

File 1614

Milam Preemption

Abst-669-

G. W. Paul

160.00

Act May 26/73

Correct on Map of
Bosque Co. Novbr 4/78

Three papers

Correct for patenting
May 30/79 Wash.

Received May 3/79
Bosque & Crozier

Aug 26
No 81. Vol. 9

Mkd Pld

Part of company
May 30/79
Gross

Mgl. 6702

Mkd Pat Req

Oct 15
C. J. N. 74

Contents

No. 1. Affidavit & De

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May 29. 79
Ed Beck

\$ 5⁰⁰ def d May 29/1879
by T. A. Collier Meridian
Wm Macaulay
J. M. Moley
A. B. Vol. 1 P. 158

The State of Texas, } Before me, Jno.
County of Bosque, } James, Clerk of
the District Court
of Bosque County, this day came
and personally appeared G. H. Paul,
to me well known, who after
being by me duly sworn on
his oath, deposes and says, that
he is now a bona-fide settler upon
One hundred and sixty acres of
land, that he believes to be the
Public Vacant land of the State,
that he is improving the same
for a home-stead, and has no
other, and further that he is a m-
-arried man with a family, said
land is situated in Bosque County,
Texas, about 12 miles S. E. from Meri-
-dian, beginning at the S. E. corner of
a survey made for Shaw, & more-
-particular described by the accom-
-panying field notes.

Given under my hand
& seal of the District Court
of Bosque Co. at office in
Meridian this the 15th day
of May, A. D. 1894.

Jno. James,
Clerk, D. C.
per W. C. Smith, Deputy,

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Milau Prescription
Cent of ~~Cent~~ ^{Settlement}

J. W. Paul
Filed Aug 24/74

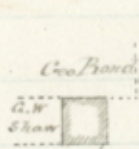
J. W. Paul & Co.

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Main body of faint handwritten text, appearing to be a list or detailed notes, with a large brown stain in the center.

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The State of Texas } Field notes of a
 County of Bosque } survey of 160 acres
 of land, made
 for George W. Paul, by virtue of
 Certificate of occupancy, issued by
 the District Clerk of Bosque County
 situated about ~~12~~^{11 1/4} miles ~~S & E~~^{S 65° E} from
 Meridian.



Variation $10\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$
 Scale 4000 ft to the inch

Beginning at the S. E. corner of Chavis
 160 acre survey, in the S. W. corner of
 this survey.

Thence $N 60^{\circ} E$ 9500 ft to the S. E. corner
 in the line of D. Chancellors survey.

Thence $N 50^{\circ} W$ 9500 ft to the N. E.
 corner in Paxins.

Thence $S 60^{\circ} W$ 9500 ft to the N. W.
 corner (Chavis N. E. corner) in line of
 G. Bond's survey.

Thence $S 80^{\circ} E$ 9500 ft to the place
 of beginning.

Surveyed by L. A. Southfield, Co
 Surveyor, Bosque Co on Nov: 6th 1873.
 and adopted by me August 22nd 1874.

Thomas Sikes } chain
 Luke Smith } carriers

I hereby certify that the foregoing survey
 is correct, and not in conflict with
 the surrounding surveys. Recorded
 in Book of Pre-emptions Page 158.

Wm. McCaulay, County Surveyor
 Bosque County.

Mr. S. Steen,

✓
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Filed Nov 17/77
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J. H. Paul

Filed Aug 26/77

J. H. Paul

Loc. on map of Bosque Co. Nov 4/78

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Patented May 31/79
J. H. Paul

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Proof of Settlement under Homestead Act.

The State of Texas, }

County of Basque

Before Me, the undersigned County Clerk in and for the County aforesaid, this day came and personally appeared Geo. W. Paul 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 G. W. Paul

on the 6th day of November, 1873, by L. N. Desmetfield, Deputy

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 22 day of August 1874; that he is Married 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 came and personally appeared J. M. Hardy and A. P. Culbertson, two credible resident citizens of said County, to me well known, who being duly sworn, depose and say that Geo. W. Paul

the person first above named in this affidavit, has actually settled upon and cultivated as a Homestead, the land surveyed for him on the 6th day of November, 1873, by the Surveyor aforesaid, for the period of three years, and they, nor either of them, have any interest in the said land.

G. W. Paul
A. P. Culbertson
J. M. Hardy

Sworn to and subscribed before me, and I hereby certify that J. M. Hardy, and A. P. Culbertson are credible and trustworthy citizens of said County.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said County, at office, this 26th day of April 1879.

J. M. Callies
Clerk of County Court Basque Co.

A. A. Callies Deputy

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Certificate of occupancy

filed May 29/79

Rhodes Fisher,
Chief Clerk

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SETTLEMENT OF LAND

Geo W. Paul

Settler.

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