

No. 228

General Land Office,
Austin, November 16th 1855.

This is to Certify, That William J. Russell

is entitled to have surveyed by any legally authorized Surveyor, upon any of the vacant and
unappropriated Public Domain of the State of Texas, Seven hundred
and ninety nine thousand, six hundred and eighty
one square varas (59681)

of Land, it being the Unlocated Balance of Headright certificate
No. 311 Class 1st Issued by

The Board of Land Commissioners of Brazoria County
to the said William J. Russell

for Three fourths of a League
of Land, dated the Second day of February 1838.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
and affix the Seal of said Office, the day and date
first above written.



Commissioner

See File 893 1/2 Box 1st for }
Certificate & Transfer }

Del'd to J. N. Herndon.

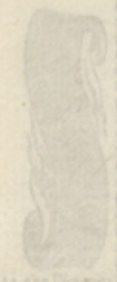
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Till 16th June 1841
+ lat 134/2
Milam 1st 0789.681 2/20.

Cost of balance
William S. Lupton
Till 1st June 1841

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William S. Lupton
Till 1st June 1841





The State of Texas, }

Survey

No. 138

District of *Bosque*

Field notes of a Survey of *759.681 square*
Varas of

land made for *William S Russell*

it being _____ the land to which he is

entitled by virtue of *Unlocated Balance of land*
by the Commissioner of General Land office as
No. 4287 on the 16th November 1855

SCALE—4000 varas to the inch. Variation,

Said Survey is No. *138* in District No. *1* situated in the _____ County of

Bosque on the Waters of Childers Creek about 13 miles South 57° East from
Meridian

Beginning at the SW corner of Survey No. 137 with
name of *Samuel Chamaler*, a *Statuana Mound*

Thence *N 60 E 1112 varas* a *Statuana Mound*

Thence *S 30 E 683 varas* a *Statuana Mound*

Thence *S 60 W 1112 varas* a *Statuana Mound*

Thence *N 30 W 683*

varas to the place of beginning.

Walter Finnis

W M Northrup

CHAIN CARRIERS.

Bearings marked

I, *Jacob L Cordova* Deputy Surveyor, *Bosque* District,
do hereby certify that the foregoing survey is made according to law, and that the
limits, boundaries and corners, with the marks, natural and artificial, are truly de-
scribed in the foregoing plat and field notes.

Meridian May 28 1853

J L Cordova

Deputy Surveyor, *Bosque* District.

I, *Henry M de Cordova* District Surveyor, *Bosque* District,
do hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing plat and field notes, and
find them correct; and that they are recorded in my office in Book No. *3*

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Meridian May 28 1853

Henry M de Cordova

District Surveyor, *Bosque* District.

by *J L Cordova* Special Deputy

v.

July 16 1863
Milam ¹ Seco

Tract no 759. 681.

William J. Rippe

Tract June 11 / 63.

On the S. & W. A. R. survey file
8-783; otherwise correct
on maps in Bexar County.
June 8/63. H. M. [Signature]

Patented 17th June 1863
Groves

Recd 20th June 1863 from Jacob
Behndwa by the sum of 37 cents
Govt dues on the within survey
Stephen Murch,
Receiver Genl Land Office

c. Seco 7
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