

File 2145

Milam Preemption

W. J. Cook

Abst-185-80 Acres

Act

Covered by Jeremiah
2-817
Whitworth plat survey
Novbr. 25/76
Novbr 25/77 Thiele paper

at 4/75

Covered by Jeremiah
Whitworth plat survey
Went of occupancy
Acnt patent
Nov 27/78 Griffin

Abst 189
Covered by J Whitworth plat,
Vol 48.

Mgl. 8707

C. O. H. 15/75
10 Jan 175

Conten

- No. 1. Affidavit &
- " 2. Field Notes with affd
- " ~~3.~~ attached
- " 4. _____

A. B. Vol. _____

The State of Texas, {
County of Bosque.

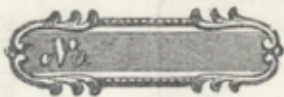
Before me, *JNO. JAMES*, Clerk of the District Court of Bosque County, this day personally appeared *W. J. Cook* to me known, who after being by me duly sworn, upon his oath deposes and says: that he is now a *Bona Fide* settler upon *80* acres of Land, that he believes to be of the public vacant lands of the State of Texas; that he is improving said Land for a Homestead, and has no other; and further that he is a *Single* man. and makes this Affidavit for the purpose of obtaining a Home. Said Land is situated in Bosque County, about *7* miles *South* from Meridian, on the waters of *Meridian* Creek: begining *at N.W. cor. of Frank Grant* *Presumption* and more particularly described by the accompanying field notes.

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the District Court of Bosque County, at office, in the Town of Meridian, this *24th* day of *September* 187*3*.

Jno. James
Clerk District Court, Bosque County, Texas.

By *B. L. Luckett*

Deputy.



W. J. Cook

Affidavit for Pre-emption.

FILED

the *24* day of *Sept.* 187*5*

Jno James
C. D. C., B Co.

By *O. L. Lockert* Deputy.

COUNTY OF HOWARD

STATE OF MARYLAND

State of Texas

County of Bosque } Filed notes of 40 acres
of land made for W. J. Cook by virtue
of a certificate of occupancy issued by
the District Clerk of Bosque county
Sept the 24 1875

Situated about 6 1/2 miles South
from Minnerian.

Beginning at the N.W. corner of a 100
acre survey made for Frank Grant
which is a pile of rock from which a
Spanish Oak marked D has S 40 E distance 20
vars and another marked J has S 70 E
distance 19 vars. Thence N 30 W 475 vars
~~thence~~ to a pile of rock from which
a Spanish Oak marked X has S 27 E dist
14 vars Thence S 60 E 950 vars to a
pile of rock Thence S 30 E 475 vars to
the S.E. corner of the Frank Grant
survey Thence S 60 W 950 vars to the
place of beginning

Surveyed Sept the 25 1875

Henry Davie, Chain

A Cooper, Ranner

Shubly certify that the foregoing
survey is correct and made according to
law; Filed notes recorded in my
office in book B page 193

Wm. Carter.

County Surveyor Bosque Co

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Field Notes of S. A. New

with Affidavit Attached

W. L. Cook.

Filed Oct 4 / 95

J. P. Cook

cf. Oct. 15 / 95
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