250 300 a Waller Co } 75
392 40 a Harris " }

Harris Co/58
and Austin Co 155

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Austin Donation

Robert Scott

Ab.# 754-H

Ab.# 258-W. 640 Acres

Cert No 699

Correct on the Map, partly in Harris County and partly in Austin County. Mtd 15th April 22/59

Upshur

Warrant Appr'd —

Patent to John P Osterhout assee Elgin

No 688 Vol 2

Patented May 5th 1859

W C Walsh

J W Osterhout appr —

M P in Reg

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No. 679 — 640 Acres.

STATE OF TEXAS.

KNOW ALL MEN TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME,

That Robert Scott having been detailed to guard the Camp at Harrisburg April 21st 1836

IS ENTITLED TO

SIX HUNDRED AND FORTY ACRES OF

DONATION LAND,

In accordance with an Act of Congress of the Republic of Texas, passed Dec. 21, 1837.

Said Robert Scott

HIS HEIRS, EXECUTORS, ADMINISTRATORS, OR THEIR ASSIGNS,

ARE ENTITLED TO HOLD SAID LAND; BUT IT CANNOT BE SOLD, ALIENATED, OR MORTGAGED,

AND IS EXEMPT FROM EXECUTION,

DURING THE LIFETIME OF THE PERSON TO WHOM IT IS GRANTED.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand, at Austin this 28th of May 1855

James S. Gillett
ADJUTANT GENERAL.

[DEMOCRAT OFFICE, AUSTIN.]

STATE OF TEXAS.

LAND CERTIFICATE.

Robt Scott

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Austin Donation

Robert Scott

Warrant 640 Acres

Filed Oct. 18. 1857.

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Harris Dist.
Rec'd Bk. E. p. 117

3rd Survey

of 640 acres of Land surveyed for I. P. Osterhout assignee of Robert Scott, situated in Austin and Harris Counties, East of the Brazos River, about 20 miles N 70 E from Bellville, to which he is entitled too by virtue of Donation Certificate № 699 for 640 acres of Land in accordance with an Act of Congress of the Republic of Texas, passed Dec. the 21. 1837 issued the 28th of May 1855 by James. S. Gillett, Adjutant General at Austin.

Beginning at a stake set for the N. W. corner of a Survey of 391½ acres of Land made for I. P. Osterhout assignee of Henry B. Hedgpeth, running

Thence North with the East boundary of the John P. Shelborne survey at 544 varas passed the said John P. Shelborne N. E. corner at 2079½ varas passed the N. E corner of the 640 acres survey made for Thomas Bell, at 2527 varas at a stake on the N. E corner of another survey of 186½ acres of Land, made for Thomas Bell;

Thence East 1430 varas at a stake in the prairie set for the N. E. corner of this survey;

Thence South 2527 varas at a stake set for the N. E corner of a survey of 391½ acres of Land made for I. P. Osterhout assignee of Henry B. Hedgpeth;

Thence West with said survey 1430 varas to the place of Beginning, containing in said Limits 640 acres of Land.

Surveyed the 6th of June 1857

Jonathan Francis } Chain
John Dood } bearers.

H. Schmidt
County surveyor
for
Austin County

I, H. Schmidt, County surveyor for Austin County do hereby certify that the foregoing fieldnotes are correct, and that the survey has been made according to Law.

Recorded in my office in Book B page 54

H. Schmidt
County surveyor
for
Austin County.

I, Sam C. West, Dist. Surveyor of Harris land Dist., do hereby certify that I have examined the field notes of the three Surveys within written and find them correct and not in conflict with any survey in this District, and they are recorded in my office in Bk E. fol 115. 116. 117

Given under my hand at Houston Oct. 15th 1857

S. C. West

D. S. H. D.

State of Texas }
Austin County } Know all men by these
Presents - that I, Robert Scott of the County
of Burleson in said State for and
in consideration of the sum of One hundred
& thirty three 60/100 Dollars to me in hand
paid by John P. Osterhout of the
County of Austin in said State have
granted, bargained & sold & do hereby grant
bargain, sell & convey unto said John
P. Osterhout a certain donation land
Certificate for six hundred & forty acres
of land being the same that was granted
to me for my services in being detailed
as one of Capt Gibson Key Kendall's
Company to guard the Camp at Nacog-
doches April 21st A.D. 1836 said Certifi-
cate or Warrant being No 679 & dated
28th day of May 1855. This deed being
also in pursuance of an article of agreement
entered into by me with said Osterhout on
the 1st day of March 1855. - & I hereby
authorize the Commissioner of the General
Land Office to issue to said John P.
Osterhout his heirs or assigns a patent for
the land upon which said Warrant may
be located in his or their own name or
names & hereby covenanting that I am
the identical Robert Scott to whom said
Certificate issued & I hereby warrant the
title to the same. Given under my hand
& seal for seal this 27th day of May 1858
In presence of
N. Holland
Leonard Wells

Robert Scott (Seal)

State of Texas }
Austin County } Before me Z. Hunt a
Notary Public in & for said County. Person-
ally appeared and came Robert Scott
of Burleson County known to me and
acknowledged that he signed sealed &
delivered the foregoing deed for a Land
Certificate) dated the 27th day of May
A.D 1858 from said Robert Scott to John
P. Osterhout of Austin County, for all
the purposes intentions and considerations
therein contained & at length set forth.
I further Certify that the said Robert
Scott upon oath made before me & hereunder
subscribed states that he is the identical
Robert Scott who served as a private
in Capt. Gibson King Kendalls Company
on the 21st day of April 1836 at the
Camp at Harrisburg & that said Certificate
was issued to him for said services.
I further Certify that said Scott & said
Witnesses A. Hollane & Leonard Miller
subscribed their names to said deed in my
presence & in the presence of each other.
All of which is sworn to } Robert Scott
subscribed & acknowledged
as aforesaid To Certify all which I hereunto
set my hand & affix my
Official Seal at Bellville
this 27th day of May A.D
1858.
Z. Hunt.
N. P. A. C.

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Austin Donation

Robert Scott

To

John P. Osterhaut

Filed Augt 21/1858.