingers' mappe according to said plan in case my  
Name's Deed 774 1 853  
Recorded in B. K. Regr. 374  
Wm Omberting District Surveyor  
Milam Co. District

Recorded

Waco 27 March 1858

Copy of statement of objections to application  
for patent of John H. McLeeman / labor  
on a survey in the name of John Knapp  
a certificate from the surveyor, must be  
filed showing when and by virtue of what  
certificate the Knapp survey was made  
There is no transfer on file from John McLeeman  
to A. C. Dodd Milam 1166 - 1

J. G. B. Erath Esq. Surveyor of Milam County  
in the year 1845 and also in 1853 and up  
to this time certify to the following facts  
that I made the survey of John Knapp  
in July 1845 by request of John Knapp then  
residing at Caldwell the certificate was so  
issued in Milam County and was in the S<sup>t</sup>  
Surveyor's office at Caldwell on returning from  
the woods the certificate was taken from the  
office by a party to whom said Knapp  
had transferred it said Knapp however  
representing that he had only mortgaged  
said certificate and would get it but  
in consequence the file notes were made  
out having the numbers and date blank  
to be filled and recorded when the certificate  
should be returned with never was done  
in the year 1853 and at the limits of  
the act to return surveys within 12 months  
I took the file notes from the office they  
never being paid for to secure the payment  
of fees said John Knapp however failing  
to produce the certificate or pay for survey  
a portion thereof was entered and subsequently  
surveyed by the certificate of J. H. McLeeman  
this facts are perhaps exclusively known only to  
the party interested and no other Surveyors  
J. G. B. Erath Esq. Surveyor, S<sup>t</sup> Milam  
over



the objection there being no transfer to A C  
Ladd cannot be remedied as he obtained  
the claim by inheritance according to the  
practice if the heir ship was proven  
with it can be easily, the patent could  
nevertheless issue to the assigny *Wm*  
*Melmon* within the patent in the original  
name and that the transfers in office  
be also returned to him as the owners  
ship can be easily established here

Waco 24 March 1854  
G. B. Erskine.

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Milam Feb 1854

Dist Surveyors Cert

relative to *Sancho* *Knapp* *son*

Filed April 1<sup>st</sup> 1854

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