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Milam Preemption

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Certificate No.

~~Consolidated with~~

Book N. 5. Cook's Survey P. 113.
at Home Corner on Map of
Bozque Co. July 24. 1874.

Order 23/78

~~Philips~~ *Otto*

Jan. 9/80.

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Correct for patenting

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March 20th 1876

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John P. Lewis

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The State of Texas. }
County of Bosque } Before me Jno James
Clerk of the District Court
of Bosque County Texas.

this day personally came Jno. P. Lewis to me known, who after being by me duly sworn upon his oath deposes & says, that he is now a bona fide settler upon (160) One hundred and sixty acres of land, that he believes to be of the public domain of the State of Texas, that he is improving said land for a Home stead, & has no other - and that he is a married man with a family - said land is situated in Bosque County - about one mile south of Neil's Creek - 18 miles south of the town of Meridian - adjoining the Wm Hall Survey, and more particularly described by the accompanying field notes.

Gives under my hand & seal of the District Court of Bosque Co at my Office in Meridian this March 5th 1874

Jno James
Clerk of the District Court
of Bosque County Texas

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Milton P. Dean

Affidavit of

Supplemental

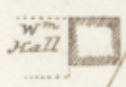
John P. Lewis

Filed Mar 25/74

Rhoads & Hinkley

Attys.

Scale
4000^{ft} to inch
Variation 10 1/2



The State of Texas, Field Water of a Survey of
County of Bosque 160 Acs of land made for
Jno P Lewis it being the quantity of land to
he is entitled to by virtue of his Certificate
of Occupancy Act March 5th 1874

Situate on the South Side of
Neily Creek about two miles from
its Junction with the Bosque and about
seventy miles S 20 E from Midias

Beginning at the NE Cor of a Survey
in the name of William Hall for the NW
corner of this Survey from which a line and
Mark + has S 20 E 31 1/2

Thence N 60 E 950 Va the NE line
a mound of stones from which a Spanish
Cock has S 24 E 8 1/2 and a high Oak by S 23
W 100 Va

Thence S 30 E 950 Va the SE line
in Bush

Thence S 60 W 950 Va the SW line
near the point of a Mountain

Thence N 30 W 950 Va the Beginning
Survey March 11th 1874

George S. Sutchfield } to H. Sutchfield
Sergeant to Survey } Dept Survey
Cheney

The State of Texas } I hereby certify that
County of Bosque } I have examined

The foregoing plat and field notes, and find them correct. Recorded in Bosque Co. Book of pre-
-emptions. Page 130

Meridian
March 16th 1874

Wm. Macaulay
County Surveyor
B. Co. Tex.

~~Chas. B. Brown
for
Wm. Macaulay~~

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The State of Texas }
County of Basque }

Before me, the undersigned, District Clerk in and for the County aforesaid, this day came and personally appeared John P. Lewis a resident citizen of said County, who being by me duly sworn, declares that he is a bona fide settler upon 160 acres of vacant public land, situated in said County, and surveyed for John P. Lewis on the 11th day of March 1874 by G. H. Scutchfield a surveyor of said County, that he has occupied and improved the same as a Homestead for a period of three consecutive years beginning on the 8th day of January 1872 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 for the benefit of actual occupants of the Public Lands, approved May 26th 1873, and acts prior thereto, and that he has not a Homestead other than the above.

And also at the same time
and personally appeared William
Hefferman and A. J. Jones, two cred-
ible resident citizens of said County,
to me well known, who being duly sworn
depose and say that John P. Lewis the
person first above named in this
affidavit, has actually settled upon
and cultivated as a homestead, the
land surveyed for him on the 11th
day of March 1874 by the surveyor
aforesaid, for the period of three
years, and that they nor either of
them have any interest in said land.

John P. Lewis

Wm. Hefferman
A. J. Jones

Sworn to and subscribed before me, and I
certify that William Hefferman and
A. J. Jones are credible and trustworthy citi-
zens of said County.

In testimony whereof, I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed
the seal of said County, at office
this 15th day of March 1876

Jas. James

Clk. D. C. B. Co. Prop
By L. J. Jones, Deputy

see Patent to
Clifton

³ File 1445
Milam Preemption

John P. Lewis
100 acres

Cert. of Occupancy

Filed March 20th 1876

J. P. Lewis Comr.