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SOLD TO

M.A. Westcott  
D.A.  
9-1-08

Paid in full for 27 1/2 acres  
9-8-08 M.L. Coleman

30-7-5  
Acres. 27 1/2  
dry acre 17 2/3

Survey No.

John J. Perrin Comr  
9-1-08

Block No.

Surveyed for

M.A. Westcott  
Houston

ACT APRIL 15, 1905.

Not disclosed by the official map,  
all of vacancy.  
Correct on map of Harris County  
August 24/08. D. von Rosenberg  
Gals. to Original.  
9/8/08. Crain

Mgl.  
Patented Sept 8/1908  
No. 459 2136 76 essep.  
c/c B.J.D. 8/24/08  
Abst. 201.32

500 9/3/08  
M.A. Westcott  
Houston

# Application for Survey

APPLICATION NO. 80 -

To Geo. F. Horton, County Surveyor of Harris  
County, Texas, or to \_\_\_\_\_ District Surveyor  
of \_\_\_\_\_ Land District:

By virtue of Section 8 of an Act approved April 15, 1905, I hereby apply for a survey of the following described unsurveyed land appropriated to the Public Free School Fund under Chapter 11, Act February 23, 1900, to-wit:

Situated in Harris County, Texas, about 18 miles Northwest from the County site. Said tract is bounded as follows:

Beginning at the Northwest corner of the G.W. Toliver Survey, which is also the Northeast corner of the David Middleton League;

Thence East with the North line of the said Toliver Survey 872.3 varas to the Southwest corner of the G.W. Brooks Survey;

Thence with the west line of said Brooks Survey North 198 varas to the Southeast corner of the Chas. Meyer Survey;

Thence West with the South lines of the Chas. Meyer, S. Striepe, C.H. Groeschke and E. Groeschke Surveys to the Northeast corner of the Survey in the name of Priscilla S. Elgin;

Thence with the East line of said Survey South 198 varas to corner in North line of the said D. Middleton League;

Thence East with said North line to the place of beginning, containing 55.17 acres of land.

I solemnly swear that I desire said land surveyed with the intention of buying it, and that I am not acting in collusion with, or attempting to acquire said land for another person or corporation.

*M. A. Westcott*

Applicant.

(N. B. - Write Name and P. O. address distinctly.)

P.O. \_\_\_\_\_, Texas.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3rd day of August 1908

*E. Gray*

Notary Public Harris  
County Texas.

(SEAL MUST NOT BE OMITTED)

I, Geo. F. Horton County Surveyor of Harris County, Texas, or Surveyor for \_\_\_\_\_

Land District, hereby certify that the above and foregoing application No. 80 was filed for record on the third day of August 1908, at 1 o'clock P.M., and recorded in Vol. 6 page 129 in my office Harris County County, Texas.

*Geo. F. Horton*  
Co. Survey.  
per *A. Mueller* Deputy.

#80

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LAND OFFICE

S. F. No. 8709

Application for Survey

Filed August 20 1908

John J. Terrill  
Commissioner.

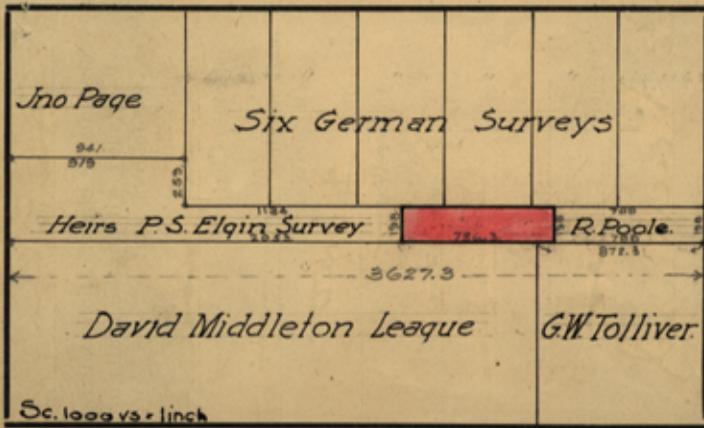
W. L. Coleman  
Clerk.



Plat of Survey No. ....

# The State of Texas,

Survey



County, Harris No. 80  
 or District, Blk. 50

FIELD NOTES of a survey of 27 ~~100~~

acres of land made for J. A. Westcott

Variation.....

by virtue of his affidavit and application made

before E. Gray, Notary Public on the 3rd day  
 of Aug 1908, and filed with the Surveyor of Harris County or Land District,  
 on the 2 day of Aug, 1908, under Section 8 of an Act approved April 15, 1905, and amendment

Act May 16, 1907, providing for the sale of the unsurveyed school land appropriated to the Public Free School Fund by  
 an Act approved February 23, 1900. Said land is situated in Harris County, about 18  
 miles S. 81° W. from county site, and known as survey No. 80, in Block No. ...., beginning at the  
Southwest corner of the R. Poole (Assignee W. Shulz) Survey as patented  
March 19th, 1896, said corner being in the North line of G.W. Toliver  
Survey 84.3 varas East of said Toliver's Northwest corner and 788 varas  
West of the Southwest corner of the G.W. Brooks Labor;

Thence North 198 varas to the Northwest corner of said Poole Sur-  
vey on the South line of six German's surveys;

Thence West 786.3 varas along the South lines of said German's  
Surveys to a Northeast corner of the Heirs of Priscilla S. Elgin Sur-  
vey (Patent No. 193 Vol. 13)

Thence South 198 varas with East line of said Elgin Survey to a  
point in the North line of David Middleton League, said point being  
2053 varas East of Middleton's Northwest corner.

Thence East 786.3 varas along the North lines of D. Middleton  
and G.W. Toliver Surveys to the place of beginning.

.....to the place of beginning.

Bearings marked.....  
 Surveyed Aug 4 1908

J. B. Bowers  
D. E. Padgett Chain Carriers.

I ....., Surveyor of ..... Texas,  
 do hereby certify that the foregoing survey was made by me on the ground, and according to law; that the limits, bound-  
 aries and corners, with the marks, natural and artificial, are truly described in the foregoing Plat and Field Notes, just  
 as I found them on the ground; and they are recorded in my office in Book....., page.....

This..... day of..... 190.....

Surveyor of..... Texas.

I, S. E. Packard Deputy

Surveyor of Harris County,

do solemnly swear that the classification and market value of the land included within the limits of the within field notes is as follows, viz.:

Sandy Loam Soil  
State Character.

Agricultural, market value \_\_\_\_\_  
Dry or Watered \_\_\_\_\_

Grazing, market value \$150  
Dry or Watered \_\_\_\_\_

Kind of Timber none

Market Value of Timber none

Overflow no Swamp no

Suitable for Settlement Yes

S. E. Packard

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the

day of 19<sup>th</sup> day Aug. 1908

Notary Public in and for Harris County, Texas

Within enclosure of \_\_\_\_\_

Improvements owned by \_\_\_\_\_

P. O. address of owner of enclosure or improvements is \_\_\_\_\_

Surveyor.

LAND OFFICE <sup>(2)</sup>

S. F. No. 8709

FIELD NOTES

Filed August 20 1908

John J. Ferrell Commissioner  
J. W. Coleman Clerk

Approved 9-10 1908

John J. Ferrell Commissioner

Not disclosed by the official map, all of vacancy. Correct on map of Harris County. August 24/1908.

Caro Rosenberg  
Patented Sept 8/1908  
Joseph

RECEIVED AS STATED  
100  
AUG 20 1908  
GEO. W. BEAVER  
RECEIVER

c/c B.T.D. 8/21/08

I, S. E. Packard, Deputy Surveyor of Harris County, Texas, do hereby certify that the foregoing survey was made by me on the ground, and according to law; that the limits, boundaries and corners, with the marks, natural and artificial, are truly described in the foregoing Plat and Field Notes, just as I found them on the ground.

This 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1908

S. E. Packard  
Deputy Surveyor of Harris County, Texas.

I, John J. Ferrell, Surveyor of Harris Co, Texas, do hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing Plat and Field Notes and find them correct, and that they were made on the ground as stated in the above certificate, and that they are recorded in my office in Book 344, page 18.

This 18<sup>th</sup> day of August 1908

John J. Ferrell  
Surveyor of \_\_\_\_\_, Texas.

# APPLICATION AND OBLIGATION TO PURCHASE SCHOOL LAND WITHOUT SETTLEMENT.

Harris Texas, Sept. 2<sup>nd</sup> 1908.

To the Commissioner of the General Land Office, Austin, Texas:

I hereby apply to purchase under the provisions of the Act of May 16, 1907, relating to the sale of school land without settlement and the reservation of minerals, the following land or timber, or both, situated in Harris County, Texas, about 18 miles (give course) N. 81 W. from the county site; and I agree to pay for said land or timber, or both, the price specified below:

SECTION	BLOCK	TOWNSHIP	CERTIFICATE	GRANTEE	ACRES	PRICE PER ACRE		CLASSIFICATION
						LAND	TIMBER	
80			028709	M A Westcott	275/10			Very Good

I am over twenty-one years of age. (One under twenty-one years of age may purchase for cash.)

For the purpose of securing said land I hereby represent that I am buying it for agricultural or grazing purposes only, and if it is classed as mineral land the sale to me is upon the express condition that the minerals therein shall be and are reserved to the fund to which the land belongs, and to all of which I agree. I have remitted to the State Treasurer, Austin, Texas, the sum of \$ fifty five (55<sup>00</sup>) as the full cash payment therefor, and subscribe to the following oath,

(Insert whether "full" or "one-fortieth")  
to-wit: I, M A Westcott, do solemnly swear that I desire the land for my own benefit and not for any other person or corporation.

Postoffice: Houston Texas Applicant: M A Westcott

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1908

E. Gray  
Notary Public Harris County, Texas.  
(Officer must not omit seal.)

S.F. 8709

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File No. ....

..... County

Appl. and Oblig.

Filed ..... 190

Commissioner

File Clerk

No. 8709

# APPLICATION OF

P. O. ....

## WITHOUT SETTLEMENT

Survey No.	Certificate	GRANTEE
Block	Township	

In Harris County

Filed Sept 10 1908

John Terrell Commissioner

Awarded 9-4 1908

Rejected ..... 190

John Terrell Commissioner

Roll.....

Class.....

Appr'm't.....

Appl'n.....

Obligation.....

Seal.....

Map.....

Lease.....

On Market.....

14312

Letter No.

8649

Date of Sale

9/1/08

P. O.

Austin

Acres

57 1/2

TREASURER'S OFFICE.

No 34077

@ \$

2 00 per acre

AUSTIN, TEXAS,

Sept 8, 1908

Received of

M. W. Westcott

on account of

the sum of

Fifty five & no/100

DOLLARS.

the same being first payment on

Section

80

Block No.

Certificate No.

8704

Grantee

M. W. Westcott

situated in

Harris

County, sold under an Act approved April 16, 1895, and amendments thereto.

Terms of Sale

Cash

\$

55 00

Clark

Sam Sparks

Treasurer.

ORIGINAL

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Term of Sale County

School Land.

of the County of Harris  
the County of Harris  
SF 8709  
on the account of W. A. Stewart  
of Rest

Filed 7-8 1908

John T. ...  
Comm'r.

Clerk.

situated in Section  
of Block  
of Tract  
in County  
of Harris  
State of Texas

ORIGINAL

Section

DOLLARS

1908

AUSTIN, TEXAS

RECORDED

TREASURER'S OFFICE

NO 34011

Leaf No.

Date of Sale

SEP 8

Rec'd

Rec'd

SEP 8

Rec'd

2/1/08

Estimate

*[Handwritten signature]*

Treasurer



## General Land Office

State of Texas

Austin

September 1, 1908.

JOHN J. TERRELL, COMMISSIONER  
J. T. ROBISON, CHIEF CLERK

M. A. Westcott, Esq,  
Houston, Texas.

Dear Sir:

Your application to the county surveyor of **HARRIS** county, for a survey of land under Section 8 of the Act of April 15, 1905, together with the field notes for Survey No. **80**, Block No. **27 1/2** acres, has been examined and the field notes approved.

The land is classified as **Dry Agrl.** and valued at **\$2.00** per acre, and is subject to sale to you upon the following terms, to wit:

The land is subject to sale to you for cash only. When you make application to purchase this land for cash only and send same to this office you must, at the same time, remit to the State Treasurer, Hon. Sam Sparks, Austin, Texas, the aggregate price of the land as the full cash payment thereon, and send to this office a patent fee of \$5.00.

Enclosed herewith is a blank for application to purchase this land. To avoid delays, mistakes and correspondence you are urged to fill every blank space in making out the application to purchase. Under the law you will have SIXTY DAYS from this date within which to file your application to purchase in this office.

In writing about this matter please refer to S. F. No. 8709.

Very respectfully,

Dibrell  
Enc

Commissioner.

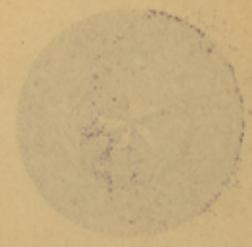
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General Land Office

State of Texas

Austin

September 1, 1908.



JOHN J. TERRELL, Commissioner  
G. L. ROBERTSON, Chief Clerk

M. A. Westcott, Esq.,  
Houston, Texas.

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Very respectfully,

John J. Terrell  
Commissioner

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