

Bosque Co
4/4/96

File 5635

Milam

PRE-EMPTION.

Abst 1238-20

N. H. Mitchell,

12 1/2 Acres

Act 69, T. 79 R. S.

Correct on map
of Bosque County
April 23d 1896

C. McHill

Nov. 13/01 Rowe

required 4/4/96

Patent to original 11/29/01.

Charles Rogan 11/23/96

Patented 11/29/01. ^{Leomin} Nixon

No. 133 (vol 32)

Map of Sta. Mitchell and map

Mgl. 28755-1274-07.

West, vol 20,

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March 10/1
c. 5 x 8 1/2

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Smith

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11/8/1901
Completed

\$5000 Dep'd 11/9/01 by
N. R. Morgan
Meridian-Texas

Tom L. Greer
Meridian

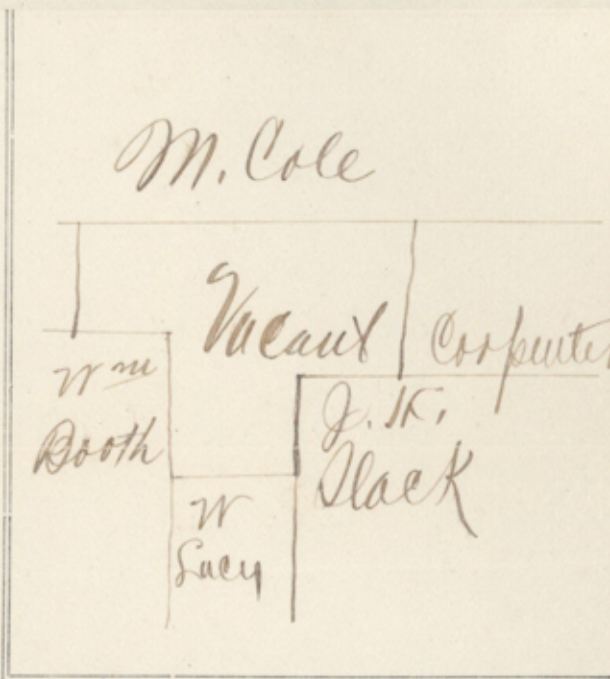
THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

County of Bosque

To the County Surveyor
of Bosque County

By virtue of the accompanying affidavit, made in accordance with
Arts. 3939 and 3940, Revised Statutes, and under the provisions of
"An Act for the relief of actual occupants of the public lands," ap-
proved April 24, 1879, I, W. W.
Mitchell hereby apply for a survey

of the following premises,
100 acres, to wit:



Saying W. W. Mitchell of Warron
Lacy and Wm of J. Slack.
D of the Mary Ch. It include
100 acres.

and I further state that I claim the same for myself in good faith, under the laws granting homestead donations; that I am without any homestead of my own, and that I have actually settled upon the land which I claim, and that I believe the same to be vacant and unappropriated public domain. I further state that I am * the head of a family

[Signed] W. W. Mitchell Applicant.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, }

County of Bosque
W. W. Mitchell

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared
applicant, who, being by me duly sworn, according to

law, deposes and says that the above and foregoing statement is true and correct.

[Signed] W. W. Mitchell Applicant.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 25 day of October A. D. 1895

W. Sidwell, Clerk County
Court, Bosque County, Texas
By J. L. Mingers Deputy

* Here state "the head of a family"—or, if single, "eighteen years of age."

DUTY OF THE SURVEYOR.

ARTICLE 3940. Said application shall be filed with the said Surveyor, and recorded by him in a well bound book, kept for recording pre-emption and homestead applications; and the said Surveyor shall give a receipt therefor, if desired.

ARTICLE 3941. It shall be the duty of the Surveyor of the proper district or county to survey the land described in the application aforesaid, as soon as practicable and within twelve months after the date of said application, and the field notes thereof shall be certified to, recorded and mapped, as required by law in other cases, the applicant paying all legal surveyor's fees.

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Milam Co
W. W. Mitchell
Application
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THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of *Brewster*

APPLICATION AND AFFIDAVIT

FOR
HOMESTEAD

OF
W. W.

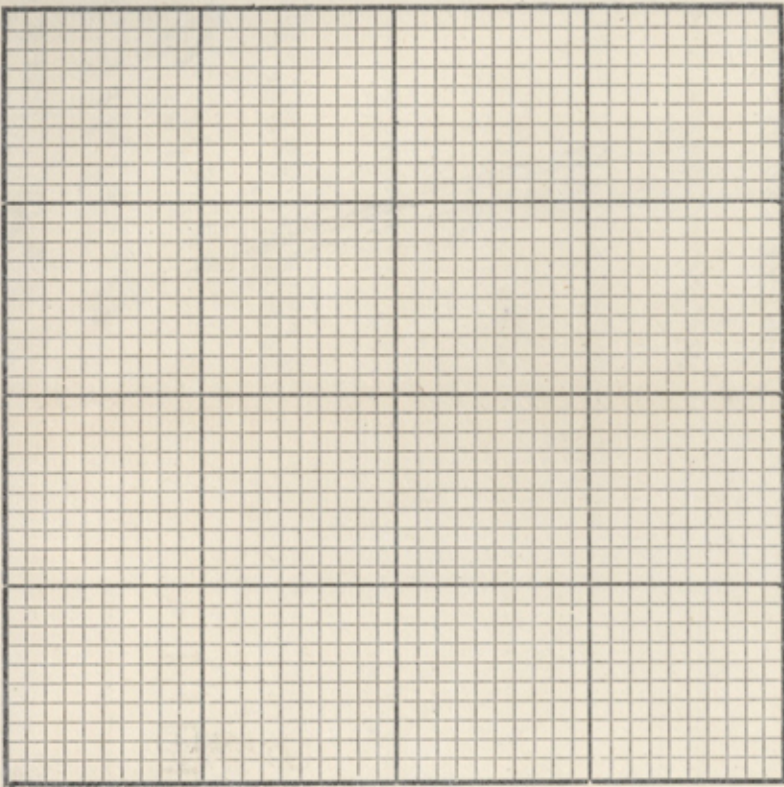
W. W. Mitchell

Filed *Oct. 23* A. D. 189*5*
and recorded in Book *1* page *40*

Wm. S. Brown

County Surveyor

Brewster County, Texas



THE STATE OF TEXAS, } Survey
County of Bosque } No.

FIELD NOTES of a Survey of 12 1/4
Acres of Land made for
W. W. Mitchell
it being a portion of
the land to which
he is entitled by
virtue of his
Affidavit of Oc-
cupancy.

Scale Varas per Inch. Variation

Said Survey is No. in Bosque County, Texas, situated on the
waters of Coon Creek, a tributary of Pringos River,
about 7 1/4 miles 1906 of Meridian

BEGINNING at the N.W. cor. of Warren Lacy Survey.

Thence N 30 W 826 varas to a cor. in
the S. line of the Mary Cole Survey.
Thence N 60 E with S. line of said Cole Survey
1195 varas to the N.W. cor. of the J. N. Car-
penters. W. line of the J. W. Carpenter
Thence S 30 E 429 varas to the S.E. cor. of
said Carpenter.
Thence S 60 W 758 varas to the N.W. cor.
of the Jas. H. Clark Survey
Thence S 30 E 397 varas to the N.E. cor.
of said Lacy Survey.
Thence N 60 W 437 varas

See entry of connection

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W.W. Mitchell
Field Notes
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J. Smith Speck
Correction map of
Bosque County April
23d 1896
C. McMill
Nov 13/01 Rowe
Patented 11/29/01. Wickes

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MAR 5 1896
JNO. P. HARRIS, RECEIVER,
GENERAL LAND OFFICE.
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FIELD NOTES

OF A

SURVEY

MADE FOR

W. W.
Mitchell

J. M. Green
Bosque
Surveyor,
County, Texas.

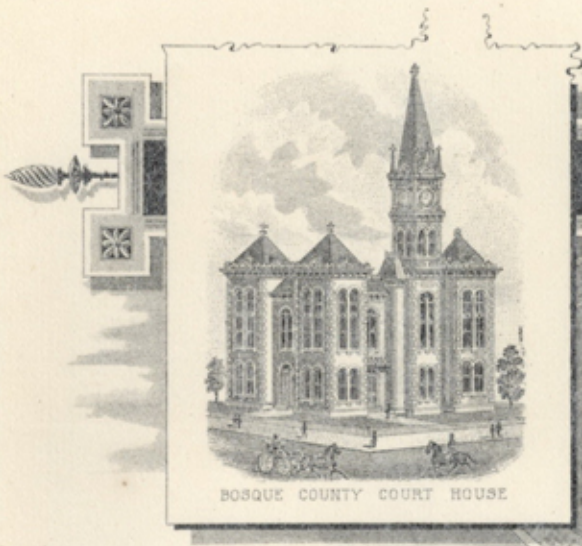
8-93-10

By J. M. Green Deputy.
County Surveyor Bosque County, Texas.
I, J. M. Green, County Surveyor of Bosque County, Texas,
do hereby certify that the foregoing described Survey was actually made by me on the ground, according to law, on the
date and with the Chain Carriers aforesaid, duly qualified, and that all the Corners, Lines, Boundaries and Marks of the
same, whether natural or artificial, are truly and correctly described and set forth in the foregoing Plat and field Notes.

Filed for Record the 4 day of March, 1896, at 2:25 o'clock P.M., and duly Recorded
the 4 day of March 1896 Book 225 Page 225
J. M. Green SURVEYOR

Bearings marked
Surveyed March 2nd 1896 } J. M. Green }
Chain Carriers
J. L. Butts }

to the place of beginning.



BOSQUE COUNTY COURT HOUSE

BOSQUE COUNTY.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
 J. H. ESTES.
 PRESIDENT OF WALKER COUNTY
 J. L. OWNBEY
 PRESIDENT OF WALKER COUNTY
 W. G. FEIGIN.
 PRESIDENT OF WALKER COUNTY
 L. H. SCRATCHFIELD.
 PRESIDENT OF WALKER COUNTY

W. B. Thompson, County Judge
 C. W. Tidwell, Co. Clerk. J. N. Metcalf, Sheriff
 F. P. Smith, Dist. Clerk. H. S. Dillard, Co. Atty.
 F. J. Randall, Treasurer. John Dyer, Collector
 J. C. Fittle, Co. Assessor. F. L. Greer, Co. Surveyor

Meridian, Texas, April 15, 1896.

And J. Baker, Esq.,
 Austin, Texas.
 Dear Sir:

I hereby authorize you to change & read all in the notes of the W. W. Mitchell Pre-emption Sec. so as to read 'Th. West & wh. S. line of the ~~J. W. Co~~ said Cole Sec. 1195 was. to a Cor. in N. line of the J. W. Carpenter.'

I hereby certify that above change has been made in my notes in the Co Surveyor's office

Very truly yours
 F. L. Greer

File 5635 (3)

Milam Pm

W. W. Mitchell

Certif. of Correction

Filed Jul 16/1896

[Signature]

Chf Clerk

J. Smith Speck,

5696 mil

PROOF OF SETTLEMENT UNDER HOMESTEAD ACT.

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

COUNTY OF Bosque

authority

BEFORE ME, the undersigned, County Clerk in and for the County aforesaid, this day came and personally appeared W. W. Mitchell, a resident citizen of said county, who being by me duly sworn, declares that he is a bona fide settler upon 12 1/2 acres of vacant public land, situated in said county, and surveyed for W. W. Mitchell on the 2nd day of March 1896, by Tom R. Gou 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 2nd day of Oct 1896, that he is single, and that he makes this affidavit for the purpose of obtaining a title the same for a Homestead, under "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 W. H. Martin and J. S. Butler, two credible resident citizens of said county, to me well known, who being sworn, dispose and say that W. W. Mitchell the person first above named in this affidavit, has actually settled upon and cultivated as a Homestead the land surveyed for him on the 2nd day of March 1896, by the surveyor aforesaid, for the period of three years, and they nor neither of them have any interest in the said land.

W. W. Mitchell
W. H. Martin
J. S. Butler

Sworn to and subscribed before me, and I hereby certify that W. H. Martin and J. S. Butler 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 sixth day of November 1901

J. M. Lockett J. P. officio. N. P.
 Clerk of County Court Bosque County. Tex

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File No. 5635

Milam Pre-emption

W. W. Mitchell

Proof of occupancy

Filed 11/8 1901

CHARLES ROGAN,
Com'r.

J. O. Claupland,
File Clerk

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after execution mail with \$5.00
to Chas Rogan Austin Tex
The Meridian Tribune, Printers, Meridian, Texas

PROOF OF SETTLEMENT
OF LAND.

Settler. W. W. Mitchell