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San Augustine
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Heirs of
Wm Humphries
Deceased

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Heirs Wm Humphreys decd

14.629.600 sqr

5.702.698 " "

1.089.485 " "

21.421.783

for orgl Cert. See 1. 202 Harrison

U.B. CERTIFICATE No. 18/228

small survey pld Aug 2/75, to the Hrs of Wm Humphreys decd No 206/vol 21.

See endorsement on field notes. Oct 26/80 [illegible] Octr. 30/80 [illegible] July 15/81 [illegible] Patent Survey for 14 [illegible] to Heirs of Wm Humphreys decd Nov 16/80 Walsh

Large Survey Patented Nov. 16th A.D. 1880.

[illegible] pld. Wm Neal Ramey

[illegible] Pat Reg

[illegible] 11/83. Evon Rosenberg

Mgl. 17653

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[illegible]

14629.60

1.089.48

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356 [illegible] Nov 17/80

[illegible] Survey - Issued 12/83

[illegible]

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[illegible] 403 — 919.20 acres
" 138 — 2594.90 "
" 137 — 193 "

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1st Class.

Heirs of

Wm Humphries

— Deceased —

See Harrison 1st 202

[illegible] Old wrapper

No 18/228

[illegible] sur. ptd 11/16/80

[illegible] heirs of orig. 2594.90 acres

No [illegible]56 vol. 23 - 14,629,600 [illegible]

One sur. ptd. 6/13/83

to heirs of orig.

919.20 acres

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One sur. ptd. aug. 2/75 198 acres

to heirs of orig.

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[illegible]

[illegible] C. Franklin. 9-16-35

[illegible] 3-28-49

[illegible] Oil Corp. 2-6-50

No. 18228 Class First Quantity 20.908.375 Sq Vs

General Land Office,

AUSTIN, March 13th, 1873

To any Legally authorized Surveyor of the State of Texas:

This is to Certify, That Heredright Certificate No. 244 issued to the Heirs of William Humphreys, decd by the Board of Land Commissioners of Shelby County on the twelfth day of February 1838, for One League and One Labor, or twenty six millions Sq Vs of Land, is now on file in this Office, upon which Five Millions, ninety one thousand, six hundred and twenty five (5.091.625) Square Varas have been returned and patented, leaving a balance of Twenty Millions, nine hundred and eight thousand, three hundred and seventy five (20.908.375) Square Varas to be located, which you are authorized to survey by virtue of this Certificate.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the Seal of said Office, the date first above written.

Jacob Kuechler
Commissioner.

See File 202. Harrison 1st class for orgl Cert

Charge J. H. Williams 50 cts

Wm Humphreys
Duplicate

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Heirs of William Humphreys

U. B. Certificate

20.908.375 p.q.m.

No. 18/228.

Filed Dec 31/74

Rhoads Fisher

Ch. Clk

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The State of Texas } Survey No. List No.
County of San Augustine } Field notes of a survey of Sq. varas of Land made for William Humphrey Samuel Strickland Administrator It being a part of the quantity of land to which he is entitle by virtue of Duplicate Unlocated Ballance No. 18/228 Class 1st issued by Jacob Knechler Commissioner of the General Land Office Austin Texas on the 13th day of March 1873 for 20908375 Squars varas of land said Survey is situated about 6 Miles East of the Town of San Augustine in said County on the waters of the Palago cho creek atributary of the Sabine River

Beginning at the N.W. corner of the E. A. Loyd Survey from which a pine mk W.N.S br N 81° E 5 vs a black Jack mk W.N.S br N 5° W 8 vs Thence South with E. A. Loyds West boundary line and at 2608 varas his S.W. corner and intersecting the N.W. corner of M. Ussurys Survey continuing South with his line passing his S.W. ~~and~~ all 5340 varas to a Stake Pattersons S.W. corner Thence West with the North boundary line of Survey No. 64 and at 1644 varas to corner a Stake from which a pine mk S br N 55° E 2 varas Thence S 54° W 107 varas to a Stake from which a Red oak br N 33° E 5 varas and ash br S 3° W 9 vs Thence N 50° 10' W with the N.E. boundy line of No. 57 372 varas to a Stake the S.E. corner of Thomas M. Chumleys preemption Survey from which a black gum mk J H Thence N 52° E with the said Chuleys S.E. boundary line 1208 varas to his N.E. corner from which a hickory mk + Br South 7 vs a hickory mk + Br N 20° E 7 vs Thence N 50° 10' W with said Chumleys N.E. boundary line 768 varas to his corner on James Noels S.E. boundary line from which a hickory mk + Br N 70° E 12 vs and a hickory mk + Br N 27° W 8 varas Thence N 52° E with said Noels S.E. boundary line and at 124 varas intersecting

I do hereby certify that the within survey is surrounded entirely by valid locations of prior date W. N. Whitton S.A.C.

The S.E. corner of Hiriam Davises Survey of 160 acres of land continuing same course with said Davises N.E. boundary line in all 1074 varas to said Davises N.E. corner from which a Sarsafras mk + Br S70°W 1 vs and a Sarsafras mk + Br West 1 vs Thence S88°W with his N.E. boundary line 950 varas to said Davises N.W. corner from which a Post Oak mk + Br S60°W 2 varas and a pine mk + Br N70°E 7 vs Thence S52°W with his N.W. boundary line 350 vs varas to the South East corner of Alfred Teels Survey of 160 acres from which a pine mk + Br N20°E 5 vs a pine mk + Br N80°E 4 varas Thence North with the said Teels East boundary line 830 varas Jacob Ransoms S.W. corner from which a Red Oak mk + Br East 7 varas Thence East with said Ransoms South boundary line 950 varas to his S.E. corner from which a pine mk + Br North 8 varas a hickory mk + Br N48°E 8 varas Thence North with the East boundary line of said Ransom survey 950 varas to his N.E. corner on B.H. Sims South boundary line from which a pine mk + Br S30°E 3 varas a pine mk + Br West 7 varas Thence East with the South boundary line of said Simses Survey ~~[illegible]~~ varas to his S.E. corner from which a pine mk + Br S48°W 2.6 varas and pine mk + Br N28°E 5 varas Thence North with said Sims East boundary line 950 varas to his N.E. corner a pine mk + Br N20°W 2 varas and pine mk + Br N40°E 2 varas Thence ~~West with said Sims North boundary line [illegible] varas~~ East 240 varas to the place of beginning Survey October 14th 1874

Thomas Sublett } Chainers
& Robert Jenkins }

W.N. Whitton
Co Surveyor of S.A.C

I W.N. Whitton Surveyor of Sanlingustine County do hereby certify that the foregoing survey was made according to law and the limits + boundaries together with the marks both natural and artificial are truly described in the foregoing field notes and that they are recorded in my office in Book 2 Page 184 given under my hand at office Oct 2 1874

W.N. Whitton
Co Surveyor S.A.C

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Field Notes of

Heirs of William Humphries

Filed Decr 31/74

Rhoads Fisher

Chf Clk

See below & on M. Carpenter's survey 1-44 - otherwise correct on map of San Augustine Co.

July 30/75 C. W. Pressler

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Error N 10 "

" W 60 "

July 23/75

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San Augustine 1st

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The State of Texas } Survey No Dist No
County of Sanlingustine } Field notes of a Survey
of 1089485 Sqr varas of Land made for William
Humphrey Samuel Strickland Administrator
at being a part of the quantity of land to which
he is entitle by virtue of Duplicate Unlocated
[illegible]
Kuechler Commissioner of the General Land Office
Austin Texas on the 13th day of March A.D. 1873
for 20908375 Sqr varas of land said survey is
situated in Sanlingustine about 7 miles east of the
Town of Sanlingustine in said County and on the waters
of the Palazacho creek a tributary of the Sabine River
Beginning at the North west corner of B. F. Simms Preemption
survey at a hickory mk + Br S60°E 4 vs Thence South
with said Simms west boundary line 950 varas to his S.W.
cor on Jacob Ransoms North boundary line a hickory mk +
Br N30E 4 vs a hickory mk + Br S40°W 8 varas
Thence west with said Ransoms North boundary line
406 varas to his N.W. cor on Richmond Jenkins East
boundary line Thence north 120 vs with his East boundary line to his N.E. corner a hickory
mk + Br N60W 1.2 varas a pine mk + Br S50°W 6 vs
Thence west with said Jenkins North boundary line
862 varas to a stake on said line the S.E. cor of Samuel Young's Survey a pine mk + Br
S10°W 7 vs Thence North 830 varas with the East
boundary line of Samuel Young's Survey to his N.E.
cor a pine mk + Br west 3 varas Thence East 1268
to the place of beginning Surveyed October 14th 1874
Jacob Ransom } Chains W N Whitton
Alfred Teel } Co Surveyor of Sanlingustine Co
I W.N. Whitton County Surveyor of Sanlingustine
do hereby certify that I have examined the within
field Notes and find them correct and the
Survey made according to Law and that the same is
Recorded in my office in Book 3rd Page 215
given under my hand Octobr 21th 1874 W.N. Whitton
Co Surveyor of S.A.C

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San Augustine Ct Class.

Field Notes of

1089485, 52, 193 acres

Heirs of Wm Humphreys

Filed Dec 31/75

Rhoads Fisher,

Chief

On M. Carpenter's survey 1-44 otherwise correct and map of San Augustine County. July 31/75

C. W. Pressler

Surrounded by calls.

Patented August 2/1875

Deld to J. K. Williams

Nov. 23/75

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C/C July 23/75

JHH

The State of Texas } Survey No. Dist No.
County of San Augustine }

Field Notes of a Survey of 14649280 Square Vars of Land made for William Humphreys Samuel Strickland Admr. - It being a part of the Quantity of Land to which he is entitled by virtue of Duplicate Unlocated Ballance No. 18/228 Class 1st Issued by Jacob Kuechler Comissioner of the General Land Office at Austin Texas on the 13th day of March AD 1873 for 20908375 Square varas of Land - Said Survey is Situated in San Augustine County on the waters of Mill Creek South of Patroon Bayou a tributary of the Sabine River about 4 miles No 45 East from the Town of San Augustine ~~County~~

Beginning at the ~~South~~ West Corner of Land - Surveyed October 16 - 18 [illegible]

John H. Wilkerson } Chain } W. N. Whitton
J Passmore } men } Co Surveyor of S. A. C

I Wm N Whitten County Surveyor for San Augustine County do hereby certify that I have Examined the within Plat and Field Notes and

the North Titled Survey of John Cartwright and the 8th Corner of J Biddicks on the N line of A. B. Dillard and on the East line of E Denirk a Stake from which a Black Jack brs E 4 vrs a Black Jack brs S 80 W 2 vrs marked X - Thence N 9.20 E 2000 vrs J Biddicks 8th corner and a Corner of J T Patterson a Stake from which a Pine brs N 20 vrs X Thence with Pattersons S' line S 80 40 E 1772 vrs a Stake from which J T Pattersons S E Cor Thence N 9 20" E 2000 varas Pattersons N E corner on the South line of a Rail Road Scrip Survey.

Thence S 80 40 E 2053 vrs the N W Corner of J H Wilkerson's Preemption Survey from which a white oak brs S 20 E 3 vrs marked X - Thence S 9 20 W 950 vrs Said W's S W Corner a Stake from which a Pine brs W 1 var a Pine brs N 70 E 2 vrs marked X Thence S 80 40 E 950 vrs W's S E Corner a Pine brs S 80 E 6 vrs marked X Thence N 9 20 E 950 vrs W's N E Corner a Stake from which

a Pine brs N 80 E 1 var a Pine brs West 1 var marked X Thence S 80 40 E 225 vrs J G Saunders' Corner a Stake from which a Beach 36 in Dia brs N 58 W 8 3/10 vrs a white oak brs N 31 W 4 vrs Thence S 9 20 W 4000 vrs M Ussrys Survey a Stake from which a pine brs S 87 W 3 4/10 vrs and a pine brs N 46 3/4 W 5 vrs each marked X Thence N 80 40 West 5000 vrs the place of Beginning Containing 14649280 Square varas of Land after Deducting the 160 acre Preemption Survey of G W Graves which Begins at a Stake Standing S 60 W 1300 vrs from the S W Corner of J H Wilkersons Preemption Survey a Stake from which a Sweet Gum brs N 60 E 7 vrs marked X Thence N 40 W 950 vrs a Stake from which a Pine brs N 3 vrs marked X Thence S 50 W 950 vrs a Stake from which a Beach brs N 3 E 6 vrs marked X Thence S 40 E 950 vrs a Stake from which a Pine brs S 6 vrs a Post 10 brs S 30 E 3 vrs Mr X Thence N 50 East 950 vrs the Beginning — 3 Labores of which is Arable the ballance Pasture Land - Surveyed October 16th - 1874 -

John H. Wilkerson } Chain } W. N. Whitton
T Passmore } men } Co Surveyor of S. A. C

I Wm N Whitten County Surveyor for San Augustine County do hereby certify that I have Examined the within Plat and Field Notes and

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Field Notes of

14.649.280 Sq. vs.

Heirs of William Humphreys.

Filed Dec'r 31./74

Rhoads Fisher

Chf Clk

Covers John Cartwright tifted November 29/85.

See below - besides the connection of Graves presumption as given herein does not correspond with his fieldnotes Graves begins S 74° W 1120 vs from Wilkerson's S W corner and not S 50° W 1200 vs - Correction required

July 31/75 C. W. Prefsler

Includes another survey

Lines must be so run as to exclude the other survey - Separate field notes of the other survey not subpoint -

July 23/75

JHH

Wm Humphreys
Field Notes -
14649280 Sq vs

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Filed Dec 31/74

Chf Clk

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The Survey made according to Lane and that the Same is Recorded in my Office Book No 3 Page 211 & 212

Given under my hand at Office this 21st day of October A.D. 1874

W. H. Whitton
Co. Surveyor of S. A. Co

fill this with the preemption & cooper files —

The State of Texas
San Augustine County } I William N Whitton County Surveyor for San Augustine County do hereby Certify that the above Plat is correct and that the Survey of Wm Humphreys as Therein Represented is entirely Surrounded by valued Locations and Surveys as Shows from the Records of my Office. Given under my hands at Office October 22nd 1874

W. N. Whitton
Co. Surveyor of S. A. C

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Surveyor's Certificate

of Plat—

Heirs of William Humphries

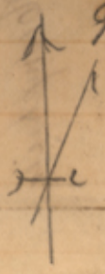
Filed Dec 31/74

Rhoads Fisher

Chf Clk

Scale of 4000 Vrs to the inch —

Variation 9° 20"



The State of Texas
County of San Augustine } I Wm N Whitton County Surveyor

for San Augustine County do hereby certify that the Survey of William Humphreys as represented in the above map and Field Notes here to attached are entirely surrounded by other valued Locations and Surveys as shows from the Records of my Office Given under my hand and Official Signature this 22nd day of October 1874 —

W. N. Whitton
Co. Surveyor of S. A. C.

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Surveyor's Certificate of Map.

Heirs of William Humphries

Filed Dec 31/74

Rhoads Fisher

Chf Clk

The State of Texas
County of Wilson

This is to certify that I know Martin West to be a true and lawful heir of Wm Humphreys Deceased late of Shelby County Texas,

(Hamp West sign here)

Hampton his X mark West

Sworn & and subscribed before me this 24th day of June A D 1877

I certify which I hereto sign my name and affix Impress of my official Seal at Office in said County this the day and year first aforesaid

J. M. Bird
J. P. Prect No 4
W. C.

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Wm Humphrys

Proof of kinship

Filed July 6/77

[illegible] Comm

Affidavice
Hampton Wat-
To
P.B. Pelley

The State of Texas
County of Atascosa

Before me
A. G. Martin County Clerk Atascosa Co Texas
personally appeared Peter Tumlinson
to me well known who on oath
says that Martin S. West now
a resident citizen of Wilson
County Texas is truly and
lawfully an Heir of Mrs
Humphreys deceased, late of
Shelby County Texas. ~~and as~~
~~and~~

Peter Tumlinson

Sworn to and subscribed before
me this 17 day of May
A D 1877 —

A G Martin
County Clerk Atascosa Co.
Texas

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San Augustine 1st Cap

Wm Humphreys
Proof of hinship

Filed July 6/77
[illegible]
Comm

The State of Texas
County of Wilson

Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared Martin S. West a citizen of said Wilson County to me well known who on oath says that the following named persons are Heirs of Wm Humphries deceased late of Shelby County Texas, Wm J. Bird, Malvina Wiley, James West, Wm West, David West Sarah West Martin West Philip West, F. M Jackson, W A Jackson, S. M Jackson and M. M Jackson and Nancy Robinson, and that said heirs are the lawful owners of the L. & L. Certificate granted said Wm Humphries deceased —

Martin S. West

Sworn & and subscribed before me this 29th day of June A D 1877 —

J B Dolley
Notary Public
Wilson County Tex

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Affs of Ownership

Wm Humphreys

Aff Ownership

Filed July 6/77

[illegible]

Comm

Marshall Texas June 11th 1878
Hon J J Gross
Comr Genl Land Office
Dear Sir

Please find the inclosed Certificate of Heirships of Wm Humphreys and Saml Strickland which you will please Fill in your Office with the Location of the Wm Humphreys Hd Right Location in San Augustine County. and hope that this with the Chain of Letters I filed with you April 16th will hold good with you in Remanding said Cert. back on my Location in Sean Augustine County — And Let me Suggest to you that my Location not being in Conflict with any other valid Clame. I think you will find that Polly had no right to withdraw it from the Genl Land Office for Relocation —

Please give your direct attention to this matter and Oblige yours most Respectfully J K Williams

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J. K. Williams

84 Marshall Texas

June 11/78

Sending affidavits of heirship, for Wm Humphreys claim.

Recd & filed June 15/78

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The State of Texas
County of Wilson

Know all men by these presents that I Martin West have this day nominated constituted and appointed and by these presents do nominate constitute and appoint I B Polley Every my true and lawful agent and attorney in law & in fact in my name place and stead to demand and receive of and from the Commissioner of the Land Office of the State of Texas any and all certificates for land to which as an heir of William Humphries deceased I am entitled - this the 21th day of Pursuant 1877 (Year)

M. S. West

The State of Texas
County of Wilson

Before me the undersigned authority personally appeared Martin West to me well known who to me acknowledged that he had signed sealed

and delivered the above and
foregoing instrument of writing
and he declared the same to be
his act & deed for the purposes
and considerations therein expressed
To certify which I hereunto
sign my name & affix impress
of my official seal at office
this 24th day of June AD
1877 –

Jane M. Bird
J. P. Prec No. WC & Ex Officio
Notary Public

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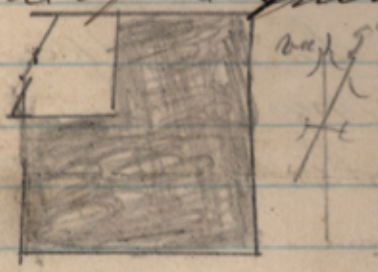
San Augustine 1st Clap 1877
Martin West
Wm Humphreys
Martin Stiles
Vs & Pfd. D. Polley
J. B. Polley
Filed July 6/77
Wm Lewis

The State of Texas } Survey No. Dist No.
San Augustine County } Corrected Field Notes
of a Survey of 14.629 600
Square varas of Land made for the Heirs of Wm Humphreys Saml Strickland Admr. —
It being a part of the quantity of Land to which they are entitled by virtue of Duplicate Unlocated Battance No. 18/228 Class 1st Issued by Jacob Kuechler Comissioner of the General Land Office at Austin Texas on the 13th day of March 1873 for 20.908.375 Sqr vrs of Land - Said Survey is Situated in San Augustine County on the waters of Mill Creek South of Patroon Bayou a Tributary of the Sabine River - about 4 miles N 45 E from the Town of San Augustine — Beginning at the South West Corner of the (North) Titled Survey of John Cartwright and the 8th Corner of J Biddick on the North line of J Dillard and on the East line of E Quirk a Stake from which a Black Jack vrs East 4 vrs a Black Jack vrs S 80 W 2 vrs - marked X —



Thence North 9-20 East 2000 vrs J Biddicks 9th Corner and a Corner of J. T. Pattersons a Stake from which a pine vrs North 20 vrs marked +

Thence South 80 $\frac{3}{40}$ E 1782 varas with Pattersons Survey a Stake at Pattersons South East corner. Thence North 9 $\frac{3}{20}$ East 2000 vrs Pattersons N E corner on the South line of a Rail Road Survey Thence S 80 $\frac{3}{40}$ E 2043 vars the N W [illegible] J H Wilkersons Preemption Survey from which a white oak bers S 20 E 3 vrs marked X. Thence S 9 $\frac{20}{}$ W 950 vrs Said Wm South West corner a Stake from which a Pine bers W 1 var a Pine bers S 70 E 2 vars marked X. Thence South 74 West 1120 varas the East corner of Gio W Graves Preemption sur a Stake from which a Sweet Gum bers N 60 E 7 vrs marked X. Thence N 40 W 950 vrs a Stake from which a Pine bers N 3 vrs marked X. Thence South 50 West 950 vrs a Stake from which a Beach bers N 3 vrs mark X. Thence South 40 E 950 vrs a Stake from which a Pine bers South 6 vrs a Post oak bers S 30 E 3 vrs marked X Thence N 50 E 950 to Said Graves Beginning —

Thence (Back) N 74 E 1120 vrs to Said Wilkersons South West corner. Thence S 80 $\frac{40}{}$ E with Wm South line 950 vrs his S E corner from which a Pine bers S 80 E 6 vrs mark X. Thence N 9 $\frac{20}{}$ E 950 vrs Said Wilkersons N E corner from which a Pine bers N 80 E 1 var a Pine bers W 1 var marked X Thence S 80 $\frac{40}{}$ E 225 vrs J S Sanders corner a Stake from which a Beech 36 inches in Diameter bers N 58 W 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ vrs a White oak N 3 W 4 vrs

Thence South 9.25 West 4000 varas M Ussury's Survey a Stake from which a Pine bes S 87 W 3 4/10 vrs a Pine bes N 46 3/4 W 5 vars. Thence N 80 40 West 5000 to the place of Beginning containing 14-600 Square varas of Land

Resurveyed November 1st 1875

John H. Wilkerson } Chain
Charles Holcomb } men
P Moore -

W. N. Whitton
Surveyor of S.A.Co

5 Labores arable the ballance Pasture Land

I, W. N. Whitten County Surveyor for San Augustine County do hereby certify that I have Examin the within Field Notes and find them correct and the Reasurvey made according to Law and that the same is Recorded in my Office in Book No 4 Page 86 & 87

This November 1st 1875

W. N. Whitton
Co Surveyor of S.A.Co

Surveyor of S.A.C

Wm Humphreys — 11

Field Notes Corrected

14.629.600 Sqr. Vrs

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San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs of Wm Humphreys

14.629.600 sqrs.

Corrected fieldnotes

Filed April 17 78

[signature]

Comr

There is another set of fieldnotes differing from this set only by a difference of 10 in the course of lines. The endorsement thereon also applies to this set.

Orlob. 26/80 C.W. Pressler

Cancelled by corrected fieldnotes.

present location said Williams to bring suit and employ attorneys at his own expense in all cases, said Williams being authorized to recive & Collect sue and be sued in our names and whatsoever he may do in the premises shall be equally as binding as if we was present and to do the same ourselves (in law and Equity) In testimony whereof we each of us hereunto set our hands and seals using scrawls for seals this the 8th day of December A.D. 1860

James Strickland Seal
David Strickland Seal

The State of Texas } Know all men
County of Freestone } by these presents that I John T Gill Notary Public in and for said State and County do hereby certify that the foregoing power of attorney was signed before by James Strickland and David Strickland for the purposes therein specified. Given under my hand and seal of office at Butler Freestone County Texas this 8th day of December A.D. 1860

L. S.

John T. Gill
Notary Public F. C. T.

I Certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the original power of Attorney and certificate of proof as filed in my office June 20th at 9 Oclock AM this June 20.. 1871

C. E. Balles Clerk
By M. R. Geer Deputy.

The State of Texas
County of Harrison

I the undersigned authority do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true & correct copy of Power of Attorney from ~~the~~ James & David Strickland to J. K. Williams as appears from the records of my office in record Book X pages 365 & 6.

To Certify which I hereto sign my name and affix the seal of my office at Marshall this the 15th day of April AD 1878

Jake Wolff Clerk of County Court Harrison County Texas

COUNTY COURT OF HARRISON COUNTY TEXAS

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San Augustine 1st Clap
Hrs of Wm Humphreys
James Strickland Ex'l
To Z Power Attorney
J. K. Williams
Transcript
Filed April 17 1878
[signature]
Coun

The State of Texas }
Harrison County } Know all men
by these presents
that I Louisa M Williams wife of
J.K. Williams of Harrison County
and State of Texas have this day
and do by these presents Constit-
-tute and apoint my Husband
J.K. Williams as my General and
Lawful agent for me and in my
name to Sell transfer and convey
at his own discretion with warra-
-tee or other wise any Lands which I
own in the State of Texas or any
part thereof to any purchaser
who may agree with him in the
Sale of the same either for cash
or other effects as my said Attorney
may see proper in said Sales and
my said Husband is further author-
-ized to Sue and be Sued in my name
to Compromize and be Compromized
with in my name any Suit that is
or may be pending and to act for
me and in my stead and whatso-
ever he may do in the premises he
is authorized to Receive and Receipt
for the same to use and Sign my name

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in all his acts in the premises and the same shall be as valid and binding in Law as if I was personally present and to do the same myself - In testimony whereof I hereunto Set my Hand and Seal using a Scrawl for Seal this October 30th A.D 1875

L. M. Williams Seal

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Harrison.

Before me, W. C. PIERCE, *Clerk of the District Court of Harrison County, personally appeared* L M Williams *to me well known, and acknowledged that* he *had executed the annexed* Power of Attorney *or instrument in writing, bearing date on the* 30 *day of* October *A. D. 187*5, *for the consideration and purposes therein stated.*

To certify which, I hereto sign my name and affix the seal of my office, at the city of Marshall, this the 30 *day of* October *A. D. 187*5

W C Pierce Clerk D. C. H. C.

By A. C. Martin Deputy.

L. M. Williams
To J. K. Williams
Power of Atty

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San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs of Wm Humphreys

Louisa M. Williams

To Power of Atty

J. K. Williams

filed april 17/78

Clerk

The State of Texas } Know all men by
County of Gonzales } these presents that
we Hampton West and his wife Sarah
West of Bexar County Texas have this
day, for a valuable consideration to us
paid by Louisa M Williams wife of J. K.
Williams of Panola county Texas the
receipt of which is hereby acknowledged
& bargained sold and by these presents
do bargain sell release transfer and
convey unto the said Louisa M Williams
all our right title and interest in and
to the head right certificate of William
Humphreys, Samuel Strickland Admin-
istrator No 244, class 1st Issued by the
Board of Land Commissioners of Shelby
County for one League and Labor of Land
(the said Susan West, being an only child
of said William Humphreys deceased) to
have and to hold the same with all the
Lands secured or may be secured by virtue
of said Headright Certificate with all the
appurtenances thereunto belonging or in
any wise appertaining unto the said Loui-
sa M Williams her heirs Administrators
Exrs &c, and assigns forever free from the
claim of our heirs Exrs Admrs and assigns
but do warrant and defend the title

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of any location of said Certificate witness our hands and scrawls for seals this the 8th day of January A.D. 1861,

Attest W. H. his mark West. (Seal)

H L Scoggins Susanah her mark West (Seal)

S. A. Wallace,

The State of Texas, Before the undersig Coun[illegible] of Gonzales ned authority this day personally appeared W. H. West and Susanah West his wife who acknowledged that they signed the within and foregoing Instrument of writing as the makers thereof for the uses and purposes therein set forth. And Susanah West wife of the said W. H. West, being examined by me separate and apart from her said Husband, and after hearing the contents of the same made known to her acknowledged that she signed the same of her own free will and accord thro no fear or compulsion from her said Husband and wished not to retract it To Certify which I have placed my hand and Official seal this 8th day of January A.D. 1861.

J. C. Gillespie N.P.
G. C.

L S

B'

The State of Texas, } I, W. H. Crouch,
County of San Augustine } County Clerk
within and for the County and State
aforesaid do hereby Certify that the
foregoing is a true and correct Copy
made from the records of my Office
all of which is now manifest in
Book F. No. 2. page 586. Records of
Real Estate for said County and State

In Testimony whereof
witness my hand and
seal of Office in the town
of San Augustine Texas on
this the 11th day of April
A.D. 1878. W. H. Crouch
County Clerk of San Augustine County
Texas.

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File 84.

San Augustine 1st Class

Heirs of Wm Humphreys

Hamp West & Wife

To Deed

Copy

1 L & L Cert of Wm Humphreys

J. M. Williams

Filed 24th Feby 1875

for Record

W. H. Crouch Clerk

San Augustine County Texas

Recorded 24th Feby 1875 W. H. Crouch Clerk

Filed April 17, 78

[illegible] Comr

The State of Texas } Know all men by
Freestone County } these presents that we
Amos Strickland and
William E. Mann and his wife Rachel
Mann of the County of Freestone and
State of Texas Said Amos and Rachel being
Children and Heirs of Samuel Strickland
Dec'd have this day for and consideration
of the sum of Nine Hundred and Sixty
Dollars to us in hand paid by Elbert L.
M. Williams of the County of Panola and
the State of Texas (the receipt whereof is
hereby acknowledged) Bargained, Sold and
by these presents do bargain sell transfer
and convey unto Sd Laurie M. Williams
all our right title claim and interest in
and to the following described tracts of
land and land certificates (viz) one League
and Labor of land the Headright survey
of our Grand Father David Strickland, sit-
uated in Red River County Texas and
further described by the records of the survey
in the surveyor's office of Said Red River
County, also the Headright survey of our
Mother Mary Strickland's first Husband
William Humphrey's situated in Panola
County Texas on the Waters of Murvals
Bayou and further described by the field

Notes of said Survey in the Surveyor's office of said Panola County, also our interest in the Headright of 320 land warrant our half brother Squire Humphreys situated in the County of Panola and further described by the Record of said Survey in said Surveyors office, also the headright of our Father Samuel Strickland for one half league of land issued in Shelby County and located on Plum Creek in Shelby County, and further described by the field notes of same in the surveyors office of said County, and said William S Mann and Rachael Mann Conveys all their rights and titles in and to her Grand Mother Mary Strickland Headright survey in Panola County on the waters of Murvales Bayou and further described in the field Notes of said survey in the Surveyors office of said County to have and to hold the same with all the appurtenances thereunto Belonging or in anywise appertaining to have own and control free from the claim of ourselves our heirs administrators Exrs and assigns forever unto the said L M Williams heir heirs, Admrs Exrs and assigns we hereby relinquish quit claim & convey

In testimony whereof we hereunto set
our hands and seals seralls for seals
this 15th day of October 1866

Amos Strickland Seal
Attest Wm Mann Seal
Rachael Mann Seal

Amos Strickland
A L Parker

The State of Texas } Personally appeared
County of Freestone } before me James R
Mobley and acting Justice
of the peace in and for Freestone County
in the State of Texas Amos Strickland
W S Mann and Rachael mann who is
to me personally known and whose
signature appears to the foregoing deed
in writing and acknowledged that they
signed sealed the foregoing deed of convey
ance for the purposes & consideration
therein stated. the above specified Rachael
Mann being examined apart & seperate
from her husband W S Mann Sayeth
upon oath that she signed the foregoing
deed of conveyance for the purpose &
Consideration therein stated. without
any persuasion or fear of her
husband W S Mann

Sworn & subscribed to before me
October 15. 1866

James R Mobley
J P.

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The State of Texas } I A G Anderson
County of Freestone } Clerk of the County
Court in and for
said County do hereby certify that James
R Mobley is now an acting Justice of
the Peace & has been so acting under
his Election & Qualification in and for
the County of Freestone from the
20th of August AD 1860 up to
the present time & full faith and
credit should be given to all his
acts as such. In testimony of which
I hereunto sign my name & affix
the seal at said Court at office
in the town of Fairfield this the 16th day
of October AD 1866

A G Anderson Clk
County Court Freestone Co
Texas.

S B

I certify the foregoing to be a true
correct copy of the original deed
& certificate of proof as filed in
my office June the 20th at 9 o'clock a
m this June 20 1871

C E Bolles Clk
by M R Geer Deputy

C E

I hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true & correct transcript from the records in my office as found in Book X of Records of Deeds Page 268

Test Jake Wolfolk
Co. County Court of
Harrison County & seal
of same at Marshall
this 15th day of April
A.D. 1878

Jake Wolfolk Co. Clk

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San Augustine 1st Class.

Heirs of Wm Humphrey

Amos Strickland et al.

To { Copy of deed

Louisa M. Williams

Filed April 17/78

J. Wood
Comr

Amos Strickland
& Rachael Mann
To Deed To Land

Cert Copy.
J King Williams
Shelby

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File 84

San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs of Wm Humphreys

1-~~1,089,485~~ Sqr vs

2-1,089,485 " "

14,649,280 " "

NB CERTIFICATE No. 18/228 R

See 202 Harison 1st fr orgl

See endorsement and fieldnotes
July 31/75 C. W. Pressler.

Sur. of 1,089,485 sqr vrs. mkd. ptd.

Patent one Survey of mkd ptd Jul.
1,089,485 sq vrs to the H.
of Wm Humphreys, decd,
July 31/75 Fisher

Patented August 2/875
No 206 - Vol 21

Fr. gvs

U/B Certificate No 22/201
for 19,818,890 sq vs issued
& forwarded to J B Polley
Aug 1/77 [illegible]
Comm

Mgl. 17683

July 23/75
1c JHH.

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P/A.
Ap 17/78 Luck.

J. K. Williams

A. B. Vol. P.

The State of Texas
City of Austin Travis Co

Hon. J. J. Groose -
Comd. of the Genl Land Office
Austin Texas -

Dear Sir -

I have to inform you that the Rights and Interest of my wife Louisa M Williams - the proper owner of the Head Right Cert. of Wm Humphreys Dec'd - as Located in San Augustine County Texas - has been thrown in Jeopardy by your Suffering one Jothin B Dolly to withdraw the Ren Located Ballance of the Humphreys Hd Rt Cert. - In abandonment of the Location of the Wm Humphreys Head Right in San Augustine County. I now only ask you to Remand the Wm Humphres - Duplicate to be Returned to the Genl Land Office - Sd Cert. Having been fraudulently withdrawn from your Office and that pt may I sue to the proper Locations in San Augustine County

Their being no Conflict with the Location in San Augustin County you Should not have Suffered the Humphres certificate with drawn by Polly even if he had the better Title - under the Cause you Cannot Suffer a Certificate raised and Relocated unless it is directly in Conflict with other vallid Titles; which is not the Case - in this Wm Humphreys Location in St Augustine County -- Please give your Special attention to this and write me at Marshall Texas when you Can foward the Patent to me - or to A W DeBerry - Cleiburn Johnson County Texas ——

Please Sel the Corrected Field Notes of W N Whitten County Surveyor of San Augustine County Texas And I Hope you will find all right and I Give the Patent to the proper Parties and Your favour will much Oblige yours Truly ——

J K Williams

P.S. - I have my Chain of Titles & Corrected F Notes filed to day in your Office - Please write to J B Polly to Return the cert. and let Pat. Issue in St Augte J K W

Memorial of
J. K. Williams to
Hon. J. J. Groose
Comd. Saul & Phil
Wm Humphreys H. W. Co

P.S. The real Heirs of Wm Humphreys etc is 1st Susan West wife of Hampton West the only Surviving Heir of Wm Humphreys —

The widow of William Humphreys married Saul Strickland and had Children Amos Saml - James & Rachael & Rachael now being the wife of Mann of Bell County Texas - The Strickland Boys live in Free Stone County —

And are the Heirs of the Community Interest of their mother —

Please see Power of Atty and Transfers from the Strickland Heirs & Hamp West and wife to L. M. Williams I hereby as agent for L. M. Williams Protest against the withdrawal of the

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this the above day and date —

D. Y. Gammage
Notary Public
Panola Co Texas

Wm Certificate by said Polley, and I will have on file in your Office full proof of the proper Heirship of the Lord Strickland Children and that Susanah Wist was the only Surviving child & Heir by Wm Humphres —

Please file this as a protest against further action by Mr Polly and have the Humphres certificate Remanded back to (File No - 84 - 1st Class San Augustine) where it belongs — Please give this prompt attention and Oblige yours Truly —

J. K. Williams —
Agent & Atty for —
Lt Wm Williams and
A. H. DeBerry —

File 84.
San Augustine 1st Class.
Hrs of Wm Humphreys

Letter from J. K. Williams requesting the cancellation of U.B. Cert. No. 22/201. and issuance of patents on corrected surveys under the old Cert. No. 18/228.

Filed April 1878
[signature] Clerk

The State of Texas } Personally appeared
County of Panola } before me the under-
Signed authority Mary Nail widow
of Andrew Nail Dec^d - who after being by me
duly Sworn States on oath that she was
well acquainted with Polly Humphreys the
wife of William Humphreys Dec^d -
who was the mother and Father Susan
Humphreys who became the wife of
Hampton West - formely of Panola County
Texas - and She the Said affiont further
State on oath - That after the death of the
Said William Humphreys Dec^d - in Shelby
County the Said Polly Humphreys became
the wife of Samuel Strickland Dec^d
of Shelby County and State of Texas
and had four children by Him (Joint
Amos Strickland James Strickland
Saml Strickland and Rachael Strick-
land - now Rachael Mann and that
they are the legal Children of the Said
Samuel Strickland Dec^d - To certify
which I herto Set my hand and official
Seal this the 1st - day of June A.D. 1878

her
Mary Nail x mark

Sworn to and Subscribed before me
this the above day and date -

D Y Gammage
Notary Public
Panola Co Texas

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Hrs of Wm Humphreys

Proof of Heirship.

Filed June 15/78

Rhoads Fisher

Chief Clerk

Heirs of Wm Humphreys
Polly Humphreys
& Sam Stockland
Mary Neil

The State of Texas } Personally appeared
Panola County } before me the under
signed authority Solethia Botton formerly
the widow of Joseph Graves Decd and the
Sister of Hampton West and after being
by me Duly Sworn States on oath that she
was well acquainted with Polly Humphreys wif of Wm
Humphreys Decd of Shelby County Texas
and States that She Knows that Susan Hum
-phreys who married and became the wife
of Hampton West (formerly of Panola County
Texas) was the legal Child and only Heir
of the Said Polly and Williams Humphreys
at the time of his Death - And the Said
affiant further States on oath that
after the Death of the Said Wm Humphreys
the Said Polly widow of the Said Wm
Humphreys Decd married and became the
wife of Samuel Strickland Sr Decd
and by him as such wife had four
Children (Viz) Amos Strickland James
Strickland Samuel Strickland and
Rachael Strickland who is now married
and Known as Rachael Mann - and
that they are the only legal Children of the Said
Saml and Polly Strickland Decd
To certify which I hereto Set my hand and
Official Seal this the 7th day of June AD 1878
(Interlined before assigned in fith line above)

Saletha Bottoms her mark

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this the
above day and date - D T Gammage
Notary Public
Panola Co Texas

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File 84.

San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs of Wm Humphreys

Proof of heirship.

Filed June 15/78

Rhoads Fisher

Chief Clerk

1. January 84

Heirs of Mary ~~and~~ K. Humphreys ~~King H. Southam~~

certificat to Heirship

Saletha Bottom

88/372

June 18/78

Floresville
June 23rd 1878

Rhoads Fisher Esq
Chf Clk & Actg Commissioner
Genl Land Office

Dr Sir

Your favor of recent date is at hand & If you will examine papers on file, you will ascertain that my connection with the matter referred to was as agent and attorney acting under a power of attorney My agency as to that particular matter has ceased & The certificate no 22/201 has been delivered to the parties whom I represented and they as I understand long before any dispute about their ownership sold it to an innocent purchaser & They claim and my opinion can prove that they are the true heirs of Wm Humphries deceased the original Grantee & and that the heirs of Saml Strickland had no claim whatever on said certificate & The papers having passed out of my hands I cannot of course

comply with your request to return them &

Regretting that at this late date, any trouble should arise about the certificate and referring you for further information to the parties for whom I acted and to A. G. Pickett Esq of this place, the purchaser from them I am

Very Respectfully

J B Polley

The contents of this letter have been written to J. H. Williams at Marshall.

July 2/78 - Callaway

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Title 84

San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs of Wm Humphreys decd

Polley's statement, in regard to disposal of U. B. Cert.

Filed July 3/78

Chas. Fisher

Chief Clerk

Austin Tex Nov 15th 1880

Hon. W. C. Walsh

Commissioner Genl. Land office

Dear Sir — your favor 13th inst to hand and contents noted. And in answer have to say that I represent A. G. Pickett Sr. Esq of Floresville, Wilson County Tex in the ownership of 19,818,890 Sqr vary out of the surveys in San Augustine County, made by virtue of unlocated balance No 18/228 Class 1st dated 13th March 1873 issued to the heirs of William Humphreys, by Jacob Kuechler, Commissioner of the Genl. Land office. and I herewith return you for cancellation unlocated balance No 22/201 Class 1st for 19,818,890 Sqr vrs. dated August 1st 1877 which was no doubt issued in error.

I have in my possession chain of title from said Humphreys heirs to A. G. Pickett Sr. with proof of heirship. and respectfully ask that you do not ~~issue~~ issue or deliver patents to any adverse claimant until such time as the said Pickett may have due time to commence such legal proceedings as he may have right to do.

Very Respectfully

J. H. Collett

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San Augustine
1st class

Hrs Wm Humphreys

Letter returning Cert No 22/201 for cancellation

Filed Nov 16/80

Rhoads Fisher
Chf Clerk

Cert of Bill for Cancellation Nov 15/80 Mad
Shelley

No 22/201 Class First Quantity 19,818,890 Sq vs

General Land Office,

Austin, Texas, August 1st 1877.

To any Legally Authorized Surveyor of the State of Texas:

This is to Certify That Unlocated Balance Certificate No 18/228, issued to the Heirs of William Humphreys by Jacob Kuechler Commissioner of the General Land Office on the 13th day of March 1873 for 20,908,375 Sq vs of Land, is now on file in this Office, upon which One million and eighty nine thousand four hundred and eighty five (1,089,485) Square Varas have been returned and patented, leaving a balance of Nineteen Million eight hundred and eighteen thousand eight hundred and ninety (19,818,890) Square Varas to be located, which you are authorized to survey by virtue of this Certificate.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Office, the date first above written.

J. Spear

Commissioner.

See File 84 San Augustine 1st Class for orgl U.B. Certificate

Mrs Humphreys
Certificate

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San Augustine
1st Class
Hrs of Wm Humphrey
U B Cert 22/201
Filed Nov 16/82
Rhoada Hicks
Chf Clerk

The State of Texas } Know all men by these
County of Harrison } presence that we Louisa M
Williams and her Husband
J. K. Williams of the County of Harrison and State of Texas
have this day for and in Consideration of the sum
of a valuable Consideration of five hundred Dollars
to us in hand paid by our Daughter Laura E. Innerarity
by and through her Grand Parents J. W. & P. A. De Berry
(The Receipt wherof is hereby acknowledged)
bargained Sold and by these presence do bargain
sell Transfer and Convey unto the said L. E. Innerarity
3705 acres Thirty seven hundred and five acres of
Land Situated in the County of San Augustine and
State of Texas as Located by virtue of the Head
Right Certificate Issued by the Board of Land
Commissioners for Shelby County Texas to the Heirs
of Wm Humphreys Decd for one League & one Labore
of Land and Said Lands being further described
in The Field Notes of three Surveys Recorded in
the County Surveyors Office of San Augustin County
by virtue of Unlocated Ballance certificate No 18/228
for 20-908-375 Sq vares The certificate and Field Notes
of which are now on file in the Gen Land Office
Austin Texas - To have and to hold the said Lands with all
the appertinances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining; Unto the said Laura E Innerarity her Heirs &
Exrs Admrs and assignes forever we hereby warrant
and Defend the right and Title of the same against

ourselves our Heirs Admrs Exors and assignes and all persons Legally Claiming the Same or any part thereof. In Testimony whereof we hereunto Set our Hands and Seals using Scrawls for Seals This October 20th AD 1880

L. M. Williams [Seal]

J. K. Williams [Seal]

228.—JOINT ACKNOWLEDGMENT—J. P. Jennings Bros., Printers, Rulers, Blank Book Makers and Stationers, Marshall, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Harrison

BEFORE ME W J S Kellen Justice of the Peace and Ex-Officio Notary Public of Harrison County, personally appeared L. M. Williams ~~and~~ wife of J. K. Williams ~~his wife, both~~ to me well known and parties to a certain Deed or instrument in writing bearing date on the 20th day of October A. D. 1880 hereto annexed, and stated that ~~they~~ she had executed the same for the purposes and consideration therein stated, and the said L. M. Williams having been examined by me privily and apart from her said husband, and having the same by me fully explained to her, the said L. M. Williams acknowledged the same to be her act and deed, and declared that she had willingly signed, sealed and delivered the same, and that she wished not to retract it.

TO CERTIFY WHICH, I hereto sign my name and affix the seal of my office, at Marshall this the 25th day of October A. D. 1880

W J S Kellen

J. P. and Ex-Officio Notary Public.

J. K. & L. M. Williams
To deed –
Laura E Innerarity

Filed Nov 17/80

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San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs Wm Humphreys

L M & J K Williams

Poly Transfer

3705 acres

Laura E Inverarity

Filed Nov 17/80

Rhoads Fisher.

Chf Clerk

84 San Augustin 1st

The State of Texas } Field Notes of a
County of San Augustin } Resurvey of 5,189,290 –
Sqr. varas of Land made for the Heirs of William
Humphrey Samuel Streitland Administrator
it being a part of the land to which he is entitled
by Virtue of duplicate unlocated Balance No. 8/228
Class 1st issued by Jacob Kuechler Comr. of
the Genl. Land Office at Austin Texas on the
13th day of March 1873 – for 20,908,378 Sqr. vrs. of
land Said Survey is Situated about 7½ 6 Miles South East
of the Town of San Augustin in Said county on
the waters of Polagach creek a tributary of the
Sabine River Beginning at a Stake the S.W. cor.
of a Survey of 580 acres made for Wm. M. Layd assign. of M. Ussley
from which an ash Mkd. S brs. N60°W 7 varas
Thence West with the North Betry. line of Survey
No. 64 – and on with old line 1616 varas to a Stake
from which a pine Mkd. + brs. N55°E, 2 varas Thence
S54°W 107 vars to a Stake from which a Sweet gum
brs. N33°E 5 vrs an ash brs. S3°W 9 vrs. Thence N50°W
with the N.E. Betry. line of No. 87 – 372 varas to a Stake
the S.E. cor. of T. M. Chumleys Sur. from which a Black
gum Mkd. J.H. Thence N52°E with Said Chumleys
S.E. Betry. line 1203 varas to his N.E. cor. from which a
Hickory brs. South 7 varas Mkd. + another Same mark brs.
N20°E 7 vrs. Thence N50°W with Said Chumleys N.E. Betry.
line 768 vrs. to his cor. on Jas. Noels S.E. Betry. line
from which a Hickory Mkd. + brs. N70°E 12 vrs another
Same mark brs. N27°W 8 vrs. Thence N52°E with Said
Noels S.E. Betry. line and at 124 varas intersecting
the S.E. cor. of Hiram Davises Sur. of 160 acres continuing
Same course with Said line in all 1074 varas

To Said Davises N.E. cor. from which a Sassafras Mkd + Brs. S70W 1 vr. and a Sassafras Mkd + West 1 vr Thence N38°W with his N.E. Bdry. line 950 vrs. to Said Davises N.W. cor. from which a Post Oak Mkd + brs. S60°W 2 vrs and Pine Mkd + brs. N70°E 7 vrs Thence S52°W with his N.W. Bdry. line 350 vrs. to a Stake in Said line from which a Pine Mkd + brs. N20°E 5 vrs. another brs. N80°E 4 vrs. Thence North 827 varas to the S.W. cor. of Jacob Ransoms Preemption Survey from which a Red Oak Mkd + brs. East 7 vrs. Thence East with Said Ransoms line 950 varas to his S.E. cor. from which a Pine Mkd + brs. North 8 vrs and a Hickory Mkd + brs. N80°E 8 vrs. Thence North with Same 413 varas to a Stake in Said line from which a Pine Mkd + brs. N80°E 7 v and a Small Hickory Mkd + Thence East 690 varas to a Stake in the west Bdry. line of Said Wm M Layds Survey from which a Small White Oak Mkd + Thence South with Said Layds line 3843 varas to the place of Beginning Resurveyed May 4th 1881

A. J. Johnson } W. N. Whitton
Robert Alexander } Chainers Surveyor of Se. A. C

I W. N. Whitton Surveyor of San Augustine Co do hereby certify that the foregoing Survey was made according to Law and that the limits boundaries and corners together with the marks both natural and artificial are truly described in the foregoing field notes and that they are recorded in my office in Book No 4 page 153 & 4 And I further certify that the above Survey was actually made in the field Variation 9°20' E

W. N. Whitton
Surveyor of Se. A. C

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MILAM SCRIP

Certificate No.

Mgl

No. 1. Certificate.

" 2. Field Notes.

" 3.

" 4.

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San Augustine 1st Class

Hrs of

Wm Humphreys

919 a

5189290 Sq Vs

Cor field notes

Filed May 12/81

Rhoada Fisher

Chf Clerk

Correct on map of San Augustine Co. June 11/83

No 76 vol 24 E. Vout

Notify Surveyor of the change, in 12th course the [illegible] has been changed as read E. A. Loyd June 11/83 E. Vout

No 76 vol. 24

Surveyor notified June 12/83

[illegible] May 14 [illegible]

Deld to [illegible] Williams June 14/83

The State of Texas } I W. N. Whitton
County of San Augustine } County Surveyor of
San Augustine County Texas do hereby certify
that I have corrected the Field Notes of the
Headright Survey of William Humphrey
in San Augustine County of 5,189,290 Sqr varas
of land so as to read in the 12th call W. M.
Loyd and Not E. A. Loyd and this
Correction is in Record of the field
Notes as Recorded in my office
Given under my hand at office on
this the 19th day of May A. D. 1883

W. N. Whitton
County Surveyor of
San Augustine County Texas

P. S.
See corrected Field Notes dated May 4th 1881
Which correction I made and returned to
Austin said field Notes read W. M. Loyd
and Not E A Loyd

W. N. Whitton
Co. S. S. A. C

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San Augustine 1st d

Hr Wm Humphreys

Surveyors

Corrections

Filed May 25/83

D. H. Rolinson

Chief Clk

of no use

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The State of Texas } I W. N. Whitton County
County of San Augustine } Surveyor of San Augustine
county Texas do hereby certify that I have corrected
the Field Notes of the Headright Survey of William
Humphrey in San Augustine county of 5,189,290 sqr
varas so as to read in the 12th call E. A. Loyd
and not W. M. Loyd as called for in corrected
field notes date May 4th 1881 And at 1121 vrs inter-
secting the N. W. corner of Survey made for W. M.
Loyd continuing on with his line in all 3848 vrs to beginning
And this correction is in the Records of Field
Notes as Recorded in My Office
Given under my hand at office on this 9th
day of June 1883

W. N. Whitton
Co. Surveyor of S. A. C.

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San Augustine
First Class.
Heirs of Mrs Murph-
-ries.
Surv. Certificate
Filed June 16/83
D. N. Robinson
Chg Clk

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Received from

GENERAL LAND OFFICE,

Mulo Bal Certificate No. 22/201 issued to
Ann Wm Humphreys by Comr G L O
for 19,818.89 o/q v 3 of land,
on the 1st day of August 1877.

Martin V Mest Owner.

Ch L B Dolley Agent.

Statesman Steam Print, Austin.

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Hon Wm Humphreys

San Augustine June 28. 1878

To the Commissioner of the
Genl Land Office of the
State of Texas
Austin
Texas

The undersigned
Citizens of San Augustine County Texas
who are actual Settlers upon the
forfeited Spanish Claim of John
Cartwright in the said County of
San Augustine about six miles N. E
from the Town of San Augustine
Texas. beg to enter this pre-emption
against the same being patented to any one
other than the actual Settlers as aforesaid.
For the following reasons to wit-
1st.
That some Years ago. J. K. Williams
filed the Headright of Wm Humphrey
and caused a Survey to be made to
be returned with said Certificate to the
Genl Land Office the same having
been filed upon the aforesaid Cartwright
eight Claim. Your applicants state
positively that no actual Survey was
made upon the ground. That the lines
were not run and marked out by

the Surveyor as stated in said Field Notes.

2d. Because the ownership of the said Humphrey Certificate was established according to Law by other parties than the said J. K. Williams & that a Certificate for the unlocated balance of said Certificate not including the location on the aforesaid Castro right forfeited Spanish Claim, has been issued and delivered by the Commissioner of the Genl Land Office to a Mr. M. J. West. Thus leaving the said forfeited Spanish Claim subject to entry.

3d. Because the Commissioner of the Genl Land office, advised by letter a Citizen here. that the location of the Wm Humphrey Certificate in this County had been abandoned. and that the Land upon which it has been filed was subject to entry. and that this Claim was settled upon by the undersigned under the advice of the Commissioner of the Genl Land Office as aforesaid. for these and other

reasons the undersigned. protest against the said Certificate being re filed upon the said Forfeited Spanish Claim, and especially against the issuance of any Patent by Virtue thereof. Very Respty & Co

Henry Brooks
Isaac Walker
A. Leach
Bleyon Moseley
Thomas Gilliam
Peter Cartwright
Knight
F. A. Burrus
Richard Lane
Thomas Robertson
Andy Garrett
K. L. Gilliam
Kossouth Roberts
Richd Sharp

Etats

By W. H. Crouch.

Having been requested by the Parties to enter this protest.

Sant Augustine Texas
June 28. 1878

Commissioners letter herein referred to is dated Octor 1877 addressed to F. A. Burrus.

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Hrs of Wm Humphreys

Protest by W. H. Crouch
et al. against patenting
over their preemptions

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Rhoads Fisher
Chief Clerk