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# MILAM PREEMPTION

Alden B. Wright.

160 Acres

Act August 19/ 1876

Correct on map of Palo Pinto  
County. Dec 1879 & 264 acres

Correct for patenting  
mch 9/82 March

Patented March 13/82  
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with plat 202 acs  
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The State of Texas  
County of Pecos

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared A. B. Wright applicant and J. M. McKee - and N. W. Click witnesses, to me well known, who being duly sworn according to law declare that A. B. Wright is Bona Fide settled upon vacant public domain, the same described in the accompanying file under "An Act for the benefit of actual occupants of the Public Lands" passed Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> 1876 and that he has not a Homestead.

Alden B Wright

J. M. McKee  
N. W. Click

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Sept. 1878.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto affixed my official seal and signature.

W. Michael Fleck  
By Jas. E. Beaman  
Deputy.



Designation

To D. S. Cunningham

Surveyor of Palo Pinto County.

By virtue of the accompanying affidavits made in accordance with the third section of "An Act for the benefit of actual occupants of the Public Lands" passed Aug. 19<sup>th</sup> 1896 I hereby apply for a survey of the following premises including my improvements viz:

Beginning at Lower cor on the Brazos river of a 160 acre survey in the name of J. A. Huletaw

Thence S 43 W 95.0 to thence N 47 W 110 to thence  
S 43 W <sup>337</sup> ~~110~~ as <sup>thence N 47 W 368.0</sup> <sup>thence S 73 W 133.0</sup> <sup>thence</sup>  
S 77 3/4 W 584 30 E  
South, of the S. W corner of 160 acre Survey

Made for J. C. Carpenter assce of B. B. B. & C  
R. R. Co thence <sup>30 W</sup> N to S. W cor of said  
survey, <sup>thence</sup> N 60 E with S line of said Carpenter  
survey to the Brazos River thence up the  
River to the Beginning containing 160 acres

Alden B Wright

Affidavit -  
Alden B. Wright -  
Filed & Recorded  
Sept 3<sup>rd</sup> 1898  
Book No 3 Page 349  
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Sworn P. O. 600



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Milam Preemption

Alden B. Wright.

affidavit & designation

Filed Dec 2/79

Charles H. Fisher  
Chief Clerk



The State of Texas 2 Survey No 5-  
County of Palo Pinto 3 Field notes of a  
Survey of 160 acres of Land made for  
Alden B. Wright - it being the quantity  
of Land to which he is entitled by  
virtue of his Preemption Affidavit made  
before the County Clerk of Palo Pinto County  
on the day of 187

Said Survey is situated in Palo Pinto Co  
on the waters of Brazos river about 5  
miles North<sup>90<sup>00</sup></sup> from Palo Pinto

Beginning at the N.E. cor of a  
Survey in name of J. A. Westlow from wh.  
a Cottonwood 5 in dia has N 66° E 52.00.

Thence S 43° W. 95.00. Said Westlow's N.W. cor.  
from wh: an Elm 14 in dia has N 84° E 108.00. Cottonwood  
has N 45° E 213.00.

Thence N 47° W. 110.00. cor: N.E. cor of a Survey made  
for B. F. Mullins from wh: an Elm in bunch of  
4 has N 68° E. 60.00.

Thence S 43° W. 337.00. cor sta on Said Mullins North  
Line. Thence N 47° W 368.00. cor sta

Thence S 43° W 133.00 cor sta.

Thence S 77<sup>34</sup> W 584.00. cor on the Bank of Brazos  
river. Thence up the river N 40° W. 200.  
00. to S.W. cor: of a Survey in name of B. B. B & C.

Thence N 60° E. 96.00 or pass and rock. 95.50 or same  
145.00 or pass and rock. 15.30.00. pass and rock.  
165.00.00. cor on Bank of Brazos river. from wh.



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Alden B. Wright  
160 Acres

Field notes

filed Dec 2 79

Charles Fisher  
Chief Clerk

Correct in copy of Pat.  
Ointo County. Dec 15/81  
Ed. Graves

Patented March 1 3/82  
Ed. Graves

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DEC 2 1879

600 5/19  
8/19

a Cottonwood 10 in dia. 8608.4 m., 80 14 in dia  
 80 14 in dia  
 These ascending the river Sec 2 & 6006.00  
 to the place of beginning Bearing  
 Marked X Surveyed July 14, 1858  
 Jas. Williams & Plain  
 J. Abertum } Surveyor  
 J. Abertum } Surveyor of Pat.  
 Phil. Bennett } Soberly certify that  
 the foregoing survey was made according to  
 law and that the limits hereof are  
 correct as truly described in the fore-  
 going plat and field notes and that  
 they are recorded in my office  
 in Book 203 page 350

J. Abertum  
 Surveyor of Pat. & County.



The State of Texas Before me the under-  
County of Palo Pinto ~~signed~~, county clerk  
in and for the County aforesaid,  
this day came and personally  
appeared Alden B. Wright, a resi-  
dent-citizen of said County, who being  
by me duly sworn, declares that he  
is a bona fide settler upon one  
hundred and sixty acres of land  
vacant-public land, situated in said  
County, and surveyed for Alden  
B. Wright on the 14th day of July  
1879. by D. L. Cunningham, a sur-  
veyor of said County; that he has  
occupied and improved the same  
as a homestead for a period of  
three consecutive years, beginning  
the 1st day of August 1878, and that  
he is Alden B. Wright, and that he makes  
this affidavit for the purpose of ob-  
taining a title to the same for a home-  
stead, under an act supplementary  
to "An Act for the benefit of actual  
occupants of the public lands" approved  
May 26" 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

in good faith <sup>sworn to</sup>



appeared Joel McKee and A. L. Denton  
two credible residents - citizens of said county,  
to me well known, who being duly sworn,  
depose and say that Alden B. Wright, the  
person first above named in this affidavit,  
has actually settled upon and improved  
as a homestead, the land surveyed for  
him on the 14th day of July 1879, by the  
surveyor aforesaid, for the period of  
three years, and they nor either of them  
have any interest in the said land.

Alden B. Wright

Joel McKee  
A. L. Denton

Sworn to and subscribed before me,  
and I hereby certify that Joel McKee and  
A. L. Denton, are credible and trustworthy  
citizens of said county.

In Testimony Whereof, I have  
herewith set my hand and  
affixed the Seal of said County,  
at Office, this 5th day Nov. 1881.

J. A. Baker  
Clerk of County Court - Palo Verde Co. Tex.



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Olson B. Wingkk

Proof of occupancy

Filed Nov 15/81

Rhoads Sister  
Capt

Ad E/E

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The State of Texas, Before me, George  
County of Palo Pinto ~~E. C. Lewis~~, a Notary  
Public, within and for the County and  
State aforesaid, this day personally  
came Alden B. Wright, the original  
settler upon a 160 acre tract of unappro-  
priated public land in Palo Pinto County,  
Texas, surveyed for him by D. L. Leming-  
ham, surveyor of Palo Pinto County, Texas,  
July 14th 1879, and for the patenting of  
which he now ~~has~~ has his application  
on file in the office of the Commissioner  
of the General Land Office of the State of  
Texas, and also this day came Joel McKee  
and R. M. C. Thompson, <sup>disinterested witnesses</sup> who are well  
acquainted with said Alden B. Wright,  
and all of said parties that is to say, Alden  
B. Wright, Joel McKee, and R. M. C. Thompson  
say that after being duly sworn, that  
at the time when said Wright settled upon  
said land in August 1878, he the said  
Alden B. Wright was, and ever since has  
been the head of a family.

Alden B. Wright

Joel McKee

R. M. C. Thompson

Sworn to and subscribed before



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Alden B. Wright

in Proof Occupancy  
Filed Mar 4/82

Rhoads & Stokes  
Chf Clk

Alden B. Wright

Application for  
patent.

me this 24th day of February 1882,  
and I hereby certify that said parties are  
existing citizens, residing in some of the  
various offices in the town of Palo Verde the said  
Lam-ohum nation.

Spert Lewis Notary Public  
Palo Verde New Mexico