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Robertson 22

Robertson Ind. Clap.

shot. 267. origin

Joshua M. Christian

320 acrs.

Pre-emption

On a league marked W<sup>m</sup> Smith, otherwise correct on map. April 1/57.  
a marked plat. see C. W. Prebles.

Oct. 23/58 Prebles

Wm Smith League is for future.

Compt for Patenting  
No. 385 vol 16 Elgin

Patented November

17th 1857 J. C. Currier

M. P. Key

J. M. Anderson  
Pat. filed To Joshua

in title file Nov 19/57

mpc 12,999<sup>2</sup> A13167

cc March 31<sup>st</sup> 57 F. B.

Contents.

1. Certificate
2. Field Notes

May 13/879

C. E. Anderson

The State of Texas No. 3  
County of Robertson 320 acres

This is to Certify that Joshua  
McGrinnon is entitled to receive a patent  
from the proper authorities of this State  
on a Survey of three hundred and twenty  
acres of land situated in the aforesaid County  
by a legal Survey thereof by the proper offi-  
-cer, under the Prescription Law satis-  
-factory proof having been made before me  
by two respectable witnesses that he has  
resided upon said land and cultivated  
the same for three years, and that the  
Law has been fully complied with

Given under my hand and  
official seal at office in  
Wheeler this 26th day of  
June A.D. 1856

Thomas S. Winkler  
Clerk C. C. R. C.



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Robertson 3rd Clap.

Prompting Book

Joshua McChristian

Filed Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1856.

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The State of Texas  
 County of Robertson  
 A Survey made for Joshua  
 McQuiston for 320 Acres of  
 land which he claims by right  
 of presumption situated <sup>in Robertson County</sup> near

Mustang branch a tributary of Duck creek a  
~~a tributary of the Harogotte~~ <sup>about 9 miles N 76 E of Owensville</sup>  
 Beginning 200 23 at 90 W from the S W corner of  
 a Survey made for Wm. S Rice survey for 900 Acres  
 at a stake from which a post oak 5 in diameter bears  
 N 5 E 403 also a post oak 16 in diameter by S 10 E

14 23  
 Thence S 60 W 1500 23 set a stake from which a  
 black oak 12 in diameter by S 45 W 23 23 also a post oak  
 13 in diameter by N 10 23

Thence at 30 W 950 23 set a stake from a post oak  
 16 in diameter by S 60 W 10 23 also a post oak 12 in  
 diameter by S 88 E 5 23

Thence at 60 E 1500 23 set a stake on Rice's W  
 boundary line from which a hickory 10 in diameter  
 by S 26 W 10 23

Thence S 30 E 950 with Rice's line to the place  
 of beginning Surveyed 23 July A D 1853

William Rice } Chain } J. Reed  
 J. McQuiston } Carries } Deputy Surveyor  
 R. C.

The State of Tescas } Personally appeared before  
County of Robertson } me Henry Reed Deputy  
Surveyor in and for the county of Robertson  
Joshua McBristion who after being duly sworn  
deposeth and says that he settled and improved  
the Land described in the foregoing plat and  
field notes in the month of October 15<sup>th</sup> 1852  
and that he believes it to be wholly vacant  
and no claim on it but his own which he  
claims by Prention Joshua McBristion  
sworn to and subscribed before me October  
1853

H Reed Deputy Surveyor  
Robertson County

I Henry Reed solemnly swear that  
the metes bounds courses and distances are  
truly described in the foregoing plat and  
field notes and that it was surveyed the 23 day of  
July 1853

H Reed Deputy Surveyor  
R C

I, Jas. A. Oliver District Surveyor for  
Western District certify that I have  
examined the foregoing plat and field notes  
and find them correct and the same is  
recorded in Book of Page 165

Given under my hand at office  
this Decr 19<sup>th</sup> 1856

Jas. A. Oliver  
Dist. Sur. for  
W. Dist.

Joshua McClunton  
field notes for 320  
Acres preemption

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not signed

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not signed

Field notes

the same as above

it is not

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Roberts on 3rd day

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Field notes 320 acres

Joshua McClunton

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Filed 22nd July 1852

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Patented New York  
17th 1857. Copyright

Field notes on 320 acres

Clayton

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W. Nichols