Commemorating the Centenary of Texas Independence

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Most of us are familiar with those big granite markers with the bronze Texas star but have no idea what a phenomenal project they represent. Back in 1936 the State of Texas decided to hold a Centennial celebration, and like everything else Texas does, it was the biggest and best celebration of a Centennial the world has ever seen. The Exposition was held in Dallas, but the celebration itself involved another exposition in Fort Worth, statewide celebrations including memorial museums, community centers, restorations of historical structures, park improvements, statues of important Texans, monuments, historical markers, grave markers, and highway markers....an unbelievable array of Texas pride.



Over 750 Centennial markers are spread across Texas. Many are on public highways, parks and courthouse lawns, but many more of them are on private property far from any paved roads. We cherish them all, and the search to locate, photograph, and document them by a few internet volunteers has been a labor of love, as well as a fascinating glimpse into little known stories of our Texas heritage.

The search began in 2008 with the discovery of the big blue book, "Monuments Commemorating the Centenary of Texas Independence," by the Centennial Commission, 1938. There were fascinating descriptions of every item in every category, but there was no organization within each category. Locations included outdated numbering of roads, and few county names. The first task was to find a 1936 roadmap, which turned up on an online auction as an official 1936 Texas Centennial map. I typed all of the items into Excel to easily sort by county, so we could begin the quest. Barclay Gibson spent many hours traveling all over Texas photographing monuments, and without him the project would have never been finished. The restoration project was unsuccessful. Only a few markers were restored. The THC and the legislature aren't concerned about the markers and won't budget funds for restoration or figure out which department is responsible.

Greg Smith with the Texas Historical Commission recognized our efforts when he applied for placement in the National Register of Historic Places. The Multiple Property Documentation for "Monuments and Buildings of the Texas Centennial" Section H (Identification and Evaluation Methods) Page 62 states:

"In 2008, Texas citizen Sarah Reveley obtained a copy of the 1938 Centennial report and began to research the markers, with the assistance of THC Marker Coordinator Bob Brinkman. Reveley established a website to help facilitate the gathering of current photographs through crowdsourcing. Marian Daughtry and Ruth Cade donated photos for reference until new photos could be taken. Barclay Gibson, with the help of Cade's notes, located more obscure markers. Property owners granted permission to photograph markers on private property. By December 2012, the project was largely completed, with all but 23 historical markers located. Reveley provided the THC with a detailed list of all damaged markers and established a restoration project with the nonprofit 'Friends of the Texas Historical Commission.' Through these efforts, as well as recent reconnaissance surveys by THC staff, almost every Centennial property has been accounted for. " 1 Introduction

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As we located the markers, we included all of the other highway markers, monuments, statues, museums, and restorations, and community buildings for a total of over a thousand items! We found all the state line welcome markers in the shape of Texas, too. There are several types of historical markers, illustrated below:



Grey granite with bronze wreath and star





Bronze Wall Plaques



Highway markers by Texas Highway Department in 1935, inspiration for grey granite markers

Short granite markers with bronze plaques

The organization of my book is based upon the Six Flags of Texas, providing the reader with a chronological outlook in addition to on inventory of the monuments.

TEXAS UNDER SIX FLAGS

france, Confederacy, United States, Texas, Mexico, Spain

De Pineda brought the flag of Spain to these shores in 1519 and the castles and lions was the first known national standard in Texas.

LaSalle's expedition which was wrecked on Matagorda Bay in 1685 gave Texas her second flag, the Fleur-de-lis of France.

The Tri-color of Mexico was established in Texas in 1821 after the domination of Spain had been overthrown.

The Lone Star of Texas supplanted the standard of Mexico when independence was won in 1836.

Texas voluntarily surrendered her sovereignty in 1845, and the Stars and Stripes of the United States of America became the emblem of Texas loyalty.

In 1861 the Lone Star became the seventh in the banner of the United States of the Confederacy until the Stars and Bars of the Lost Cause bowed to the Flag of the Union.

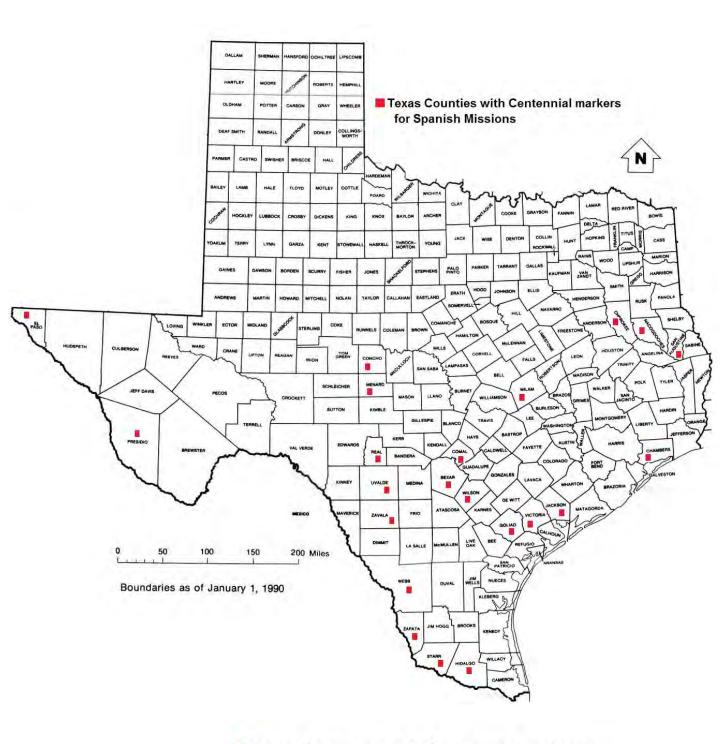
These six flags adorn the Hall of State of the Texas Memorial Building.

From Centennial Commission's "State of Texas Building" Central Exposition, Dallas

TEXAS UNDER SPAIN 1519-1685, 1690-1821



In the Esplanade at the Dallas Exposition, Spain is represented by castanets in her right hand, and a castle in her left.



Texas Counties with Centennial markers for Spanish Missions





VICTORIA

COUNTY

UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT VICTORIA WAS A DISTRICT IN 1832, A MUNICIPALITY IN 1835. UNDER THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS VICTORIA COUNTY WAS CREATED MARCH 17, 1836 WITH VICTORIA AS THE COUNTY SEAT. ITS TERRITORY HAS SINCE BEEN MATERIALLY REDUCED THROUGH THE CREATION OF OTHER COUNTIES. THE PRINCIPAL INDUSTRY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE REGION DURING THE 19TH CENTURY WAS CATTLE RAISING. HERE THAT INDUSTRY HAD ITS ORIGIN IN TEXAS, AND VICTORIA COUNTY CONTINUES TO THE PRESENT DAY TO BE THE LEADING CATTLE COUNTY OF THE STATE.

VICTORIA COUNTY EARLY HOME OF THE KARANKAWA INDIANS. REGION ROAMED BY ALVAR NUNEZ CABEZA DE VACA IN 1534 1535 THE FIRST WHITE MAN AND COMPANIONS TO TRAVEL FROM THE ATLANTIC TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN. SITE OF THE FIRST FRENCH SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS ATTEMPTED BY CAVELIER RENE ROBERT SIEUR DE LA SALLE AND COMPANIONS WHO BUILT FORT ST. LOUIS ON GARCITAS CREEK IN 1685. DEVASTATED BY THE KARANKAWA INDIANS BURNED BY MEMBERS OF THE ALONSO DE LEON EXPEDITION IN 1689. ON ITS REMAINS THE SPANIARDS CONSTRUCTED PRESIDIO DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LORETO DE LA BAHIA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO

AS A PROTECTION FOR THE MISSION DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO DE ZUÑIGA BOTH ESTABLISHED BY JOSEPH DE AZLOR, MARQUIS OF AGUAYO AND FATHER FRAY AGUSTIN PATRON, O.F.M. IN 1722. BOTH MOVED TO MISSION VALLEY ON THE GUADALUPE RIVER IN 1726. MOVED FINALLY TO SANTA DOROTEA NOW GOLIAD NEAR THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1749. THE AREA EMBRACED BY THIS COUNTY SETTLED BY THE COLONY OF MARTIN DE LEON, EMPRESARIO IN 1824 THIS REGION WAS SETTLED BY MARTIN DE LEON, EMPRESARIO, IN 1824 WHO NAMED THE SEAT OF HIS COLONY GUADALUPE VICTORIA IN HONOR OF THE PRESIDENT OF MEXICO HERO OF ITS STRUGGLE FOR INDEPENDENCE

Victoria County









APPROXIMATE SITE OF THE MISSION AND PUEBLO OF

SAN ANTONIO DE SENECU

ESTABLISHED BY DON ANTONIO DE OTERMIN AND FATHER FRAY FRANCISCO AYETA, O. F. M. IN 1682 T MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE PIRO AND TOMPIRO INDIANS

El Paso County

FIRST MISSION AND PUEBLO IN TEXAS

CORPUS CHRISTI DE LA YSLETA

ESTABLISHED BY DON ANTONIO DE OTERMIN AND FRAY FRANCISCO AYETA O. F. M. IN 1682

MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE TIGUA INDIANS, PUEBLO REVOLT REFUGEES

El Paso County

SAN ELIZARIO

SITE OF THE PRESIDIO DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL PILAR Y GLORIOSO SEÑOR SAN JOSE ESTABLISHED BY DON DOMINGO JIRONZA PETRIZ DE CRUZATE IN 1683 NEAR MISION DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE IN PRESENT CIUDAD JUAREZ, MEXICO V LOCATED ON THIS SITE IN 1773 AND RENAMED PRESIDIO DE SAN ELZEARIO. ITS CHAPEL WAS SERVED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES

El Paso County

SOCORRO

SITE OF THE MISSION AND PUEBLO OF NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA CONCEPCION DEL PUEBLO DE SOCORRO ESTABLISHED BY DON ANTONIO DE OTERMIN AND FATHERFRAY FRANCISCO AYETA, O.F.M. IN 1683 * MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CIVLIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE PIRO, THANO AND GEMEX INDIANS, REFUGEES AFTER THE PUEBLO REVOLT IN NEW MEXICO

El Paso County



APPROXIMATE SITE OF

MISSION DEL APOSTOL SANTIAGO

ONE OF NINE MISSIONS ESTABLISHED IN THE BIG BEND COUNTRY BY FATHER FRAY NICOLAS LOPEZ, O. F. M., AND DON JUAN DOMINGUEZ DE MENDOZA IN 1683-1684 MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE JUMANO, JULIMES AND OTHER INDIANS OF THIS AREA

Presidio County

APPROXIMATE SITE OF MISSION SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS JULIMES

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Presidio County

SITE OF

MISSION SAN CLEMENTE

AT THE JUNCTURE OF THE CONCHO AND COLORADO RIVERS

ESTABLISHED MARCH 16, 1684, BY THE MENDOZA EXPEDITION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE INDIANS OF THE REGION

Concho County

SITE OF THE MISSION SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS TEJAS

ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED AS MISSION SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS TEJAS IN 1690 BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHRISTIANIZING AND CIVILIZING THE NECHES AND OTHER INDIANS OF THE REGION . REESTAB-LISHED IN 1716 * ABANDONED TEMPORAR-ILY DUE TO FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA IN 1719 RELOCATED HERE AS SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS NECHES BY THE MARQUIS DE AGUAYO IN 1721 V REMOVED TO THE COLORADO RIVER IN 1730 V PERMANENTLY LOCATED ON THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1731 AND THERE KNOWN AS SAN FRANCISCO DE LA ESPADA

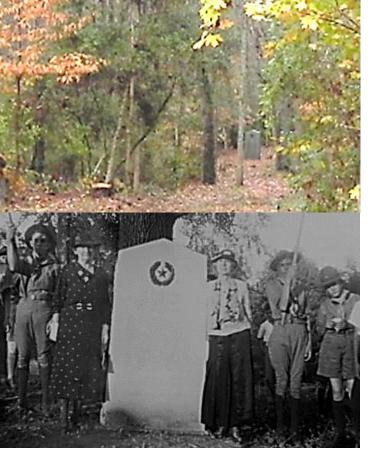
Cherokee County













SITE OF THE MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

A SPANISH OUTPOST FOUNDED IN 1716 BY THE PIONEER FRANCISCAN ANTONIO MARGIL DE JESUS AS A MEANS OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIAN-IZING THE NACOGDOCHE INDIANS . ABANDONED TEMPORARILY DUE TO THE FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA IN 1719 . RESTORED BY THE MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1721 . ABANDONED PERMANENTLY IN 1773 . ITS DESERTED BUILDINGS FORMED A NUCLEUS FOR THE SETTLEMENT OF NACOGDOCHES IN 1779 BY ANTONIO GIL Y BARBO

Nacogdoches County

SITE OF THE MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION

ESTABLISHED BY FRANCISCAN MIS-SIONARIES IN 1716 WITH THE HOPE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE INDIANS OF THE REGION . ABANDONED TEMPORARILY DUE TO THE FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA IN 1719 . RESTORED BY THE MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1721 . REMOVED TO THE COLORADO RIVER IN 1730 AND FINALLY SITUATED ON THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1731

Nacogdoches County

Adina DeZavala on right of marker

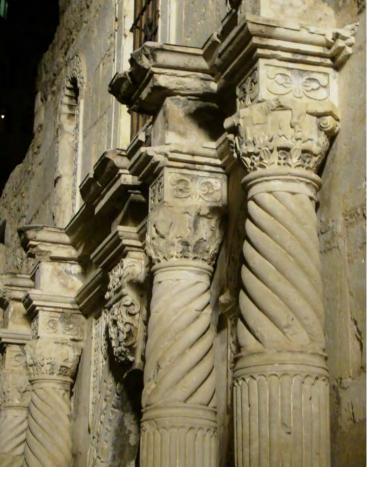
1937 dedication

SITE OF THE MISSION

SAN JOSE DE LOS NAZONIS

ESTABLISHED BY FRANCISCAN MIS-SIONARIES IN 1716 WITH THE HOPE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE NAZONI AND NADACO INDIANS * ABANDONED TEMPORARILY IN 1719 DUE TO FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA . RESTORED BY THE MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1721 . RE-MOVED TO THE COLORADO RIVER IN 1730 V FINALLY REESTABLISHED ON THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER AS MIS-SION SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO IN 1731

Nacogdoches County



Together with the Alamo Museum, erected on the site with the balance of the federal allocation, and the Alamo Cenotaph, to be erected in the Alamo Plaza, both of which are described elsewhere in this volume, **this unit is one of the most important projects of the Commission to appropriately celebrate the centennial of Texas Independence.**



Restoration of the Alamo

FOUNDING OF THE MISSION AND ORIGIN OF NAME

THE SAN ANTONIO DE PADUA MISSION WAS FOUNDED IN SAN ANTONIO IN 1716 BY THE FRANCISCAN FATHER ANTONIO OLIVARES AND AFTER MERGING WITH THE SAN FRANCISCO SOLANO MISSION IN 1718, IT WAS OFFICIALLY FOUNDED AS THE SAN ANTONIO DE VALERO MISSION. THE PRESENT SITE WAS SELECTED IN 1724. IT WAS NAMED IN HONOR OF SAINT ANTHONY DE PADUA AND THE DUKE OF VALERO, A SPANISH VICEROY. THE CORNERSTONE OF THIS CHAPEL WAS LAID MAY 8, 1744. FOUNDED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHRISTIANIZING AND EDUCATING THE INDIANS, IT LATER BECAME A FORTRESS AND WAS THE SCENE OF MANY CONFLICTS PRIOR TO THE IMMORTAL SIEGE OF 1836.

ITS ACTIVITY AS A MISSION BEGAN TO WANE AFTER 1765 AND IT WAS ABANDONED IN **1793 AND THE MISSION ARCHIVES WERE** REMOVED TO SAN FERNANDO, THE PARISH CHURCH DURING MEXICO'S WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE FROM SPAIN, A COMPANY OF SPANISH SOLDIERS FROM ALAMO DEL PARRAS, COAHUILA, MEXICO OCCUPIED THE ABANDONED MISSION, USING ITS BUILDINGS AS BARRACKS FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS. FROM THIS ASSOCIATION PROBABLY **ORIGINATED THE NAME "ALAMO"** ACCORDING TO SOME HISTORIANS THE NAME ALAMO WAS DERIVED FROM A GROVE OF COTTONWOOD TREES GROWING ON THE BANKS OF THE ACEQUIA - "ALAMO" BEING THE SPANISH WORD FOR COTTONWOOD

Bexar County









SITE OF MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DÉ LOS DOLORES DE LOS AIS

ESTABLISHED IN 1716 BY PADRE FRAY ANTONIO MARGIL DE JESUS • HERE FAITHFUL FRANCISCANS LABORED FOR THE PURPOSE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE AIS INDIANS • ABANDONED TEMPORARILY DUE TO THE FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA IN 1719 • RESTORED BY THE MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1721 • THE MISSION ALSO SERVED TO CONFIRM THE CLAIM OF THE KING OF SPAIN TO THE PROVINCE OF TEXAS

San Augustine County

APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF THE MISSIONS SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS NECHES NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION SAN JOSE DE LOS NAZONIS

ESTABLISHED IN EAST TEXAS BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES IN 1716 FOR THE CHRISTIANIZING AND CIVILIZING OF THE INDIANS OF THE REGION ABANDONED TEMPORARILY DUE TO THE FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA IN 1719 RESTORED BY THE MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1721 REMOVED TO THE COLORADO RIVER IN 1730 PERMANENTLY PLACED ON THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1731 AND THERE KNOWN RESPECTIVELY AS SAN FRANCISCO DE LA ESPADA NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION DE ACUNA SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

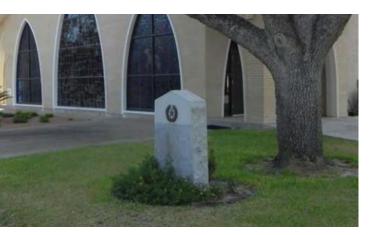
Travis County

SAN JOSE MISSION SAN ANTONIO

Portions of the original site of the mission are owned separately by the Catholic Church of the Diocese of San Antonio, the County of Bexar, and the San Antonio Conservation Society. Several restoration projects by the Civil Works Administration and the Public Works Administration approximating \$200,000 were sponsored by these organizations. The plans were drawn by Harvey P. Smith, architect. A \$20,000 allocation of federal funds completed the partially restored granary, prefecture, soldiers' quarters and the old mill, and completed the construction of a sunken garden with an open air theatre on the portion of the site owned by the San Antonio Conservation Society.

Bexar County









APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF

MISSION SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER DE NAJERA

ESTABLISHED IN 1722 V ITS INDIAN NEOPHYTES, FEW IN NUMBER, PASSED INTO THE CARE OF THE MISSIONARIES AT SAN ANTONIO DE VALERO IN 1726 V THE LAND WAS LATER GRANTED TO THE MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION DE ACUÑA V REESTABLISHED IN THIS VICINITY IN 1731

Bexar County

SITUATED IN THE PRESENT COUNTY OF JACKSON WAS THE MISSION OF NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO DE ZUÑIGA ESTABLISHED BY JOSEPH DE AZLOR, MARQUIS OF AGUAYO, AND FATHER FRAY AGUSTIN PATRON, O. F. M. IN 1722 FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE KARANKAWA, CUJANE, COCO, COPANE, AND OTHER INDIAN TRIBES UNDER THE PROTECTION OF THE PRESIDIO DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LORETO BOTH MOVED TO MISSION VALLEY ON THE GUADALUPE RIVER IN 1726 MOVED FINALLY TO SANTA DOROTEA, NOW GOLIAD NEAR THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1749 Jackson County

site of mission NUESTRA SENORA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO DE ZUÑIGA

FIRST ESTABLISHED AT GARCITAS CREEK BY THE MARQUES DE AGUAYO AND FATHER FRAY AGUSTIN PATRON, O. F. M. IN 1722 * MOVED TO MISSION VALLEY IN 1726 * MAINTAINED HERE BY THE FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CHRISTIANIZING AND CIVILIZING OF THE JARANAME AND OTHER INDIANS * FINALLY MOVED TO PRESENT GOLIAD IN 1749

Victoria County

SITE OF THE MISSION SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER DE LOS DOLORES

ESTABLISHED BY FRANCISCAN MISSION-ARIES IN 1746 WITH THE HOPE OF CIVIL-IZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE COCO, MAYEYE, ORCOQUIZA, KARANKAWA AND OTHER TRIBES OF INDIANS • THE MARTYRDOM OF PADRE JOSE GANZABAL AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES CONNECTED THEREWITH CAUSED THE DEPARTURE OF THE INDIANS AND THE FRIARS AND THE REMOVAL OF THIS MISSION TO THE SAN MARCOS RIVER IN 1755 • REESTABLISHED IN 1757 ON THE SAN SABA RIVER FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE LIPAN APACHES WITH THE NEW NAME OF MISSION SANTA CRUZ DE SAN SABA

Milam County







APPROXIMATE SITE OF THE MISSIONS SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER DE LOS DOLORES, NUESTRA SENORA DE LA CANDELARIA, SAN ILDEFONSO

ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED ON THE SAN GABRIEL RIVER BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES IN 1746-1749 WITH THE HOPE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE COCO, MAYEYE, ORCOQUIZA AND OTHER INDIAN THE MARTYRDOM OF TRIBES. PADRE JOSE GANZABAL AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES CONNECTED THEREWITH CAUSED THE DEPARTURE OF THE INDIANS AND THE FRIARS AND THE REMOVAL OF THE MISSIONS TO THE SAN MARCOS RIVER IN 1755. REESTABLISHED ON THE BANKS OF THE SAN SABA, NUECES AND SABINAL RIVERS FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE LIPAN APACHES IN 1757-1762.

Hays County

SITE OF THE MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA CANDELARIA

FIRST ESTABLISHED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES IN 1749 ON THE SAN GABRIEL RIVER WITH THE HOPE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE COCO, MAYEYE, KARANKAWA, ORCOQUIZA AND OTHER INDIAN TRIBES * REESTAB-LISHED UNDER THE SAME NAME ON THE SAN MARCOS RIVER IN 1755 * RE-MOVED TO THIS SITE ON THE NUECES RIVER FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE LIPAN APACHES IN 1762 * ABANDONED IN 1769

Uvalde County

site of the Mission SAN ILDEFONSO

ESTABLISHED BY FRANCISCAN MISSION-ARIES IN 1749 WITH THE HOPE OF CIVIL-IZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE COCO, MAYEYE, ORCOQUIZA, KARANKAWA, AND OTHER TRIBES OF INDIANS • THE MARTYRDOM OF PADRE JOSE GANZABAL AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES CONNECTED THEREWITH CAUSED THE DEPARTURE OF THE INDIANS AND THE FRIARS AND THE REMOVAL OF THIS MISSION TO THE SAN MARCOS RIVER IN 1755 • REESTABLISHED IN 1762 ON THE NUECES RIVER FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE LIPAN APACHES WITH THE NEW NAME OF MISSION SAN LORENZO DE LA SANTA CRUZ

Milam County



SITE OF THE MISSION SAN AGUSTIN DE LAREDO A VISITA

ESTABLISHED IN 1749 AS A PART OF JOSE DE ESCANDON'S PROJECT TO SETTLE THE REGION AND CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

Starr County



ESTABLISHED IN 1749 AS A PART OF JOSE DE ESCANDON'S PROJECT TO SETTLE THE REGION AND CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

Hidalgo County

IN THE VICINITY OF THIS SITE WAS MISSION REVILLA A VISITA ESTABLISHED IN 1750 AS A PART OF JOSE DE ESCANDON'S PROJECT TO SETTLE THE REGION AND CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

Zapata County

IN THE VICINITY OF THIS SITE WAS MISSION DOLORES A VISITA

ESTABLISHED IN 1750 AS A PART OF JOSE DE ESCANDON'S PROJECT TO SETTLE THE REGION AND CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

Zapata County







SITE OF MISSION NUESTRA SENORA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO DE ZUÑIGA

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Goliad County







site of the MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA CANDELARIA

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Milam County

IN THE VICINITY OF THIS SITE WAS MISSION MIER A VISITA

ESTABLISHED IN 1750 AS A PART OF JOSE DE ESCANDON'S PROJECT TO SETTLE THE REGION AND CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

Starr County

SITE OF MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL ROSARIO

ESTABLISHED IN 1754 FOR THE CUJANE NATION

HERE FAITHFUL FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES ATTEMPTED TO CHRISTIANIZE AND CIVILIZE THE INDIANS OF THE REGION UNTIL 1794

Goliad County









site of MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA LUZ

ESTABLISHED IN 1757 BY FRAN-CISCAN MISSIONARIES WITH THE PURPOSE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE ORCOQUIZA AND BIDAI INDIANS V ABANDONED IN 1772

Chambers County

ON THIS SITE STOOD FOR A CENTURY AN OLD STONE HOUSE THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN BUILT IN 1779 BY ANTONIO GIL Y BARBO

SOLD BY HIM AS COMMUNITY PROPERTY IN 1805 HEADQUARTERS IN 1806 FOR WILLIAM BARR AND SAMUEL DAVENPORT, INDIAN TRADERS IT SERVED AS TRADING POST, STORE, WAREHOUSE, TOWN HALL, FORT, BARRACKS, CHURCH, TAVERN AND SALOON BEFORE BEING TORN DOWN IN 1902 BY W. U. AND CHARLES PERKINS LAST OWNERS RECONSTRUCTED IN 1936 ON THE CAMPUS OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE

Nacogdoches County

APPROXIMATE SITE OF MISSION

NUESTRA SEÑORA DE GUADALUPE

ESTABLISHED BY FRANCISCAN MISSION-ARIES IN 1757 FOR THE PURPOSE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE TONKAWAS, MAYEYES, AND THEIR ASSOCIATES • FORMERLY AT MISSION SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER ON THE SAN GABRIEL RIVER • ABANDONED IN 1758

Comal County

THE SITE OF THE

MISSION OF LAS CABRERAS

A RANCH CHAPEL VISITED REGULARLY AND MAINTAINED BY THE FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES OF SAN ANTONIO NEAR THE ANCIENT SETTLEMENT OF LAS ISLIJAS (NOW GRAYTOWN) ATTENDED BY THE CANARY ISLANDERS, THEIR DESCENDANTS, MEXICANS, NATIVES AND OTHERS LIVING IN THIS VICINITY ESTABLISHED IN THE MIDDLE-EIGHTEENTH CENTURY

Wilson County









site of MISSION SANTA CRUZ DE SAN SABA

FOUNDED AMONG THE LIPAN APACHE INDIANS BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES IN 1757 THROUGH THE FINANCIAL AID OF THE COUNT OF REGLA V SACKED AND LEFT IN RUINS BY THE COMANCHES IN 1758 V HERE PERISHED PADRES ALONSO GIRALDO DE TERREROS AND JOSE SANTIESTEBAN, MARTYRS TO THE CHRISTIAN CAUSE

Menard County

SITE OF THE MISSION SAN LORENZO DE LA SANTA CRUZ

FOUNDED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES AMONG THE LIPAN APACHE INDIANS IN 1762 T ABANDONED IN 1769

Real County

APPROXIMATE SITE OF THE MISSION AND PUEBLO OF

SAN LORENZO

ESTABLISHED BY DON ANTONIO DE OTERMIN AND FATHER FRAY FRANCISCO AYETA, O. F. M. IN 1682 • MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE ZUMA INDIANS

El Paso County

SITE OF MISSION NUESTRA

SEÑORA DEL REFUGIO ORIGINALLY FOUNDED ON JANUARY 31, 1793, BY FATHERS JOSE FRANCISCO GARZA AND MARIANO VELASCO, FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES, AT THE JUNCTURE OF THE GUADALUPE AND SAN ANTONIO RIVERS FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE KARANKAWA INDIANS. REMOVED TO THE PRESENT LOCATION, JANUARY 10, 1795.

Refugio County





BUILT BY CAPT. DOMINGO RAMON 1716 REPAIRED AND ENLARGED BY MARQUS OF SAN MIGUEL DE AGUAYO 1721

ABANDONED ABOUT 1730 BUILT BY THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT AS A FORT AND HEADQUARTERS FOR SOLDIERS TO GUARD THE EAST TEXAS MISSIONS AND THE BORDERS OF THE NEW PHILLIPINES

Nacogdoches County

REAL PRESIDIO DE SAN SABA

ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED ON THE SAN GABRIEL RIVER AS THE PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER IN 1751 MOVED TO THE PRESENT SITE IN 1757 AS A PROTECTION TO THE MISSION SANTA CRUZ DE SAN SABA KNOWN AS THE PRESIDIO DE SAN LUIS DE LAS AMARILLAS 1757-1761 AFTER MARCH 1761 THE NAME WAS REAL PRESIDIO DE SAN SABA THE STONE BUILDING WAS COMPLETED IN 1761 Menard County

PRESIDIO DEL NORTE

PROXIMATE SITE OF PRESIDIO DEL NORTE DE LA JUNTA ESTABLISHED BY CAPTAIN ALONSO RUBIN DE CELIS IN 1759-1760 · · NAME OF POST RETAINED IN PART BY THE PRESENT TOWN AND COUNTY · · IN THIS VICINITY THE MISSIONS OF SAN ANTONIO DE LOS PULIQUES · SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS JULIMES · SANTA MARIA LA REDONDA · SAN PEDRO ALCANTARA · EL APOSTOL SANTIAGO · SAN CRISTOBAL . WERE FIRST ESTABLISHED IN 1683-1684 BY DON JUAN DOMINGUEZ DE MENDOZA AND PADRE FRAY NICOLAS LOPEZ O . F . M MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CHRISTIANIZING AND THE CIVILIZING OF THE APACHE NATAGES · FARAONES · PULIQUES JULIMES · JUMANOS · ZUMAS AND OTHER INDIAN TRIBES ADMINISTERED AND CONTROLLED IN 1746 BY THE CUSTODIA OF · NEW · MEXICO

Presidio County

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SELF SACRIFICE OF PADRE FRAY JUAN DE PADILLA · 1544

BUILT TO THE GLORIOUS AND PERPETUAL MEMORY OF FATHER FRAY JUAN DE PADILLA, O. F. M. FRANCISCAN MISSIONARY, FIRST MARTYR FOR CHRISTIANITY IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN TEXAS

ACCOMPANIED THE CORONADO EXPEDITION TO PALO DURO CANYON. WENT WITH FRANCISCO VASQUEZ DE CORONADO AND HIS CHOSEN PARTY IN SEARCH OF LA GRAN QUIVIRA.

RETURNED SOON AND BEGAN HIS ZEALOUS LABORS FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE WICHITA AND OTHER INDIAN NATIONS IN THE REGION OF THE TEXAS PANHANDLE

HIS MARTYRDOM OCCURRED IN 1544

Potter County







REFUGIO COUNTY

ORGANIZED IN 1835 INTO THE MEXICAN MUNICIPALITY OF REFUGIO CREATED A COUNTY OF THE SAME NAME MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED IN 1837

> NAMED FOR THE MISSION "OUR LADY OF REFUGE" ESTABLISHED IN 1791 TO CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

REFUGIO, THE COUNTY SEAT

Refugio County

PAISANO PASS

LEGEND RECOUNTS THAT TWO SPANIARDS MEETING HERE GREETED EACH OTHER AS "MI PAISANO" (MY COUNTRYMAN)

FIRST KNOWN TO HISTORY WHEN JUAN DOMINGUEZ DE MENDOZA CAMPED HERE ON JANUARY 3, 1684 WELL KNOWN AFTER 1850 AS A POINT ON THE CHIHUAHUA TRAIL, AN EMIGRANT ROAD TO CALIFORNIA

Presidio County

SAN SABA COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1856 MAY 3, 1856

THE RIVER TRAVERSING THE REGION, THE MISSION ERECTED NEAR BY IN 1757, AND LATER THE COUNTY AND COUNTY SEAT WERE GIVEN THE NAME OF AN EARLY SAINT, WHOSE NAME IN SPANISH IS SABA.



"POBLACION DE DOLORES"

OLDEST SPANISH SETTLEMENT ON NORTH BANK OF THE RIO GRANDE V FOUNDED AUGUST 22, 1750 BY JOSE VASQUEZ BORREGO, LIEUTENANT OF JOSE DE ESCANDON

Webb County

POINT BOLIVAR

HEADQUARTERS FOR LONG'S EXPEDITION WHICH ATTEMPTED TO FREE TEXAS FROM SPANISH RULE IN 1819 . NAMED IN HONOR OF SIMON BOLIVAR (1783-1830) LEADER IN THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE . HERE MRS. LONG AND A SMALL GROUP REMAINED UNTIL NEWS OF HER HUSBAND'S DEATH CAME IN 1822 . A LIGHT HOUSE WAS ERECTED HERE BY THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

Galveston County

ATASCOSITO

A SPANISH SETTLEMENT ON THE ATASCOSITO ROAD WAS ESTABLISHED HERE IN 1757 TO PREVENT FRENCH TRADE WITH THE INDIANS FOUR AND ONE-HALF MILES WEST OF HERE THE ROAD CROSSED THE TRINITY THERE ALONSO DE LEON, SPANISH EXPLORER CROSSED IN 1690 THE ROAD FROM GOLIAD TO OPELOUSAS, LOUISIANA, KNOWN AS THE LOWER ROAD, EXTENSIVELY TRAVELED FROM 1750 TO 1850, ALSO CROSSED THERE

Liberty County

NOLAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JANUARY 10, 1981

NAMED IN HONOR OF PHILIP NOLAN PIONEER AND SCOUT WHO EXPLORED TEXAS IN 1800 MURDERED BY THE SPANIARDS IN MARCH, 1801

23 SWEETWATER, THE COUNTY SEAT





Missing

Missing







THIS COURTHOUSE STANDS IN THE OLD SPANISH CEMETERY USED FROM 1800 TO 1825

NOTABLE AMONG THOSE WHOSE REMAINS REST HERE IS ANTONIO GIL Y BARBO (1729-1809) FOUNDER OF NACOGDOCHES AN OUTSTANDING FIGURE IN THE LIFE OF THIS FRONTIER TOWN AT THE CLOSE OF THE 18TH CENTURY

Nacogdoches County

IN MEMORY OF THE GREATEST COLONIZER OF NORTHERN MEXICO

JOSE DE ESCANDON

WHO DIRECTED EXPLORATION FROM TAMPICO TO THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER, LAID OUT 23 TOWNS, MOST OF WHICH STILL EXIST, FOUNDED MISSIONS, OPENED ROADS AND ESTABLISHED SETTLERS, 1746-1755 VUPON HIM WAS CONFERRED, IN RECOGNITION OF HIS SERVICES TO THE CROWN OF SPAIN, THE TITLE OF EL CONDE DE LA SIERRA GORDA

Starr County

IN THIS VICINITY EXTENDED THE VIAL-FRAGOSO TRAIL

BLAZED IN 1788 BY PIERRE VIAL AND FRANCISCO XAVIER FRAGOSO ON THEIR WAY FROM SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO, TO NATCHITOCHES, LOUISIANA

Smith County

"RANCHO VIEJO"

HERE JOSE SALVADOR DE LA GARZA BUILT HIS RANCH EL ESPIRITU SANTO IN 1771 FIRST EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT IN CAMERON COUNTY

Cameron County 24



PROXIMATE LOCATION OF THE ROUTE AND TERMINUS OF THE EXPEDITION MADE BY ESPINOSA, OLIVARES AND AGUIRRE WITH MILITARY ESCORT IN 1709 IN SEARCH OF THE TEJAS INDIANS, HUNTING NEAR THE BANKS OF THE COLORADO RIVER

HERE THE PARTY MET CANTONA, CHIEF OF THE YOJUANES, WHO CARRIED THE CORDIAL MESSAGE OF THE SPANIARDS EAST TO BERNARDINO, GREAT CHIEF OF THE ASINAI TRIBAL CONFEDERACY

Travis County



THE PAJALACHE ACEQUIA (DITCH)

CONSTRUCTED EARLY IN THE 18TH CENTURY BY THE PAJALACHE INDIANS AS A PART OF THEIR IRRIGATION SYSTEM, BEGAN HERE IN LA VILLITA AND ENDED AT MISSION CONCEPCION. THE PADRES AND THE INDIANS TRAVELLED IN CANOES BETWEEN THESE PLACES, AS THE ACEQUIA WAS WIDE AND DEEP.

Bexar County

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SAN FELIPE SPRINGS

NAMED BY 17TH CENTURY SPANISH EXPLORERS IN HONOR OF

SAN FELIPE DE JESUS, 1560-1597 FIRST MEXICAN MARTYR. A WATERING PLACE ON ROAD BLAZED IN 1849 BETWEEN SAN ANTONIO AND THE PACIFIC. A STAGE STAND ON THE SAN DIEGO ROUTE 1857 TO 1883

Val Verde County

GUADALUPE RIVER

DISCOVERED IN THIS VICINITY ON APRIL 14, 1689 BY ALONSO DE LEON VAMED IN HONOR OF "OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE" PATRON SAINT OF MEXICO VERE AT A FORD, USED SINCE INDIAN DAYS, EM-PRESARIO MARTIN DE LEON FOUNDED THE TOWN OF VICTORIA IN 1824

Victoria County









GREAT SALT LAKE

HERE HAS EXISTED, SINCE THE FIRST SPANISH CHRONICLER TRAVERSED THE REGION, A GREAT SALT LAKE WHICH SUPPLIED ALL NORTHERN MEXICO WITH SALT.

Willacy County

BANDERA PASS

CELEBRATED INDIAN PASS KNOWN FROM THE EARLIEST DAYS OF SPANISH SETTLE-MENT * IDENTIFIED WITH MANY A FRONTIER FIGHT AND MANY A HOSTILE INROAD * OLD RANGER TRAIL FROM THE MEDINA TO THE GUADALUPE RIVER AND THE UNITED STATES ARMY ROUTE BETWEEN FRONTIER POSTS FOLLOWED THIS ROUTE THROUGH THE MOUNTAINS

Bandera County

THIS MARKER FACES THE SITE (ACROSS THE STREET) OF THE HOME OF EMPRESARIO

MARTIN DE LEON

BORN AT BURGOS, MEXICO, 1765 * AP-POINTED CAPTAIN IN THE SPANISH ARMY, 1790, FOR BRAVERY DISPLAYED IN INDIAN FIGHTING * RECEIVED A GRANT IN 1824 TO SETTLE 41 FAMILIES IN TEXAS * ESTABLISHED THE TOWN OF VICTORIA * RECEIVED AN ADDITIONAL GRANT IN 1829 TO SETTLE 150 FAMI-LIES * DIED IN VICTORIA, 1833 * HIS COLONY WAS THE ONLY ONE IN WHICH MEXICAN CUSTOMS AND TRADITIONS PREVAILED

Victoria County









SITE OF THE FIRST TOWN OF

SAN MARCOS

KNOWN OFFICIALLY AS VILLA DE SAN MARCOS DE NEVE • ESTABLISHED IN 1807 BY MEXICAN SETTLERS • THE POPULATION ON JANUARY 6, 1808 WAS 81 • • A FLOOD IN 1808 AND SUBSEQUENT INDIAN RAIDS LED TO ITS ABANDONMENT IN 1812

Hays County

AS LATE AS 1920 DILAPIDATED ROCK WALLS STOOD ON THIS SITE, KNOWN AS

FORT RAMIREZ

TREASURE HUNTERS PULLED THEM DOWN AND WORKMEN ON THE PIPE-LINE PASSING NEAR HAULED THEM TO THE HOLLOW BELOW • • ERECTED AT AN UNKNOWN DATE BY TWO BROTHERS NAMED RAMIREZ, FROM WHOM RAMIRENA CREEK DERIVED ITS NAME, THE STRUC-TURE IS BELIEVED TO BE THE FIRST IN WHAT IS NOW LIVE OAK COUNTY • IT WAS A COMBINED RANCH DWELLING AND FORT • THE OWNERS WERE RUN OFF OR KILLED BY INDIANS IN 1813 • A FULL ACCOUNT OF THE FORT AND ITS TRADITIONS IS GIVEN IN "CORONADO'S CHILDREN" BY J. FRANK DOBIE

Live Oak County

EL CAMINO REAL (THE KING'S HIGHWAY)

THE REGAL HIGHWAY EXTENDING BETWEEN HIS CATHOLIC MAJESTY'S FAR-FLUNG KINGDOMS OF NEW SPAIN, FROM MEXICO CITY TO THE KINGDOM OF NEW MEXICO, PASSED HERE * FROM 1581 ONWARD IT WAS THE ROUTE FOLLOWED BY CON-QUEROR, PADRE, MECHANT, ADVEN-TURER AND SETTLER * ALONG ITS COURSE PASSED OX-CART AND MULE-TRAIN AND THE TRAFFIC OF THE NEW REALM

El Paso County

SITE OF THE HOME OF THE PIONEER OF ANGLO-AMERICAN WOMEN IN TEXAS

> MRS. JANE HERBERT WILKINSON LONG 1789-1880

WIFE OF DR. JAMES LONG, LEADER OF AN EXPEDITION IN 1819 WHOSE PURPOSE WAS TO FREE TEXAS FROM SPANISH RULE

Fort Bend County





FORMED FROM TRAVIS AND BELL COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1856 MARCH 10, 1856

THE NAME LAMPAZOS, FIRST GIVEN TO THE RIVER BY THE SPANIARDS, WAS SUGGESTED BY THE MANY COCKLE-BURS IN THE REGION FIRST SETTLEMENTS ABOUT 1850 FIRST RAILROAD, 1882

> COUNTY SEAT, BURLESON, AFTER 1856, CALLED LAMPASAS

SITE OF THE HOME OF ANTONIO GIL Y BARBO 1729 • • 1809

FOUNDER OF MODERN NACOGDOCHES IN 1779 THIS SPANISH FRONTIERSMAN MATCHED WITS WITH SPANISH GOVERNORS IN THE INTEREST OF THE EARLY SETTLERS OF THIS REGION. A LEADER OF THE PEOPLE HE BROUGHT THE EXILES BACK

Nacogdoches County





RECONSTRUCTION OF OLD STONE FORT When the original fort was demolished in 1901, the stones were saved by the Cum Concilio Club of Nacogdoches and the fort was reconstructed on the SF Austin campus.

Nacogdoches County



The eight-foot shaft of Fredericksburg red granite, four teet in width and eighteen inches in depth at the base, tapers slightly in width and breadth to its apex. The intaglio design by Pierre Bourdelle and part of the inscription is sand blown on the face of the shaft; a ten-inch carved star appears on the back of the shaft above the remaining inscription. Donald Nelson was the architect. The Commission allocated \$1,000 for the erection of the memorial.

LAREDO

ORIGINAL SITE OF VILLA DE LAREDQ FOUNDED BY TOMAS SANCHEZ MAY 15 1755 BY ORDER OF JOSE DE ESCANDON COLONIZER OF NUEVO SANTANDER

CHARTERED BY THE KING OF SPAIN AND ORGANIZED AS VILLA DE SAN AGUSTIN DE LAREDO IN 1767 INCORPORATED IN THE STATE OF TAMAULIPAS - MEXICO IN 1821 - CONCENTRATION POINT FOR THE MEXICAN ARMY UNDER GENERAL SANTA ANNA DURING THE TEXAS REVOLUTION CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE RIO GRANDE IN 1839 TEMPORARILY OCCUPIED FOR TEXAS BY GENERAL ALEXANDER SOMERVELL IN DECEMBER 1842 OCCUPIED NOVEMBER 8 . 1846 FOR THE UNITED STATES BY CAPTAIN MIRABEAU B. LAMAR UNDER GENERAL ZACHARY TAYLOR . . INCORPORATED AS THE CITY OF LAREDO BY THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE IN 1848 HEADQUARTERS OF COLONEL SANTOS BENAVIDES DURING THE CONFEDERACY EVER AFTER LOYAL TO OLD GLORY

Webb County







EL CAMINO REAL THE OLD SAN ANTONIO ROAD FIRST BLAZED IN 1691 BY CAPTAIN DON DOMINGO TERAN DE LOS RIOS FIRST PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR OF TEXAS IN EXPEDITION OFFICIALLY AN DIRECTED BY FATHER FRAY DAMIAN MASSANET O.F.M APOSTOLIC MISSIONARY AND EXPLORER IN TEXAS GENERAL ROUTE WAS NORTH-EAST FROM THE RIO GRANDE TO THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER THENCE ACROSS THE GUADALUPE SAN MARCOS · COLORADO · BRAZOS AND TRINITY RIVERS TO THE MISSIONS IN EAST TEXAS OTHER EXPEDITIONS TAKING THE SAME ROUTE: ESPINOSA · OLIVARES AGUIRRE IN 1709 . . ST. DENIS IN 1714 · · RAMON IN 1716 ALARCON IN 1718 · · MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1720 · · MOSES AUSTIN · THE REPUBLIC OF IN 1820 TEXAS OFFICIALLY MADE ROAD A BOUN THIS BOUNDARY BETWEEN OF EMPRESARIAL LAND GRANTS

NORMANGEE · HOME OF THE OLD SAN ANTONIO ROAD ASSOCIATION

Leon County

ON MAY 4, 1598, DON JUAN DE OÑATE, ADELANTADO AND CAPTAIN-GENERAL, GOVERNOR OF NEW MEXICO, FIRST NAMED EL PASO DEL RIO DEL NORTE

THROUGH THIS OLD PASS, THE LOWEST SNOW-FREE FEASIBLE ROUTE FROM THE ATLANTIC TO THE PACIFIC THROUGH THE ROCKY MOUNTAINS, EXTEND TODAY THE GREAT TRUNK LINES OF TELEGRAPH AND RAILROAD * THE CITY OF EL PASO MARKS THE PLACE AND PERPETUATES THE NAME

El Paso County

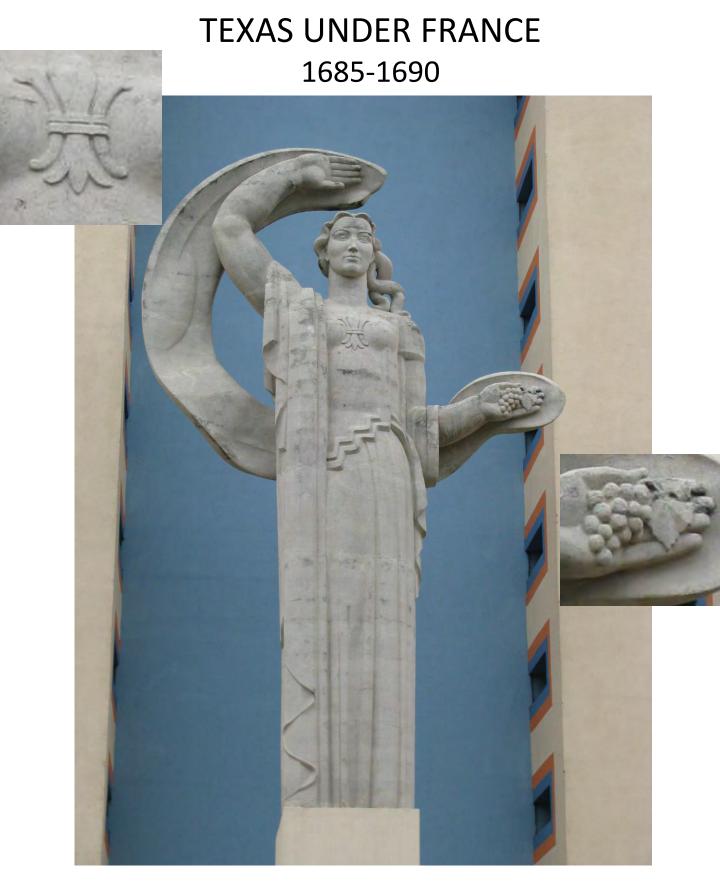
ERECTED IN RECOGNITION OF THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO TEXAS OF FELIPE ENRIQUE NERI, BARON DE BASTROP, 1770-1829.

PIONEER RED RIVER EMPRESARIO • • LAND COMMISSIONER OF AUSTIN'S COLONY, MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF COAHUILA AND TEXAS • • THROUGH HIS AID, MOSES AUSTIN SECURED FROM THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT IN 1821, THE FIRST CONTRACT FOR THE ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION OF TEXAS.

IN HIS HONOR, THE NAME OF THIS TOWN AND THAT OF THIS COUNTY, A PART OF AUSTIN'S 1821 GRANT, KNOWN AS THE MUNICI-PALITY OF MINA IN 1834 AND THE COUNTY OF MINA AFTER MARCH 17, 1836, WAS CHANGED ON DECEMBER 18, 1837 TO BASTROP A & A & A

LET THIS NAME BRING TO MIND THE FRIEND AND ADVOCATE OF THE PIONEER IN A FOREIGN LAND

Bastrop County



In the Esplanade at the Dallas Exposition, represented by Chevron on her breast, and grapes in her hand.



RENE ROBERT CAVELIER

BORN IN ROUEN, FRANCE, NOVEMBER 22, 1643 CAME TO CANADA IN 1666 FOUNDED A FIRST SETTLEMENT NEAR MONTREAL LED SEVERAL EXPEDITIONS ON THE GREAT LAKES AND THE OHIO AND ILLINOIS RIVERS COMPLETED THE EXPLORATION OF THE MISSISSIPPI 1682 ON JULY 24, 1684 LA SALLE SAILED FROM FRANCE TO ESTABLISH A COLONY AT THE MOUTH OF THE MISSISSIPPI . LANDED AT MATAGORDA BAY FEBRUARY 15 1685 THERE ESTABLISHED FORT ST. LOUIS WHILE ON HIS WAY TO CANADA HE WAS MURDERED NEAR THE TRINITY BIVER MARCH 19, 1687

A GENTLEMAN BUT NOT A COURTIER A PROUD INDEPENDENT YET TIMID NATURE AN EXPLORER OF BOLD VISION AND UN-TIRING ENERGY

LA SALLE'S COLONY ON MATAGORDA BAY GAVE THE UNITED STATES ITS FIRST CLAIM TO TEXAS AS A PART OF THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE

"AMERICA OWES HIM AN ENDURING MEMORY, FOR, IN THIS MASCULINE FIGURE, SHE SEES THE PIONEER WHO GUIDED HER TO THE POSSESSION. OF HER RICHEST HERI-TAGE."

FRANCIS PARKMAN

The entire memorial is erected on a pier, slab, and cap reinforced concrete foundation, designed as a rigid frame, supporting a rectangular base of granite upon which is erected a tapered wedge-shaped shaft of granite. The shaft is composed of four pieces, on which a combination of full-rounded and bas-relief sculpture is carved. The inscription appears on the lower block of the shaft. The entire memorial is of Kingsland pink granite, hand-hammered finish. The stylized portraiture of La Salle, sculptured by Raoul Josset and carved in granite by Ugo Lavaggi, is fourteen feet in height; the entire memorial rises twenty-two feet. The Commission allocated \$10,000 for the monument, designed by Donald Nelson, architect.







THIRTEEN MILES SOUTHEAST OF INEZ IS LOCATED THE SITE OF FORT ST. LOUIS FIRST FRENCH SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS ATTEMPTED BY RENE ROBERT CAVELIER SIEUR DE LA SALLE IN 1685 DEVASTATED BY THE KARANKAWA INDIANS BURNED BY MEMBERS OF THE ALONSO **DE LEON EXPEDITION IN 1689** ON ITS REMAINS THE SPANIARDS CONSTRUCTED PRÉSIDIO DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA BAHIA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO ESTABLISHED BY JOSEPH DE AZLOR. MARQUIS OF AGUAYO, AND FATHER FRAY AGUSTIN PATRON, O. F. M. IN 1722 AS A PROTECTION FOR THE MISSION OF NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO DE ZUÑIGA FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE INDIAN TRIBES **OF THE VICINITY** MOVED TO MISSION VALLEY ON THE GUADALUPE RIVER NEAR PRESENT VICTORIA IN 1726 MOVED FINALLY TO SANTA DOROTEA NOW GOLIAD NEAR THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1749

Victoria County

TO

GENERALS CHARLES LALLEMAND, ANTOINE RIGAUD, THE VETERANS OF THE NAPOLEONIC WARS AND OTHER FRENCH SETTLERS,

WHO, AFTER MANY TRIALS AND ADVENT-URES, CAME TO TEXAS IN THE SPRING OF 1818 TO FOUND ON THE BANKS OF THE TRINITY RIVER THE CHAMP D'ASILE: A LAST REFUGE FOR PEACE AND LIBERTY THOUS VOULONS VIVRE LIBRES, LABORIEUX ET PAISIBLES'' (WE WANT TO LIVE AS FREE MEN THROUGH OUR LABOR, AND IN PEACE)

Liberty County

LAFITTE'S GROVE FORT AND SETTLEMENT ESTABLISHED HERE IN 1817 BY THE FREEBOOTER

JEAN LAFITTE

WHO MAINTAINED HEADQUARTERS HERE WHILE PREYING ON SHIPPING IN THE GULF OF MEXICO

THE BATTLE OF THE THREE TREES WAS FOUGHT HERE BETWEEN LAFITTE'S MEN AND KARANKAWA INDIANS FEBRUARY, 1821

> FORT ABANDONED AND BURNED IN 1821 BY LAFITTE AFTER HIS DEPARTURE WAS ORDERED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

> > **Galveston County**





THE PARIS NEWS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 14, 1952 ONLY MARKER REMAINS



PRACTICALLY FORGOTTEN is the granite marker above on the site of the first Lamar County seat of justice at old Lafayette, which was located just northwest of Paris. The site now serves as a cattle pasture. Hugh Yeager, present owner of the property, inspects the memorial established in 1936 by the Texas Centennial Commission. (Paris News Staff Photo).

VICTORIA COUNTY

IN THIS COUNTY THE FIRST EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS,

FORT ST. LOUIS, WAS BUILT BY THE FRENCH EXPLORER LA SALLE IN 1685. BETWEEN 1722 AND 1726 A SPANISH PRESIDIO AND THE MISSION OF ESPIRITU SANTO WERE ESTABLISHED. SETTLED BY COLONISTS UNDER MARTIN DE LEON IN 1824 WHO NAMED HIS CAPITAL, LATER THE COUNTY SEAT, VICTORIA FROM IT THE COUNTY, CREATED MARCH 17, 1836, TOOK ITS NAME

Victoria County

SITE OF

LAFAYETTE

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF LAMAR COUNTY • A CLAPBOARD COURTHOUSE WAS BUILT BY JOHN LOVEJOY ON 40 ACRES DONATED BY JOHN WATSON • HERE COURT WAS HELD JUNE, 1841, TO JUNE, 1843 • JOHN A. RUTHERFORD, CHIEF JUSTICE, JOHN R. CRADDOCK COUNTY CLERK

Lamar County

TEXAS UNDER MEXICO

1821 - 1836



In the Esplanade at the Dallas Exposition, represented by Mexican eagle and snake on her breast.



JOSE ANTONIO NAVARRO

LOVER OF LIBERTY . . FOE OF DESPOTISM BORN IN SAN ANTONIO - TEXAS FEBRUARY 27 1795 . - . DIED JANUARY 13 - 1871 AND BURIED THERE . . MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE OF COAHUILA AND TEXAS 1821 - · LAND COMMISSIONER OF DE WITT'S COLONY 1831 . AND OF BEXAR DISTRICT 1834 1835 - . SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836 . MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS . 1838 . 1839 A COMMISSIONER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION . 1841 . MEMBER OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF 1845 OF SENATOR IN THE LEGISLATURE TEXAS - 1846 -- 1849 - · NAVARO COUNTY GRATEFULLY BEARS HIS NAME · · CORSICANA WAS NAMED BY HIM FOR THE ISLE OF HIS FATHER'S BIRTH . CORSICA

Navarro County



COL. JOSE FRANCISCO RUIZ

OFFICER IN THE MEXICAN ARMY, 1831 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836 SENATOR OF THE FIRST CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1836-37 BORN IN SAN ANTONIO JANUARY 29, 1783 DIED JANUARY 20, 1840

Bexar County





SITE OF THE HOME OF JAMES DILL

BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA IN 1770 PIONEER INDIAN TRADER BY THE KING OF SPAIN AS A PUBLIC-SPIRITED CITIZEN FIRST ALCALDE OF NACOGDOCHES UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT IN 1821

Nacogdoches County

SITE OF THE HOME OF JOSIAH HUGHES BELL

1791-1838

ONE OF THE "OLD THREE HUNDRED" WHO CAME TO TEXAS WITH STEPHEN F. AUSTIN IN 1821 ▼ FIRST ALCALDE OF AUSTIN'S COLONY ▼ ON THIS TRACT OF 6,642 ACRES, GRANTED HIM IN 1824, WAS LATER BUILT THE TOWN OF COLUMBIA, FIRST CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC

Brazoria County

SITE OF THE HOME OF RANDAL JONES 1786-1873

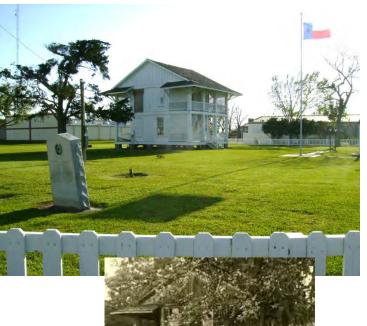
MEMBER OF LONG'S EXPEDITION IN 1819 • • CAPTAIN OF MILITIA UNDER AUSTIN IN 1824 • MEMBER OF THE GENERAL CONSULTATION, 1835 • ON THIS LAND GRANTED HIM IN 1824 HE BUILT THE HOUSE IN WHICH "DEAF" SMITH DIED, NOVEMBER 30, 1837

Fort Bend County









CASA BLANCA

HOME OF DON ERASMO SEGUIN WHO DIED HERE IN 1857 BY APPOINTMENT OF THE SPANISH GOVERNOR HE INDUCTED STEPHEN F. AUSTIN INTO TEXAS, 1821 TEXAS DEPUTY TO THE MEXICAN CONGRESS, 1824 ON OCTOBER 13, 1834 IN A CONVENTION IN BEXAR HE MADE THE FIRST EFFORT TO ORGANIZE A PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT IN TEXAS

Wilson County

HOME OF PETER ELLIS BEAN 1783-1846

A MEMBER OF NOLAN'S EXPEDITION IN 1800 • CAPTURED AND IMPRISONED IN MEXICO • SOLDIER IN THE MEXICAN STRUGGLE FOR INDEPENDENCE • COM-MANDANT AT FORT TERAN, 1831; AT NACOGDOCHES, 1832-1835 •

ERECTED IN 1829 IN THE VICINITY OF A SAWMILL OWNED BY BEAN

Nacogdoches County

HOME OF THOMAS JEFFERSON CHAMBERS (1802-1865) SURVEYOR GENERAL OF TEXAS, 1829 SOLE SUPERIOR JUDGE OF TEXAS BEFORE 1836 ACTIVE IN THE CAUSE OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF SECESSION CONVENTION, 1861

CHAMBERSEA, LATER ANAHUAC, AND A TEXAS COUNTY WERE NAMED IN HIS HONOR

Chambers County

1938 Photo

Fort Bend County 39





SITE OF THE HOME OF WILLIAM CLARK, JR. 1798-1871

BORN IN BEDFORD COUNTY, VIRGINIA CAME TO TEXAS IN 1829 AND TO NACOGDOCHES IN 1840 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF THE SECOND CONGRESS REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1837-38 ON THIS SITE IN 1840 HE ERECTED A HOME

Nacogdoches County

SITE OF THE HOME OF JOHN S. ROBERTS 1796-1871

A NATIVE OF VIRGINIA, CAME TO TEXAS IN 1826 AN ACTIVE PARTICIPANT IN THE STRUGGLE FOR TEXAS INDEPENDENCE, ONE OF THE LEADERS IN BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES, DELEGATE TO CONSULTATION, NOVEMBER 3, 1835. COMMANDED THE NACOGDOCHES COMPANY IN STORMING OF BEXAR, DECEMBER 5 TO 10, 1835 SIGNER OF DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MARCH 2, 1836

Nacogdoches County

SITE OF THE HOME OF ELIZABETH POWELL BUILT BEFORE MARCH 21, 1831, WHEN THE LAND WAS GRANTED TO HER * THIS POINT MARKS THE MOST EASTERN ADVANCE OF URREA'S ARMY AND THE MOST SOUTHERN ADVANCE OF SANTA ANNA, WHO TURNED EAST FROM HERE TO THE BRAZOS AND SAN JACINTO . HERE THE MEXICAN ARMY ENCAMPED AFTER THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO









DIED HERE

SITE OF THE HOME OF ELISHA ROBERTS (1774 * * 1844)

EARLY INFLUENTIAL CITIZEN VIMPORTANT FIGURE IN THE FREDONIAN REBELLION V ALCALDE OF SAN AUGUSTINE IN 1831 VA HAVEN OF HOSPITALITY TO TRAVELERS

San Augustine County

THIS MARKER FACES THE SITE (ACROSS THE STREET) OF THE HOME OF

JOHN JOSEPH LINN

MERCHANT, SOLDIER, STATESMAN, HIS-TORIAN * BORN IN IRELAND, OCTOBER 25, 1798 * LAST ALCALDE AND FIRST MAYOR OF VICTORIA * MEMBER OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL, PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS, 1835 * MEMBER OF THE FIRST CONGRESS OF TEXAS * DIED HERE 1885 * THERE MEMBERS OF THE "NEW ORLEANS GREYS" AND THE ALABAMA "RED ROVERS" WERE ENTER-TAINED WHILE ON THEIR WAY TO GOLIAD TO JOIN COLONEL FANNIN'S ILL-FATED COMMAND * THERE THE WOMEN OF VICTORIA MOULDED BUL-LETS FOR THE ARMY

Victoria County

HOME OF

GEORGE B. MCKINSTRY

1802 • • 1837

A MEMBER OF AUSTIN'S COLONY, 1829 V SOLDIER IN THE BATTLE OF VELASCO V DELEGATE TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION, 1832 V CHIEF JUSTICE OF BRAZORIA COUNTY, 1836 V IN THIS HOME, BUILT ABOUT 1830, STEPHEN F. AUSTIN DIED, DECEMBER 27, 1836

Brazoria County



SITE OF THE HOME OF

MEMBER OF LONG'S EXPEDITION IN 1819 • PIONEER SETTLER IN AUSTIN'S COLONY • • ALCALDE OF BRAZORIA, 1832 • COMMANDER AT THE BATTLE OF VELASCO • SIGNER OF THE TURTLE BAYOU RESOLUTIONS • DIED IN 1833

Brazoria County





ONE-EIGHTH MILE SOUTH TO

PEACH POINT

HOME OF MRS. EMILY M. PERRY 1795-1851 ONLY SISTER OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN, WHO REGARDED THE PLACE AS HIS HOME AFTER THE BURNING OF SAN FELIPE ON MARCH 29, 1836

Brazoria County

"EAGLE ISLAND PLANTATION"

SITE OF THE HOME OF SARAH ANN GROCE WHARTON (1810-1878) AND WILLIAM HARRIS WHARTON (1806-1839)

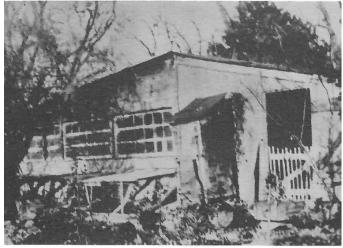
MEMBER OF THE CONVENTION OF TEXAS, 1832 PRESIDENT OF THE CONVENTION OF 1833 MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1836-1838 TEXAS MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES, 1836-1837 A GATHERING PLACE FOR DISTINGUISHED PEOPLE

Brazoria County





OLD MILL ON THE PAJALACHE ACEQUIA



THIS MILL BUILT BEFORE 1824 ON THE PAJALACHE ACEQUIA FURNISHED FOOD TO EARLY SETTLERS AND SERVED AS A RESTING PLACE FOR TRAVELERS AND TEXAS SOLDIERS EN ROUTE TO BEXAR FROM THE MISSIONS.

Bexar County



SITE OF WOOD'S FORT

USED BY COLONISTS OF THIS VICINITY AS A PROTECTION AGAINST INDIAN ATTACKS 1828-1842 FORTIFIED RESIDENCE OF ZADOCK WOODS VETERAN OF THE WAR OF 1812 ONE OF THE OLD "THREE HUNDRED" OF AUSTIN'S COLONISTS OLDEST MAN KILLED IN THE "DAWSON MASSACRE" SEPTEMBER 18, 1842

Fayette County

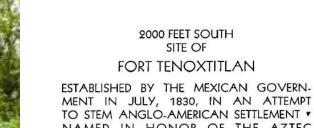


SITE OF A

TWIN BLOCKHOUSE

BUILT ABOUT 1828 VUSED AS A PLACE OF DEFENSE AGAINST THE INDIANS AND KNOWN AS MOORE'S FORT IN HONOR OF ITS BUILDER AND OWNER, JOHN HENRY MOORE, 1800-1880, NOTED INDIAN FIGHTER AND COMMANDER OF THE TEXANS AT THE BATTLE OF GONZALES, OCTOBER 2, 1835 VTHE CITY OF LA GRANGE WAS ESTABLISHED MAY 17, 1831 ON HIS LAND

Fayette County



TO STEM ANGLO-AMERICAN SETTLEMENT NAMED IN HONOR OF THE AZTEC CAPITAL, NOW MEXICO CITY * ABANDONED BY MEXICAN TROOPS IN 1832 * IN THE TOWN WHICH GREW UP AFTER 1834 MANY PROMINENT TEXANS LIVED * THE PLACE PASSED FROM THE MAP AFTER 1860

Burleson County







FIRST KNOWN AS PERRY'S POINT, A FORT, ESTABLISHED IN 1830 BY GENERAL MANUEL MIER Y TERAN FOR THE PURPOSE OF HALTING ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION WAS NAMED ANAHUAC, THE AZTEC NAME OF MEXICO CITY, THEN THE CAPITAL OF TEXAS THE IMPRISON-MENT HERE OF SETTLERS IN AUSTIN'S COLONY BROUGHT THE FIRST OPEN REBELLION TO MEX-ICAN RULE IN 1832

Chambers County



SITE OF

FORT TERAN

FIRST WHITE SETTLEMENT IN TYLER COUNTY * ESTABLISHED BY THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT IN 1830 TO PREVENT FURTHER ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION IN TEXAS * COMMANDED IN 1831 BY PETER ELLIS BEAN * NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL MANUEL MIER Y TERAN, COMMANDER OF THE MEXICAN FORCE IN TEXAS * ABAN-DONED BY MEXICAN TROOPS IN 1835

Tyler County



SITE OF

OLD BLOCK HOUSE

ESTABLISHED BEFORE 1836

USED BY ELISHA CLAPP AND NEIGHBORING SETTLERS AS A PLACE OF DEFENSE AGAINST THE INDIANS

ABANDONED ABOUT 1844

Houston County









ONE MILE NORTHEAST IS THE SITE OF FORT LIPANTITLAN OCCUPIED IN 1831 BY SOLDIERS OF THE MEXICAN ARMY

> CAPTURED NOV. 4, 1835 BY VOLUNTEERS UNDER CAPT. IRA WESTOVER

UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED JUNE 7, 1842 BY AN ARMY UNDER GEN. ANTONIO CANALES

Nueces County

ON THIS SITE STOOD FORT LIPANTITLAN

OCCUPIED IN 1831 BY SOLDIERS OF THE MEXICAN ARMY TO PREVENT FURTHER ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION IN TEXAS

> CAPTURED NOV. 4, 1835 BY VOLUNTEERS UNDER CAPTAIN IRA WESTOVER

UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED JUNE 7, 1842 BY 700 MEN UNDER GEN. ANTONIO CANALES WHILE DEFENDED BY 192 MEN UNDER GENERAL JAMES DAVIS

FIVE ACRES OF LAND SURROUNDING THE SITE OF THE FORT WERE GENEROUSLY DONATED TO THE STATE OF TEXAS BY THE HEIRS OF J. C. BLUNTZER IN 1937

Nueces County

TAYLOR WHITE RANCH

ON THIS RANCH, A PART OF THE GRANT OF JAMES TAYLOR WHITE WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1828, THE TEXAN FORCE CAMPED BEFORE ANAHUAC AND THE COLONISTS DREW UP THE TURTLE BAYOU RESOLUTIONS, JUNE 13, 1832

Chambers County

SITE OF THE CAMP

MARCH 20-26, 1836, OF ONE DIVISION OF GENERAL SANTA ANNA'S ARMY UNDER THE COMMAND OF GENERAL JOAQUIN RAMIREZ Y SESMA • IT CROSS-ED THE COLORADO AT ATASCOSITA FORD, EIGHT MILES BELOW COLUMBUS

Colorado County



ROBBINS' FERRY

FIRST KNOWN AS PASO TOMAS (THOMAS' FORD) AT THE CROSSING OF THE SAN ANTONIO AND LA BAHIA ROADS OVER THE TRINITY. FERRY ESTABLISHED ABOUT 1821 BY JOEL LEAKEY

NAMED IN HONOR OF

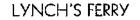
NATHANIEL ROBBINS WHO OPERATED IT MANY YEARS ACQUIRED ABOUT 1852 BY ELISHA CLAPP WHOSE DESCENDANTS OPERATED IT UNTIL 1930 WHEN CLAPP'S FERRY BRIDGE WAS CONSTRUCTED.

Madison County



SITE OF GROCE'S FERRY ESTABLISHED ACROSS THE BRAZOS IN 1822 (THE RIVER HAS SINCE CHANGED ITS COURSE) BY JARED E. GROCE (1782-1836) NEAR HERE THE TEXAS ARMY CAMPED FROM MARCH 30 TO APRIL 12, 1836

Waller County



ESTABLISHED BEFORE 1824 BY

NATHANIEL LYNCH ONE OF AUSTIN'S FIRST COLONISTS ON LAND GRANTED AUGUST 19, 1824 GRANTED EXCLUSIVE PRIVILEGE TO OPERATE FERRY AT THIS POINT JANUARY 1, 1830, BY AYUNTAMIENTO OF SAN FELIPE. NOW KNOWN AS LYNCHBURG FERRY.

Harris County









site of BURNAM'S FERRY

FIRST FERRY IN PRESENT-DAY FAYETTE COUNTY • ESTABLISHED ABOUT 1824 AT THE CROSSING OF THE LA BAHIA ROAD BY JESSE BURNAM • AFTER THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS CROSSED ON MARCH 19, 1836, THE FERRY WAS DESTROYED BY ORDER OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON TO PREVENT ITS USE BY THE ADVANCING MEXICAN ARMY

Fayette County

Marker was 'kidnapped' and placed in Colorado County with a new inscription on the back. It was eventually returned to Fayette County.

ALLEYTON

OLDEST PERMANENT SETTLEMENT AND ONCE LARGEST TOWN IN COLORADO COUNTY V ESTABLISHED BY THE PIONEER ALLEY FAMILY (WILLIAM, JOHN, RAWSON, THOMAS AND ABRAHAM), ALL MEMBERS OF AUSTIN'S ORIGINAL 300 SETTLERS V TERMINUS OF THE BUFFALO BAYOU, BRAZOS AND COLORADO RAILROAD, 1860-1867

Colorado County









SITE OF FULTON'S TRADING POST

ESTABLISHED BY SAMUEL M. FULTON (1810-1851) AT THIS POINT, WHICH BECAME KNOWN AS FULTON'S CROSSING AFTER ABOUT 1833 EARLIER KNOWN AS THE SITE OF UNITED STATES FACTORY

Lamar County

FANTHORP INN

BUILT IN 1834 BY HENRY FANTHORP AS A HOME FOR HIS BRIDE, RACHEL KENNARD V ENLARGED FOR HOTEL PURPOSE V SERVED AS FIRST MERCANTILE ESTABLISHMENT AND FIRST POST OFFICE (1835) IN THE REGION V HERE KENNETH LEWIS ANDERSON, VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, DIED JULY 3, 1845 V STAGE LINES FROM HOUSTON TO OLD SPRINGFIELD AND NACOGDOCHES TO AUSTIN CROSSED HERE

Grimes County

THE NUECES RIVER

UNTIL 1836 THIS RIVER FORMED THE UNDISPUTED WESTERN BOUNDARY OF TEXAS V BY THE TREATY OF GUADALUPE HIDALGO, SIGNED IN FEBRUARY, 1848, THE BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN MEXICO AND THE UNITED STATES WAS FIXED AT THE RIO GRANDE

LaSalle County

MUSTANG SPRING

WATERING PLACE KNOWN AS EARLY AS 1849 WHEN CAPTAIN RANDOLPH B. MARCY OF THE U. S. ARMY STOPPED HERE EN ROUTE FROM FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS, TO EL PASO V DESCRIBED IN 1859 AS "MUSTANG POND, TWO MILES NORTH OF EMIGRANT'S ROAD" V FIRST WATER WEST OF BIG SPRING

Martin County







FOUR MILES SOUTHEAST TO THE ORIGINAL TOWN OF

VELASCO

LANDING PLACE OF THE "LIVELY" FIRST VESSEL BRINGING IMMIGRANTS TO AUSTIN'S COLONY IN 1821. THERE THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, BETWEEN TEXAS COLONISTS AND MEXICAN TROOPS, WAS FOUGHT JUNE 26, 1832. A TREATY OF PEACE BETWEEN TEXAS AND MEXICO WAS SIGNED THERE MAY 14, 1836, BY PRESIDENTS DAVID G. BURNET AND ANTONIO LOPEZ DE SANTA ANNA BUT WAS NEVER RATIFIED BY MEXICO.

Brazoria County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

KNOWN AS EARLY AS 1828 AS MCNEILL'S LANDING

IN 1831 IT CONSISTED OF OVER 200 BUILDINGS

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF ANGELINA COUNTY 1846 V V 1854

Angelina County

CITY OF

MATAGORDA

PROJECTED SITE OF A TOWN IN 1826 ***** FOUNDED IN 1829 WITH STEPHEN F. AUSTIN, ELIAS R. WIGHTMAN, HOSEA H. LEAGUE AND IRA INGRAM AS PRO-PRIETORS ***** THIRD LARGEST TOWN IN TEXAS IN 1834 *** *** INCORPORATED JANUARY 28, 1839 ***** COUNTY SEAT OF MATAGORDA COUNTY, 1837-1894 ***** BADLY WRECKED BY STORMS IN 1854 AND 1875 ***** AN EARLY CULTURAL CENTER OF TEXAS AS EVIDENCED BY SCHOOLS, CHURCHES AND PRESS

Matagorda County



MILAM

FOUNDED IN 1828 AS RED MOUND NAMED IN 1835 FOR BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM SEAT OF JUSTICE OF SABINE MUNICIPALITY, 1835; OF SABINE COUNTY, 1837-58. INCORPORATED DECEMBER 29, 1837 INTERNAL REVENUE POST DURING THE REPUBLIC HEADQUARTERS OF THE QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT C. S. A. FOR SABINE COUNTY, 1861-65 FIRST HOME IN TEXAS OF JOHN S. ROBERTS A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE HOME OF JOHN C. HALE, MARTYR OF SAN JACINTO

Sabine County



ROUND TOP

ON THE OLD SAN FELIPE TRAIL, IN MEMORY OF JOHN C. ROBISON, PARTICIPANT OF THE BATTLE OF VELASCO V JOEL W. ROBISON, MCHENRY WINBURN, ISAAC LAFAYETTE HILL, SPENCER BURTON TOWNSEND, STEPHEN TOWNSEND, VETERANS OF SAN JACINTO V J. T. TOWNSEND, JOHN P. TOWNSEND OF THE SAN JACINTO CAM-PAIGN V MYERS FISHER JONES OF THE SANTA FE AND SNIVELY EXPEDITIONS V JOHN RUFUS ALEXANDER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION AND OTHER PIONEERS WHO RESIDED IN THE VICINITY

Fayette County



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FAYETTEVILLE

STAGE STATION ON THE OLD SAN FELIPE TRAIL FOUNDED BY JAMES J. ROSS, JOHN CRIER, JAMES CUMMINS — MEMBERS OF AUSTIN'S FIRST COLONY • NEARBY RESIDED WILLIAM J. RUSSELL, PARTICIPANT OF THE BATTLE OF VELASCO • JEROME B. ALEXANDER, FIDELIE S. BREEDING, JAMES MONROE HILL—VETERANS OF SAN JACINTO • ANDREW CRIER, WILL-IAM HILL, DR. WILLIAM P. SMITH OF THE SAN JACINTO CAMPAIGN • ASA HILL, JEFFERY B. HILL, JOHN C. C. HILL — MEMBERS OF THE MIER EXPEDITION

Fayette County

SITE OF

NEW KENTUCKY

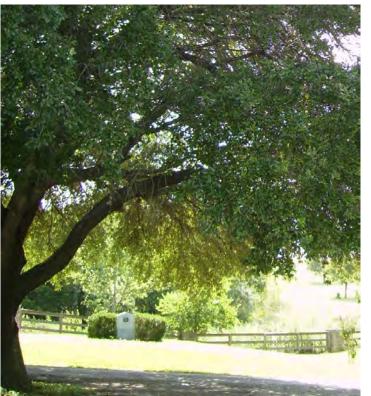
ESTABLISHED BEFORE 1831 • A THRIVING TOWN UNTIL ITS TRADE WAS CAPTURED BY THE PRESENT CITY OF HOUSTON, ESTABLISHED 30 MILES AWAY IN 1836 • ABANDONED ABOUT 1840

Harris County

1936 New Kentucky dedication









SITE OF THE TOWN OF LINNVILLE

AN EARLY TEXAS PORT NAMED FOR JOHN JOSEPH LINN

1798 • • • 1885

A PIONEER MERCHANT OF VICTORIA WHO LOCATED HIS WAREHOUSE HERE IN 1831

AROUND THIS A SETTLEMENT GREW UP WHICH WAS DESTROYED BY COMANCHE INDIANS ON AUGUST 8, 1840

Calhoun County

SITE OF THE FIRST PERMANENT GERMAN SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS

INDUSTRY

1831 ▼

FOUNDED BY FRIEDRICH ERNST * BORN AT VAREL, OLDENBURG, GERMANY * IM-MIGRATED TO AMERICA, 1829 AND TO TEXAS IN 1831 * DIED HERE IN 1858 * THE TOWN WAS LAID OUT IN 1838

Austin County

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SITE OF THE TOWN OF

NASHVILLE

SURVEYED IN THE FALL OF 1835 AS THE CAPITAL OF ROBERTSON'S COLONY

NAMED FOR NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE WHERE STERLING C. ROBERTSON AND MANY OF HIS COLONISTS HAD FORMERLY LIVED

> SEAT OF JUSTICE MILAM MUNICIPALITY, 1836 MILAM COUNTY, 1837

FIRST HOME IN TEXAS OF GEORGE C. CHILDRESS CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE WHO DRAFTED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

Milam County



WHEELOCK

FOUNDED IN 1833 BY COLONEL E. L. R. WHEELOCK, SOLDIER, LAWYER AND EDUCATOR • ONE OF THE ORGANIZERS OF ROBERTSON'S COLONY • CAPTAIN OF TEXAS RANGERS • • DIED IN EDWARDSVILLE, ILL., IN 1846 WHILE VISITING THE PLACE OF HIS BIRTH

Robertson County





SITE OF THE TOWN OF BEVILPORT

IMPORTANT RIVER NAVIGATION POINT, 1830-1860 • ESTABLISHED BY JOHN BEVIL IN WHOSE HONOR THE MUNICI-PALITY WAS FIRST NAMED IN 1834 WITH BEVILPORT AS SEAT OF JUSTICE • A MAIL STATION IN 1835 • COUNTY SEAT OF JASPER COUNTY, 1836-1837 • INCORPORATED JUNE 5, 1837 • A BUSINESS AND SOCIAL CENTER UNTIL THE CIVIL WAR

Jasper County

SITE OF THE OLD TOWN OF TEXANA

FOUNDED IN 1834 BY DR. F. F. WELLS PERSONAL FRIEND OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN

COUNTY SEAT OF JACKSON COUNTY FROM

1835 V V 1883 OLD HOME OF CAPT. CLARK L. OWEN OF CIVIL WAR FAME

HERE THE FOLLOWING WERE FIRST ORGANIZED IN JACKSON COUNTY

METHODIST CHURCH IN 1838 MASONIC LODGE IN 1852 PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN 1855

Jackson County



CITY OF BEAUMONT

NAMED IN HONOR OF MARY DEWLEIGH BORLACE WARREN BEAUMONT BY HER HUSBAND, HENRY MILLARD WHO LAID OUT THE TOWN IN 1835 ON A SITE KNOWN AS TEVIS'S BLUFF INCORPORATED IN 1838

Jefferson County



TOWN OF CAT SPRING A PIONEER GERMAN SETTLEMENT FOUNDED IN 1832 BY MEMBERS OF THE AMSLER, KLEBERG AND VON ROEDER FAMILIES

Jefferson County



SITE OF THE TEXAS HOME OF RICHARD ELLIS

A VIRGINIAN BY BIRTH AND EDUCATION V JURIST AND STATESMAN OF ALABAMA, 1813-1825 CAME TO TEXAS, 1825 PRES-IDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CON-VENTION, MARCH 1836, AND MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS BORN FEBRUARY 14, 1781 DIED HERE DECEMBER 20, 1846

Bowie County



ON THIS SITE STOOD THE ONLY HOME OWNED IN TEXAS BY

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN

IT WAS BURNED, MARCH 29, 1836, WHEN SAN FELIPE WAS SET AFIRE BY TEXANS TO PREVENT ITS FALLING INTO THE HANDS OF THE ADVANCING.MEXICAN ARMY UNDER GENERAL SANTA ANNA

Austin County







STEPHEN F. AUSTIN'S CABIN

IS A REPLICA OF THE ONLY TEXAS HOME OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN,"FATHER OF TEXAS". THE CHIMNEY CONTAINS BRICKS FROM ORIGINAL (1828) CABIN. OTHER MATERIALS WERE MADE AS AUTHENTICALLY AS POSSIBLE.

AUSTIN (1793-1836) OPENED THE ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION OF TEXAS. HIS CABIN, LOCATED IN CAPITAL CITY OF SAN FELIPE, WELCOMED PIONEERS AND STATESMEN OF ERA; WITNESSED MANY CRUCIAL EVENTS LEADING TO TEXAS REVOLUTION.



SITE OF THE HOME OF HENRY SMITH 1788 • 1851

SOLDIER IN THE BATTLE OF VELASCO 1832 * ALCALDE OF BRAZORIA, 1833 * POLITICAL CHIEF OF DEPARTMENT OF THE BRAZOS, 1834 * * GOVERNOR OF THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS, 1835-1836 * SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1836-1838 * MEMBER OF THE FIFTH CONGRESS

Brazoria County



STAGE COACH INN

BUILT AS A HOME BY JOSEPH D. RICE, SR.

WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1828

IN 1838 IT WAS DESIGNATED AS A STOPPING PLACE FOR THE STAGE COACH FROM NACOG-DOCHES TO CROCKETT

Houston County



SITE OF THE HOME OF COL. ROBERT M. COLEMAN (1799-1837)

SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AIDE-DE-CAMP TO GEN. HOUSTON AT SAN JACINTO COMMANDER OF A REGIMENT OF RANGERS 1836-37

HERE HIS WIDOW MRS. ELIZABETH COLEMAN AND SON, ALBERT V. COLEMAN WERE KILLED BY INDIANS AND THOMAS COLEMAN, AGED FIVE WAS CAPTURED FEBRUARY 18, 1839

Bastrop County

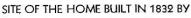


ONE MILE SOUTH TO THE SITE OF OAKLAND

HOME OF DAVID G. BURNET (1788-1870) FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS TO OAKLAND HE BROUGHT HIS BRIDE IN 1831 AND THERE THEY AND THEIR SON WILLIAM WRESTED A LIVELI-HOOD FROM THE SOIL

Harris County





REUBEN HORNSBY (1793-1879) AND HIS WIFE SARAH MORRISON HORNSBY (1796-1862)

SECOND BUILT IN "AUSTIN'S LITTLE COLONY" FIRST IN THE PRESENT COUNTY OF TRAVIS

FAMED FOR CHRISTIAN HOSPITALITY

HERE JOSIAH WILBARGER RECOVERED AFTER BEING SCALPED IN 1833

MR. HORNSBY AND HIS SONS FOUGHT IN MANY INDIAN BATTLES AND SERVED AS SCOUTS IN CAPT. JOHN J. TUMLINSON'S COMPANY OF RANGERS WHICH WAS ORGANIZED HERE IN 1836

Travis County

HOME OF THOMAS S. MCFARLAND 1810 • • 1880

SURVEYOR, SOLDIER AND STATESMAN * AIDE-DE-CAMP TO MAJOR BULLOCK IN THE BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES, 1832 . LAID OFF THE TOWN OF SAN AUGUSTINE IN 1833 . SOLDIER IN THE TEXAN ARMY, 1836 . MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS . CHIEF JUSTICE, SAN

San Augustine County





SITE OF THE HOME BUILT IN 1833 BY JARED ELLISON GROCE (1782 - 1836)

GENERALLY KNOWN AS "GROCE'S RETREAT" . HERE HE DIED NOV-EMBER 20, 1836 . THE NAME "RETREAT" WAS CONTINUED FOR A POST OFFICE AND VILLAGE TWO MILES TO THE EAST AFTER THE HOUSE WAS TORN DOWN

Grimes County







HOME OF DR. ASA HOXEY 1800-1863

BUILT IN 1833 V HEADQUARTERS OF MANY FAMOUS PEOPLE DURING THE EARLY DAYS OF TEXAS

Washington County

SITE OF THE PLANTATION HOME ESTABLISHED IN 1834 BY

JAMES WALKER FANNIN (1805-1836)

WHO, WITH HIS TROOPS, WAS MASSACRED AT GOLIAD MARCH 27, 1836

Brazoria County

SITE OF THE HOME OF

WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1826 AND BUILT HIS CABIN ON LAND NOT GRANTED UNTIL 1835 VON A PORTION OF THIS KNOWN AS TEVIS' BLUFF, THE TOWN OF BEAUMONT WAS LAID OUT BEFORE HIS DEATH, DECEMBER 6, 1835

Jefferson County

ON THIS SITE

ON APRIL 21, 1836, STOOD THE HOME OF MRS. MARGARET MCCORMICK WHOSE HUSBAND, ARTHUR MCCORMICK, DIED HERE IN 1825 T MRS. MCCORMICK LOST HER LIFE HERE IN 1854 WHEN THE HOME WAS BURNED

Harris County









SITE OF HOLLY OAKS

HOME OF DR. ROBERT EMMETT BLEDSOE BAYLOR (1791-1873) V HERE HE RESIDED FOR MANY YEARS AND HERE HE DIED V BAYLOR UNIVERSITY BEARS HIS NAME

Washington County

SITE OF THE HOME OF ROBERT JUSTUS KLEBERG

WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1834 **•** FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO IN CAPTAIN MOSELEY BAKER'S COMPANY **•** SENATOR IN THE STATE LEGISLATURE **•** BORN IN HERSTELLE, GERMANY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1803 **•** DIED AT YORKTOWN, TEXAS, OCTOBER 23, 1888 **•** A TEXAS COUNTY WAS NAMED IN HIS HONOR

DeWitt County

SITE OF THE HOME OF JOHN MARLIN

BUILT IN 1835 VON JANUARY 10, 1839 IT WAS ATTACKED BY ABOUT 70 INDIANS WHO WERE REPULSED AND SEVEN OF THEIR NUMBER SLAIN V NONE OF THE FOUR DEFENDERS OF THE HOME WAS INJURED

Falls County

SITE OF THE HOME OF ROBERT MCALPIN WILLIAMSON

BORN IN GEORGIA IN 1806

EDITOR "THE TEXAS GAZETTE" AND "THE MEXICAN CITIZEN", PIONEER TEXAS NEWSPAPERS

ACTIVE IN THE REVOLUTION

MEMBER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE REPUBLIC, 1836 • • 1839

MEMBER OF TEXAS CONGRESS, 1840 * * 1845

MEMBER OF TEXAS LEGISLATURE 1846 • • • 1849

DIED DECEMBER 22, 1859 Wharton County 60







SITE OF THE HOME IN 1836 OF DR. GEORGE MOFFIT PATRICK 1801-1889

PIONEER SURVEYOR V HERE THE TEXAS ARMY ENCAMPED AFTER THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AND CABINET MEET-INGS WERE HELD Harris County –

SITE OF THE HOME OF

CAPTAIN IRA WESTOVER

PARTICIPATOR IN THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD, OCTOBER 9, 1835

WITH 14 TEXANS UNDER HIS COMMAND, HE CAPTURED FORT LIPANTITLAN FROM 65 MEXICANS, NOVEMBER 4, 1835

MEMBER OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF TEXAS, 1835, FROM GOLIAD MUNICIPALITY

WITH HIS COMPANY, RAISED IN REFUGIO, A PART OF FANNIN'S TROOPS AT GOLIAD, HE WAS MASSACRED, MARCH 27, 1836

Refugio County

HOME OF ADOLPHUS STERNE

A PIONEER CITIZEN OF NACOGDOCHES. BORN IN COLOGNE, GERMANY, APRIL 5, 1801. ALCALDE AT NACOGDOCHES UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERN-MENT. MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUB-LIC OF TEXAS. DIED MARCH 27, 1852. BURIED IN NACOGDOCHES. HERE GENERAL SAM HOUSTON MADE HIS HOME BOTH BEFORE AND AFTER HIS MARRIAGE. THE DOOR OF ADOLPHUS STERNE WAS EVER OPEN TO ALL THE WORLD.

Nacogdoches County

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THIS MARKER FACES THE SITE (ACROSS THE STREET) OF

VICTORIA'S FIRST CHURCH

ERECTED BY MARTIN DE LEON, FOUNDER OF VICTORIA, SOON AFTER HIS ARRIVAL IN OCTOBER, 1824 * PRIESTS SERVING THERE WERE REV. FATHERS JOSE MIGUEL MURO, JOSE ANTONIO VALDEZ, ANTONIO DIAZ DE LEON, O. M. F. * THE CHURCH WAS RESTORED IN 1840 BY MOST REV. JOHN MARY ODIN, FIRST CATHOLIC BISHOP OF TEXAS * IN 1850 FATHER AUGUSTINE GARDET HAD IT REMOVED TO THE NORTHWEST CORNER OF THE LOT WHERE NAZARETH CONVENT NOW STANDS

Victoria County



IN THIS VICINITY THE SHILOH CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH WAS ORGANIZED IN JUNE 1833 BY REV. MILTON ESTILL

Red River County

The Republic of Texas 1836-1845



The Lady in the Esplanade at the Dallas Exposition represents the Republic of Texas with a Texas Star.

Signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence





TO THE MEMORY OF THOSE COURAGEOUS SOULS, THE DELEGATES TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION HELD HERE MARCH 1-17, 1836 WHO DECLARED TEXAS FREE, ORGANIZED A REPUBLIC, AND FRAMED ITS CONSTITUTION

JESSIE B. BADGETT DR. GEORGE WASHINGTON BARNETT THOMAS BARNETT STEPHEN WILLIAM BLOUNT JOHN WHITE BOWER ASA BRIGHAM ANDREW BRISCOE JOHN WHEELER BUNTON JOHN S. D. BYROM MATHEW CALDWELL SAMUEL PRICE CARSON GEORGE CAMPBELL CHILDRESS WILLIAM CLARK, JR. ROBERT M. COLEMAN JAMES COLLINSWORTH EDWARD CONRAD WILLIAM CARROLL CRAWFORD RICHARD ELLIS DR. STEPHEN HENDRICKSON EVERITT JOHN FISHER SAMUEL RHOADES FISHER JAMES GAINES DR. THOMAS JEFFERSON GAZLEY BENJAMIN BRIGGS GOODRICH JESSE GRIMES ROBERT HAMILTON BAILEY HARDEMAN AUGUSTINE BLACKBURN HARDIN SAMUEL HOUSTON

WILLIAM DEMETRIS LACEY ALBERT HAMILTON LATIMER EDWARD OSWALD LEGRAND SAMUEL AUGUSTUS MAVERICK COLLIN MC KINNEY MICHEL BRANAMOUR MENARD WILLIAM MENEFEE JOHN W. MOORE DR. JUNIUS WILLIAM MOTTLEY JOSE ANTONIO NAVARRO MARTIN PARMER SYDNEY OSWALD PENNINGTON ROBERT POTTER JAMES POWER JOHN S. ROBERTS STERLING CLACK ROBERTSON FRANCISCO RUIZ THOMAS JEFFERSON RUSK WILLIAM BENNETT SCATES GEORGE WASHINGTON SMYTH ELIJAH STAPP DR. CHARLES BELLINGER STEWART JAMES GIBSON SWISHER CHARLES STANDFIELD TAYLOR **DAVID THOMAS** JOHN TURNER EDWIN WALLER CLAIBORNE WEST JAMES B. WOODS DR. LORENZO DE ZAVALA

MAY THESE NAMES BE ENGRAVED ON THE HEARTS OF ALL TEXANS

[Washington State Park, Washington County]





REPLICA OF THE HOUSE IN WHICH THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION WAS HELD MARCH 1 TO 17, 1836 AND IN WHICH THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE WAS SIGNED

[Washington State Park, Washington County]

Plaque missing

(JESSE BADGETT – no marker)

DR. GEORGE WASHINGTON BARNETT

BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA DECEMBER 12, 1793 KILLED BY INDIANS OCTOBER 8, 1848 SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835-36 SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, '36 MEMBER OF THE SENATE OF THE SECOND, THIRD, FOURTH, FIFTH, SIXTH, AND SEVENTH CONGRESSES OF THE REPUBLIC

Gonzales County





Missing



HOME OF THOMAS BARNETT 1798-1843

ALCALDE, MUNICIPALITY OF AUSTIN, 1827 AND 1829 * PRESIDENT, AYUNTAMIENTO OF SAN FELIPE, 1833 * MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION, 1835 * SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

Fort Bend County

HOME OF COL. STEPHEN WILLIAM BLOUNT

BORN FEB. 3, 1808 IN BURKE COUNTY, GEORGIA CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 JOINED THE ARMY OF TEXAS AFTER SIGNING THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

> FIRST COUNTY CLERK OF SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY FIRST DISTRICT CLERK OF THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT DIED, FEBRUARY 7, 1890 AT SAN AUGUSTINE, TEXAS

San Augustine County

SITE OF THE HOME OF JOHN WHITE BOWER EARLY TEXAS STATESMAN

BORN IN GEORGIA IN 1808 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1826

DELEGATE TO THE CONVENTION AT OLD WASHINGTON MARCH 1, 1836

SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

MEMBER OF SIXTH AND SEVENTH CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC DIED JANUARY 13, 1850

Refugio County

JOHN WHITE BOWER

DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC, 1841-42 CHIEF JUSTICE OF REFUGIO COUNTY, 1843-1847 BORN IN GEORGIA DECEMBER 7, 1808 DIED JANUARY 13, 1850 Refugio County







COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND DEEDS OF MATHEW ("OLD PAINT") CALDWELL

THE "PAUL REVERE" OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION WHO ROPE FROM GONZALES TO MINA AND THE LOWER SETTLEMENTS TO CALL THE TEXIANS TO ARMS FOR THE BATTLE OF GONZALES, 1535, PARTICIPATED IN THE SIEGE OF BEXAR, 1535; A SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AND A SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1536; IN JOINT COMMAND AT THE BATTLE OF PLUM CREEK, 1540; OFFICER OF SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1541 AND COMMANDER OF THE TEXIANS 121 THE BATTLE ON SALADO CREEK, 1542.

ASA BRIGHAM

ALCALDE OF BRAZORIA MUNICIPALITY, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 AUDITOR OF THE REPUBLIC, 1836 TREASURER OF THE REPUBLIC 1836-1840 AND 1841-44 BORN IN MASSACHUSETTS 1790 DIED IN WASHINGTON, TEXAS JULY 2, 1844 Washington County

CAPT. ANDREW BRISCOE

BORN IN MISSISSIPPI NOVEMBER 25, 1810 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1833 A VOLUNTEER IN THE ARMY AT ANAHUAC, 1835 COMMANDED A COMPANY AT THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE COMMANDED A COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF HARRISBURG MUNICIPALITY, 1836 DIED IN NEW ORLEANS OCTOBER 4, 1849

Travis County

(JOHN BUNTON – no marker)

JOHN S. D. BYROM

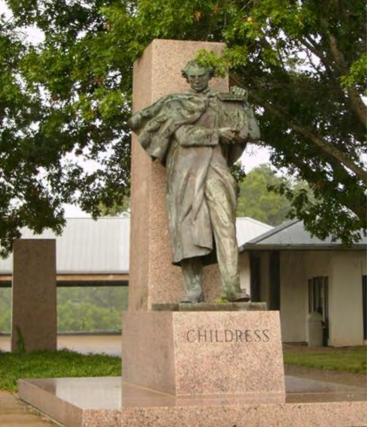
BORN IN GEORGIA SEPTEMBER 24, 1798 DIED JULY 10, 1837 DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836

Brazoria County

COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND DEEDS OF MATHEW ("OLD PAINT") CALDWELL

THE "PAUL REVERE" OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION WHO RODE FROM GONZALES TO MINA AND THE LOWER SETTLEMENTS TO CALL THE TEXIANS TO ARMS FOR THE BATTLE OF GONZALES, 1835. PARTICIPATED IN THE SIEGE OF BEXAR, 1835, A SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AND A SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1836; IN JOINT COMMAND AT THE BATTLE OF PLUM CREEK, 1840; OFFICER OF SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841 AND COMMANDER OF THE TEXIANS IN THE BATTLE ON SALADO CREEK, 1842.

Gonzales County







(SAMUEL CARSON - no marker)

GEORGE CAMPBELL CHILDRESS

BORN IN NASHVILLE TENNESSEE · JANUARY · 1804 · · DIED IN R. GALVESTON TEXAS OCTOBER 6 . 1841 BEFORE COMING TO TEXAS IN DECEMBER 1835 · HE ASSISTED IN RAISING FUNDS AND SECURING VOLUNTEERS FOR THE ARMY OF TEXAS DELEGATE FROM THE MUNICIPALITY OF TO THE. MILAM CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION HELD HERE FROM MARCH 1 TO 17 . 1836

CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE OF WHICH DRAFTED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT BURNET MARCH 19 · 1836 AGENT OF TEXAS WASHINGTON AT TO SECURE THE RECOGNITION OF THE SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF TEXAS BY THE UNITED STATES

Washington County

WILLIAM CLARK, JR.

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

> BORN IN VIRGINIA, APRIL 14, 1798 DIED JANUARY 3, 1871

HIS WIFE MARTHA B. WALL CLARK

BORN MAY 16, 1801 DIED FEBRUARY 4, 1863

Nacogdoches County

SITE OF THE HOME OF COL. ROBERT M. COLEMAN (1799-1837)

SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AIDE-DE-CAMP TO GEN. HOUSTON AT SAN JACINTO COMMANDER OF A REGIMENT OF RANGERS 1836-37

HERE HIS WIDOW MRS. ELIZABETH COLEMAN AND SON, ALBERT V. COLEMAN WERE KILLED BY INDIANS AND THOMAS COLEMAN, AGED FIVE WAS CAPTURED FEBRUARY 18, 1839

Travis County







JAMES COLLINSWORTH

BORN IN TENNESSEE, 1806 V DROWNED IN GALVESTON, JULY 11, 1838, AND HIS REMAINS BROUGHT BY BOAT UP BUFFALO BAYOU TO HOUSTON V V HIS REMAINS INTERRED IN THIS CEMETERY UNDER THE AUSPICES OF TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4 V V FIRST MASONIC FUNERAL EVER HELD IN TEXAS

DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION HELD AT SAN FELIPE, 1835 • SIGNER, FROM BRAZORIA MUNICIPALITY, OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF IN-DEPENDENCE • "BORE HIMSELF AS A CHIEF" AT SAN JACINTO • SECRETARY OF STATE, 1836 • SENATOR IN THE CONGRESS OF TEXAS, 1836 • FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS • A COUNTY IN TEXAS WAS NAMED IN HIS HONOR

[New inscription on Collinsworth monument,] Founders Memorial Park, Houston

Harris County

IN MEMORY OF EDWARD CONRAD BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA IN 1810 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MARCH 2, 1836 DIED IN VICTORIA JULY 13, 1836 WHILE AN OFFICER IN THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS Victoria County

(WILLIAM CRAWFORD -- no marker)

RICHARD ELLIS

BORN IN VIRGINIA FEBRUARY 14, 1781 ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF VIRGINIA, 1820 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AND PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION, 1836 SENATOR IN THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1836 TO 1840 DIED IN BOWIE COUNTY, TEXAS DECEMBER 20, 1846

MARY DANRIDGE ELLIS

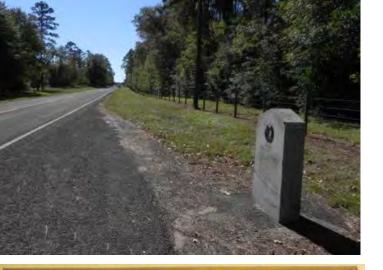
WIFE OF RICHARD ELLIS BORN IN VIRGINIA 1787

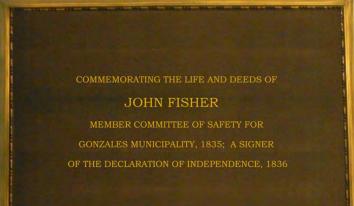
DIED IN BOWIE COUNTY, TEXAS OCTOBER 21, 1837

ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS WAS NAMED FOR RICHARD ELLIS

Travis County

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HERE LIVED DR. STEPHEN H. EVERITT

BORN IN NEW YORK NOVEMBER 26, 1807 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION, 1835 SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 SENATOR IN THE CONGRESS REPUBLIC OF TEXAS OCT. 3, 1836 TO DEC. 9, 1840 DIED JULY 12, 1844

Jasper County

COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND DEEDS OF JOHN FISHER MEMBER, COMMITTEE OF SAFETY FOR GONZALES MUNICIPALITY, 1835, SIGNER OF TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836.

Gonzales County

(SAMUEL FISHER -- no marker)

GAINES MEMORIAL BRIDGE

NAMED BY THE HIGHWAY DEPARTMENTS OF LOUISIANA AND TEXAS IN HONOR OF TWO BROTHERS:

JAMES GAINES, WHO OWNED AND OPERATED A FERRY HERE 1819 TO 1844 AND WAS A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, AND GENERAL PENDLETON GAINES, AN OFFICER IN THE U. S. ARMY, PROMINENT IN LOUISIANA HISTORY, AND WHO WAS STATIONED NEAR HERE IN 1836 TO OBSERVE THE CAMPAIGN IN TEXAS.

[17.2 mi. E San Augustine, State Hy 21]

Sabine County





DR. THOMAS JEFFERSON GAZLEY

BORN IN NEW YORK, JANUARY 8, 1801 * DIED IN BASTROP COUNTY, TEXAS, OCTOBER 31, 1853 * DOCTOR-LAWYER, SOLDIER, LEGISLATOR

DELEGATE TO THE SECOND CONVEN-TION OF TEXAS, 1833 * PHYSICIAN IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835-1836 * SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 * GRAND SENIOR WARDEN OF THE GRAND (MASONIC) LODGE OF TEXAS, 1837 * MEMBER OF THE SECOND CONGRESS, 1837-1838

Travis County

(BENJAMIN GOODRICH -- no marker)

JESSE GRIMES

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC DIED IN GRIMES COUNTY A COUNTY NAMED IN HIS HONOR.

ROSANNA WARD

WIFE OF JESSE GRIMES BORN DEC. 31, 1803 DIED DEC. 6, 1871. IN GRIMES COUNTY

[Inscription added to Jesse Grimes monument] in State Cemetery, Austin]

Travis County



IN MEMORY OF

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MARCH 2, 1836 BORN IN BLEVARD, SCOTLAND MARCH 24, 1783 DIED IN RED RIVER COUNTY, TEXAS 1843

Red River County



BAILEY HARDEMAN

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY OF THE REPUBLIC

> BORN IN TENNESSEE, 1785 DIED ON CANEY CREEK, MATAGORDA COUNTY, OCTOBER 12, 1836

> > **Travis County**

AUGUSTINE BLACKBURN HARDIN

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

> BORN IN GEORGIA IN 1798 DIED JULY 27, 1871

Liberty County





SAM HOUSTON Statue Centennial Exposition Hall of Texas Heroes Dallas County

(WILLIAM LACEY - no marker)

(ALBERT LATIMER - no marker)

EDWARD OSWALD LEGRAND

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA 1801 DIED IN 1870

San Augustine County









MAVERICK COUNTY

CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 2, 1856 JULY 13, 1871 NAMED IN HONOR OF SAMUEL AUGUSTUS MAVERICK 1803-1870 AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR DECEMBER, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

COLLIN COUNTY

FORMED FROM FANNIN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 3, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

COLLIN MEKINNEY 1766-1861 LAND SURVEYOR SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF CONGRESS, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

COUNTY SEAT, BUCKNER, 1846-1848 MCKINNEY, SINCE

COLLIN MCKINNEY

TEXAS PATRIOT AND STATESMAN ONE OF COMMITTEE OF FIVE THAT WROTE THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, ONE OF ITS FIFTY-NINE SIGNERS, MARCH 2, 1836. SERVED IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS. IN RECOGNITION OF HIS DISTINGUISHED SERVICE THE COUNTY AND COUNTY SEAT OF COLLIN COUNTY BEAR HIS NAME. BORN IN NEW JERSEY, APRIL 17, 1766. DIED IN THIS HOUSE, SEPTEMBER 9, 1861.

Collin County

SITE OF THE HOME OF MICHEL BRANAMOUR MENARD 1805 • • 1856

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE FOUNDER OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

Galveston County

(WILLIAM MENEFEE – no marker)





JOHN W. MOORE

OPPOSED BRADBURN AT ANAHUAC 1832 • MEMBER OF THE CONSUL-TATION AT SAN FELIPE IN 1835 • SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 • • • FIRST SHERIFF OF HARRIS COUNTY, 1837 TO 1840 • • CITY ALDERMAN IN HOUSTON, 1840 • • MARRIED TO ELIZA BELNAP, FEBRUARY 2, 1839 DIED IN HOUSTON, 1846

Harris County

Motley County

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 FEBRUARY 5, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DR. JUNIUS WILLIAM MOTTLEY 1812-1836 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, AIDE TO GENERAL RUSK AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO WHERE HE WAS MORTALLY WOUNDED.



JOSE ANTONIO NAVARRO

LOVER OF LIBERTY . . FOE OF DESPOTISM BORN IN SAN ANTONIO - TEXAS FEBRUARY 27 1795 . - . DIED JANUARY 13 . 1871 AND BURIED THERE . . MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE OF COAHUILA AND TEXAS 1821 - - LAND COMMISSIONER OF DE WITT'S COLONY 1831 - AND OF BEXAR DISTRICT 1834 1835 - · SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836 · · MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS . 1838 . 1839 A COMMISSIONER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION - 1841 . . MEMBER OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF 1845 SENATOR IN THE LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS - 1846 -- 1849 · · · NAVARRO COUNTY GRATEFULLY BEARS HIS NAME - · CORSICANA WAS NAMED BY HIM FOR THE ISLE OF HIS FATHER'S BIRTH . CORSICA

Bexar County



MARTIN PARMER

BORN IN VIRGINIA, JUNE 4, 1778 DIED IN JASPER COUNTY, MARCH 2, 1850 A DELEGATE TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF MISSOURI, 1821 SECOND IN COMMAND IN THE FREDONIAN WAR IN TEXAS 1826 MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION 1835 SIGNED THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 V V PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS, NAMED IN HIS HONOR

Travis County





SYDNEY O. PENNINGTON

BORN IN KENTUCKY, 1809 CAME TO TEXAS, 1834 PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 DIED IN SHELBY COUNTY, TEXAS, 1838

Shelby County

POTTER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED AUGUST 30, 1887

NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT POTTER 1800-1842 SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY SENATOR IN THE TEXAS CONGRESS, 1840

AMARILLO, COUNTY SEAT









SITE OF ONE OF THE HOMES OF JAMES POWER

BORN IN IRELAND, 1789 DIED IN LIVE OAK POINT, TEXAS, 1852 WITH JAMES HEWETSON HE WAS GRANTED AUTHORITY JANUARY 11, 1828 TO SETTLE 200 FAMILES IN TEXAS SERVED TEXAS UNDER THREE FLAGS AS EMPRESARIO, SOLDIER, STATESMAN SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE EVER A LOYAL SON OF HIS ADOPTED COUNTRY HONORED AND LOVED BY HIS PEOPLE Aransas County

> SITE OF THE HOME OF JOHN S. ROBERTS 1796-1871

A NATIVE OF VIRGINIA, CAME TO TEXAS IN 1826 AN ACTIVE PARTICIPANT IN THE STRUGGLE FOR TEXAS INDEPENDENCE, ONE OF THE LEADERS IN BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES, DELEGATE TO CONSULTATION, NOVEMBER3, 1835. COMMANDED THE NACOGDOCHES COMPANY IN STORMING OF BEXAR, DECEMBER 5 TO 10, 1835 SIGNER OF DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

ROBERTSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM MILAM COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED DECEMBER 14, 1837 MARCH, 1838 NAMED IN HONOR OF

STERLING CLACK ROBERTSON 1785-1842 EARLY TEXAS EMPRESARIO SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

COUNTY SEAT, FRANKLIN, 1838 WHEELOCK, 1847 OWENVILLE, 1853 CALVERT, 1868 FRANKLIN, SINCE 1879

COL. JOSE FRANCISCO RUIZ

OFFICER IN THE MEXICAN ARMY, 1831 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836 SENATOR OF THE FIRST CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1836-37 BORN IN SAN ANTONIO JANUARY 29, 1783 DIED JANUARY 20, 1840

Bexar County



THOMAS JEFFERSON RUSK

D E C E M B E R FIFTH · 1803 JULY TWENTY-NINTH · 1857 SOLDIER · PATRIOT JURIST · STATESMAN

BOLD INTREPID AND DARING ON THE FIELD OF BATTLE HE IS YET MORE HONORED FOR WISE FORBEARANCE AND SOUND JUDGMENT -HIS ABLE COUNSEL AS SECRETARY OF WAR MATERIALLY ASSISTED IN THE WINNING OF FREEDOM FOR TEXAS

STRONG ADVOGATE FOR ANNEXATION HE PRESIDED OVER THE CONVENTION OF 1845 WHICH FRAMED THE FIRST STATE CONSTITUTION AND AS UNITED STATES SENATOR HE WAS FOREMOST IN THE SETTLEMENT OF THE RIO GRANDE AS THE BOUNDARY OF TEXAS

HE SIGNED THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE HELPED DRAFT THE CONSTITUTION TO A LARGE DEGREE HE DEVISED THE COURT SYSTEM AND SERVED AS THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

Rusk County

(WILLIAM SCATES - no marker)









SITE OF THE HOME OF GEORGE WASHINGTON SMYTH (1803-1866) AND HIS WIFE FRANCES GRIGSBY SMYTH (1809-1888)

GEORGE WASHINGTON SMYTH SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPEND-ENCE; ASSISTED IN DRAFTING THE CONSTITUTION; COMMISSIONER TO RUN THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN TEXAS AND THE UNITED STATES; MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS; COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE; MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS; DELE-GATE TO THE TEXAS CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF 1866

MRS. SMYTH WAS A DEVOTED WIFE, A LOVING MOTHER, A STAUNCH FRIEND, LOVED BY ALL

Jasper County

ELIJAH STAPP

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE BORN IN VIRGINIA 1783 DIED IN JACKSON COUNTY, TEXAS 1843 Jackson County

SITE OF THE HOME OF

DR. CHARLES B. STEWART 1806-1885

MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION, 1835 * FIRST SECRETARY OF STATE * SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPEND-ENCE * DELEGATE FROM MONTGOMERY COUNTY TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF 1845 * MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

Montgomery County

SWISHER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JULY 17, 1890 NAMED IN HONOR OF JAMES GIBSON SWISHER 1794-1864 CONSPICUOUS FOR GALLANTRY AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836

COUNTY SEAT, TULIA

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SITE OF THE HOME OF CHARLES S. TAYLOR (1808 * * 1865)

CITIZEN OF NACOGDOCHES, 1830-1865 * A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE * LAND COMMISSIONER AND CHIEF JUSTICE OF NACOGDOCHES COUNTY * BORN IN LONDON, ENGLAND, IN 1808 * DIED HERE NOVEMBER 1, 1865

Nacogdoches County

(DAVID THOMAS – no marker) (JOHN TURNER – no marker)

> JUDGE EDWIN WALLER

BORN IN VIRGINIA, NOVEMBER 4, 1800 * DIED IN WALLER COUNTY, TEXAS, JANUARY 3, 1881

HIS WIFE

JULIET M. DE SHIELDS WALLER

BORN IN 1801 V DIED MAY 13, 1867 [Back]

SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE + LAID OUT THE CITY OF AUSTIN AND WAS ITS FIRST MAYOR + WALLER COUNTY WAS NAMED IN HIS HONOR

Travis County

(CLAIBORNE WEST - no marker)

JAMES B. WOODS

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

BORN IN KENTUCKY JANUARY 21, 1802 DIED, 1851

Liberty County

SITE OF THE HOME OF LORENZO DE ZAVALA 1788 • • 1836

SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE • • VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS • • HIS PLANK-COVERED LOG HOUSE, THE FIRST IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF HARRISBURG • BUILT IN 1829, SERVED AS A HOS-PITAL FOR THE WOUNDED AFTER THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO • • • HERE DE ZAVALA DIED, NOVEMBER 15, 1836

Harris County

1813	March 28 = ROSALIS
	August 18 = MEDINA
1832	June 13 = TURTLE BAYOU
	June 13 = ANAHUAC
	June 26 = VELASCO
	August 2 = NACOGDOCHES
1835	October 2 = GONZALES
	October 9 = GOLIAD
	October 28 = CONCEPCION
	November 4 = FORT LIPANTITLAN
	December 10 = BEXAR
1836	February 27 = SAN PATRICIO
	March 2 = AGUA DULCE
	March 6 = THE ALAMO
	March 14 = REFUGIO
	March 19 = COLETO
	March 27 = GOLIAD
	April 21 = SAN JACINTO



BATTLES OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION 1813-1836

BATTLES RECORDED ON THE BASE OF THE SAN JACINTO MONUMENT

THE EARLY POLICIES OF MEXICO TOWARD HER TEXAS COLONISTS HAD BEEN EXTREME-LY LIBERAL. LARGE GRANTS OF LAND WERE MADE TO THEM, AND NO TAXES OR DUTIES IMPOSED. THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE ANGLO AMERICANS AND MEXICANS WAS CORDIAL. BUT, FOLLOWING A SERIES OF REVOLUTIONS BEGUN IN 1829, UNSCRUPULOUS RULERS SUCCESS-IVELY SEIZED POWER IN MEXICO. THEIR UNJUST ACTS AND DESPOTIC DECREES LED TO THE REVOLUTION IN TEXAS.

IN JUNE, 1832, THE COLONISTS FORCED THE MEXICAN AUTHORITIES AT ANAHUAC TO RELEASE WM, B. TRAVIS AND OTHERS FROM UNJUST IMPRISONMENT. THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, JUNE 26, AND THE BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES, AUGUST 9, FOLLOWED, IN BOTH THE TEXANS WERE VICTORIOUS. STEPHEN FULLER AUSTIN, "FATHER OF TEXAS," WAS ARRESTED JANUARY 3, 1834, AND HELD IN MEXICO WITHOUT TRIAL UNTIL JULY, 1835. THE TEXANS FORMED AN ARMY, AND ON NOVEMBER 12, 1835, ESTABLISHED A PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT.

THE FIRST SHOT OF THE REVOLUTION OF 1835-36 WAS FIRED BY THE TEXANS AT GONZALES, OCTOBER 2, 1835, IN RE-SISTANCE TO A DEMAND BY MEXICAN SOLDIERS FOR A SMALL CANNON HELD BY THE COLONISTS. THE MEXICAN GARRISON AT GOLIAD FELL OCTOBER 9; THE BATTLE OF CONCEPCION WAS WON BY THE TEXANS, OCTOBER 28: SAN ANTONIO WAS CAPTURED DECEMBER 10, 1835 AFTER FIVE DAYS OF FIGHTING IN WHICH THE INDOMITABLE BENJAMIN R. MILAM DIED A HERO, AND THE MEXICAN ARMY EVACUATED TEXAS. TEXAS DECLARED HER INDEPENDENCE AT WASHINGTON-ON-THE BRAZOS, MARCH 2, FOR NEARLY TWO MONTHS HER ARMIES MET DISASTER AND DEFEAT; DR JAMES GRANT'S MEN WERE KILLED ON THE AGUA DULCE, MARCH 2, WILLIAM BARRETT TRAVIS AND HIS MEN SACRIFICED THEIR LIVES AT THE ALAMO, MARCH 6; WILLIAM WARD WAS DEFEATED AT REFUGIO, MARCH 14; AMON 8, KING'S MEN WERE EXECUTED NEAR REFUGIO, MARCH 16; AND JAMES WALKER FANNIN AND HIS ARMY WERE PUT TO DEATH NEAR GOLIAD, MARCH 27, 1836.

ON THIS FIELD ON APRIL 21, 1836 THE ARMY OF TEXAS COMMANDED BY GENERAL SAM HOUSTON, AND ACCOMPANIED BY THE SECRETARY OF WAR, THOMAS J. RUSK, AT. TACKED THE SUPERIOR INVADING ARMY OF MEXICANS UNDER GENERAL SANTA ANNA. THE BATTLE LINE FROM LEFT TO RIGHT WAS FORMED BY SIDNEY SHERMAN'S REG. IMENT, EDWARD BURLESON'S REGIMENT, THIL ARTILLERY COMMANDED BY GEORGE W. HOCKLEY, HENRY MILLARD'S INFANTRY AND THE CAVALRY UNDER MIRABEAU B. LAMAR, SAM HOUSTON LED THE INFANTRY CHARGE. WITH THE BATTLE CRY, "REMEMBER THE ALAMOI REMEMBER GOLIAD!" THE TEXANS CHARGED. THE ENEMY, TAKEN BY SUR-PRISE, RALLIED FOR A FEW MINUTES, THEN FLED IN DISORDER. THE TEXANS HAD ASKED NO QUARTER AND GAVE NONE. THE SLAUGHTER WAS APPALLING, VICTORY COMPLETE, AND TEXAS FREEL ON THE FOL-LOWING DAY GENERAL ANTONIO LOPEZ DE SANTA ANNA, SELF-STYLED "NAPOLEON OF THE WEST," RECEIVED FROM A GENEROUS FOE THE MERCY HE HAD DENIED TRAVIS AT THE ALAMO AND FANNIN AT GOLIAD.







1813 IN THIS VICINITY THE BATTLE OF ROSALIS

WAS FOUGHT ON MARCH 28, 1813 V HERE THE "REPUBLICAN ARMY OF THE NORTH" COMPOSED OF ANGLO-AMERICANS, MEXI-CANS AND INDIANS DEFEATED, WITH HEAVY LOSS OF LIFE, SPANISH ROYALIST TROOPS COMMANDED BY MANUEL DE SALCEDO, GOVERNOR OF TEXAS V THE PRISONERS OF WAR WERE BRUTALLY MURDERED SHORTLY AFTERWARDS BY ORDER OF COLONEL BERNARDO GUTIERREZ

BEXAR COUNTY

1813 THE BATTLE OF THE MEDINA

WAS FOUGHT HERE ON AUGUST 18, 1813 BY AN ARMY OF SPANISH ROYALISTS COMMANDED BY GENERAL JOSE JOAQUIN ARREDONDO WHICH DEFEATED WITH TERRIFIC SLAUGHTER THE REPUBLICAN ARMY OF THE NORTH COMPOSED OF ANGLO-AMERICANS, MEXICANS AND INDI-ANS COMMANDED BY JOSE ALVAREZ DE TOLEDO THUS ENDED AN ATTEMPT TO FREE TEXAS AND MEXICO FROM SPANISH RULE

BEXAR COUNTY

Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. Henry Wofford, and Mrs. Fannie Applewhite (L-R), all members of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, dedicate the Battle of Medina monument near Losoya on Saturday, May 8, 1937.

1813 SITE OF TRINIDAD

LATER KNOWN AS SPANISH BLUFF • A FORT AND TOWN AS EARLY AS 1805 • CAPTURED BY THE MAGEE-GUTIERREZ EXPEDITION IN OCTOBER, 1812 • NEAR HERE THE SURVIVORS OF THE BATTLE OF THE MEDINA WERE EXECUTED IN 1813 • INHABITANTS OF THE TOWN WERE BUTCHERED BY ORDER OF THE SPANISH COMMANDER AND THE TOWN DESOLATED

MADISON COUNTY



1832 TAYLOR WHITE RANCH

ON THIS RANCH, A PART OF THE GRANT OF JAMES TAYLOR WHITE WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1828, THE TEXAN FORCE CAMPED BEFORE ANAHUAC AND THE COLONISTS DREW UP THE TURTLE BAYOU RESOLUTIONS, JUNE 13, 1832

CHAMBERS COUNTY



ON THIS SITE

FIRST KNOWN AS PERRY'S POINT, A FORT, ESTABLISHED IN 1830 BY GENERAL MANUEL MIER Y TERAN FOR THE PURPOSE OF HALTING ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION WAS NAMED ANAHUAC, THE AZTEC NAME OF MEXICO CITY, THEN THE CAPITAL OF TEXAS THE IMPRISON-MENT HERE OF SETTLERS IN AUSTIN'S COLONY BROUGHT THE FIRST OPEN REBELLION TO MEX-ICAN RULE IN 1832

CHAMBERS COUNTY

THE LIVELY, FIRST VESSEL WITH EMIGRANTS TO AUSTIN'S COLONY LANDED HERE DECEMBER 23, 1821

THE BATTLE OF VELASCO WAS FOUGHT HERE JUNE 26, 1832

PUBLIC AND SECRET TREATIES OF PEACE BETWEEN THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS AND GENERAL SANTA ANNA WERE SIGNED HERE MAY 14, 1836

DEDICATED MAY 14, 1936

BRAZORIA COUNTY





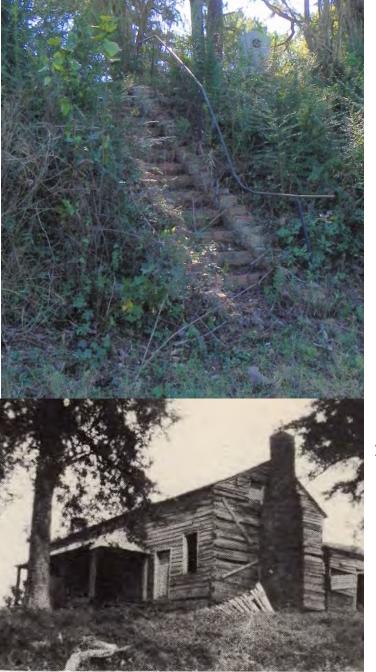


1832

VELASCO

LANDING PLACE OF THE "LIVELY" FIRST VESSEL BRINGING IMMIGRANTS TO AUSTIN'S COLONY IN 1821. THERE THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, BETWEEN TEXAS COLONISTS AND MEXICAN TROOPS, WAS FOUGHT JUNE 26, 1832. A TREATY OF PEACE BETWEEN TEXAS AND MEXICO WAS SIGNED THERE MAY 14, 1836, BY PRESIDENTS DAVID G. BURNET AND ANTONIO LOPEZ DE SANTA ANNA BUT WAS NEVER RATIFIED BY MEXICO.

BRAZORIA COUNTY



1832

HOME OF THOMAS S. MCFARLAND 1810 • • 1880

SURVEYOR, SOLDIER AND STATESMAN * AIDE-DE-CAMP TO MAJOR BULLOCK IN THE BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES, 1832 * LAID OFF THE TOWN OF SAN AUGUSTINE IN 1833 * SOLDIER IN THE TEXAN ARMY, 1836 * MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS * CHIEF JUSTICE, SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

1936



1835

SITE OF THE FIRST SHOT OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION GONZALES COUNTY

NEAR HERE ON OCTOBER 2, 1835 WAS FIRED THE FIRST SHOT OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION OF 1835-36— THE SHOT HEARD ROUND THE WORLD. AT GONZALES THE TEXIANS DEFIED THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT AND REFUSED THEIR DEMAND FOR THE GONZALES CANNON WITH THE "COME AND TAKE IT" CHALLENGE UNTIL REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED FROM OTHER PARTS OF DEWITT'S COLONY AND FROM THE COLONIES ON THE COLORADO AND BRAZOS. THEY THEN PURSUED THE MEXICANS FROM GONZALES TO NEAR THIS POINT AND FIRED UPON THEM WITH THIS CANNON, DRIVING THEM BACK TO BEXAR.

THIS SHOT STARTED THE REVOLUTION AND WAS DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ADDING MORE TERRITORY TO THE UNITED STATES THAN WAS ACQUIRED BY THE FREEING OF THE ORIGINAL THIRTEEN COLONIES FROM ENGLAND.







THE FIRST SHOT OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION

1835

ONE AND ONE-HALF MILES FROM HERE THE FIRST SHOT OF THE

TEXAS REVOLUTION WAS FIRED FROM A SMALL CANNON BY TEXANS UNDER THE COMMAND OF COL. JOHN H. MOORE OCTOBER 2, 1835

GONZALES COUNTY

ON THIS SITE SEPTEMBER 29, 1835 THE GONZALES CANNON WAS BURIED FROM THE 150 MEXICAN DRAGOONS SENT TO DEMAND IT.

1835 THREE DAYS LATER IT WAS MOUNTED ON OX-CART WHEELS, LOADED WITH CHAINS AND SCRAP IRON, AND FIRED AT THE MEXICAN ARMY, THE FIRST SHOT OF THE REVOLUTION. THIS LOCATION WAS KNOWN AS GEORGE W. DAVIS PEACH ORCHARD

GONZALES COUNTY

ON THIS SITE, SEPTEMBER 29, 1835 BEGAN THE STRATEGY OF THE 18 TEXIANS WHO BY ADVISING WITH ALCALDE ANDREW PONTON, HELD FOR TWO DAYS 150 MEXICAN DRAGOONS SENT TO DEMAND THE GONZALES CANNON, ALLOWING COLONISTS TIME TO MASS RECRUITS FOR THE BATTLE OF GONZALES "THE OLD EIGHTEEN"

> CAPTAIN ALBERT MARTIN ALMOND COTTLE JACOB C. DARST EZEKIEL WILLIAMS WINSLOW TURNER SIMEON BATEMAN WM. W. ARRINGTON JOSEPH D. CLEMENTS GRAVIS FULCHER ALMARON DICKERSON GEORGE W. DAVIS BENJAMIN FUQUA JOHN SOWELL VALENTINE BENNET JAMES B. HINDS CHARLES MASON THOMAS R. MILLER THOMAS JACKSON

> > **GONZALES COUNTY**

ON THIS SITE

1835 SEPTEMBER 29, 1835 THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT TROOPS DEMANDED THE RETURN OF THE GONZALES CANNON. AFTER TWO DAYS DELAY, AWAITING RECRUITS, THE COLONISTS ANSWERED, "COME AND TAKE IT."

GONZALES COUNTY

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SARAH SEELY DE WITT

WHO WITH HER DAUGHTER EVALINE MADE THE FIRST BATTLE FLAG OF TEXAS USED BY THE COLONISTS IN THE BATTLE OF GONZALES, OCTOBER 2, 1835 BORN IN VIRGINIA, 1789 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1826 WITH HER HUSBAND GREEN DE WITT, EMPRESARIO, AND THEIR FIVE CHILDREN DIED NOVEMBER 28, 1854 AND IS BURIED HERE ON SARAH SEELY LEAGUE

GREEN DE WITT

BORN IN KENTUCKY FEBRUARY 12, 1787 DIED IN MONCLOVA, MEXICO MAY 18, 1835 WHILE ON BUSINESS THERE

GONZALES COUNTY

IN MEMORY OF ANDREW PONTON ALCALDE

AUTHOR OF THE HISTORIC LETTER WRITTEN ON SEPT. 26, 1835, IN REPLY TO MEXICO'S DEMAND FOR THE COLONISTS' CANNON AT GONZALES. ONE OF THE DEFENDERS OF GONZALES OCTOBER 2, 1835

GONZALES COUNTY

EXTENDING FROM THIS POINT ONE-QUARTER MILE WEST IS SANTA ANNA MOUND FORMERLY DE WITT MOUND NOW SITE DE WITT FAMILY CEMETERY HERE MEXICAN TROOPS CAMPED BETWEEN SEPTEMBER 29 AND OCTOBER 1, 1835, AWAITING DELIVERY OF THE GONZALES CANNON. COLONISTS REFUSING TO SURRENDER CANNON, THE MEXICANS RETREATED TOWARD BEXAR, WHERE ON OCTOBER 2, FIVE MILES WEST, THE TEXIANS OVERTOOK THEM. THE BATTLE OF GONZALES ENSUED WITH TEXIANS AS VICTORS.

GONZALES COUNTY



GONZALES MEMORIAL MUSEUM AND AMPHITHEATER

GONZALES COUNTY

1835

IN MEMORY OF THE OLD EIGHTEEN AT GONZALES SEPTEMBER 29, 1835

THESE 18 MEN CONSTITUTED THE TEXIANS ONLY LINE OF DEFENSE IN THIS HOUR OF DESTINY. BY ADVISING WITH ALCALDE ANDREW PONTON THE 18 DELAYED FOR 2 DAYS 150 MEXICAN DRAGOONS SENT BY THEIR GOVERNMENT TO DEMAND THE GONZALES CANNON. IT WAS THE STRATEGY OF THESE MEN THAT ALLOWED TIME FOR COLONISTS TO MASS VOLUNTEERS THAT DROVE BACK THE

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THE OLD EIGHTEEN

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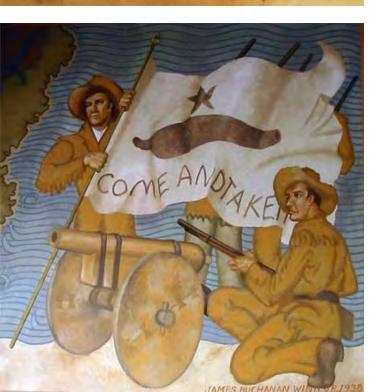
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GONZALES MEMORIAL MUSEUM AND AMPHITHEATER

Actual cannon, mounted on replica of base and wheels

Only drawing of Come and Take It cannon, by Noah Smithwick's daughter



Portion of mural



THE PRESIDIO OF LA BAHIA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO BECAME THE TOWN OF GOLIAD FEBRUARY 4, 1829 WAS CAPTURED BY TEXAN FORCES LED BY CAPT. GEORGE M. COLLINSWORTH **OCTOBER 9, 1835** THE "GOLIAD DECLARATION OF TEXAN INDEPENDENCE WAS SIGNED HERE **DECEMBER 22, 1835** AND AFTER THE DEFEAT OF THE TEXANS ON THE PRAIRIE TOWARD THE COLETO MARCH 19.1836 COL JAMES WALKER FANNIN AND 360 OF HIS MEN WERE SHOT BY ORDER OF GENERAL SANTA ANNA MARCH 27, 1836



MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM AND STADIUM

GOLIAD COUNTY

1835

PANELS ON AUDITORIUM FAÇADE TELL HISTORY OF GOLIAD

GOLIAD COUNTY

MAJOR GEORGE MORSE COLLINSWORTH

COMMANDER OF THE TEXANS AT THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD, OCTOBER 9, 1835 • BORN IN MISSISSIPPI • DIED APRIL 18, 1866

MATAGORDA COUNTY



ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS TO COMMEMORATE THE HEROIC DEEDS OF CAPTAIN RICHARD ANDREWS

1835

BORN IN SANDERSONVILLE GEORGIA IN 1800 FELL AT THE BATTLE OF CONCEPCION **OCTOBER 28, 1835** THE FIRST SACRIFICE IN THE WAR OF TEXAS INDEPENDENCE SON OF WILLIAM AND MARY ANDREWS CAME TO TEXAS IN 1818 ESTABLISHED AN INDIAN TRADING POST ON THE BRAZOS RIVER AT THE PRESENT SITE OF RICHMOND LATER MOVED TO MINA, NOW BASTROP WAS AN INDIAN FIGHTER OF NOTE, A SCOUT OF INDOMINATABLE COURAGE, ONE OF THE FIRST TO ENLIST IN THE WAR FOR TEXAS INDEPENDENCE, AND THE FIRST TO DIE FOR HIS COUNTRY

BEXAR COUNTY

ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS TO COMMEMORATE THE HEROIG DEEDS OF

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1835

ONE MILE NORTHEAST IS THE SITE OF FORT LIPANTITLAN OCCUPIED IN 1831 BY SOLDIERS OF THE MEXICAN ARMY

> CAPTURED NOV. 4, 1835 BY VOLUNTEERS UNDER CAPT. IRA WESTOVER

UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED JUNE 7, 1842 BY AN ARMY UNDER GEN. ANTONIO CANALES

NUECES COUNTY

1835

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ON THIS SITE STOOD FORT LIPANTITLAN

OCCUPIED IN 1831 BY SOLDIERS OF THE MEXICAN ARMY TO PREVENT FURTHER ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION IN TEXAS

> CAPTURED NOV. 4, 1835 BY VOLUNTEERS UNDER CAPTAIN IRA WESTOVER

UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED JUNE 7, 1842 BY 700 MEN UNDER GEN. ANTONIO CANALES WHILE DEFENDED BY 192 MEN UNDER GENERAL JAMES DAVIS

FIVE ACRES OF LAND SURROUNDING THE SITE OF THE FORT WERE GENEROUSLY DONATED TO THE STATE OF TEXAS BY THE HEIRS OF J. C. BLUNTZER IN 1937

NUECES COUNTY

SITE OF THE HOME OF

IRA WESTOVER

PARTICIPATOR IN THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD, OCTOBER 9, 1835

WITH 14 TEXANS UNDER HIS COMMAND, HE CAPTURED FORT LIPANTITLAN FROM 65 MEXICANS, NOVEMBER 4, 1835

MEMBER OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF TEXAS, 1835, FROM GOLIAD MUNICIPALITY

WITH HIS COMPANY, RAISED IN REFUGIO, A PART OF FANNIN'S TROOPS AT GOLIAD, HE WAS MASSACRED, MARCH 27, 1836

REFUGIO COUNTY

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BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM

PREEMINENT HERO OF TEXAS A MAN OF RARE INITIATIVE AND COURAGE . OF A MODEST AND WILLING PERSONALITY A DEVOTED FRIEND . BORN IN FRANKFORT KENTUCKY IN 1788 A SOLDIER IN THE WAR OF 1812 TRADER WITH THE TEXAS COMANCHE INDIANS IN 1818 WAS A COLONEL IN THE LONG TRESPALACIOS EXPEDITION IN 1820 · TEXAS COLONIZER 1826 TO 1835 · FIRST NAVIGATOR OF THE UPPER RED RIVER IN 1831 ASSISTED IN THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD OCTOBER NINTH 1835. PLANNED THE ATTACK ON SAN ANTONIO AND WAS KILLED ON DECEMBER SEVENTH 1835 WHILE COMMANDING THE TEXAS FORCES WHICH LATER CAPTURED THE TOWN

BEXAR COUNTY

SITE OF THE CAMP OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN OCTOBER 20-26, 1835

1835

WHILE ASSEMBLING TROOPS PREPARA-TORY TO THE ATTACK ON THE MEXICAN GARRISON AT SAN ANTONIO * * AFTER HIS APPOINTMENT ON NOVEMBER 12 AS COMMISSIONER TO THE UNITED STATES, THE TEXANS, UNDER COLONELS BEN MILAM AND FRANK W. JOHNSON STORMED AND CAPTURED SAN ANTONIO, DECEMBER 10, 1835

BEXAR COUNTY

BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM BORN IN KENTUCKY 1835 1788 · SOLDIER IN THE WAR OF 1812 . TRADER TEXAS THE WITH INDIANS COMANCHE 1818 · COLONEL IN THE LONG EXPEDITION IN 1820 · EMPRESARIO FROM 1826 TO 1835 BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM IN THE PARTICIPATED CAPTURE OF GOLIAD OCTOBER NINTH, 1835 WAS KILLED IN SAN DECEMBER ANTONIO SEVENTH, 1835 WHILE COMMANDING THE TEXAS FORCES WHICH LATER CAPTURED THE TOWN

MILAM COUNTY



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SITE OF THE TOWN OF COPANO

NAMED FOR THE INDIANS WHO LIVED HERE IMPORTANT TEXAS PORT, 1722 V V 1870 THE LANDING PLACE OF MANY COLONISTS WINTER QUARTERS OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTIONARY ARMY IN 1835

REFUGIO COUNTY

THIS MARKER WAS MOVED FROM ITS ORIGINAL LOCATION ON COPANO BAY (5 MILES NORTHEAST OF THIS SITE) IN 1978.





1836

SAN PATRICIO DE HIBERNIA

FOUNDED IN 1830 BY JOHN MC MULLEN AND JAMES MC GLOIN AS THE SEAT OF THEIR IRISH COLONY UNDER AN EMPRESARIO CONTRACT DATED AUGUST 17, 1828 WHICH WAS FULFILLED BY THE EMPRESARIOS 1830-1835.

> NAMED IN HONOR OF SAINT PATRICK THE PATRON SAINT OF IRELAND.

AS THE FRONTIER OUTPOST OF TEXAS WHEN THE REVOLUTION BEGAN SAN PATRICIO 1835-1845 SUFFERED ALL THE MISERIES OF THAT CONFLICT WITH NO COMPENSATING RETURNS.

AT AND NEAR SAN PATRICIO, ON FEBRUARY 27, 1836 GENFRAL JOSE URREA'S DIVISION OF SANTA ANNA'S ARMY SURPRISED AND OVERWHELMED JOHNSON'S TEXAN PARTY OF 35 MEN, 9 OR 10 TEXANS WERE KILLED, 6 OR 7 ESCAPED AND 20 WERE SENT TO MATAMOROS AS PRISONERS. AFTER SAN JACINTO THE TOWN WAS DESTROYED AND ITS INHABITANTS DRIVEN AWAY.

IN MEMORY OF

REV. HENRY DOYLE, REV. T. J. MOLLOY, WM. O'DOCHARTY, GEO. O'DOCHARTY, WALTER HENRY, PATRICK HENRY, JOHN HART, MICHAEL HALEY, MARK KILLALEA, WM. HEFFERMAN, OCEOLA ARCHER, LEWIS AYERS, CATHERINE HOYE, OWEN GAFFNEY, JOHN ROSS, WM. PUGH EARLY SETTLERS OF SAN PATRICIO.

JOHN MC MULLEN DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION, 1835,

JOHN TURNER, JOHN WHITE BOWER,

SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

JOHN MC GLOIN, JOHN FADDEN, DENNIS MC GOWAN, ANDREW M. O'BOYLE, GEO. PETTUCK, MATHEW BYRNE, PATRICK NEVIN, EDWARD GARNER, EDWARD RYAN, DENNIS MAHONEY, MILES ANDROSS, WM. QUINN SOLDIERS IN TEXAS REVOLUTION.

SAN PATRICIO HAS CONTRIBUTED THE FOLLOWING DISTINGUISHED CITIZENS

PATRICK O'DOCHARTY, SUSANNA O'DOCHARTY, THOMAS O'CALLAGHAN, PATRICK MC GLOIN, CHRIS SULLIVAN, ROSE K. MAHONEY, JOHN RYAN, GEO. MC COWAN, CATHERINE RYAN, JAMES MC KEOWN, PATRICK MC MURRAY, THOMAS MAGOWAN, WM. P. ALLEN, MARY ANN COLLINS, HUBERT TIMON, DAVID ODEM, JOHN TIMON, ANDREW JACK-SON BROWN, JOHN DONAHUE, MARY E. MC CLOIN MURPHY, ROBERT DOUGHERTY, ALEXANDER MC CLOIN, MARGARET HART MC FALL, PATRICK BRENNAN, MARGARET BALDESCH-WILER, JOHN CORRIGAN, MARGARET O. JAMES, ANDREW GERHARDT, MATHEW KIVLIN, JAMES GROVER, ROBERT WEIR, ELIZA A. SULLIVAN, J. CHRYS DOUGHERTY, STEVE J. LEWIS, JOE E. SULLIVAN, HUGH TOUHY, JOHN DEE.

SAN PATRICIO COUNTY

IN MEMORY OF

1836

CAPTAIN THOMAS K. PEARSON LIEUTENANT HENRY COONEY DR. WILLIAM M. W. HOIT DR. GUSTAV BUNSEN JOSEPH CARPENTER BENJAMIN DALE WILLIAM WILLIAMS AND

TWO OR THREE OTHER TEXAN VOLUNTEERS KILLED IN ACTION AT AND NEAR SAN PATRICIO FEBRUARY 27, 1836 WHO WERE BURIED HERE NEXT DAY BY REV. FATHER THOMAS J. MALLOY AND OF SERGEANT JOHN MCGLOIN MATHEW BYRNE JOHN FADDEN EDWARD GARNER DENNIS MCGOWAN PATRICK NIVEN EDWARD RYAN SONS OF SAN PATRICIO WHO PERISHED AT GOLIAD MARCH 27, 1836 AND OF SERGEANT GEORGE PETTUCK AND ANDREW M. O'BOYLE WHO WERE SPARED AT GOLIAD THROUGH THE INTERVENTION OF COLONEL FRANCISCO GARAY

SAN PATRICIO COUNTY

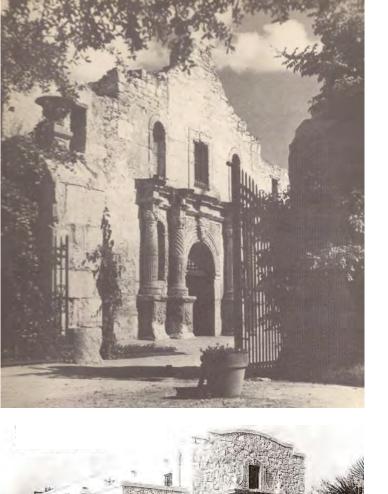


1836

AT THE FORKS OF THE AGUA DULCE FIFTEEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF SAN PATRICIO FELL

DR. JAMES GRANT MAJOR ROBERT C. MORRIS CAPTAIN THOMAS LEWELLEN DR. CHARLES P. HEARTT STEPHEN DENNISON J. T. HOWARD JOSEPH SMITH JOHNSTON H. OBED MARSHALL JOHN C. MILANGLIN J. W. WENTWORTH AND TWO OR THREE OTHER TEXAN VOLUNTEERS WHO WERE **KILLED IN A RUNNING FIGHT** WITH **GENERAL JOSE URREA'S** MEXICAN CAVALRY MARCH 2, 1836

NUECES COUNTY





1836

The Texas Centennial Commission considered the Alamo restoration, the Alamo Museum, and the Cenotaph "one of the most important projects of the Commission to appropriately celebrate the Centennial of Texas Independence."

(Monuments Commemorating the Centenary of Texas Independence, Texas Centennial Commission, 1938, page 41.)



1836

THE CENOTAPH

The theme of the monument is the Spirit of Sacrifice represented on the south and main face of the of the shaft by a magnificent idealistic figure rising twenty-three feet from the long sloping capstone emblematic of the tomb.

BEXAR COUNTY



Pompeo Coppini, sculptor







COF THE HERCES WHO SACRIFICED THEIR LIVES WA MARCH & 1836. IN THE DEFENSE OF TEXAS. SURRENDER NOR RETREAT. THESE BRAVE HEARTS, WITH WING PERISHED IN THE FLAMES OF IMMORTALITY THAT TE MIGHT LEAD TO THE FOUNDING OF THIS TEXAS The east and west ledges of the Cenotaph are decorated with background panels of figures low in relief glorifying all of the men who died in the Alamo. Before the east panel stand the heroic portraits statues of James Bowie and James Bonham; before the west panel, the heroic portrait statues of William Travis and David Crockett. On the north side appears a feminine figure symbolizing the State of Texas, holding the shields of Texas and the United States.

In memory of the heroes who sacrificed their lives at the Alamo March 6, 1836 in the defense of Texas. "They chose to never surrender nor retreat: these brave hearts with flag still proudly waving, perished in the flames of immortality that their high sacrifice might lead to the founding of this Texas."





The Alamo Museum

The museum was designed in Mission Style to harmonize with the Alamo nearby. In addition to the main display room for historical relics, there were two committee rooms on the second floor.

It was converted to a gift shop by the Daughters of the Republic of Texas when they were custodians of the Alamo.

Hopefully the State of Texas will remember the respect the building deserves and return it to the original honor of one of the nine museums built to honor the Centenary of Texas independence.







The Alamo Museum

Over-door panels depicting the life of the Franciscan friars were removed and replaced with panels showing Bowie, Crockett, and Travis waiting for Bonham who is on his horse. The DRT Alamo Committee felt the Alamo and the museum represented the Republic of Texas, not the Mission Period.

The museum opened to the public on October 11, 1937.



The Alamo

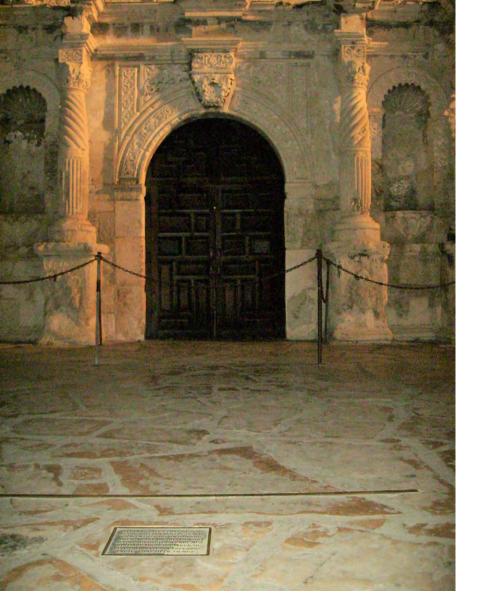
THE DEFENSE OF THE ALAMO

"THERMOPYLAE HAD ITS MESSENGER OF DEFEAT: THE ALAMO HAD NONE."

THE ALAMO IN 1836 CONSISTED OF THIS CHURCH, THE CONVENT AND A LARGE RECTANGULAR AREA OR PLAZA, AN ENCLOSURE OF ABOUT SIX AGRES SURROUNDED BY WALLS WITH BARRACKS ON THE WEST SIDE OF THE PLAZA

ON FEBRUARY 23, 1836, COLONEL WILLIAM BARRET TRAVIS ENTERED THE ALAMO WITH AN APPROXIMATE FORCE OF TWO HUNDRED MEN. THE SIEGE COMMANDED BY GENER-AL SANTA ANNA AND AN ARMY OF SEVERAL THOUSAND MEXICAN SOLDIERS LASTED NEARLY TWO WEEKS. AT DAWN ON SUNDAY, MARCH 6, THE FINAL ASSAULT WAS MADE, AND IN LESS THAN AN HOUR THE DEFENDERS SLAIN, LATER THE BODIES WERE BURNED BY ORDER OF GENERAL SANTA ANNA. THIS VICTORY IN DEFEAT WAS THE MEANS OF UNITING THE COLONISTS IN A DETERMINED EFFORT TO RESIST FURTHER OPPRESSION AND BY ARMED FORCE SECURE PERMANENT INDEPENDENCE

"IT WAS HERE THAT A GALLANT FEW, THE BRAVEST OF THE BRAVE, THREW THEMSELVES BETWEEN THE ENEMY AND THE SETTLEMENTS, DETERMINED NEVER TO SURRENDER NOR METRIAT. THEY REDEEMED THEIR PLEDGE TO TEXAS WITH THE FORFEIT OF THEIR LIVES - THEY FELL THE CHOSEN SACRIFICE TO TEXAS FREEDOM." - NEWELI



The Alamo

TRAVIS' LINE AT ENTRANCE TO CHAPEL

THEORAD STATES THAT IN 1836 IT COL WILLIAM BARRET TRAVIS UNSHEATHED HIS SWORD AND DREW A LINE ON THIS GROUND BEFORE HIS BATTLE-WEARY MEN STATING: "THOSE PREPARED TO GIVE THEIR LIVES IN FREEDOM'S CAUSE, COME OVER TO ME!"

GONZALES MEMORIAL MUSEUM GONZALES COUNTY





1836

IN MEMORY OF THE IMMORTAL 32 GONZALES MEN AND BOYS WHO, ON MARCH 1, 1836 FOUGHT THEIR WAY INTO THE BELEAGUERED ALAMO TO DIE WITH COLONEL B. TRAVIS FOR WILLIAM THE LIBERTY OF TEXAS. THEY WERE THE LAST AND ONLY REINFORCEMENTS TO ARRIVE IN ANSWER TO THE FINAL CALL OF COLONEL WILLIAM B. TRAVIS

NAMES AND AGES OF THE IMMORTAL THIRTY-TWO

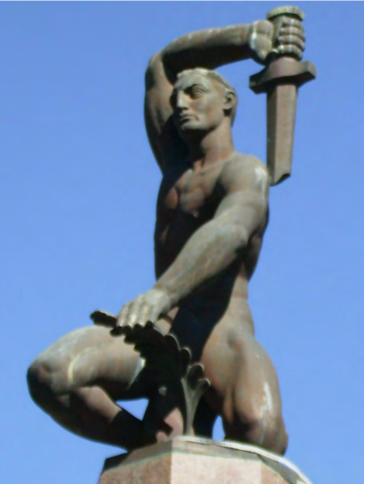
CAPTAIN ALBERT MARTIN 30 ISAAC G. BAKER 32 NHOL CANE 34 GEORGE W. COTTLE 38 DAVID P. CUMMINGS 27 SOUIRE DAMON 28 JACOB C. DARST 48 DAVIS JOHN 25 WILLIAM DEARDUFF DESPALLIER 24 CHARLES WILLIAM FISHBAUGH FLANDERS JOHN 36 DOLPHIN WARD FLOYD 29 FUQUA GALVA 16 JOHN GARVIN 27 E. JOHN E. GASTON 17 JAMES GEORGE 34 THOMAS JACKSON JOHNNY KELLOGG 19 ANDREW KENT 38 C. GEORGE KIMBLE 26 KING JOHN G. 26 KING 24 WILLIAM P. JONATHAN L. LINDLEY 31 THOMAS R. MILLER 41 JESSIE MCCOY ISAAC MILLSAPS GEORGE NEGGAN 28 WM. E. SUMMERS 24 GEORGE W. TUMLINSON 27 ROBERT WHITE 30 CLAIBORNE WRIGHT 26 OTHER GONZALES MEN WHO FELL AT THE ALAMO DANIEL BOURNE 26 GEORGE BROWN 35 C. DAY 20 JERRY ALMARON DICKERSON 26

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SURVIVORS OF THE ALAMO MASSACRE

MRS. ALMARON DICKERSON AND BABY DAUGHTER, OF GONZALES

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1836

ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS IN MEMORY OF CAPTAIN AMON B. KING AND OTHER TEXAN SOLDIERS KILLED IN ACTION OR CAPTURED AND AFTERWARDS SLAIN AS A RESULT OF THE FIGHTING AT REFUGIO MARCH 14 - 15 16 - TB36

SAMUEL ANDERSON WILLIAM'S. ARMSTRONG LESLIE G. H. BRADY JAMES HENRY CALLISON JOHN H. COLEGROVE THOMAS COOK FIELDS DAVIS JACKSON DAVIS HENRY EADOCK LEWIS C. GIBBS JAMES HENLEY JOEL F. HETH JESSE HUMPHRIES HARVEY H. KIRK WILLIAM R. JOHNSON SNEAD LEDBETTER JAMES B. MURPHY JAMES MURPHY J. B. RODGERS ANTOINE SAYLE WILLIAM SHELTON WILLIAM N. SIMPSON GAVIN H. SMITH JOHN C. STEWART ROBERT A. TOLER JOHN WARD CHRISTOPHER WINTERS SAMUEL WOOD

REFUGIO COUNTY

IN THE EARLY MORNING OF MARCH 14, 1836 - TWENTY EIGHT TEXANS UNDER CAPTAIN AMON B. KING SEPARATED FROM COL. WILLIAM WARD'S COMMAND IN THE MISSION CHURCH - AND LATE THAT DAY IN A WOOD ON THE WEST BANK OF MISSION RIVER A HALF MILE BELOW THE TOWN FOUGHT A DESPERATE BATTLE WITH PART OF GENERAL URREA'S MEXICAN COMMAND - FIVE TEXANS WERE KILLED AND FIVE WOUNDED ONE OF WHOM JOINED COLONEL WARD IN THE CHURCH - THE OTHERS ESCAPED BUT WERE CAPTURED NEXT DAY

ON MARCH 14 . 1836 . LIEUTENANT COLONEL WILLIAM WARD WITH LESS THAN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MEN SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDED THE CHURCH OF THE REFUGIO MISSION AGAINST FOUR SUCCESSIVE ATTACKS BY GENERAL JOSE URREA'S COMMAND AND MADE HIS ESCAPE FROM THE CHURCH THAT NIGHT AFTER HAVING LOST ONLY THREE MEN WOUNDED . TWO LEFT TO CARE FOR THEM AND A FEW OTHERS COURIERS OR WHILE AS SEPARATED FROM HIS COMMAND

ON MARCH 16 1836 CAPTAIN KING AND FOURTEEN OF HIS MEN WHO HAD BEEN MADE PRISONERS BY GENERAL URREA'S CAVALRY THE DAY BEFORE WERE MARCHED TO THE SLOPE OF THE HILL ON THE GOLIAD ROAD ABOUT ONE MILE FROM THE REFUGIO CHURCH AND SHOT THEIR BONES WERE LATER BURIED WHERE THEY FELL BY JOHN HYNES A TWELVE YEAR OLD LAD OF REFUGIO WHO HAD BEEN THEIR FRIEND JAMES MURPHY OF REFUGIO COLONEL FANNIN'S COURIER KILLED NEARBY ON MARCH 14 WAS BURIED IN THEIR COMMON GRAVE







ON THIS SITE

Captian Amon B. King And His Men

MEMBERS OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTIONARY ARMY, WERE SHOT, AFTER BEING CAPTURED BY MEXICAN TROOPS, ON MARCH 16, 1836

REFUGIO COUNTY

IN MEMORY OF

THE SOLDIERS OF THE ARMY OF TEXAS WHO WERE KILLED IN ACTION OR CAPTURED AND AFTERWARD SLAIN AS A RESULT OF THE FIGHTING AT REFUGIO MARCH 14, 15, 16, 1836 SIXTEEN OF WHOM ARE BURIED HERE

> MOVED TO THIS SITE 1936 REFUGIO COUNTY

THOSE WHO FELL AMON B. KING SAMUEL ANDERSON WILLIAM S. ARMSTRONG LESLIE G. H. BRADY JAMES HENRY CALLISON JOHN H. COLEGROVE THOMAS COOK FIELDS DAVIS JACKSON DAVIS HENRY H. EADOCK LEWIS C. GIBBS JAMES HENLEY JOEL F. HETH JESSE C. HUMPHRIES HARVEY H. KIRK WILLIAM R. JOHNSON SNEAD LEDBETTER JAMES B. MURPHY JAMES MURPHY J. B. RODGERS ANTOINE SAYLE WILLIAM SHELTON WILLIAM N. SIMPSON GAVIN H. SMITH JOHN C. STEWART ROBERT A. TOLER JOHN WARD CHRISTOPHER WINTERS SAMUEL WOOD

New inscription engraved on King's Men Monument



FANNIN'S MEN MONUMENT

Erected by the State of Texas in honor of the Texan soldiers killed in the Battle of Coleto March nineteenth 1836 under Colonel James Walker Fannin who were buried on the Battlefield - and of Colonel Fannin and his men executed March twenty-seventh 1836 by order of General Santa Anna and their bodies burned. Beneath this monument repose their charred remains.

The block of granite at the top has a bas relief symbolic of Texas honoring her heroes.

REMEMBER GOLIAD

GOLIAD COUNTY





FANNIN STATE PARK GOLIAD

The addition of a shelter and alterations to the existing structure containing a relic room, restrooms, and water system were provided.

GOLIAD COUNTY



O ⅔ MILE NORTH IS SAM HOUSTON OAK WHERE GENERAL SAM HOUSTON ESTABLISHED HIS HEADQUARTERS CAMP MARCH 13, 1836 AFTER BURNING THE TOWN OF GONZALES

> UNDER THIS OAK HIS SMALL ARMY WAS JOINED BY MANY VOLUNTEERS FROM THE EASTERN SETTLEMENTS, WHO WENT WITH HIM TO SAN JACINTO.

> > GONZALES COUNTY

1836

SITE OF THE CAMP OF THE TEXAS ARMY

MARCH 15, 1836 UNDER THE COMMAND OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON WHILE RETREATING FROM GONZALES TO THE BRAZOS RIVER

LAVACA COUNTY



SITE OF

BURNAM'S FERRY

FIRST FERRY IN PRESENT-DAY FAYETTE COUNTY VESTABLISHED ABOUT 1824 AT THE CROSSING OF THE LA BAHIA ROAD BY JESSE BURNAM VAFTER THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS CROSSED ON MARCH 19, 1836, THE FERRY WAS DESTROYED BY ORDER OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON TO PREVENT ITS USE BY THE ADVANCING MEXICAN ARMY

FAYETTE COUNTY



1836 SITE OF THE CAMP

MARCH 20-26, 1836, OF ONE DIVISION OF GENERAL SANTA ANNA'S ARMY UNDER THE COMMAND OF GENERAL JOAQUIN RAMIREZ Y SESMA VIT CROSS-ED THE COLORADO AT ATASCOSITA FORD, EIGHT MILES BELOW COLUMBUS

COLORADO COUNTY

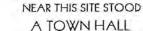




BENJAMIN BEASON'S CROSSING OF THE COLORADO RIVER

SITE OF THE CAMP, MARCH 19-26, 1836, OF THE TEXAS ARMY UNDER GENERAL SAM HOUSTON, WHO DIRECTED THE RETREAT FROM GONZALES TO THE SAN JACINTO

COLORADO COUNTY



BUILT ABOUT 1830 IN WHICH WERE HELD THE FIRST AND SECOND CONVENTIONS OF TEXAS, 1832 AND 1833, AND THE CONSULTATION OF 1835 THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT FUNCTIONED HERE UNTIL MARCH 2, 1836, WHEN THE REPUBLIC WAS FORMED AT WASHINGTON-ON-THE-BRAZOS THE BUILDING WAS BURNED WITH THE TOWN, MARCH 29, 1836, TO PREVENT ITS FALLING INTO THE HANDS OF THE ADVANCING MEXICAN ARMY

FAYETTE COUNTY



1836

FIVE MILES SOUTHEAST TO THE CAMP SITE OF THE TEXAS ARMY MARCH 31 TO APRIL 13, 1836 WHEN IT CROSSED THE BRAZOS ON THE STEAMBOAT YELLOW STONE AND BEGAN ITS MARCH TOWARD HARRISBURG WALLER COUNTY





1836

IN THIS VICINITY ON THE PLANTATION OF CHARLES DONOHO THE TEXAS ARMY UNDER GENERAL SAM HOUSTON ENCAMPED APRIL 14-15,1836 BEFORE BEGINNING ITS MARCH TO HARRISBURG

WALLER COUNTY





SITE OF

1836 THOMPSON'S FERRY

WHERE A PART OF THE MEXICAN ARMY UNDER COMMAND OF GENERAL ANTONIO LOPEZ DE SANTA ANNA CROSSED THE BRAZOS ON APRIL 14, 1836 EN ROUTE TO AN ENGAGEMENT WITH THE TEXANS T THIS OCCURRED ONE WEEK LATER AT SAN JACINTO

FORT BEND COUNTY

1836

3000 FT. NORTH AT THIS SITE

THE TEXAS ARMY UNDER COMMAND OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON CROSSED BUFFALO BAYOU ON APRIL 19, 1836 ON A RAFT BUILT FROM ISAAC BATTERSON'S HOUSE AND BEGAN THE MARCH WHICH TERMINATED WITH THE VICTORY AT SAN JACINTO APRIL 21, 1836

HARRIS COUNTY



1836

ON THIS SITE

ON APRIL 21, 1836, STOOD THE HOME OF MRS. MARGARET MCORMICK WHOSE HUSBAND, ARTHUR MCORMICK, DIED HERE IN 1825 ▼ MRS. MCORMICK LOST HER LIFE HERE IN 1854 WHEN THE HOME WAS BURNED

HARRIS COUNTY

JIM SCHAEFER, district manager of Houston Lighting & Power Co. in Baytown, stands at the end of a boat while watching the McCormick marker being hauled out of the water near the San Jacinto Battleground.

(Photo by Graham Painter)









SAN JACINTO MONUMENT

ON THIS FIELD ON APRIL 21, 1936 THE ARMY OF TEXAS COMMANDED BY GENERAL SAM HOUSTON, AND ACCOMPANIED BY THE SECRETARY OF WAR, THOMAS J. RUSK, AT-TACKED THE SUPERIOR INVADING ARMY OF MEXICANS UNDER GENERAL SANTA ANNA. THE BATTLE LINE FROM LEFT TO RIGHT WAS FORMED BY SIDNEY SHERMAN'S REG-IMENT, EDWARD BURLESON'S REGIMENT, THE ARTILLERY COMMANDED BY GEORGE W. HOCKLEY, HENRY MILLARD'S INFANTRY AND THE CAVALRY UNDER MIRABEAU B. LAMAR. SAM HOUSTON LED THE INFANTRY CHARGE.











DESCRIPTION OF BATTLE

1 NEAR HERE ON THE AFTERNOON OF APRIL 21, 1836 THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS COMMANDED BY GENERAL SAM HOUSTON WAS DRAWN UP TO ATTACK AN INVADING MEXICAN ARMY COMMANDED BY GENERAL ANTONIO LOPEZ DE SANTA ANNA

HARRIS COUNTY

2 THE TEXAS ARMY ATTACKED IN FOUR DIVISIONS: THE CAVALRY ON THE RIGHT, COMMANDED BY MIRABEAU B. LAMAR; NEXT, THE INFANTRY UNDER LIEUTENANT COLONEL HENRY MILLARD; THE "TWIN SISTERS" CANNON UNDER COLONEL GEORGE W. HOCKLEY, THE 1ST REGIMENT IN THE CENTER UNDER COLONEL EDWARD BURLESON; THE 2ND REGIMENT, THE LEFT WING, UNDER COLONEL SIDNEY SHERMAN.

HARRIS COUNTY

3 WITHIN A FEW MINUTES THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO WAS OVER. ACCORD-ING TO GENERAL HOUSTON'S REPORT 630 MEXICANS LAY DEAD ON THE FIELD; 208 WERE WOUNDED AND 730 WERE TAKEN PRISONERS. MONEY, ARMS AND EQUIPMENT WERE CAPTURED. THE TEXANS HAD 9 KILLED AND 30 WOUNDED HARRIS COUNTY

4 LEFT WING, INFANTRY AND ARTILLERY IN THE CENTER BEHIND A FORTIFICA-TION OF BOXES AND BAGGAGE, WHILE THE EXTREME RIGHT WAS FAR EXTENDED.

(out of sequence, placed with #1)

HARRIS COUNTY

TO THE TUNE OF "WILL YOU COME TO THE BOWER" THE TEXANS ADVANCED; "REMEMBER THE ALAMO! REMEMBER GOLIAD" WAS THEIR CRY. WITH CANNONS AND GUNSHOT, CLUBS AND BOWIE KNIVES THEY FOUGHT, NO QUARTER WAS GIVEN; THE ROUT WAS COMPLETE—THE SLAUGHTER TERRIFIC.



PETER JEFFERSON DUNCAN

PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1835 AND SERVED IN THE ARMY IN 1836

BORN IN NEW YORK IN 1799

DIED IN HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS IN 1870

HARRIS COUNTY



1836

FREEMAN WILKINSON

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN THOMAS H. MEINTIRE'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO

DIED AT LYNCHBURG IN 1839 AND WAS BURIED NEAR HIS COMRADES WHO FELL IN BATTLE

HARRIS COUNTY



1836

ISAAC L. JAQUES

CAME TO TEXAS IN OCTOBER, 1835 * FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO IN CAPTAIN THOMAS H. MEINTIRE'S COMPANY * DIED AT LYNCHBURG, AUGUST 6, 1836



The LIBERTY VINDICATOR Liberty, Texas, Thursday, January 28, 1965

MARKER IN WAY—The Mexican Hill historical marker on the new Highway 90 at San Jacinto is spang in the middle of the driveway for the new Humble Service Station under construction there. The property owners want to continue to have the marker on the property, but must move it a few feet to get it out of the drive. Negotiations are underway with George Hill, executive secretary of the Texas State Historical Society, who has to approve the moving of any marker.—Vindicator Staff Photo.





1836 MEXICAN HILL

HERE MEXICAN SOLDIERS CAPTURED AT SAN JACINTO WERE HELD FROM AUGUST 28, 1836 TO APRIL 25, 1837 WHEN ALL WERE RELEASED THE KIND TREATMENT ACCORDED THEM BY THE OWNERS OF THE PLANTATION, JUDGE AND MRS. WILLIAM HARDIN, INDUCED MANY OF THEM TO BECOME CITIZENS OF TEXAS

LIBERTY COUNTY

MISSING

SITE OF

1836 "OROZIMBO"

HOME OF DR. JAMES AENEAS PHELPS, A MEMBER OF "OLD THREE HUNDRED" OF AUSTIN'S COLONY, HOSPITAL SURGEON OF THE TEXAS ARMY AT SAN JACINTO THERE SANTA ANNA WAS DETAINED AS A PRISONER FROM JULY TO NOVEMBER, 1836

BRAZORIA COUNTY

1837

SITE OF THE BATTLEFIELD WHERE ERASTUS (DEAF) SMITH, CAPTAIN OF SCOUTS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, AND 21 TEXANS ON MARCH 17, 1837, HAD AN ENCOUNTER WITH A SUPERIOR FORCE OF MEXICAN CAVALRY FROM THE LAREDO GARRISON ▲ TWO OF SMITH'S MEN WERE WOUNDED, TEN MEXICANS KILLED AND TEN WOUNDED ▼ AS THERE WAS A CONSIDERABLE MEXICAN FORCE AT LAREDO THE TEXANS RETURNED TO SAN ANTONIO

500 YARDS NORTHEAST

WEBB COUNTY

Forts and Camps 1836 - 1845







ONE MILE NORTHEAST IS THE SITE OF FORT LIPANTITLAN OCCUPIED IN 1831 BY SOLDIERS OF THE MEXICAN ARMY

> CAPTURED NOV. 4, 1835 BY VOLUNTEERS UNDER CAPT. IRA WESTOVER

UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED JUNE 7, 1842 BY AN ARMY UNDER GEN. ANTONIO CANALES

Nueces County

ON THIS SITE STOOD FORT LIPANTITLAN

OCCUPIED IN 1831 BY SOLDIERS OF THE MEXICAN ARMY TO PREVENT FURTHER ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION IN TEXAS

> CAPTURED NOV. 4, 1835 BY VOLUNTEERS UNDER CAPTAIN IRA WESTOVER

UNSUCCESSFULLY ATTACKED JUNE 7, 1842 BY 700 MEN UNDER GEN. ANTONIO CANALES WHILE DEFENDED BY 192 MEN UNDER GENERAL JAMES DAVIS

FIVE ACRES OF LAND SURROUNDING THE SITE OF THE FORT WERE GENEROUSLY DONATED TO THE STATE OF TEXAS BY THE HEIRS OF J. C. BLUNTZER IN 1937

Nueces County

SITE OF

FORT MILAM

BUILT AT THE CAPITAL OF ROBERTSON'S COLONY NAMED IN 1834 SARAHVILLE DE VIESCA IN HONOR OF HIS MOTHER SARAH ROBERTSON AND THE GOVERNOR OF TEXAS, AGUSTIN DE VIESCA * SOON AFTER ITS NAME WAS CHANGED TO MILAM, DECEMBER 27, 1835, A RANGING COMPANY BUILT THE FORT AS A PRO-TECTION TO THE SETTLERS AGAINST HOSTILE INDIANS

Falls County









SITE OF THE CAMP OF THE TEXAS ARMY

MARCH 15, 1836 UNDER THE COMMAND OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON WHILE RETREATING FROM GONZALES TO THE BRAZOS RIVER

Lavaca County

IN THIS VICINITY ON THE PLANTATION OF CHARLES DONOHO THE TEXAS ARMY UNDER GENERAL SAM HOUSTON ENCAMPED APRIL 14-15,1836 BEFORE BEGINNING ITS MARCH TO HARRISBURG

Waller County

BENJAMIN BEASON'S CROSSING OF THE COLORADO RIVER

SITE OF THE CAMP, MARCH 19-26, 1836, OF THE TEXAS ARMY UNDER GENERAL SAM HOUSTON, WHO DIRECTED THE RETREAT FROM GONZALES TO THE SAN JACINTO

Colorado County

SITE OF

A BLOCK HOUSE

BUILT BY TEXAS RANGERS UNDER CAPTAIN JOHN J. TUMLINSON IN 1836 • DESTROYED BY INDIANS IN 1837 • THIS WAS THE FIRST WHITE MAN'S POST IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY

Williamson County









SITE OF A PICKET FORT ON LITTLE RIVER COMMONLY CALLED FORT GRIFFIN

ALSO KNOWN AS FORT SMITH AND LITTLE RIVER FORT

ERECTED BY GEO. B. ERATH AND 20 TEXAS RANGERS IN NOVEMBER, 1836 AS A PROTECTION AGAINST INDIANS

ABANDONED AS A MILITARY POST BEFORE THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION CAMPED HERE, JUNE 24-29, 1841 BUT USED BY SETTLERS MANY YEARS AS A PLACE OF DEFENCE AGAINST THE INDIANS

Bell County

FORT HOUSTON

A FORT AND STOCKADE BUILT ABOUT 1836 ON THE PUBLIC SQUARE OF THE TOWN OF HOUSTON (THEN IN HOUSTON COUNTY), AS A PROTECTION AGAINST THE INDIANS, BY ORDER OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON, COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE TEXAN ARMIES • THE TOWN WAS ABANDONED IN 1846 FOR PALES-TINE, THE NEW SEAT OF ANDERSON COUNTY, THE FORT ABOUT 1841 • THE SITE IS NOW A PART OF THE HISTORIC HOME OF JOHN H. REAGAN, WHICH IS CALLED FORT HOUSTON

Anderson County

SITE OF FORT COLORADO

(ALSO CALLED COLEMAN'S FORT) JUNE, 1836-NOVEMBER, 1838 ESTABLISHED AND FIRST COMMANDED BY COLONEL ROBERT M. COLEMAN SUCCEEDED BY CAPT. MICHAEL ANDREWS AND CAPT. WILLIAM M. EASTLAND . . AN EXTREME FRONTIER OUTPOST OCCUPIED BY TEXAS RANGERS TO PROTECT ANGLO-AMERICAN

CIVILIZATION FROM SAVAGE INDIANS IN THIS VIGINITY

Travis County

FORT INGLISH BONHAM

The original site of the fort was donated to the City of Bonham by the heirs of Smith Lipscomb. The Commission allocated \$2,400 to construct the replica designed by L. Ross Garner, architect. The City of Bonham maintains the building.

Fannin County









MILE SOUTH TO THE SITE OF KENNEY'S FORT FIRST SETTLEMENT IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY • ERECTED AS A HOME BY DR. THOMAS KENNEY AND JOSEPH BARNHART IN THE SPRING OF 1839 • SERVED AS A PLACE OF DEFENCE DURING INDIAN RAIDS • RENDEZVOUS OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841 • HERE THE ARCHIVES OF THE RE-PUBLIC OF TEXAS EN ROUTE TO WASHINGTON-ON-THE-BRAZOS WERE CAPTURED ON DECEMBER 31, 1842 AND RETURNED TO AUSTIN

Williamson County

SITE OF

COOK'S FORT

NAMED IN HONOR OF JOSEPH T. COOK NATIVE OF NORTH CAROLINA SETTLER IN NACOGDOCHES OWNER OF LAND ON WHICH A MILITARY COMPANY UNDER CAPTAIN BLACK BUILT A FORT NEVER ATTACKED BY INDIANS ADJACENT LAND, JAMES COOK BUILT A STORE AND BLACKSMITH SHOP ABOUT THEM A VILLAGE GREW UP POPULATION IN 1846, 250 AFTER ESTABLISHMENT OF RUSK, INHABITANTS MOVED THERE

Cherokee County

SITE OF

FORT JOHNSON

ESTABLISHED BY WILLIAM G. COOKE IN 1840 AS A PART OF THE DEFENSE OF THE MILITARY ROAD FROM RED RIVER TO AUSTIN • NAMED IN HONOR OF COLONEL FRANCIS W. JOHNSON (1799-1888) • COMMANDER OF THE TEXAS ARMY AT THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, DECEMBER 10, 1835 • PLACE OF RENDEZVOUS FOR THE SNIVELY EXPEDITION WHICH SET OUT APRIL 25, 1843 • THE SETTLEMENT IN THE VICINITY WAS KNOWN AS GEORGETOWN

Grayson County

SITE OF FORT BOGGY

HERE A BLOCKHOUSE WAS CONSTRUCTED IN 1840 AS HEADQUARTERS FOR THE BOGGY AND TRINITY RANGERS COMMANDED BY CAPTAIN THOMAS N. B. GREER A COMMUNITY RETAINED THE NAME FORT BOGGY FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS

Leon County

Patriots of the Texas Revolution

Many of our patriots participated in several battles, so the patriots are all listed alphabetically. Far too many are in neglected cemeteries.

Epitaph of the Texas Dead

No slab of pallid marble With white and ghostly head, Tells the wanderers in our vale, The virtues of our dead.

The wild-flowers be their tombstone, And dewdrops pure and bright Their epitaph, the angels wrote In the stillness of the night.

By B. H. Davis

AMARILLO SUNDAY NEWS AND GLOBE

JANUARY 12, 1936.

Graves of Men Who Made Texas Are Searched Out Year by Year



[Lou Kemp is responsible for locating these graves. His dedication has given our patriots the honor they deserved. He was later named as Historian for the Texas Centennial Commission.]

AUSTIN, Jan. 11-Texas fights for her heroes. A hundred years ago brave fighting men took up their arms for Texas and went out to fight for her liberty and greatness. Today Texas, 1936 Centennial State, is fighting for them. One by one she is mustering these men of old again into the ranks that they knew that she may pay them her greatest and most enduring honor, a grave and stone in the State Cemetery. These men, however, are not easy to get. Texas has to fight, first to find them and then to get them to Austin.

All over the United States are scattered the graves of those men who made Texas. Hidden and secluded are many of their graves. In small neglected graveyards, fields, forests and river banks they lie. Out of all these places they are being brought one by one to their last resting place at the Capitol.

Once every two years now the Legislature makes appropriations for the disinterment and removal of the bones of the number of heroes that has been found. This work was be-

gun slightly over six years ago, and since that time 36 celebrities of the Republic of Texas have found new graves in Austin.

The elea of giving these heroes their rightful place in Texas bloomed in the mind of a traveling man from Houston almost eight years ago. Day after day L. W. Kemp sat at his steering wheel and watched his wheels. Landmark after landmark he passed time and again. Mr. Kemp is a Texas historian as well as a business man. In each mile of winding pavement he read the pageant of Texas' colonization and struggle for independence. 125

Monuments to Events

Over all of Texas he found monuments to events and victories, but seldom did he find tributes paid to the men and women who made those events what they were, and who passed Texas on to Texans. This was not as it should be, Mr. Kemp reflected over his steering wheel; Texas heroes descrived more than brief obituaries and forgotten graves. Accordingly he took it upon himself to see that they found a place among Texas' honored dead.

In his many trips over great Texas he sought out and found the grave of many a forgotten man. His knowledge of history gave him a good start. All the great names in any section of the country he knew. With a little research he found the relatives of a man who had long ago done his share for Texas. Once a grave were found, however, his task was far from done. The consent of every one of the closest relatives had to be obtained. If some of the grandchildren were still living, their word was law, If, however, there were no grandchildren, and great-grandchildren could be found by the score their consent had to be unanimous before the body could be moved from its old place.

More and More Craves

Months passed, and Mr. Kemp found more and more graves and willing relatives. When the Legislature convened he asked for an appropriation for the reburial of the bodies in the State Cemetery. His petition was grauded, and today the work goes forward faster than ever. Mr. Kemp, who is now chairman of the Texas Historical Commission, has had much of his personal work removed, but still he remains to direct the project.

Thurlow Weed of Austin, who is under contract to the state and is taking active control of handling the bodies, can tell stirring stories of the difficulties encountered in trying to give honor to Texas' dead.

Find the Grave

"Before we even begin trying to get the consent of the living relatives to remove a body, we first have to find the grave," he says. "It is no simple matter finding some of them either. Sometimes the men have been buried on the banks of streams, and the water has eaten back and carried the bones away one by one.

"Sometimes the graves are out in the open pastures, plowed fields, or even in the middle of dense thickets without so much as a headstone. Often only the slightest dent in the ground is the only commemoration of some of Texas' most glamorous characters."









NATHANIEL ADDISON

A SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS ARMY IN 1836 * BORN IN LOUISIANA, FEBRUARY 20, 1811 * DIED MAY 28, 1900

> HIS WIFE MARGARET ANN ADDISON

BORN IN MISSOURI, FEBRUARY 24, 1815 - DIED JULY 26, 1878

HILL COUNTY

COLLIN ALDRICH

SAN JACINTO VETERAN • FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF HOUSTON COUNTY, 1837-1841 • • BORN MAY 2, 1801 • • DIED IN 1842

HOUSTON COUNTY

MAJOR JOHN M. ALLEN

SAN JACINTO VETERAN • • FIRST MAYOR OF GALVESTON • BORN IN KENTUCKY • DIED FEBRUARY 12, 1847

GALVESTON COUNTY

YOUNG PERRY ALSBURY

SAN JACINTO VETERAN * BORN IN KENTUCKY, 1814 * DIED NOVEMBER 17, 1877

HIS WIFE

MARY RODRIGUEZ ALSBURY

BORN IN 1832 DIED IN 1880

BEXAR COUNTY



CAPTAIN HAYDEN ARNOLD

COMMANDED THE NACOGDOCHES COMPANY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO

BORN IN TENN. IN 1805 DIED IN 1839

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY



PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF BEXAR, DECEMBER 5 TO 10 1835 • • • BORN IN KENTUCKY 1804 • DIED NOVEMBER 9, 1849

BEXAR COUNTY

WILLIS AVERY

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN JESSE BILLINGSLEY'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA OCTOBER 15, 1809 DIED IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS JULY 17, 1889

> HIS WIFE ELZINA (WEEKS) AVERY

BORN IN MISSOURI NOVEMBER 10, 1812 DIED IN WILLIAMSON COUNTY, TEXAS MARCH 1, 1870

TRAVIS COUNTY













JOSEPH BAKER

BORN IN MAINE 1804 DIED IN AUSTIN, TEXAS JULY 11, 1846 ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF "THE TELEGRAPH AND TEXAS REGISTER" AT SAN FELIPE DE AUSTIN OCTOBER 10, 1835 A SOLDIER AT SAN JACINTO FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF BEXAR COUNTY, 1836 MEMBER. OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC, 1837

TRAVIS COUNTY

JOHN BALCH

PARTICIPATED IN THE STORMING OF BEXAR, 1835 BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO, 1836

BORN IN TENNESSEE IN 1812 DIED IN 1900

> HIS WIFE ELIZABETH ROGERS BALCH

BORN IN 1826 DIED IN 1893 Nacogdoches County

ROBERT BARR

SAN JACINTO VETERAN V POSTMASTER GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC UNDER HOUSTON AND LAMARV BORN IN URBANA, OHIO IN 1802 V V DIED IN HOUSTON, TEXAS AT 9 A.M. OCTOBER 11, 1839, OF YELLOW FEVER V BURIED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE MASONIC AND ODD FELLOWS LODGES AND THE MILAM GUARDS

HARRIS COUNTY

DON CARLOS BARRETT

A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL COUNCIL OF THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS AND BY THAT BODY ELECTED JUDGE ADVOCATE GENERAL OF THE ARMY WITH THE RANK OF COLONEL, 1835 BORN IN VERMONT JUNE 22, 1788 DIED IN TEXAS MAY 19, 1838

BRAZORIA COUNTY









ANDREW JACKSON BEARD

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO BORN IN ARKANSAS MAY 29, 1814 DIED IN 1866

> HIS WIFE SALLIE PENTECOST BEARD

BORN IN JUNE, 1818 DIED IN 1857

FORT BEND COUNTY

MILES BENNETT

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 BORN IN INDIANA JULY 26, 1816 DIED NOVEMBER 24, 1849

HIS WIFE LAURA JORDON BENNETT

BORN AUGUST 28, 1830 DIED DECEMBER 24, 1925

ANDERSON COUNTY

COL. NATHANIEL BENTON

BORN IN TENNESSEE 1814 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 SERVED IN THE ARMY, 1836 TEXAS RANGER, 1858 CONFEDERATE OFFICER, 1861 DIED IN 1872

> HIS WIFE JANE HARRIS BENTON

> > BORN IN 1836 DIED IN 1862

GUADALUPE COUNTY

CAPTAIN ANDREW JACKSON BERRY

BORN IN INDIANA MAY 16, 1816 DIED AT BAIRD, TEXAS JULY 31, 1899 VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY.

CALLAHAN COUNTY









CAPT. JESSE BILLINGSLEY

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835 COMMANDER OF COMPANY C. FIRST REGIMENT, TEXAS VOLUNTEERS AT SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF THE 1ST AND 2ND CONGRESSES OF THE REPUBLIC PARTICIPATED IN THE WOLL CAMPAIGN, 1842 MEMBER OF THE SENATE, 5TH AND 8TH LEGISLATURES OF THE STATE BORN IN TENNESSEE OCTOBER 10, 1810 DIED IN BASTROP COUNTY, TEXAS OCTOBER 1, 1880

TRAVIS COUNTY

JAMES H. BOWMAN

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1836 BORN IN 1820 DIED IN FEBRUARY, 1886 CHEROKEE COUNTY

JOHN ANDREW BOX

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO * BORN IN TENNESSEE, JULY 2, 1803 * DIED AUGUST 2, 1874

HOUSTON COUNTY

REV. THOMAS GRIFFIN BOX

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO * BORN IN TENNESSEE, JANUARY 12, 1817 * DIED FEBRUARY 18, 1859

HOUSTON COUNTY



NELSON BOX

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO, WHO WAS BORN IN TENNESSEE, LIES BURIED HERE.

HOUSTON COUNTY

BREWER CEMETERY

DEDICATED 1816

HENRY, BORN OCT. 24, 1776, DIED JAN. 23, 1865

SUSANNAH, WIFE OF HENRY BREWER, BORN APRIL 7, 1777, DIED 1853

HENRY MITCHELL, BORN IN GEORGIA, JUNE 3, 1807; DIED 1849

JOHN, BORN 1819; DIED 1910

HENRY AND JOHN BREWER WERE IN THE BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES HENRY MITCHELL BREWER FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

MOSES W. BRIGHAM

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN AMASA TURNER'S COMPANY BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO DIED IN HOUSTON JANUARY 20, 1838







CAPT. ANDREW BRISCOE

BORN IN MISSISSIPPI NOVEMBER 25, 1810 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1833 A VOLUNTEER IN THE ARMY AT ANAHUAC, 1835 COMMANDED A COMPANY AT THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE COMMANDED A COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF HARRISBURG MUNICIPALITY, 1836 DIED IN NEW ORLEANS OCTOBER 4, 1849

TRAVIS COUNTY





CAPTAIN NATHEN BROOKSHIRE

PARTICIPATED IN THE STORMING AND CAPTURE OF BEXAR, DECEMBER 5TH TO 10TH, 1835 * A CAPTAIN IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1836 * * BORN IN TENNESSEE, 1793 * DIED JAN. 10, 1853

WALLER COUNTY

LUKE BRYAN

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835 A PARTICIPANT IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO BORN IN LOUISIANA OCTOBER 7, 1807 DIED OCTOBER 7, 1869

LIBERTY COUNTY









PRYOR BRYAN

AN OFFICER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS 1835-1836 BORN IN LOUISIANA MARCH 11, 1810 DIED APRIL 19, 1873

HIS WIFE MARY A. MERRIMAN BRYAN

BORN AUGUST 6, 1817 DIED JANUARY 13, 1861

LIBERTY COUNTY

THOMAS YOUNG BUFORD

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA AUGUST 5, 1814 DIED AUGUST 23, 1839

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

JAMES BURCH

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS * DETAILED TO GUARD THE CAMP NEAR HARRISBURG, APRIL 21, 1836 * BORN IN KENTUCKY, JULY 11, 1816 * * DIED DECEMBER 21, 1884

> HIS WIFE MARTHA SIMMS BURCH

BORN AUGUST 1, 1820 DIED MAY 24, 1901

POLK COUNTY

VALENTINE BURCH

DETAILED TO GUARD THE CAMP NEAR HARRISBURG, APRIL 21, 1836 V BORN IN KENTUCKY IN 1814 V DIED IN 1895

TYLER COUNTY









CAPTAIN JAMES BURLESON

CHOSEN COMMISSARY BY GENERAL ANDREW JACKSON, WAR OF 1812 EDWARD BURLESON, HIS SON, ACCOMPANIED HIM AS BOOKKEEPER PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF NEW ORLEANS JANUARY 8, 1815 SERVED UNDER HIS SON, EDWARD, ARMY OF TEXAS, IN THE GRASS FIGHT, 1835 BORN MAY 4, 1758 DIED JANUARY 3, 1836

BASTROP COUNTY

MAJOR ISAAC WATTS BURTON

VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO VCOM-MANDER OF THE "HORSE MARINES" IN JUNE, 1836 V A SENATOR IN THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1836-1839 V BORN IN GEORGIA IN 1805 V DIED IN JANUARY, 1843

HOUSTON COUNTY

CAPTAIN ANDREW CADDELL

FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO AS A PRIVATE LATER COMMANDED A COMPANY OF VOLUNTEERS BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA OCTOBER 12, 1795 DIED OCTOBER 15, 1869

HIS WIFE RHODA DOTY CADDELL

BORN JANUARY 27, 1801 DIED MARCH 18, 1880

BELL COUNTY

THOMAS JEFFERSON CALLIHAN

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN VBORN IN ILLINOIS, MAY 10, 1817 VDIED MAY 21, 1880

HIS WIFE JOHANNE BISHOFF CALLIHAN

BORN IN GERMANY, MARCH 18, 1839 V DIED MARCH 1, 1925

BRAZORIA COUNTY









MATTHEW WINSTON CARTWRIGHT

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN V V BORN IN ALABAMA, JANUARY 22 1813 V DIED DECEMBER 4, 1884

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

WILLIAM CARTWRIGHT

VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO V BORN IN ALABAMA, MARCH 16, 1813 V DIED OCTOBER 25, 1844 MONTGOMERY COUNTY

ALLEN CARUTHERS

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO BORN IN KENTUCKY MAY 31, 1804 DIED MAY 29, 1863

HIS WIFE MARTHA B. CARUTHERS

BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA APRIL 24, 1816 DIED JULY 8, 1858

DEWITT COUNTY

JOHN CHEEVERS

CAME TO TEXAS IN 1829 DIED IN HOUSTON IN 1846

PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AS A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN THOMAS H. MEINTIRE'S COMPANY









LEWIS L. CHILES

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN V FOUNDER OF THE CITY OF CALDWELL V V BORN IN VIRGINIA IN 1811 V DIED MAY 29, 1864

HIS WIFE

EMILY HITCHCOCK CHILES

BORN DECEMBER 13, 1824 DIED JUNE 9, 1877

BURLESON COUNTY

CAPTAIN ELISHA CLAPP

PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO + LATER A CAPTAIN IN THE TEXAS ARMY + CAME TO TEXAS IN 1822 + + DIED IN 1856

HIS WIFE

REBECCA ROBBINS CLAPP

DIED IN 1875

HOUSTON COUNTY

JOHN R. CLUTE

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS IN 1836. BORN IN NEW YORK MARCH 17, 1803. DIED JUNE 27, 1874. HIS SECOND WIFE REBECCA A. EWING CLUTE BORN IN TENNESSEE MAY 13, 1833. DIED MARCH 15, 1882.

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

CAPTAIN PHILIP COE

BORN IN GEORGIA JAN.10, 1800

MEMBER OF CONSULTATION, 1835

CAPTAIN OF CAVALRY IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1836

DIED DEC. 14, 1852

GONZALES COUNTY









MAJOR GEORGE MORSE COLLINSWORTH

COMMANDER OF THE TEXANS AT THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD, OCTOBER 9, 1835 • BORN IN MISSISSIPPI • DIED APRIL 18, 1866

MATAGORDA COUNTY

JAMES COLLINSWORTH

BORN IN TENNESSEE, 1806 • DROWNED IN GALVESTON, JULY 11, 1838, AND HIS REMAINS BROUGHT BY BOAT UP BUFFALO BAYOU TO HOUSTON • • HIS REMAINS INTERRED IN THIS CEMETERY UNDER THE AUSPICES OF TEMPLE LODGE NO. 4 • FIRST MASONIC FUNERAL EVER HELD IN TEXAS

DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION HELD AT SAN FELIPE, 1835 • SIGNER, FROM BRAZORIA MUNICIPALITY, OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF IN-DEPENDENCE • "BORE HIMSELF AS A CHIEF" AT SAN JACINTO • SECRETARY OF STATE, 1836 • SENATOR IN THE CONGRESS OF TEXAS, 1836 • FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS • A COUNTY IN TEXAS WAS NAMED IN HIS HONOR

[New inscription on Collinsworth monument,] Founders Memorial Park, Houston

HARRIS COUNTY

IN MEMORY OF EDWARD CONRAD BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA IN 1810 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MARCH 2, 1836 DIED IN VICTORIA JULY 13, 1836 WHILE AN OFFICER IN THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS VICTORIA COUNTY

FRANCIS JARVIS COOKE

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA JULY 13, 1816 DIED NOVEMBER 11, 1903 HIS WIFE EMILY STOCKTON COOKE BORN IN TENNESSEE JANUARY 28, 1828 DIED SEPTEMBER 4, 1908

WALLER COUNTY











MAJOR WILLIAM G. COOKE

BORN IN VIRGINIA, MARCH 28, 1808 V DIED IN GUADALUPE COUNTY, TEXAS DECEMBER 21, 1847

COMMANDED A COMPANY OF THE NEW ORLEANS GREYS AT THE CAPTURE OF BEXAR, 1835 * INSPECTOR GENERAL AT SAN JACINTO * COUNCIL HOUSE FIGHT, 1840 * SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841 * SECRETARY OF WAR AND MARINE, 1845 * ADJUTANT GENERAL OF TEXAS 1846-1847

TRAVIS COUNTY

COLONEL ALFRED G. COOPER

SEMINOLE FLORIDA WAR, 1836 * CAP-TAIN IN MEXICAN WAR, 1846 * LT. COL. CONFEDERATE ARMY, 1862 * BORN IN TENNESSEE, JUNE 22, 1817 * DIED FEBRUARY 28, 1883

PARKER COUNTY

REV. ROBERT CRAWFORD

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO AND A METHODIST MINISTER • BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA IN 1815 • DIED DECEMBER 5, 1888

ROBERTSON COUNTY

WILLIAM VANOY CRISWELL

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN V BORN IN KENTUCKY, APRIL 15, 1815 V CAME TO TEXAS IN 1830 V DIED IN FAYETTE COUNTY, JANUARY 19, 1858

TRAVIS COUNTY









LEANDER C. CUNNINGHAM

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN * BORN IN TENNESSEE, JULY 10, 1810 * DIED DECEMBER 24, 1896

HIS WIFE

ANN S. CUNNINGHAM

BORN IN KENTUCKY NOVEMBER 13, 1808 ¥ DIED JUNE 19, 1895

GONZALES COUNTY

ELIJAH VALENTINE DALE

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN V BORN IN GEORGIA, FEBRUARY 14, 1807 V DIED DECEMBER 14, 1890

> HIS WIFE JANE JOHNSON DALE

BORN IN OHIO, AUGUST 3, 1821 * DIED JUNE 17, 1896

GUADALUPE COUNTY

JAMES LORAINE DALLAS

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA AUG. 18, 1818 DIED IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, TEXAS MARCH 18, 1883

HIS WIFE

MARY V. (COOPER) DALLAS

BORN IN TENNESSEE JAN. 22, 1826 DIED IN WASHINGTON COUNTY, TEXAS JUNE 6, 1875

TRAVIS COUNTY

COLONEL STEPHEN HEARD DARDEN

ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 * STATE SENATOR, 1861-1862 * COMMISSIONED COLONEL C. S. A., 1863 * MEMBER OF THE CON-FEDERATE CONGRESS, 1864 * STATE COMPTROLLER, 1874-1881 * BORN IN MISSISSIPPI, NOVEMBER 18, 1816 * DIED IN WHARTON, TEXAS, MAY 16, 1902

HIS WIFE

CATHERINE MAYS DARDEN

80RN FEBRUARY 13, 1836 DIED AUGUST 19, 1912

TRAVIS COUNTY









ABRAHAM DARST

EMIGRATED TO TEXAS FROM MIS-SOURI IN 1827 AS AN AUSTIN COLONIST * PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, 1832 * FIVE OF HIS SONS WERE IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS IN 1836 * BORN MAY 14, 1786 * DIED IN DECEMBER, 1833

BRAZORIA COUNTY

EDMUND CALLOWAY DARST

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN MISSOURI, 1815 DIED IN 1838

BRAZORIA COUNTY

JESSE KENCHELOE DAVIS

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN V BORN IN ALABAMA, JANUARY 11, 1802 DIED DECEMBER 28, 1869

HIS WIFE

ELIZA DAVIS

BORN IN ALABAMA, MAY 12, 1819 DIED JANUARY 11, 1875

GONZALES COUNTY

CAPTAIN NICHOLAS MOSBY DAWSON AND 36 OTHER VOLUNTEERS WERE KILLED NEAR SALADO CREEK IN BEXAR COUNTY

[Added to front of Dawson monument on] courthouse square, La Grange

FAYETTE COUNTY



WILLIAM S. DEDMON

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 BORN FEBRUARY 22, 1817 DIED JULY 1, 1887

GILLESPIE COUNTY



A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN NEW ORLEANS SEPTEMBER 11, 1819 DIED JULY 29, 1883

LIBERTY COUNTY

KELSEY HARRIS DOUGLASS

MEMBER OF THE SECOND CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC COMMANDER OF THE TEXAS FORCES IN THE DECISIVE BATTLE WITH THE CHEROKEE INDIANS JULY 16, 1839 CHARTER MEMBER OF GRAND MASONIC LODGE OF TEXAS DIED OCT. 4, 1840 HIS DAUGHTER ANNE ELIZABETH DOUGLASS DIED IN JULY, 1840

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FREEMAN W. DOUGLASS

WHO WAS AMONG THOSE DETAILED TO GUARD THE BAGGAGE AT THE CAMP OPPOSITE HARRISBURG APRIL 21, 1836 BORN IN GEORGIA DECEMBER 21, 1822 DIED IN 1875 BRAZORIA COUNTY

WILLIAM DUNBAR

A MEMBER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842-1843 • BORN IN TENNESSEE, JANUARY 1, 1819 • DIED DECEMBER 20, 1855

BASTROP COUNTY

JOHN DUNCAN

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN ¥ BORN IN PENNSYLVANIA IN 1788 ¥ DIED MARCH 21, 1878

MATAGORDA COUNTY

PETER JEFFERSON DUNCAN

PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1835 AND SERVED IN THE ARMY IN 1836

BORN IN NEW YORK IN 1799

DIED IN HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS IN 1870









WILLIAM DANIEL DURHAM

BORN IN ENGLAND IN 1814 PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF BEXAR, DECEMBER 5TH TO 10TH, 1835 CAPTAIN WILLIAM J. E. HEARD'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO AND WAS SECOND LIEUTENANT IN THE MILAM GUARDS WHEN HE DIED AT HOUSTON, AUG-UST 26, 1838

HARRIS COUNTY

JOHN CRITTENDEN DUVAL

ESCAPED THE MASSACRE MARCH 27, 1836 AND WAS THE LAST SURVIVOR OF FANNIN'S ARMY TO DIE

BORN IN KENTUCKY IN 1816 DIED IN FORT WORTH, TEXAS JANUARY 15, 1897 TRAVIS COUNTY

CHRISTOPHER C. EDINBURG

CAME TO TEXAS IN 1824 V FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO V DIED IN 1864

WALKER COUNTY

AMOS B. EDSON

ARRIVED IN TEXAS JANUARY 28, 1836, HAVING BEEN RECRUITED IN NEW ORLEANS FOR THE ARMY OF TEXAS BY CAPTAIN AMASA TURNER IN WHOSE COMPANY HE SERVED AT'SAN JACINTO

DIED IN HOUSTON, 1837





HADEN EDWARDS

EMPRESARIO LEADER OF THE FREDONIAN REBELLION, 1826-27 SENT TO THE UNITED STATES TO RAISE FUNDS FOR THE TEXAS REVOLUTION, 1836 A LEADER IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF A NATION BORN IN VIRGINIA AUGUST 12, 1771 DIED AUGUST 14, 1849

> HIS WIFE SUSAN BEALL EDWARDS

BORN IN MARYLAND APRIL 10, 1774 DIED APRIL 6, 1849 NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

JOSEPH EHLINGER

BORN IN ALSACE, FRANCE 1792

DIED IN HOUSTON, TEXAS 1845

SERVED IN CAPTAIN WILLIAM J. E. HEARD'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO

HARRIS COUNTY

CAPTAIN GEORGE ENGLISH

COMMANDED A COMPANY AT THE CAPTURE OF BEXAR, 1835 VETERAN OF THE MEXICAN WAR, 1846 VED N IN TENNESSEE, 1808 VDIED IN 1876

HOUSTON COUNTY









CAPT. JOHN ENGLISH

VETERAN OF THE WAR OF 1812 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1824 SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1836 BORN IN VIRGINIA JULY 5, 1793 DIED DEC. 30, 1868

HIS WIFE ELIZABETH C. ENGLISH BORN IN TENNESSEE JAN. 5, 1807 DIED JULY 30, 1857

HOUSTON COUNTY

JOSHUA ENGLISH

SERVED IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1835 * BORN 1810 * DIED 1875

HOUSTON COUNTY

MASSILLON FARLEY

A SOLDIER OF THE TEXAS ARMY STATIONED AT THE CAMP AT HARRISBURG APRIL 21, 1836 FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE (COUNTY JUDGE) OF MILAM COUNTY DIED IN 1882

MILAM COUNTY

HENRY FIELDS

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA, MAY 8, 1806 DIED OCT. 15, 1890

ANDERSON COUNTY





CAPTAIN WILLIAM S. FISHER

BORN IN VIRGINIA V CAPTAIN OF A COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO, 1836 AND IN COMMAND OF THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842 V DIED IN GALVESTON IN 1845

GALVESTON COUNTY

JAMES NATHANIEL FISK

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS MARCH 6, 1836 TO NOVEMBER 16 1837 • • BORN IN SWANTON VERMONT, SEPTEMBER 4, 1815 • DIED APRIL 15, 1876 BEXAR COUNTY

WILLIAM GAMMELL

BORN IN SCOTLAND FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO IN CAPTAIN A. H. WYLY'S COMPANY HOUSTON, APRIL 10, 1869 AND WAS BURIED HERE

HIS WIDOW

JANE MODANIEL GAMMELL

DIED NOVEMBER 11, 1908 AND WAS BURIED IN THE GLENWOOD CEMETERY HARRIS COUNTY









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DR. THOMAS JEFFERSON GAZLEY

BORN IN NEW YORK, JANUARY 8, 1801 • DIED IN BASTROP COUNTY, TEXAS, OCTOBER 31, 1853 • DOCTOR-LAWYER, SOLDIER, LEGISLATOR

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DELEGATE TO THE SECOND CONVEN-TION OF TEXAS, 1833 * PHYSICIAN IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835-1836 * SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 * GRAND SENIOR WARDEN OF THE GRAND (MASONIC) LODGE OF TEXAS, 1837 * MEMBER OF THE SECOND CONGRESS, 1837-1838

TRAVIS COUNTY

JUDGE ELIJAH GOSSETT

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 CHIEF JUSTICE OF HOUSTON COUNTY, 1841 BORN IN TENNESSEE FEB. 1, 1788 DIED NOV. 24, 1848

HIS WIFE ELIZABETH (STONE) GOSSETT

> BORN IN TENNESSEE SEPT. 1, 1789 DIED JULY 6, 1849

HOUSTON COUNTY

WILLIAM ("BILL") GOYENS

BORN A SLAVE IN SOUTH CAROLINA, 1794 ESCAPED TO TEXAS IN 1821 RENDERED VALUABLE ASSISTANCE TO THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 INTERPRETER FOR THE HOUSTON-FORBES TREATY WITH THE CHEROKEES, 1836 ACQUIRED WEALTH AND WAS NOTED FOR HIS CHARITY DIED AT HIS HOME ON GOYENS' HILL 1856 HIS SKIN WAS BLACK HIS HEART, TRUE BLUE

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

ELIAS E. HAMILTON

PARTICIPATED IN STORMING OF BEXAR, 1835 BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO, 1836

BORN IN CLARKSVILLE, GEORGIA IN 1816 DIED IN DOUGLASS, TEXAS, SEPTEMBER 30, 1840 NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

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EDWIN FAIRFAX GRAY

MIDSHIPMAN IN THE TEXAS NAVY, 1841 LIEUTENANT IN THE U. S. NAVY, 1857 LIEUTENANT COLONEL 4TH TEXAS INFANTRY C. S. A., 1862-65 BORN IN FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA MARCH 15, 1829 DIED, AUG. 19, 1884

HARRIS COUNTY

DAVID GRIEVES

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN HENRY TEAL'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO BORN IN SCOTLAND DIED IN HOUSTON JUNE 15, 1837

HARRIS COUNTY

WILLIAM CALVERT HALLMARK

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO V BORN IN TENNESSEE, MAY 20, 1804 V DIED JANUARY 26, 1880

HOUSTON COUNTY

JOHN MARR HARDEMAN

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS IN 1836 * BORN IN TENNESSEE, FEB-RUARY 2, 1804; DIED OCTOBER 15, 1891

HIS WIFE

MARY HARDEMAN

BORN IN TENNESSEE, FEBRUARY 12, 1812 * DIED FEBRUARY 19, 1857

ELLIS COUNTY









FRANKLIN HARDIN

BORN IN FRANKLIN COUNTY, GEORGIA JANUARY 25, 1803 DIED AT LIBERTY, TEXAS, APRIL 20, 1878 AN OFFICER AT THE SEIGE OF BEXAR AND AT SAN JACINTO 1837. APPOINTED BY CONGRESS SURVEYOR OF LIBERTY COUNTY 1841, COLONEL OF THE 2ND REGIMENT OF THE 2ND BRIGADE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1867, MEMBER OF THE 7TH STATE LEGISLATURE

Liberty County

NATHANIEL C. HAZEN

CAME TO TEXAS IN JANUARY, 1836 LED OUT TO BE SHOT WITH FANNIN'S MEN MARCH 27, 1836, BUT ESCAPED FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO IN CAPTAIN WILLIAM H. PATTON'S COMPANY DIED IN COLUMBIA DECEMBER 27, 1836

BRAZORIA COUNTY

BENJAMIN F. HIGHSMITH

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835-36 A RANGER UNDER CAPT. JOHN C. HAYS A MEMBER OF THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION, 1842 BORN IN MISSOURI SEPTEMBER 11, 1817 DIED NOV. 20, 1905

HIS WIFE ELIZABETH TURNER HIGHSMITH

> BORN IN MISSOURI MARCH 22, 1836 DIED OCT. 7, 1900

BANDERA COUNTY

HARVEY HOMAN

CAME TO TEXAS IN JANUARY, 1836

FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO IN CAPTAIN RICHARD ROMAN'S COMPANY

BORN IN KENTUCKY, 1806 DIED IN HOUSTON JULY, 1846

HARRIS COUNTY









TO JOSEPHUS HORNSBY MAR. 15, 1822 OCT. 21, 1862 SON OF REUBEN HORNSBY, SETTLED HERE, 1832; BASTROP RANGER, 1837 IN FLORES FIGHT, 1839 BATTLE OF PLUM CREEK, 1840 BRUSHY FIGHT, 1840, VASQUEZ AND WOLL CAMPAIGNS, 1842; LED FIGHT AGAINST INDIANS FROM WHOM HE RESCUED WILLIAM BELL AND ALEXANDER COLEMAN IN AUSTIN, 1842 HIS WIFE ELIZA ANN LANE FEB. 14, 1830 SEPT. 6, 1892 TRAVIS COUNTY

MAJOR WILLIAM EDWARD HOWTH

PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 AND WAS A MAJOR IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 BORN IN NEW YORK CITY JAN. 14, 1810 DIED NOV. 1, 1859

WASHINGTON COUNTY

CAPTAIN JOHN CAMPBELL HUNT

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN LATER A CAPTAIN IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS

BORN IN ALABAMA DECEMBER 18, 1811 DIED SEPTEMBER 17, 1840

BASTROP COUNTY

JOHN INGRAM

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN * BORN IN KENTUCKY, MARCH 10, 1808 * DIED IN SAN ANGELO, FEBRUARY, 1896

TOM GREEN COUNTY









SETH INGRAM

SERGEANT 11TH REGIMENT, U. S. INFANTRY, WAR OF 1812 VONE OF AUSTIN'S SURVEYORS VAID OUT THE TOWN OF SAN FELIPE VBORN IN VERMONT JUNE 19, 1790 V V DIED MAY 12, 1857

MATAGORDA COUNTY

JAMES H. ISBELL

SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN IN TENNESSEE 1814 DIED IN 1858

> HIS WIFE AMANDA ISBELL

BORN APRIL 8, 1819 DIED SEPTEMBER 1, 1880

BELL COUNTY

ISAAC L. JAQUES

CAME TO TEXAS IN OCTOBER, 1835 * FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO IN CAPTAIN THOMAS H. MCINTIRE'S COMPANY * DIED AT LYNCHBURG, AUGUST 6, 1836

HARRIS COUNTY

HERE SLEEP

CAPT. AND MRS. CHAUNCEY JOHNSON

CAPT. JOHNSON WAS BORN IN BURLINGTON, VERMONT MAY 1, 1798 SERVED IN THE WAR OF 1812 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1840 CAPTURED BY GENERAL ADRIAN WOLL AT SAN ANTONIO, SEPTEMBER 11, 1842 AND IMPRISONED IN MEXICO DIED AT BASTROP, TEXAS MAY 10, 1854

TRAVIS COUNTY







THOMAS J. JORDAN

SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS ARMY IN 1836 • BORN IN TENNESSEE, JUNE 17, 1808 • DIED NOVEMBER 24, 1880

HIS WIFE STACY CHOATE JORDAN

BORN IN TENNESSEE, OCTOBER 15, 1816 V DIED JANUARY 27, 1884

ELLIS COUNTY

HENRY JOURNEAY

WHO SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 AND WAS A MEMBER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842 BORN IN NEW YORK JUNE 23, 1815 DIED JULY 2, 1870

GALVESTON COUNTY

ANTHONY DREW KENNARD

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS 1835 BORN IN TENNESSEE JULY 9, 1788 DIED IN 1848

HIS WIFE SALLIE MOORE KENNARD

BORN IN TENNESSEE SEPTEMBER 16, 1790 DIED DECEMBER 6, 1877

GRIMES COUNTY

IN MEMORY OF CAPTAIN WILLIAM KIMBRO

COMMANDED A COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1831

BORN IN TENNESSEE DIED IN ANDERSON COUNTY SEPTEMBER 14, 1856

ANDERSON COUNTY



CHARLES FREDERICK KING

SERVED IN THE TEXAS ARMY 1836 • • WAS MAYOR OF SAN ANTONIO, 1847-1849 AND 1852-1853 • BORN IN NEW HAMPSHIRE, JANUARY 17, 1811 • DIED IN SAN ANTONIO, MAY 13, 1869

BEXAR COUNTY

R. BAXTER KING

WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SALADO CREEK BEXAR COUNTY, AND JOINED THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842

> FIRST TAX COLLECTOR OF LEON COUNTY BORN IN TENNESSEE

> > **DIED IN 1872**

LEON COUNTY



New inscription engraved on King's Men Monument, moved from State Park, Refugio, to Mount Calvary Cemetery, Refugio, with a \$500 allocation by the Commission



IN MEMORY OF

THE SOLDIERS OF THE ARMY OF TEXAS WHO WERE KILLED IN ACTION OR CAPTURED AND AFTERWARD SLAIN AS A RESULT OF THE FIGHTING AT REFUGIO MARCH 14, 15, 16, 1836 SIXTEEN OF WHOM ARE BURIED HERE

> MOVED TO THIS SITE 1936

(REFUGIO COUNTY)

THOSE WHO FELL AMON B. KING SAMUEL ANDERSON WILLIAM S. ARMSTRONG LESLIE G. H. BRADY JAMES HENRY CALLISON JOHN H. COLEGROVE THOMAS COOK FIELDS DAVIS JACKSON DAVIS HENRY H. EADOCK LEWIS C. GIBBS JAMES HENLEY JOEL F. HETH JESSE C. HUMPHRIES HARVEY H. KIRK WILLIAM R. JOHNSON SNEAD LEDBETTER JAMES B. MURPHY JAMES MURPHY J. B. RODGERS ANTOINE SAYLE WILLIAM SHELTON WILLIAM N. SIMPSON GAVIN H. SMITH JOHN C. STEWART ROBERT A. TOLER JOHN WARD CHRISTOPHER WINTERS SAMUEL WOOD



DAVID SMITH KORNEGAY

FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO, 1836 V ESCAPED THE DAWSON MASSACRE 1842 V BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA 1810 V DIED APRIL 5, 1856

McLENNAN COUNTY



LEWIS KRAATZ A SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN IN GERMANY DIED IN 1857

WASHINGTON COUNTY





EDWARD OSWALD LEGRAND

A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE + VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO + BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA 1801 + DIED IN 1870

SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

ARCHIBALD S. LEWIS

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN BENJAMIN F. BRYANT'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO

> DIED IN HOUSTON DECEMBER 3, 1839

HARRIS COUNTY









JOHN EDWARD LEWIS

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN W. J. E. HEARD'S COMPANY IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO BORN IN NEW YORK CITY OCTOBER 3, 1808 DIED APRIL 1, 1892

HIS WIFE ANNA (SCOTT) LEWIS

BORN IN ALBANY, N. Y. 1812 DIED MAY 24, 1896 TRAVIS COUNTY

DR. GIDEON LINCECUM

A VETERAN OF THE WAR OF 1812 INTERNATIONALLY FAMOUS BOTANIST FRIEND OF DARWIN BORN IN GEORGIA APRIL 22, 1793 DIED AT LONG POINT WASHINGTON COUNTY, TEXAS NOVEMBER 28, 1873 TRAVIS COUNTY

> FERDINAND J. LINDHEIMER

SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1836 • A BOTANIST OF NOTE • • • BORN IN GERMANY, MAY 21, 1801 • DIED DECEMBER 2, 1879

> HIS WIFE ELEONORA REINARZ LINDHEIMER

BORN AUGUST 3, 1818 DIED MAY 16, 1895

COMAL COUNTY

JOHN LITTON

A SOLDIER OF THE SAN JACINTO ARMY V BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA, 1812 V DIED JULY 4, 1856

TRAVIS COUNTY









BARNEY C. LOWE

A PARTICIPANT IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1835 BORN IN KENTUCKY MAY 16, 1817 DIED NOV. 30, 1874

HIS WIFE PHILIANN BRADSHAW LOWE BORN NOV. 10, 1828 DIED NOV. 5, 1865

SABINE COUNTY

CAPTAIN HENRY C. LYON

SERVED IN ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS COMMANDED A COMPANY IN THE ARMY OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA BORN IN TENNESSEE APRIL 15, 1815 DIED MARCH 31, 1889

FISHER COUNTY

WYLY MARTIN

SCOUT UNDER GEN. WM. HENRY HARRISON, 1813 SERVED UNDER GEN. ANDREW JACKSON, WAR OF 1812 ALCALDE, SAN FELIPE DE AUSTIN DELEGATE TO THE CONVENTIONS OF TEXAS, 1832-33 MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION, 1835 CAPTAIN OF A COMPANY IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS MARCH 7 TO MAY 15, 1836 CHIEF JUSTICE OF FORT BEND COUNTY, 1838-41 BORN IN GEORGIA, 1776 DIED APRIL 2, 1842

FORT BEND COUNTY

JACOB MAYBEE

CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN WILLIAM S. FISHER'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO

> DIED AT HOUSTON FEBRUARY 8, 1838

HARRIS COUNTY





FRANCES LENOIR MCCULLOCH AND HER SON BENJAMIN MCCULLOCH

TWO OF THE SONS OF ALEXANDER AND FRANCES (LENOIR) MCCULLOCH, BENJAMIN AND HENRY EUSTACE, WERE BRIGADIER GENERALS IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

> FRANCES LENOIR MCCULLOCH BORN APRIL 11, 1780 DIED IN ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS MAY 10, 1866

BENJAMIN MCCULLOCH BORN IN TENNESSEE NOVEMBER 11, 1811 PRIVATE IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO APRIL 21, 1836 KILLED IN THE BATTLE OF ELK HORN, ARKANSAS MARCH 7, 1862 WHILE A BRIGADIER GENERAL IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

TRAVIS COUNTY





JAMES MCDANIEL

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS IN 1836 * BORN IN ALABAMA, SEPTEMBER 10, 1810 * DIED JANUARY 11, 1885

> HIS WIFE ISABELLA WEIR MCDANIEL

BORN IN ALABAMA, MARCH 8, 1818 • DIED MAY 4, 1897

ELLIS COUNTY

JOHN W. MCHORSE

BORN IN ALABAMA 1819 DIED JANUARY 9, 1897 PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AS A MEMBER OF HAYDEN ARNOLD'S COMPANY

[New inscription on headstone,] State Cemetery, Austin









EDWARD MCMILLAN

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN IRELAND, 1814 DIED IN 1865

HIS WIFE

ANN MARJORIE MCQUISTON MCMILLAN

BORN IN TENNESSEE DIED IN 1879

ROBERTSON COUNTY

JOHN MCNABB

MEMBER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841

BORN IN SCOTLAND DIED APRIL 27, 1894

FORT BEND COUNTY

CAPT. JOSE ANTONIO MENCHACA

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO BORN IN SAN ANTONIO 1797 DIED NOVEMBER 1, 1879

HIS WIFE

TERESA RAMON MENCHACA BORN IN JULY, 1796 DIED FEBRUARY 7, 1874

BEXAR COUNTY

JOHN SUTHERLAND MENEFEE

SAN JACINTO VETERAN MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF TEXAS 1837 • • • 40

> BORN IN TENNESSEE JUNE 24, 1813

DIED NOVEMBER 4, 1884

JACKSON COUNTY





WM. B. MIDDLETON

A PARTICIPANT OF THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842 FIRST SHERIFF OF LEON COUNTY **BORN IN ILLINOIS** AUGUST 4, 1819 DIED MARCH 17, 1877 HIS FIRST WIFE MARY J. POTTS MIDDLETON BORN SEPT. 9, 1823 DIED MAY 5, 1874 IN MEMORY OF **BEONI MIDDLETON** WHO DIED IN PRISON IN MEXICO WHILE A PRISONER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION LEON COUNTY

JOHN HENRY MOORE

NOTED INDIAN FIGHTER COMMANDER OF THE TEXIANS AT THE BATTLE OF GONZALES OCTOBER 2, 1835

> BORN IN TENNESSEE AUGUST 13, 1800 DIED DECEMBER 2, 1880

> > HIS WIFE ELIZA MOORE

BORN APRIL 23, 1809 DIED FEBRUARY 25, 1877

FAYETTE COUNTY

JOHN W. MOORE

OPPOSED BRADBURN AT ANAHUAC 1832 * MEMBER OF THE CONSUL-TATION AT SAN FELIPE IN 1835 * SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 * * FIRST SHERIFF OF HARRIS COUNTY, 1837 TO 1840 * CITY ALDERMAN IN HOUSTON, 1840 * MARRIED TO ELIZA BELNAP, FEBRUARY 2, 1839 DIED IN HOUSTON, 1846

HARRIS COUNTY









ROBERT W. MONTGOMERY

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN HENRY TEAL'S COMPANY OF REGULARS AT SAN JACINTO

> DIED IN HOUSTON JUNE, 1837

HARRIS COUNTY

HENRY MORDOFF

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN 1817 DIED MARCH 20, 1870

BASTROP COUNTY

MAJOR ISAAC N. MORELAND

BORN IN GEORGIA CAME TO TEXAS IN 1834 STORMING OF BEXAR, 1835 COMMANDED THE ARTILLERY AT SAN JACINTO MADE MAJOR, JULY 20, 1836 LAW PARTNER OF DAVID G. BURNET, 1837 DIED JUNE 7, 1840 WHILE CHIEF JUSTICE OF HARRIS COUNTY BURIED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE MASONS AND THE INDEPENDENT MILITARY COM-PANIES OF HOUSTON

HARRIS COUNTY

MAJOR ROBERT SIMPSON NEIGHBORS

WHO SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 * CAPTURED BY GENERAL WOLL, 1842 * U.S. INDIAN AGENT, 1845 * BORN IN VIRGINIA, NOVEMBER 3, 1815 * DIED SEPTEMBER 14, 1859

YOUNG COUNTY



NEILL'S GRAVE WAS WASHED AWAY IN A FLOOD WITH SEVERAL OTHERS. THIS AERIAL VIEW SHOWS THE COLLAPSED HILLSIDE.







COLONEL JAMES CLINTON NEILL

BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA IN 1790 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1831 PARTICIPATED IN THE STORMING AND CAPTURE OF BEXAR DECEMBER 5 TO 10, 1835 WOUNDED APRIL 20, 1836 IN THE SKIRMISH PRECEDING THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO DIED ABOUT 1845

GUADALUPE COUNTY

ELI NOLAND

IN CAPTAIN WILLIAM S. FISHER'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO

BORN IN OHIO IN 1804

DIED IN HOUSTON, DECEMBER 17, 1841

HARRIS COUNTY

PLACIDO OLIVARRI

A GUIDE TO THE TEXAS ARMY 1835 V V BORN IN SAN AN-TONIO, FEBRUARY, 1815 V DIED SEPTEMBER 8, 1894

HIS WIFE

MICAELA J. OLIVARRI

BORN JUNE 10, 1844 DIED MAY 5, 1917

BEXAR COUNTY

DICKERSON PARKER

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN TENNESSEE MAY 29, 1812 DIED AUGUST 1, 1844

HIS WIFE LUCINDA EATON PARKER

BORN JAN. 14, 1820 DIED JAN. 27, 1847

ANDERSON COUNTY







MARTIN PARMER

BORN IN VIRGINIA, JUNE 4, 1778 DIED IN JASPER COUNTY, MARCH 2, 1850 A DELEGATE TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF MISSOURI, 1821 SECOND IN COMMAND IN THE FREDONIAN WAR IN TEXAS 1826 MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION 1835 SIGNED THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 V PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS, NAMED IN HIS HONOR

TRAVIS COUNTY

WILLIAM H. PATE

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN IN GEORGIA DIED AUGUST 29, 1879 HIS WIFE JANE PATE BORN MARCH 10, 1827 DIED MARCH 18, 1906

ERATH COUNTY

DR. GEORGE MOFFIT PATRICK

A VOLUNTEER AT ANAHUAC, 1832 MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION, 1835 COMMANDER OF THE SCHOONER "FLASH" 1836 MOST WORSHIPFUL GRAND MASTER GRAND (MASONIC) LODGE OF TEXAS, 1848-49 BORN IN VIRGINIA, SEPTEMBER 30, 1801 DIED IN GRIMES COUNTY, TEXAS JUNE 28, 1889

> HIS WIFE MARTHA SCAIFE PATRICK

BORN IN ENGLAND IN 1813 DIED IN GRIMES COUNTY, TEXAS SEPTEMBER 26, 1855

TRAVIS COUNTY



SYDNEY O. PENNINGTON

BORN IN KENTUCKY, 1809 CAME TO TEXAS, 1834 PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 SIGNED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836 DIED IN SHELBY COUNTY, TEXAS, 1838

SHELBY COUNTY

GEORGE WASHINGTON PETTY

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN

BORN IN TENNESSEE APRIL 7, 1812 DIED JULY 27, 1901

WASHINGTON COUNTY

DR. JAMES AENEAS PHELPS

HOSPITAL SURGEON AT SAN JACINTO * BORN IN MISSISSIPPI * CAME TO TEXAS IN 1822 * DIED IN 1847

BRAZORIA COUNTY











MICHAEL ROBERT PILLEY

A MEMBER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842

BORN IN GRANTHAM, ENGLAND MARCH 30, 1820 DIED JANUARY 4, 1865 AUSTIN COUNTY

THOMAS PLINEY PLASTER

WHO MANNED ONE OF THE TWIN SISTERS CANNON AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AND WAS A VETERAN OF THE MEXICAN WAR, 1847 BORN IN TENNESSEE JUNE 6, 1804 DIED MARCH 27, 1861

TRAVIS COUNTY

IN MEMORY OF ANDREW PONTON ALCALDE

AUTHOR OF THE HISTORIC LETTER WRITTEN ON SEPT. 26, 1835, IN REPLY TO MEXICO'S DEMAND FOR THE COLONISTS' CANNON AT GONZALES. ONE OF THE DEFENDERS OF GONZALES OCTOBER 2, 1835

GONZALES COUNTY







ROBERT PRICE

DETAILED TO GUARD THE BAGGAGE AT HARRISBURG, APRIL 21, 1836 V BORN AUGUST 2, 1811 V DIED AUGUST 17, 1900

BLANCO COUNTY

ROBERT RANKIN

BORN IN VIRGINIA, 1753 V DIED IN COLD SPRINGS, SAN JACINTO COUNTY, TEXAS, 1837

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ROBERT RANKIN WAS AN OFFICER IN THE CONTINENTAL ARMY, VIRGINIA TROOPS, 1776, IN THE SAME COMPANY WITH HIS NEAR KINSMAN, JOHN MARSHALL, WHO LATER BECAME CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE UNITED STATES . HE PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF BRANDYWINE, GERMANTOWN AND STONY POINT AND IN THE SIEGE OF CHARLESTON . THREE OF HIS SONS, JOSEPH, JOHN KEITH, AND JAMES RANKIN, SERVED IN THE WAR OF 1812 Y JOSEPH WAS MASSACRED BY INDIANS AT FORT MIMS IN ALABAMA IN 1813 . JOHN KEITH AND JAMES RANKIN DIED IN TEXAS, AS DID TWO OTHER SONS, FREDERICK AND THOMAS, WHO HAD SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS

TRAVIS COUNTY

REAMOS

DETAILED TO GUARD THE BAGGAGE AT HARRISBURG APRIL 21, 1836

BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA, 1812 DIED IN 1887

AUSTIN COUNTY









ROBERT LOVE REDING

ARMY OF TEXAS * PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD OCTOBER 9, 1835 * SIGNER OF THE GOLIAD DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE * * BORN IN TENNESSEE, 1810 * DIED 1849

BASTROP COUNTY

CAPTAIN HENRY REED

PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AND LATER IN 1836 COMMANDED A VOLUNTEER COMPANY BORN IN TENNESSEE NOVEMBER 10, 1800 DIED NOVEMBER 11, 1854

ROBERTSON COUNTY

JOHN RICHARDSON

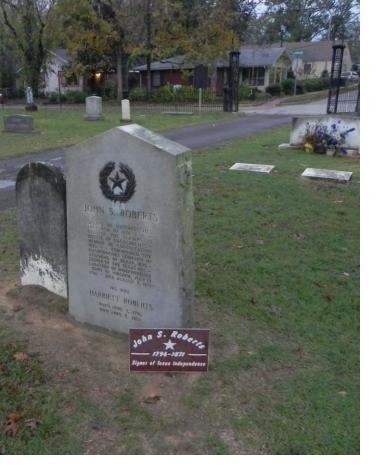
CAME TO TEXAS, 1834 • IN CAPTAIN JAMES GILLASPIE'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO • • DIED IN HOUSTON, MAY 25, 1840

HARRIS COUNTY

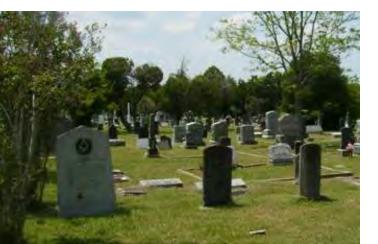
JOSEPH C. ROBINSON

CAPTURED AT THE "DAWSON MASSACRE" SEPTEMBER 18, 1842

> DIED IN 1861 FAYETTE COUNTY







JOHN S. ROBERTS

BORN IN VIRGINIA JULY 13, 1796 DIED AUGUST 9, 1871 SHERIFF IN NATCHITOCHES, LA., IN 1826 ONE OF THE LEADERS IN BATTLE OF NACOGDOCHES MEMBER OF CONSULTATION, 1835 COMMANDED THE NACOGDOCHES COMPANY IN STORMING OF BEXAR, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

> HIS WIFE HARRIETT ROBERTS BORN APRIL 7, 1796 DIED APRIL 5, 1874

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

SAMUEL C. A. ROGERS

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS WHO PARTICIPATED IN THE SIEGE OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1835 ***** BORN IN VIRGINIA JUNE 18, 1810 ***** DIED FEBRUARY 13, 1892

> HIS WIFE MARY E. ROGERS

BORN SEPTEMBER 5, 1835 DIED MAY 2, 1912

JACKSON COUNTY

VICTOR MARION ROSE

POET, EDITOR, HISTORIAN AND SOLDIER FROM THE FOUNDERS OF VICTORIA HE GATHERED THE FRAGMENTS OF THE PAST AND WOVE THEM INTO THE HISTORY OF VICTORIA COUNTY

> BORN IN VICTORIA JANUARY 1, 1844 DIED IN MYRTLE SPRINGS FEBRUARY 5, 1893

VICTORIA COUNTY









WILLIAM TURNER SADLER

VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO

BÖRN IN TENNESSEE JULY 27, 1797 DIED FEBRUARY 18, 1884

HIS WIFE PERMELIA BENNETT SADLER

BORN MARCH 13, 1818 DIED DECEMBER 6, 1866

ANDERSON COUNTY

FIELDING G. SECREST

SERVED IN CAPTAIN HENRY W. KARNES' COMPANY OF CAVALRY AT SAN JACINTO V DIED IN HOUSTON, JUNE 1, 1840

HIS WIFE

ELIZA SNEED SECREST

DIED IN 1839

HARRIS COUNTY

GEORGE SELF

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN JESSE BILLINGSLEY'S COMPANY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO APRIL 21, 1836 DIED IN MARCH, 1856

TRAVIS COUNTY

DANIEL SHIPMAN

PARTICIPATED IN THE DISTURBANCE AT ANAHUAC JUNE, 1832 AND THE STORMING AND CAPTURE OF BEXAR, DECEMBER 5 TO 10, 1835 BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA FEBRUARY 20, 1801 DIED IN GOLIAD COUNTY, TEXAS MARCH 4, 1881

ELIZA HANCOCK SHIPMAN

WIFE OF DANIEL SHIPMAN BORN DECEMBER 22, 1813 DIED IN GOLIAD COUNTY, TEXAS SEPTEMBER 11, 1858 TRAVIS COUNTY









JOHN HAWKINS SINGLETON

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE MEXICAN WAR, 1846 THE CONFEDERATE ARMY 1861-1865 BORN IN KENTUCKY JUNE 25, 1818 DIED IN ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS AUGUST 3, 1884

HIS WIFE REBECCA ANN (BARKER) SINGLETON

BORN IN TENNESSEE OCTOBER 9, 1830 DIED IN ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS MAY 8, 1901 TRAVIS COUNTY

EZEKIEL SMITH

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS IN THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842 BORN IN VIRGINIA DIED IN SEGUIN, TEXAS OCTOBER 28, 1854

GUADALUPE COUNTY

JOHN WILLIAM SMITH

SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC • MEMBER OF CONGRESS • • • FIRST MAYOR OF SAN ANTONIO • BORN IN VIRGINIA, 1792 • • DIED IN WASHINGTON TEXAS, JANUARY 13, 1845

WASHINGTON COUNTY

SAMUEL S. SMITH

MEMBER OF THE WOLL AND SOMERVELL EXPEDITIONS, 1842

BORN IN BOSTON, MASS. SEPTEMBER 19, 1810 DIED AUGUST 18, 1882

> HIS WIFE SARAH BRACKETT SMITH

BORN IN NEW YORK FEBRUARY 28, 1836 DIED MARCH 20, 1901

BEXAR COUNTY









WILLIAM B. STANDIFER

A MEMBER OF CAPT. JESSE BILLINGSLEY'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO BORN IN ILLINOIS FEBRUARY 10, 1812 DIED JULY 8, 1876

BASTROP COUNTY

WILLIAM S. STILWELL

A PRIVATE IN CAPTAIN ISAAC N. MORELAND'S COMPANY OF ARTILLERY AT SAN JACINTO * APPOINTED CAPTAIN, DECEMBER 26, 1836 * BORN IN NEW YORK 1809 * * * DIED IN HOUSTON SEPTEMBER 12, 1837

"DIED IN THIS CITY, ON THE 12TH INST., SUDDENLY, CAPTAIN WILLIAM S. STILWELL, LATE OF THE TEXIAN ARMY. THE NEW ORLEANS AND NEW YORK PAP-ERS ARE REQUESTED TO NOTICE THIS."

TEXAS TELEGRAPH

HARRIS COUNTY

COL. PHILIP A. SUBLETT

DELEGATE TO THE CONVENTIONS OF TEXAS, 1832-33 PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 BORN IN KENTUCKY MAY 22, 1802 DIED FEB. 25, 1850

> HIS WIFE EASTER J. ROBERTS SUBLETT

BORN FEBRUARY 27, 1808 DIED SEPTEMBER 19, 1891

SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

WILLIAM C. SWEARINGEN

BORN IN KENTUCKY * ARRIVED AT VELASCO, JANUARY 28, 1836 ON THE SCHOONER PENNSYLVANIA TO FIGHT FOR THE FREEDOM OF TEXAS * A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN AMASA TURNER'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO * DIED IN HOUSTON, DECEMBER 24, 1839

"KISS WILLIAM FOR ME AND TELL HIM PAPPY WILL BE THERE IN THE FALL AND STAY WITH HIM AND THAT HE MUST BE A GOOD BOY" • FROM A LETTER MR. SWEARINGEN WROTE TO HIS PARENTS IN KENTUCKY

HARRIS COUNTY



THOMAS JEFFERSON SWEENY

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN IN TENNESSEE 1812 DIED_IN LA GRANGE, TEXAS 1869 BRAZORIA COUNTY





3 MILES NORTHEAST FROM HERE WAS BURIED GENERAL EDWARD H. TARRANT

VETERAN OF THE WAR OF 1812, MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS AND A COURAGEOUS INDIAN FIGHTER * BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA, 1796 * DIED IN PARKER COUNTY, TEXAS, AUGUST 2, 1858 * REBURIED IN ELLIS COUNTY NEAR HIS FORMER PLANTATION, 1859 * HIS REMAINS REMOVED TO THE COUNTY NAMED IN HIS HONOR IN 1928 AND REINTERRED IN FORT WORTH

ELLIS COUNTY

WILLIAM S. TAYLOR

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN DIED FEBRUARY 2, 1869

MONTGOMERY COUNTY



PETER TEAL

WHO SERVED IN THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC 1835-36 BORN IN TENNESSEE 1812 DIED 1854 REFUGIO COUNTY

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GEN. ALEXANDER WATKINS TERRELL

BORN IN PATRICK COUNTY, VA. NOVEMBER 23, 1827 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1852 DIED WHILE VISTING IN MINERAL WELLS SEPTEMBER 9, 1912

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DISTRICT JUDGE, SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT 1857-1863 LIEUTENANT COLONEL, THIRTY-FOURTH TEXAS REGIMENT, C. S. A. UNTIL 1865 WHEN HE WAS PROMOTED TO BRIGADIER GENERAL SENATOR, TEXAS LEGISLATURE, 1876-1885 REPRESENTATIVE, 1891-1893 AND 1903-1907 U. S. MINISTER TO TURKEY 1893-1896

TRAVIS COUNTY



GEN. ALEXANDER WATKINS TERRELL

BORN IN PATRICK COUNTY, VA. NOVEMBER 23, 1827 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1852 MED WHILE VISITING IN MINERAL WELLS SEPTEMBER 9, 1912

WILLIAM TOM

WHO SERVED UNDER GENERAL JACKSON IN THE CREEK WAR ,1813 SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1835 BORN IN MAURY COUNTY, TENNESSEE JANUARY 12, 1792 DIED IN GUADALUPE COUNTY, TEXAS FEBRUARY 15, 1871

> HIS WIFE KISSIAH HINES TOM

BORN OCTOBER 15, 1805 DIED JULY 13, 1862

TRAVIS COUNTY



HENRY LIVINGSTON THOMPSON

COMMODORE OF THE TEXIAN NAVY

DIED IN HOUSTON, NOV. 1, 1837

"THE FUNERAL OF THE LATE COMMODORE THOMPSON TOOK PLACE ON THE MORNING OF THURSDAY LAST • HIS REMAINS WERE FOLLOWED TO THE GRAVE BY THE LARGEST AND MOST RESPECTABLE ASSEMBLAGE OF CITIZENS WHICH HAS EVER ATTENDED A SIMILAR OCCASION IN THIS CITY • AN ORATION WAS DELIVERED AT THE GRAVE BY GENERAL RUSK"

TEXAS TELEGRAPH

HARRIS COUNTY





WINSLOW TURNER

BORN IN MISSOURI 1811 DIED IN BASTROP COUNTY, TEXAS MAY 6, 1880 PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF GONZALES OCTOBER 2, 1835 SERVED IN THE TEXAS ARMY, 1836 AND IN THE WOLL CAMPAIGN, 1842

TRAVIS COUNTY

JOHN VIVEN

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN WILLIAM WOOD'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO * DIED IN HOUSTON, OCTOBER 26, 1856

HARRIS COUNTY









PHILIP WALKER

A SOLDIER IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS ARRIVED AT SAN JACINTO APRIL 22, 1836 BORN IN SOUTH CAROLINA MARCH 11, 1815 DIED IN JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS JULY 11, 1897

HIS WIFE ELIZABETH (COOPER) WALKER

BORN IN TENNESSEE OCTOBER 21, 1827 DIED IN JOHNSON COUNTY, TEXAS JULY 22, 1868

TRAVIS COUNTY

CAPTAIN WILLIAM WARE

WHO COMMANDED THE SECOND COMPANY OF THE SECOND REGIMENT AT SAN JACINTO • • BORN IN KENTUCKY, JANUARY 15, 1800 • DIED MARCH 9, 1853

UVALDE COUNTY

GEORGE WEEDON

PERMANENTLY WOUNDED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO WHILE SERVING IN CAPTAIN WILLIAM S. FISHER'S COMPANY DIED JANUARY 18, 1842 NEAR OLD CINCINNATI IN WALKER COUNTY, TEXAS

TRAVIS COUNTY

CHRISTIAN G. WERTZNER

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN FIRST PERMANENT GERMAN SETTLER OF FAYETTE COUNTY

> BORN IN GERMANY DIED, 1852

FAYETTE COUNTY









WILLIAM HARRIS WHARTON

PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, 1832 * MEMBER OF THE CONVENTION OF TEXAS, 1832 * PRESIDENT OF THE CONVENTION OF 1833 * MINISTER OF THE UNITED STATES, 1836-1837 * MEMBER OF THE FIFTH CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC * BORN IN VIRGINIA, 1806 * DIED MARCH 14, 1839

BRAZORIA COUNTY

FRANCIS MENEFEE WHITE

PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF BEXAR, 1835

BORN IN TENNESSEE AUGUST 11, 1811 DIED MARCH 22, 1897

HIS WIFE ROSANNA K. M. WHITE

BORN IN LOUISIANA DIED IN 1845

JACKSON COUNTY

FREEMAN WILKINSON

A MEMBER OF CAPTAIN THOMAS H. MEINTIRE'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO

DIED AT LYNCHBURG IN 1839 AND WAS BURIED NEAR HIS COMRADES WHO FELL IN BATTLE

HARRIS COUNTY

JAMES G. WILKINSON

A MEMBER OF CAPT. WM. W. HILL'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO BORN IN KENTUCKY MARCH 5, 1805 DIED IN LEE COUNTY, TEXAS AUGUST 15, 1848 HERE ALSO SLEEPS AMANDA WILKINSON WIFE OF JAMES G. WILKINSON

TRAVIS COUNTY









STEPHEN WILLIAMS, SR.

BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA 1764 FOUGHT AT CAMDEN, BRIER CREEK AND EUTAW SPRINGS IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR AND THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 IN THE TEXAS REVOLUTION

JASPER COUNTY

TO JOHN WILLIAMS AND HOWELL HAGGETT

KILLED BY INDIANS IN MAY, 1836 WHILE DETAILED FROM CAPTAIN JOHN J. TUMLINSON'S COMPANY OF RANGERS TO HELP PROTECT THE FAMILIES OF THE HORNSBY'S SETTLEMENT ON RETURNING FROM THE "RUN AWAY SCRAPE"

WILLIAM ATKINSON PIONEER RANGER BURIED NEAR DANIEL HORNSBY WHEN BOTH WERE KILLED BY INDIANS JUNE 7, 1845

TRAVIS COUNTY

GEN. JAMES WILLIE

BORN IN GEORGIA JAN. 5, 1822 DIED IN HOUSTON, TEXAS 1863 ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS, 1856-7 OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

WASHINGTON COUNTY

LOUIS WILMOUTH

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN V BORN IN KENTUCKY, 1806 . DIED NOVEMBER 11, 1893

> HIS WIFE **ELLEN VITTITOE** WILMOUTH

DIED JANUARY 22, 1896

GRAYSON COUNTY

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JOHN FRELAN WINTERS

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN * BORN IN TENNESSEE, JULY 13, 1814 * DIED JANUARY 16, 1864

WALKER COUNTY

WILLIAM CARVIN WINTERS

CAME TO TEXAS IN 1834 WOUNDED AT SAN JACINTO BORN IN TENNESSEE IN 1809 DIED IN 1863

FRIO COUNTY

JAMES WASHINGTON WINTERS A SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN IN TENNESSEE

JANUARY 21, 1817 DIED NOVEMBER 15, 1903

FRIO COUNTY

MAJOR JOHN WORTHAM

COMMISSIONED A MAJOR IN THE TEXAS ARMY, MARCH 29, 1839 V BORN MAY 10, 1800 V DIED NOVEMBER 10, 1867

HOUSTON COUNTY







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CAPTAIN JOHN YORK BORN JULY 4, 1800 DIED OCTOBER 11, 1848 JAMES MADISON BELL

BORN IN TENNESSEE JULY 18, 1817 DIED OCTOBER 11, 1848

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CAPTAIN YORK COMMANDED A COMPANY AT THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1835 • • HIS SON-IN-LAW JAMES M. BELL PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO • BOTH WERE KILLED BY INDIANS, OCTOBER 11, 1848 AND WERE BURIED IN A SINGLE GRAVE

York County

JOSIAH WHEAT BORN IN VIRGINIA SEPTEMBER 3, 1779 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 DIED JUNE 4, 1850 LOCATING COMMISSIONER FOR MENARD DISTRICT 1841 DONOR OF COUNTY SITE OF TYLER COUNTY 1846

MARTHA FLETCHER WHEAT WIFE OF JOSIAH WHEAT BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA MAY 23,1791 DIED 1854

Tyler County







CAPTAIN ALFRED H. WYLY WHO COMMANDED A VOLUNTEER COMPANY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO APRIL 21, 1836 DIED AT HEMPSTEAD MAY 11, 1867

WALLER COUNTY

Pat McLaughlin reached out to McWilliams Monument Company to upright the marker that was on the ground for 20 years. Deke McWilliams and Taylor Love donated their time, materials, equipment, and expertise to reset the marker. THANK YOU McWILLIAMS MONUMENT COMPANY AND PAT McLAUGHLIN!!

JAMES ALLISON YORK

PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 A MEMBER OF CAPT. MOSELEY BAKER'S COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO BORN IN KENTUCKY ON JULY 4, 1800 DIED IN LAVACA COUNTY, TEXAS FEBRUARY 6, 1869

TRAVIS COUNTY

ANDREW ZUMWALT

A SAN JACINTO VETERAN BORN SEPTEMBER 1, 1817 DIED NOV. 1, 1886

GONZALES COUNTY

Churches, Schools, Homes 1836 - 1845

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SITE OF SAN AUGUSTINE UNIVERSITY

INCORPORATED JUNE 5, 1837 V GRANTED FOUR LEAGUES OF LAND FOR ITS SUPPORT V OPENED SEPTEMBER 5, 1842 V MARCUS A. MONTROSE, PRESIDENT, 1842-1845 V JAMES RUSSELL, M. A. UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH, PRESIDENT, 1845-1847 V BITTER SECTARIANISM WROUGHT ITS DOWNFALL V MERGED WITH WESLEYAN COLLEGE INTO THE UNIVERSITY OF EASTERN TEXAS IN 1847 V SUCCEEDED BY THE SAN AUGUSTINE MASONIC INSTITUTE

San Augustine County

OLD NORTH CHURCH

FIRST KNOWN AS UNION CHURCH AS SEVERAL DENOMINATIONS JOINED HERE TO WORSHIP AS EARLY AS 1836 • • ORGANIZED IN 1838 • A SMALL LOG CHURCH WAS COMPLETED THAT YEAR ON TEN ACRES DONATED BY DR. JOHN M. SPARKS • THE PRESENT STRUCTURE DATES FROM 1852 • IN ITS GRAVEYARD REST MANY OF THE LEADING ANGLO-AMERICAN SETTLERS OF NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

Nacogdoches County



SITE OF THE FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

ERECTED IN THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS V CORNER STONE LAID, JANUARY 7, 1838 WITH THE USAGES OF THE MASONIC ORDER V THE REVEREND LITTLETON FOWLER AND GENERAL THOMAS J. RUSK DELIVERED ADDRESSES

San Augustine County

AN EARLY PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

ORGANIZED AS THE BETHEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH AT GOODLAW SCHOOL HOUSE BY THE REV. HUGH WILSON ON JUNE 2, 1838 WITH THE FOLLOWING CHARTER MEMBERS:

JAMES, ISABELLA, JOSEPH AND MARTHA SHARP H. G., PEGGY, JAMES AND ELAM ALEXANDER JOHN, SYNTA AND AMANDA POLK ROBERT AND MARGARET TIBBETS ELIZABETH ERWING MARY MEIVER POLLY NICHOLSON ELIZABETH DUNHAM CATHERINE DART ADELINE STODART ANN MEKNIGHT JACK AND HANNA SHARP (COLORED)

San Augustine County 183



400 YARDS EAST STOOD CHRIST CHURCH ST EDISCODAL CHURCH IN TEX

ON A SITE APPROXIMATELY

FIRST EPISCOPAL CHURCH IN TEXAS V ORGANIZED JANUARY 27, 1839 V THE REV. CALEB S. IVES, RECTOR V BUILDING CONSECRATED FEBRUARY 25, 1844 BY THE RT. REV. LEONIDAS POLK, D. D., BISHOP OF LOUISIANA V DIOCESE OF TEXAS ESTABLISHED JANUARY 1, 1849 V BUILDING DESTROYED BY HURRICANE SEPTEMBER 11, 1854 V REBUILT ON PRESENT SITE V THE REV. MR. IVES AND HIS WIFE ESTABLISHED AND TAUGHT AN EARLY SCHOOL IN CON-NECTION WITH THE PARISH

Matagorda County





OLD BAPTIST CHURCH

ORGANIZED IN 1839 V HERE SAM HOUSTON WAS CONVERTED AND BAPTISED IN ROCKY CREEK IN 1854 V THE PRESENT BUILDING WAS ERECTED IN 1872

Washington County



1936 photo

RUTERSVILLE COLLEGE

FIRST INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCA-TION IN TEXAS RECOMMENDED IN 1837 BY MARTIN RUTER, D. D. V CHARTERED AS A METHODIST SCHOOL IN 1840 V GRANTED FOUR LEAGUES OF LAND BY THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS V AFTER EDU-CATING MORE THAN 800 STUDENTS IT MERGED IN 1856 INTO THE TEXAS MONUMENT AND MILITARY INSTITUTE

Fayette County







SITE OF

MCKENZIE COLLEGE

AN OUTSTANDING SCHOOL OF THE SOUTHWEST BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR ESTABLISHED IN 1841 BY THE REVEREND JOHN W. P. MCKENZIE (1806-1877), PIONEER MISSIONARY TO THE CHOCTAWS, CIRCUIT RIDER IN TEXAS IN 1838 OPENED IN A LOG CABIN, IT EXPANDED TO FOUR LARGE BUILDINGS ON 900 ACRES CHARTERED JANUARY 10, 1854 ENROLLED 300 BOARDING PUPILS ANNUALLY CLOSED IN 1869

Red River County

SITE OF

WESLEYAN COLLEGE

ESTABLISHED IN 1842 VINCORPORATED JANUARY 16, 1844 BY THE METHODIST CHURCH VINAMED FOR JOHN WESLEY (1703-1791), THE FOUNDER OF METH-ODISM VIA SUCCESSFUL SCHOOL FOR A BRIEF PERIOD VITH THE UNIVERSITY OF SAN AUGUSTINE IN 1847 TO FORM THE UNIVERSITY OF EAST TEXAS, WHICH SHORTLY EXPIRED

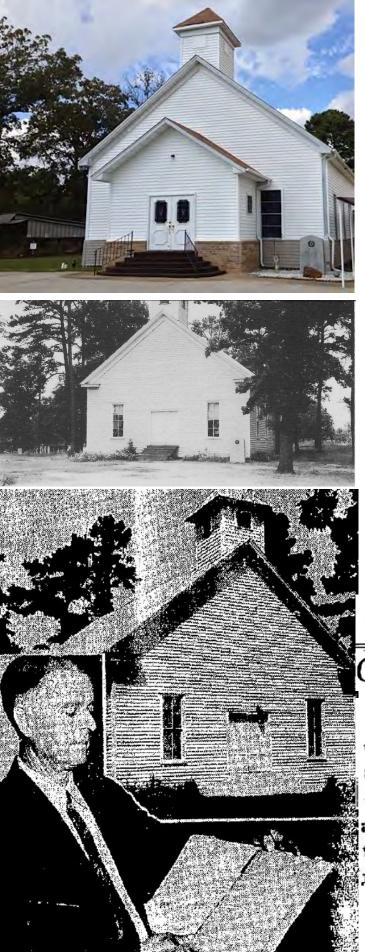
San Augustine County

SITE OF MARSHALL UNIVERSITY

A PIONEER INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCA-TION. INCORPORATED JANUARY 19, 1842. GRANTED FOUR LEAGUES OF LAND FOR ITS SUPPORT BY THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS. THE LEADING EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTION IN NORTH-EAST TEXAS UNTIL THE CIVIL WAR. IT LATER BECAME A PART OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM OF MARSHALL.

Harrison County





CHURCH BETHEL

ORGANIZED ON SATURDAY BEFORE THE 4TH LORD'S DAY IN SEPTEMBER, 1843 BY

REV. ISAAC REED

A PIONEER BAPTIST MINISTER IN HIS HOME TWO MILES NORTHWEST MOVED TO THIS SPOT IN 1874

THE ORIGINAL MINUTES OF ORGANIZATION ARE IN THE POSSESSION OF THIS CHURCH

Panola County

1936

Sept. 12, 1940 THE PANOLA WATCHMAN, Carthage, Texas

Old Bethel Church at Clayton

The building is the old Bethel Church at Clayton, Panola County, said to be the second oldest Baptist church in Texas. W. H. Latham, church clerk for the last seventeen years, displays the original minutes of the organization.





THIS HOUSE WAS BUILT

IN 1838 AS A RESIDENCE FOR COLONEL JOHN H. MOORE AND HIS WIFE ELIZA CUMMINS MOORE COLONEL MOORE, A NOTED INDIAN FIGHTER COMMANDED THE TEXIANS AT GONZALES, OCTOBER 2, 1835 WHEN THE FIRST SHOT OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION WAS FIRED

Fayette County



SITE OF THE HOME 1837-1851, OF GAIL BORDEN, JR.

PIONEER SURVEYOR, NEWSPAPER EDITOR AND INVENTOR OF A PROCESS FOR CON-DENSING MILK, WHICH HE DISCOVERED WHILE LIVING HERE IN 1840 * BORN NOVEMBER 9, 1801 * DIED SEPTEMBER 2, 1874

Galveston County









SITE OF THE HOME OF THOMAS HENRY BORDEN

ONE OF THE "OLD THREE HUNDRED" OF AUSTIN'S COLONIES SURVEYED THE TOWN OF GALVESTON EDITOR AND ONE OF THE FOUNDERS IN 1835 OF THE TELEGRAPH AND TEXAS REGISTER BORN IN NORWICH, NEW YORK JANUARY 28, 1804 DIED IN GALVESTON, TEXAS MARCH 17, 1877

Galveston County

SITE OF THE HOME FROM 1840 TO 1856 OF

JAMES PINCKNEY HENDERSON

FIRST GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, 1846-1847 • BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA, MARCH 31, 1808 • DIED IN WASHINGTON, D. C., JUNE 4, 1858 WHILE SERVING AS SENATOR FROM TEXAS • HIS REMAINS WERE REMOVED TO THE STATE CEMETERY AT AUSTIN IN 1930

San Augustine County

SITE OF THE HOME OF THOMAS J. RUSK 1803 • • 1857

SOLDIER-STATESMAN OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS * A HERO OF SAN JACINTO * COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE ARMY 1836 * CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT, 1839 * PRESIDENT OF THE CON-STITUTIONAL CONVENTION, 1845 * UNITED STATES SENATOR, 1846 * * HE CALLED NACOGDOCHES HIS HOME FROM 1835 TO 1857

Nacogdoches County

SITE OF OLD RANCHO DAVIS HOME OF HENRY CLAY DAVIS A KENTUCKIAN

CAME TO TEXAS IN 1839 * SERVED WITH TAYLOR'S ARMY IN 1846 * MARRIED INTO THE GARZA FAMILY, PIONEER SETTLERS AND LARGE LANDOWNERS IN THE REGION * AROUND HIS HOME RIO GRANDE CITY GREW UP * STEAMBOATS FROM BROWNSVILLE MADE THE TOWN A TRADING CENTER * * RINGGOLD BARRACKS WAS ESTABLISHED NEARBY IN 1848 * * RIO GRANDE CITY, THE COUNTY SEAT

Starr County









SITE OF THE OFFICIAL RESIDENCE OF MIRABEAU B. LAMAR

1798-1859 PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1838-1841 THE BUILDING WAS CONSTRUCTED IN 1840 AND DESTROYED BY FIRE IN MARCH, 1847 SINCE 1882 THE SITE HAS BEEN OCCUPIED BY SAINT MARY'S ACADEMY

THE SCHOOL WAS RAZED AND THE HILL WAS LEVELED IN 1954.

Fort Bend County

HARDSCRAMBLE

HOME OF HENRY AND BEN MCCULLOCH, 1841-1853 OF NATHANIEL BENTON, 1858 OF ELIJAH V. DALE, 1871 FAMOUS TEXAS RANGERS AND VETERANS ALL OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION BRAVERY, SKILL AND COURAGE, WERE COMMON ATTRIBUTES OF MEN WHO DARED THE WILDERNESS OF TEXAS, BUT NO PATRIOTS OF TEXAS EVER OFFERED GREATER SERVICE THAN DID THE MCCULLOCHS, BENTON AND DALE

Guadalupe County

SITE OF THE HOME OF GENERAL SIDNEY SHERMAN 1805 • • 1873

COMMANDER OF THE LEFT WING OF THE ARMY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO V MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS, 1842-1843 V V BUILDER OF THE FIRST TEXAS RAILROAD V V THIS HOUSE WAS BURNED IN 1853

Harris County

SITE OF THE PLANTATION HOME OF EDWARD H. TARRANT (1796-1858)

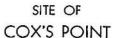
VETERAN OF THE WAR OF 1812 PIONEER INDIAN FIGHTER COMMANDER OF TEXAS FRONTIER TROOPS STATESMAN OF VISION THE HOUSE WAS BUILT IN 1845 NEAR BY HE BUILT THE FIRST MILL IN ELLIS COUNTY HERE HE RESIDED UNTIL HIS DEATH, AUGUST 2, 1858

Ellis County

Towns of Texas 1836 - 1845

ALAKANIA



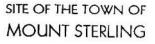


AN EARLY LANDING PLACE OF SUPPLIES FOR THE INTERIOR

CAPTAIN JACK SHACKELFORD'S "RED ROVERS" OF ALABAMA DISEMBARKED AT THIS POINT

A TOWN ESTABLISHED HERE IN 1836 WAS BURNED BY INDIANS IN 1840

Calhoun County



ESTABLISHED BY JOHN DURST IN 1837 • NEAR THE RUINS OF THE MISSION LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION DE MARIA HE BUILT A SAW AND GRIST MILL; IN THE TOWN, A LARGE WAREHOUSE • FROM HIS HOUSE HE COULD SEE THE BOATS MOORED TO THE WHARVES ON THE ANGELINA • THE CORDOVA REBELLION IN 1838 SEALED THE DOOM OF THE TOWN • DURST MOVED TO LEON COUNTY

Nacogdoches County



FRELSBURG

FIRST GERMAN SETTLEMENT IN COLORADO COUNTY V FOUNDED IN 1837 BY WILLIAM FRELS WHO IMMIGRATED TO TEXAS IN 1834 AND FOUGHT FOR INDEPENDENCE, 1835-1836 V PROPOSED SITE OF HERMANN UNIVERSITY, FIRST INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING SPONSORED BY GERMANS V CHARTERED BY THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS IN 1844, BUT NEVER ESTABLISHED

Colorado County







TOWN OF MONTGOMERY

FOUNDED IN JULY, 1837 BY W. W. SHEPHERD INCORPORATED IN 1848 MONTGOMERY COUNTY WAS CREATED DECEMBER 14, 1837 JAMES MITCHELL, PLEASANT GRAY, WILLIAM ROBINSON, ELIJAH COLLARD CHARLES BARNETT, JOSEPH L. BENNET DR. B. GOODRICH, D. D. DUNHAM AND HENRY FANTHORP, COMMISSIONERS, SELECTED MONTGOMERY AS THE COUNTY SEAT AND IT REMAINED AS SUCH UNTIL 1889

> IMPORTANT TRADE CENTER BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR

Montgomery County

CITY OF CLARKSVILLE

INCORPORATED DECEMBER 29, 1837

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES CLARK WHO SETTLED NEAR HERE IN 1834

Red River County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

86 BLOCKS AND 2 PUBLIC SQUARES WERE LAID OUT HERE IN 1838 WITH JAMES MORGAN, ARTHUR GARNER AND THOMAS BRADLEY AS PROPRIETORS * NAMED IN HONOR OF SAMUEL SWARTWOUT (1783-1856), NEW YORK SPECULATOR AND POLITICIAN WHO ADVANCED FUNDS IN 1836 TO THE TEXAS GOVERNMENT * IMPORTANT STEAMBOAT LANDING BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR * FERRY CROSSING UNTIL 1930

Polk County









SITE OF

CINCINNATI

IMPORTANT SHIPPING POINT IN TRINITY RIVER NAVIGATION V FOUNDED IN 1838 BY JAMES C. DE WITT V ABANDONED AFTER YELLOW FEVER SCOURGE IN 1853

Walker County

HALLETTSVILLE

FOUNDED 1838

COUNTY SEAT, LAVACA COUNTY SINCE 1852

NAMED FOR MRS. MARGARET HALLETT, --WIDOW OF JOHN HALLETT---A MEMBER OF AUSTIN'S COLONY AND A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO, WHO DONATED THE TOWN SITE

Lavaca County

SABINETOWN

ESTABLISHED BY HERMAN FRAZIER IN 1839 • NAMED FOR THE RIVER ON WHICH IT IS LOCATED • A PORT OF ENTRY DURING THE PERIOD OF THE REPUBLIC • AMONG ITS EARLY CITIZENS WERE DAVID S. KAUFMAN, AUGUSTUS HOTCHESS AND SHAD-ERICK MORRIS • • NEAR BY LIVED JESSE J. ROBERTSON AND E. H. HINES • POST OFFICE DISCONTINUED BY 1880

Sabine County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

BELGRADE

ESTABLISHED IN 1839 V A THRIVING SETTLEMENT BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR

Newton County









SITE OF THE TOWN OF

ALABAMA

IMPORTANT SHIPPING POINT BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR • • HERE WAS ESTABLISHED TRINITY COLLEGE, THE FIRST INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN HOUSTON COUNTY • ITS CHARTER WAS GRANTED ON JANUARY 30, 1841 BY THE CON-GRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS •

Houston County

SITE OF

LAFAYETTE

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF LAMAR COUNTY • A CLAPBOARD COURTHOUSE WAS BUILT BY JOHN LOVEJOY ON 40 ACRES DONATED BY JOHN WATSON • HERE COURT WAS HELD JUNE, 1841, TO JUNE, 1843 • JOHN A. RUTHERFORD, CHIEF JUSTICE, JOHN R. CRADDOCK COUNTY CLERK

Lamar County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

BOONVILLE

ESTABLISHED IN 1841 AS THE COUNTY SEAT OF NAVASOTA COUNTY BY JOHN MILLICAN, JOHN H. JONES, J. FERGUSON, E. SEALE, AND MORDECAI BOON WHOSE NAME IT BEARS * THE NAME OF THE COUNTY WAS CHANGED TO BRAZOS IN 1842 * BOONVILLE FLOURISHED UNTIL 1866 WHEN BRYAN WAS ESTABLISHED ON THE RAILROAD

Brazos County

BRYANT STATION

PIONEER VILLAGE OF MILAM COUNTY ESTABLISHED AS AN INDIAN TRADING POST BY MAJOR BENJAMIN F. BRYANT, FRONTIERSMAN WHO HAD COMMANDED A COMPANY IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO. APPOINTED INDIAN AGENT IN 1842 BY SAM HOUSTON PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

> LITTLE RIVER CROSSING ON TRAIL AND STAGE ROUTES.

U .S. POST OFFICE, 1848-1874

Milam County









CEDAR SPRINGS EARLIEST KNOWN HISTORIC SITE IN DALLAS COUNTY

VISITED IN 1840 BY COLONEL W.M. G. COOKE'S PRELIMINARY EXPLORATION FOR A ROUTE BETWEEN AUSTIN AND RED RIVER. A COMMUNITY ALSO CALLED CEDAR SPRINGS, ESTABLISHED IN THIS VICINITY IN 1843 BY DR. JOHN COLE, RIVALLED DALLAS IN AN ELECTION IN 1848 FOR COUNTY SEAT. IN 1929, THE LAND WAS ANNEXED TO DALLAS.

Dallas County

CHAMBERS' CREEK

NAMED IN HONOR OF THOMAS JEFFERSON CHAMBERS (1802-1865) TO WHOM THE FIRST LAND GRANT WITHIN PRESENT ELLIS COUNTY WAS MADE IN 1834 BY THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT ALSO KNOWN AS HOWE'S SETTLEMENT IN HONOR OF WILLIAM R. HOWE, FIRST SETTLER IN THE REGION IN 1843 AN EARLY POST OFFICE IN ROBERTSON COUNTY FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF NAVARRO COUNTY, 1846-1848

Ellis County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

GRAND CANE

HERE GENERAL SAM HOUSTON BUILT A HOME IN 1843 AND IN IT RESIDED UNTIL 1845 A POST OFFICE WAS ESTABLISHED MAY 22, 1846 WITH VERNON B. LEA AS POSTMASTER IT WAS DISCONTINUED OCTOBER 25, 1868 AND RE-ESTABLISHED APRIL 26, 1869 THE NAME OF THE TOWN WAS CHANGED TO IRONWOOD AUGUST 26, 1869 THE POST OFFICE WAS DISCONTINUED MARCH 15, 1900

Liberty County

HERE ON 100 ACRES DONATED BY MATHIAS CLICK WAS THE SECOND COUNTY SEAT OF LAMAR COUNTY

MOUNT VERNON

WHERE COURT WAS HELD JUNE, 1843, TO APRIL, 1844 WHEN PARIS WAS MADE THE COUNTY SEAT V JOHN A. RUTHERFORD, CHIEF JUSTICE V JOHN R. CRADDOCK, COUNTY CLERK

Lamar County









TOWN OF

QUIHI SURVEYED IN OCTOBER, 1844 BY

HENRI CASTRO 1786 V V 1861 DISTINGUISHED PIONEER AND COLONIZER OF TEXAS

ESTABLISHED IN MARCH, 1845 BY TEN FAMILIES IN CHARGE OF LOUIS HUTH, AGENT FOR CASTRO

MANY SETTLERS WERE KILLED BY INDIANS BEFORE 1860

Medina County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF INDIANOLA 1844-1886

FIRST CALLED BY GERMAN IMMIGRANTS KARLSHAVEN AN IMPORTANT PORT OF TEXAS CARGOES OF SHIPS WERE HAULED TO AND FROM POINTS IN TEXAS AND MEXICO BY CARTS UNTIL 1860 WHEN THE SAN ANTONIO AND MEXICAN GULF RAILROAD AND THE INDIANOLA RAILROAD WERE COMPLETED TO VICTORIA.

THE TOWN WAS PARTLY DESTROYED WITH GREAT LOSS OF LIFE BY A HURRICANE, SEPTEMBER 17, 1875. IT WAS REBUILT BUT COMPLETELY DESTROYED BY ANOTHER HURRICANE, AUGUST 20, 1886.

Calhoun County

CITY OF BRENHAM

ESTABLISHED IN 1844

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DR. RICHARD FOX BRENHAM 1810-1843 SURGEON IN THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS MEMBER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION KILLED AT SALADO, MEXICO FEBRUARY 11, 1843

Washington County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

FIRST KNOWN AS DUFF'S SETTLEMENT IN HONOR OF JAMES C. DUFF TO WHOM THE LAND WAS GRANTED IN 1841 SETTLED BY GERMANS AFTER 1845 AND RENAMED IN HONOR OF THE GERMAN CITY OF ULM

Austin County

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA 1845 - 1861 1865- 1936



In the Esplanade at the Dallas Exposition, represented by Liberty eagle and crest on her breast.

Forts and Camps 1846-1878









FORT BROWN

OLDEST PERMANENT FORT IN TEXAS CALLED FORT TAYLOR IN MARCH, 1846 LATER RENAMED IN HONOR OF MAJOR JACOB BROWN KILLED HERE IN MAY, 1846 PERMANENT POST ESTABLISHED, 1849 EVACUATED BY FEDERAL TROOPS IN 1861, BY CONFEDERATES, 1863 REOCCUPIED BY UNITED STATES TROOPS FROM 1865 TO 1906 AGAIN REOCCUPIED BY UNITED STATES TROOPS IN 1913

(Cameron County)

SITE OF

FORT SMITH

ONE OF THE CHAIN OF FORTIFICATIONS EXTENDING FROM THE COLORADO TO RED RIVER ESTABLISHED IN ABOUT 1846 AS A PROTECTION AGAINST INDIANS NAMED FOR MAJOR THOMAS 1. SMITH

(Hill County)

SITE OF

FORT INGE

ESTABLISHED BY CAPTAIN SIDNEY BURBANK, FIRST U. S. INFANTRY, ON MARCH 13, 1849 * NAMED IN HONOR OF LIEUTENANT ZEBULON M. P. INGE, WHO FELL AT RESACA DE LA PALMA MAY 9, 1846 * PROTECTED THE SOUTHERN OVERLAND MAIL ROUTE FROM INDIAN RAIDS * FEDERAL TROOPS, WITHDRAWN IN 1861, RE-OCCUPIED THE POST FROM 1866 TO FEBRUARY 28, 1869 * LATER A TEXAS RANGER CAMP

(Uvalde County)

SITE OF FORT MARTIN SCOTT

ESTABLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY DECEMBER 5, 1848 AS A PROTECTION TO TRAVELERS AND SETTLERS AGAINST INDIAN ATTACK NAMED IN HONOR OF MAJOR MARTIN SCOTT, BREVET LIEUTENANT COLONEL, 5TH UNITED STATES INFANTRY, KILLED AT MOLINO DEL REY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1847 ITS GARRISON PARTICIPATED IN MANY INDIAN SKIRMISHES OCCUPIED INTERMITTENTLY AFTER 1852 HELD BY THE CONFEDERATES, 1861-1865 PERMANENTLY ABANDONED IN DECEMBER, 1866

(Gillespie County)









HOME OF BEN LEATON

FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN FARMER IN PRESIDIO COUNTY IN AUGUST 1848, MR. LEATON ACQUIRED THE BUILDING AND IT HAS SINCE BEEN KNOWN AS FORT LEATON (Presidio County)

FORT RINGGOLD

ESTABLISHED OCTOBER 26, 1848, AT DAVIS LANDING BY CAPT. J. H. LA MOTTE, 1ST U.S INFANTRY, AS RINGGOLD BARRACKS * * NAMED IN HONOR OF BREVET MAJOR DAVID RINGGOLD, 4TH U. S. ARTILLERY, WHO DIED OF WOUNDS RECEIVED AT PALO ALTO, MAY 8, 1846 * TROOPS WERE WITHDRAWN MARCH 3, 1859 * REOCCUPIED DECEMBER 29, 1859 * ADANDONED IN 1861 * REOCCUPIED BY U. S. TROOPS IN JUNE 1865 * GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE PASSED A FEW DAYS HERE IN 1856 AND IN 1860

(Starr County)

SITE OF FORT GATES

FIRST SETTLEMENT IN CORYELL COUNTY . ESTABLISHED BY BREVET COLONEL W. R. MONTGOMERY, 8TH U. S. INFANTRY OCTOBER 26, 1849, ON THE MILITARY POST ROAD BETWEEN AUSTIN AND FORT GRAHAM AS A PROTECTION OF THE FRONTIER AGAINST HOSTILE INDIANS . NAMED IN HONOR OF COLLIN-SON R. GATES, GALLANT OFFICER IN THE MEXICAN WAR . ABANDONED IN MARCH, 1852, AS THE FRONTIER LINE HAD ADVANCED FURTHER WESTWARD . USED AS A PLACE OF DEFENSE BY SETTLERS DURING INDIAN RAIDS . FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF CORYELL COUNTY, FEBRUARY 4 - MAY 27, 1854 WHEN GATESVILLE WAS ESTABLISHED

(Coryell County)

SITE OF THE FIRST FORT BLISS

ESTABLISHED SEPTEMBER 14, 1849 BY BREVET MAJOR JEFFERSON VAN HORNE WITH 4 COMPANIES OF THE THIRD UNITED STATES INFANTRY AND KNOWN AS POST EL PASO VACATED IN 1851 V RE-GARRISONED IN 1854 AND NAMED FORT BLISS IN HONOR OF BREVET MAJOR WILLIAM WALLACE SMITH BLISS V ABANDONED IN 1868 DUE TO EN-CROACHMENT OF THE RIO GRANDE

(El Paso County)









FORT DUNCAN

ESTABLISHED BY CAPTAIN S. BURBANK, FIRST U. S. INFANTRY, MARCH 27, 1849 AS A PROTECTION TO WESTERN COMMUNICATION • • GARRISONED BY FEDERAL TROOPS UNTIL MARCH 20, 1861 AND SINCE 1868 • NOW KNOWN AS CAMP EAGLE PASS

(Maverick County)

SITE OF

FORT LINCOLN

ESTABLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY JULY 7, 1849 AS A LINK IN A CHAIN OF POSTS EXTENDING FROM THE RIO GRANDE TO RED RIVER

NAMED IN HONOR OF CAPTAIN GEORGE LINCOLN WHO FELL AT BUENA VISTA FEBRUARY 23, 1847

ABANDONED JULY 20, 1852 AFTER THE FRONTIER LINE HAD ADVANCED FURTHER WESTWARD

(Medina County)

SITE OF

FORT MERRILL

ESTABLISHED BY CAPTAIN S. M. PLUMMER FIRST U. S. INFANTRY, FEBRUARY 26, 1850 AS A PROTECTION TO SETTLERS AGAINST INDIANS * NAMED IN HONOR OF CAPTAIN HAMILTON W. MERRILL, BREVET MAJOR, SECOND DRAGOONS, GALLANT OFFICER IN THE MEXICAN WAR * PERMANENTLY ABANDONED DECEMBER 1, 1855

(Live Oak County)

PAST THIS POINT EXTENDED IN 1851

A MILITARY ROAD CONNECTING FORT BELKNAP AND

FORT WORTH V OVER IT PASSED TROOPS, TRAVELERS, AND SUPPLIES FOR THE FRONTIER POSTS

(Young County)









PAST THIS POINT EXTENDED A

MILITARY ROAD

SURVEYED IN 1849 BY COLONEL J. E. JOHNSON WHO WAS DETAILED BY THE U. S. WAR DEPARTMENT TO LOCATE THE MOST FEASIBLE ROUTE FROM RED RIVER TO EL PASO * FROM 1851 TO 1854 IT CONNECTED TWO FRONTIER FORTS, BELKNAP AND PHANTOM HILL, 73 MILES APART * TRAVELED 1858 TO 1861 BY STAGES OF THE BUTTERFIELD LINE WHICH CON-NECTED ST. LOUIS AND SAN FRANCISCO

(Young County)

PAST THIS POINT EXTENDED A

MILITARY ROAD

CONNECTING FORT BELKNAP AND SAN ANTONIO V BLAZED IN 1851 BY LIEUTENANT FRANCIS T. BRYAN OF THE U. S. ARMY V TRAVELED BY TROOPS, SUPPLY TRAINS AND FRONTIER SETTLERS

(Young County)

FORT EWELL

ESTABLISHED HERE IN 1852, GUARDED NOT ONLY THE FRONTIER BUT THE MAIN SAN ANTONIO AND LAREDO ROAD, WHICH CROSSED THE NUECES RIVER AT THIS POINT, THE HUAJUCO CROSSING * THE FORT WAS ABANDONED IN 1854, BUT WHEN LA SALLE COUNTY WAS ORGANIZED IN 1880 FORT EWELL WAS ITS CHIEF SETTLEMENT * NEAR THIS SITE STOOD THE FIRST COURT HOUSE, A WOODEN BUILDING, LATER MOVED TO LA MOTA RANCH * O. HENRY CAME TO FORT EWELL FOR HIS MAIL

(LaSalle County)

SITE OF

FORT MCKAVETT

ESTABLISHED MARCH 14, 1852 BY THE UNITED STATES WAR DEPARTMENT AS A PROTECTION TO FRONTIER SETTLERS AGAINST HOSTILE INDIANS V NAMED IN HONOR OF CAPTAIN HENRY MCKAVETT, WHO FELL AT THE BATTLE OF MONTERREY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1846 V EVACUATED BY FEDERAL TROOPS, MARCH 22, 1859 V REOCCUPIED APRIL 1, 1868 ABANDONED JUNE 30, 1883

(Menard County)









SITE OF FORT TERRETT

ESTABLISHED FEBRUARY 5, 1852 BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY AS A PROTECTION TO FRONTIER SETTLERS V NAMED IN HONOR OF LIEUTENANT JOHN C. TERRETT WHO FELL AT MONTERREY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1846 V ABANDONED FEBRUARY 26, 1854

(Kimble County)

SITE OF CAMP ELIZABETH THOUGHT TO HAVE BEEN ESTABLISHED 1853 USED AS AN OUTPOST HOSPITAL OF FORT CONCHO 1874-1886

(Sterling County)

BLACK'S FORT

BUILT AS A DEFENSE AGAINST THE INDIANS IN 1851 BY

WILLIAM BLACK

1815 • • 1907

ON LAND OWNED BY HIM

IN THE STOCKADE, CONSTRUCTED OF CEDAR LOGS, SENTRIES WERE KEPT ON GUARD ON MOONLIGHT NIGHTS T GUNS AND AMMUNITION FOR PUBLIC USE WERE KEPT HERE TABANDONED IN 1868

(Burnet County)

RUINS OF

FORT LANCASTER

ESTABLISHED IN 1855 BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT AS A PROTECTION TO TRAVELERS AND MAIL ON THE OVERLAND ROUTE FROM SAN ANTONIO TO SAN DIEGO * ABANDONED IN 1861 * REOCCUPIED IN 1868 FOR A SHORT TIME

(Crockett County)









SITE OF CAMP VERDE

ESTABLISHED AS A FRONTIER POST BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY, JULY 8, 1855 HEADQUARTERS IN 1856 FOR 40 CAMELS, SENT BY SECRETARY OF WAR JEFFERSON DAVIS, TO BE USED IN A SYSTEM OF OVERLAND COMMUNICATION WITH THE WEST, WHICH PROVED IMPRACTICABLE SURRENDERED TO THE CONFEDERATE GOVERNMENT IN 1861 REOCCUPIED IN 1865 BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY ABANDONED APRIL 1, 1869

(Kerr County)

RUINS OF

CAMP COLORADO

ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED ON THE COLORADO RIVER BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY AS A PROTECTION FOR THE FRONTIER AGAINST HOSTILE INDIANS

MOVED IN AUGUST, 1856, TO THIS SITE

ABANDONED BY FEDERAL TROOPS FEBRUARY 26, 1861

THE SITE BECAME THE PROPERTY IN 1870 OF HENRY SACKETT (1851 * * * 1928), WHO BUILT HIS HOME HERE IN 1879

FROM HERE HE, WITH MALTBY'S RANGERS, IN 1874, PURSUED THE BANDS OF BIG FOOT AND JAPE, COMANCHE CHIEFS, AND DEFEATED THEM

(Coleman County)

SITE OF

CAMP COOPER

ESTABLISHED BY MAJOR W. J. HARDEE, 2ND U. S. CAVALRY, ON JANUARY 3, 1856 FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFENDING THE FRONTIER AGAINST THE COMANCHE INDIANS * NAMED IN HONOR OF SAMUEL COOPER, ADJUTANT GENERAL, U. S. ARMY * HOME OF GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE FOR NINETEEN MONTHS, 1856-1857 * FROM THIS POST THE CIMARRON EXPEDITION SET OUT, OCTOBER 1, 1859 * ABANDONED FEBRUARY 21, 1861

(Throckmorton County)

SITE OF

CAMP SABINAL

ESTABLISHED JULY 12, 1856 BY CAPTAIN ALBERT G. BRACKETT, SECOND U. S. CAVALRY, AS A PROTECTION TO THE SAN ANTONIO - EL PASO ROAD AND FRONTIER SETTLERS V OCCUPIED BY FEDERAL TROOPS UNTIL NOVEMBER, 1856 V LATER SERVED AS A RANGER CAMP

(Uvalde County)







SITE OF

CAMP WOOD

ESTABLISHED MAY 20, 1857, AS A MEANS OF PREVENTING INDIAN RAIDS ON THE SAN ANTONIO-EL PASO ROUTE AND THE RIO GRANDE VALLEY V ABANDONED MARCH 15, 1861, WHEN FEDERAL TROOPS WERE WITHDRAWN FROM TEXAS

(Real County)

SITE OF

CAMP HUDSON

ESTABLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY, JUNE 7, 1857, AS A MEANS OF PROTECTING THE ROAD FROM SAN ANTONIO TO EL PASO AGAINST HOSTILE INDIANS V NAMED IN HONOR OF 2ND LIEUTENANT WALTER W. HUDSON WHO DIED APRIL 19, 1850, OF WOUNDS RECEIVED IN ACTION WITH INDIANS IN TEXAS V EVACUATED BY FEDERAL TROOPS MARCH 17, 1861 BUT REOCCUPIED AFTER THE CIVIL WAR V ABANDONED IN APRIL 1868

(Val Verde County)

SITE OF

FORT STOCKTON

ESTABLISHED ON THE COMANCHE TRAIL MARCH 23, 1859, AS A PROTECTION TO THE SAN ANTONIO - SAN DIEGO MAIL ROUTE * NAMED IN HONOR OF COMMODORE ROBERT FIELD STOCKTON, 1795 - 1866, WHO CAPTURED CALIFORNIA FOR THE UNITED STATES * A STAGE STAND ON THE SAN DIEGO LINE, 1858-1861 * EVACU-ATED BY FEDERAL TROOPS DURING THE CIVIL WAR * REOCCUPIED JULY, 1867 * PER-MANENTLY ABANDONED JUNE 30, 1886

(Pecos County)



SITE OF

CAMP VAN CAMP

ESTABLISHED APRIL 30, 1859 BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY • • NAMED IN HONOR OF CORNELIUS VAN CAMP, 2ND LIEUTENANT, SECOND U. S. CAVALRY, KILLED IN ACTION AT THE WICHITA VILLAGE, OCTOBER 1, 1858 • ABANDONED AUGUST 28, 1859

(Young County)



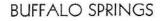
SITE OF

CAMP SAN SABA

HERE WAS STATIONED, 1862-1864, CAPTAIN W. G. O'BRIEN'S COMPANY OF MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS A UNIT OF THE FRONTIER REGIMENT ORGANIZED TO PROTECT THE FRONTIER AGAINST INDIANS THE REGI-MENT IN 1864 BECAME THE FORTY-SIXTH TEXAS CAVALRY IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

(McCulloch County)





A LANDMARK AS EARLY AS 1849 VA-TERING PLACE FOR BUFFALO HUNTERS V SITE OF A PROPOSED PERMANENT UNITED STATES ARMY POST, JULY, 1867 VABAN-DONED DUE TO LACK OF WATER AND TIMBER, NOVEMBER 19, 1867, AND FORT RICHARDSON ON LOST CREEK WAS ESTABLISHED INSTEAD, NOVEMBER 26, 1867 VSERVED AS A STAGE STAND AND CAMP GROUND BETWEEN THAT POST AND FORT SILL VSENE OF BATTLE, JULY 12, 1874, BETWEEN INDIANS AND GEORGE W, STEVENS, CAPTAIN OF TEXAS RANGERS

(Clay County)

SITE OF ANDERSON'S FORT OR SOLDIER'S MOUND

HERE BEHIND EXTENSIVE BREASTWORKS MAJOR THOMAS M. ANDERSON, TENTH U. S. INFANTRY, MAINTAINED A SUPPLY CAMP FOR THE CAVALRY UNDER GENERAL RANALD S. MACKENZIE, FOURTH U. S. CAVALRY, WHO IN 1874-1875 FORCED THE INDIANS OF THE REGION ONTO RESER-VATIONS AND OPENED THE PLAINS TO WHITE SETTLEMENT

(Dickens County)





GRIERSON SPRING

ESTABLISHED AS AN OUTPOST TO FORT CONCHO, APRIL 30TH, 1878 * STAGE STAND ON THE FT. CONCHO TO FT. STOCKTON ROUTE, 1875-1882 * NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL BENJAMIN H. GRIERSON WHO COMMANDED THE FEDERAL TROOPS IN THE REGION, APRIL 23, 1875, TO JULY 20TH, 1882 * ABANDONED AS A MILITARY POST IN 1882

(Reagan County)

Churches and Schools USA 1845 - 1873

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SITE OF BASTROP MILITARY INSTITUTE

A METHODIST INSTITUTION * CHAR-TERED JANUARY 24, 1852 AS BASTROP ACADEMY * * RECHARTERED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SOUTH IN 1853 * IN 1856 BECAME THE BASTROP MILITARY INSTITUTE

Bastrop County





SITE OF CHAPPEL HILL COLLEGE

ESTABLISHED IN 1852 BY THE METHODIST CHURCH AS CHAPPEL HILL MALE AND FEMALE INSTITUTE * * AFTER SOULE UNIVERSITY FOR BOYS WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1856, CHAPPEL HILL COLLEGE WAS A SCHOOL FOR GIRLS * EXISTED UNTIL 1912

Washington County

SITE OF

ANDREW FEMALE COLLEGE

ESTABLISHED AND CHARTERED IN 1853 AN INFLUENTIAL EARLY TEXAS COLLEGE FOR WOMEN FOUNDED BY THE METHODIST CHURCH NAMED FOR BISHOP JAMES OSGOOD ANDREW

> CLOSED AFTER ABOUT 26 YEARS OF SERVICE

> > Walker County









SITE OF OLD LARISSA COLLEGE

A PROMINENT SCHOOL BEFORE THE CIVIL WAR • • ESTABLISHED IN A LOG HUT IN 1848 • PLACED UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN 1855 • CHARTERED FEBRUARY 2, 1856 • WITH SPLENDID EQUIPMENT, LARISSA OF-FERED THE STRONGEST SCIENCE WORK OF THAT DAY IN TEXAS • CLOSED IN 1866 • DR. F. L. YOAKUM, PRESIDENT, 1855-1866

Washington County

SITE OF SOULE UNIVERSITY FOR BOYS

ESTABLISHED IN 1855 AND CHARTERED IN 1856 TO REPLACE RUTERSVILLE AND WESLEYAN COLLEGES • CLOSED DURING THE CIVIL WAR AND LATER BY YELLOW FEVER • SUCCEEDED IN 1875 BY SOUTH-WESTERN UNIVERSITY

Washington County

ON THIS SITE

STOOD THE MOSCOW MALE AND FEMALE ACADEMY V OPERATED AFTER 1857 UNDER MASONIC AUSPICES AS THE MOSCOW MASONIC ACADEMY UNTIL MERGED IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

Polk County

FAIRFIELD FEMALE COLLEGE

ERECTED IN 1858 BY THE FREESTONE SCHOOL ASSOCIATION • OPENED IN 1859 WITH DR. HENRY LEE GRAVES AS PRESIDENT • CHARTERED FEBRUARY 8, 1860

Freestone County





SITE OF STEELE'S ACADEMY

NAMED IN HONOR OF ITS FOUNDER AND PRINCIPAL

D. W. STEELE

OF NEW HAMPSHIRE ACADEMY

ATTENDED BY STUDENTS FROM MANY COUNTIES

Trinity County

SITE OF

WOODLAND COLLEGE FOR BOYS

ESTABLISHED IN 1863 ENROLLMENT MORE THAN 300 STUDENTS COLONEL L. R. WORTHAM DONATED TEN ACRES OF LAND FOR USE AS CAMPUS, CHURCH AND CEMETERY CHARTER TRUSTEES COL. L. R. WORTHAM, THOMAS LAMB DR. RUEBEN ANDERSON, OLIVER CARTER JOHN I. WINN, D. L. CARTER, NOLAND WOMACK, T. L. SESSIONS, G. A. SESSIONS

> PROF. HELLERY MOSELEY WAS ITS ONLY PRESIDENT

MATTIE, MARY AND THOMAS DIXON WERE ITS TEACHERS THE COLLEGE BECAME A GRADE SCHOOL AT THE CLOSE OF THE CIVIL WAR DISCONTINUED IN 1905 AND MOVED TO KIRVIN

Freestone County





HERE J. A. CLARK AND HIS TWO SONS, ADDISON AND RANDOLPH BEGAN A PRIVATE SCHOOL

CHARTERED IN 1873 UNDER THE NAME OF ADD-RAN CHRISTIAN COLLEGE * REMOVED TO WACO ON DECEMBER 25, 1895 * REESTABLISHED AT FORT WORTH IN 1909 AS TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

Hood County

Texas Homes and Homesites



HERE

MILTON FAVER

ESTABLISHED IN THE FIFTIES THE FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN OWNED RANCH IN THE BIG BEND THREE OUADRANGULAR ADOBE FORTRESSES SITUATED AT BIG SPRINGS CIBOLO, CIENAGA AND LA MORITA SERVED AS A DEFENSE AGAINST HOSTILE APACHES

Erected by the State of Te ca.







HOME OF THOMAS JEFFERSON CHAMBERS (1802-1865) SURVEYOR GENERAL OF TEXAS, 1829 SOLE SUPERIOR JUDGE OF TEXAS BEFORE 1836 ACTIVE IN THE CAUSE OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF SECESSION CONVENTION, 1861

CHAMBERSEA, LATER ANAHUAC, AND A TEXAS COUNTY WERE NAMED IN HIS HONOR

Chambers County



HOME BUILT IN 1845 BY GENERAL JEROME B. ROBERTSON (1815-1891)

A CAPTAIN IN THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1836 A CAPTAIN IN THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION 1842 REPRESENTATIVE AND SENATOR IN THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE BRIGADIER GENERAL OF HOOD'S BRIGADE C. S. A.

Washington County



SITE OF THE HOME OF CAPTAIN JOHN YORK

A MEMBER OF ONE OF AUSTIN'S RANGING COMPANIES AT SAN FELIPE IN 1829 T COMMANDED A COMPANY AT THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1835 T YORKTOWN, NAMED IN HIS HONOR, WAS LAID OUT IN 1848 ON HIS LAND T BORN JULY 4, 1800 T KILLED BY INDIANS, OCTOBER 11, 1848

DeWitt County



HOME OF FERDINAND LINDHEIMER 1801-1879

SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS REVOLUTION • FATHER OF TEXAS BOTANY • EDITOR OF THE NEU BRAUNFELSER ZEITUNG, 1852-1872 Comal County



BROWNSVILLE HOME OF CHARLES STILLMAN 1810 • • • 1875

FOUNDER OF BROWNSVILLE AND PARTNER IN FIRM OF M. KENEDY AND COMPANY WHICH OPENED THE RIO GRANDE TO STEAMBOAT NAVIGATION AND CON-TROLLED MUCH OF THE COMMERCE OF NORTHERN MEXICO, 1848 • 1868

THIS HOUSE, ERECTED ABOUT 1850, WAS THE BIRTHPLACE OF JAMES STJLLMAN PRESIDENT OF THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK, 1891 • • 1909

Cameron County





1936

IN THIS HOUSE JOHN NANCE GARNER

VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES SINCE 1933 WAS BORN NOVEMBER 22, 1869 * MEMBER TEXAS LEGISLATURE 1898-1902 * MEMBER OF UNITED STATES CONGRESS SINCE 1903 * SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE, 1931

Red River County



SITE OF THE HOME OF GEORGE THOMAS WOOD

COLONEL OF A REGIMENT IN THE MEX-ICAN WAR • SENATOR IN THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC • • GOVERNOR OF TEXAS, 1847-1849 • BORN IN GEORGIA MARCH 12, 1795 • • DIED IN TEXAS SEPTEMBER 5, 1858

San Jacinto County

(still wet from cleaning)



HERE MILTON FAVER

ESTABLISHED IN THE FIFTIES THE FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN OWNED RANCH IN THE BIG BEND THREE QUADRANGULAR ADOBE FORTRESSES SITUATED AT THE BIG SPRINGS CIBOLO, CIENAGA AND EL MORITA SERVED AS A DEFENSE AGAINST HOSTILE APACHES

Presidio County





WYALUCING HOME OF BEVERLY LAFAYETTE HOLCOMB

BUILT IN 1850. ONE OF FIRST BRICK HOUSES IN MARSHALL. HERE LUCY PETWAY HOLCOMB WAS MARRIED APRIL 24, 1858 TO FRANCIS WILKINSON PICKENS, MINISTER TO RUSSIA. PURCHASED FOR BISHOP COLLEGE IN 1880 BY ILLITERATE EX-SLAVES OF THIS COUNTY.

Harrison County

MOUNTAIN HOME

BIRTHPLACE OF JAMES STEPHEN HOGG SON OF LUCANDA MCMATH HOGG AND JOSEPH LEWIS HOGG V BORN MARCH 24, 1851 V DIED MARCH 3, 1906 V FIRST NATIVE TEXAN TO SERVE AS GOVERNOR V INSPIRER OF THE PASSAGE OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION LAW, STOCK AND BOND LAW, ALIEN LAND LAW

Cherokee County









SITE OF THE HOME OF MIRABEAU B. LAMAR 1798-1859

FATHER OF TEXAS EDUCATION V PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1838-1841 V HE LIVED HERE FROM 1851 TO 1859

Lamar County

LIENDO

A PLANTATION HOME **BUILT IN 1853** BY LEONARD W. GROCE THE SCENE FOR MANY YEARS OF LAVISH SOUTHERN HOSPITALITY PURCHASED MARCH 4, 1873 BY DR. EDMUND DUNCAN MONTGOMERY (1835-1911) WORLD-FAMED PHILOSOPHER AND HIS WIFE, ELISABET NEY (1833 - 1907)PIONEER SCULPTRESS OF TEXAS RETAINED AS THEIR HOMESTEAD THROUGHOUT THEIR LIVES BOTH ARE BURIED IN THE GROUNDS

Waller County

RUINS OF THE RANCH HOME OF MANUEL MUSQUIZ A PIONEER WHO SETTLED HERE IN 1854 ABANDONED DUE TO INDIAN RAIDS THE DESERTED BUILDINGS SERVED AS A RANGER STATION INTERMITTENTLY, 1880-1882 WHILE THE COUNTRY WAS BEING CLEARED OF INDIANS AND BANDITS

Jeff Davis County

HOME OF JOHN HOBLETT SEWARD 1822-1892

AND

LAURA JANE ROBERTS SEWARD 1838-1920

BUILT IN 1855 OF HAND-SAWED CEDAR

Washington County









THE DOUBLE LOG CABIN

AT HOLLAND'S LAKE * A MONUMENT TO THE PIONEERS OF PARKER COUNTY * THE EAST ROOM WITH BULLET SCARED WALLS SHOWS WHERE GEORGE M°CLESKEY WAS KILLED BY INDIANS IN 1873 * THE WEST ROOM WAS DAN WAGGONER'S HEADQUARTERS * RANCH HOUSE BUILT IN 1855 * ADOPTED MEETING PLACE FOR OLD SETTLERS REUNIONS

Parker County

HOME OF

JAMES MCGLOIN

BORN IN COUNTY SLIGO, IRELAND VITH JOHN MCMULLEN HE SECURED A CONTRACT TO SETTLE 200 FAMILIES AUGUST 17, 1828 VLANDED HIS COLONISTS AT EL COPANO, 1830 VIN 1834 LAID OUT THE TOWN OF SAN PATRICIO V HIS HOUSE ON THIS SITE WAS BUILT IN 1855 - DIED HERE, 1856

San Patricio County

SITE OF THE HOME IN 1855 OF

OLIVER LOVING (1812 • 1867)

FIRST TRAIL DRIVER OF TEXAS CATTLE + LOVING VALLEY AND A COUNTY IN TEXAS BEAR HIS NAME

Palo Pinto County

SITE OF THE HOME OF HENDERSON

YOAKUM

AND BIRTHPLACE OF HIS HISTORY OF TEXAS, PUBLISHED IN 1855, A STORY OF THE SACRIFICES, THE GLORY AND THE GREAT MEN OF TEXAS FROM THE FIRST SETTLEMENT TO ANNEXATION TO THE UNITED STATES IN 1845

Walker County









HERE STOOD THE HOME FROM 1856 TO 1862 OF JOHN SIMPSON CHISUM, CATTLE KING

> BORN, AUGUST 16, 1824 DIED, SEPTEMBER 22, 1884 AT PARIS, TEXAS.

> > Denton County

HOME 1856-1861 OF GEORGE WILKINS KENDALL (1809-1867)

A FOUNDER OF THE NEW ORLEANS PICAYUNE CORRESPONDENT ON THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841-1842 MEXICAN WAR CORRESPONDENT, 1846-1848

Comal County

HOME OF ORVILLE THOMAS TYLER

1810 • • • 1886

PIONEER TEXAN V COUNTY JUDGE MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE V PRESIDENT OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF SALADO COLLEGE

BUILT IN 1857

Bell County

SITE OF THE HOME OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON

CONSTRUCTED IN ABOUT 1860 OCCUPIED BY HIM AS A RESIDENCE DURING A PART OF 1861 AND A PART OF 1862

Chambers County





HOME OF WELLBORN BARTON

1821 • • • 1883

PIONEER PHYSICIAN OF THIS REGION + FOR MANY YEARS A TRUSTEE OF SALADO COL-LEGE BUILT, 1866 + (JOHN HENDRICKSON, CONTRACTOR)

OLD MILITARY ROAD AND CHISHOLM CATTLE TRAIL PASSED HERE

Bell County

SHANGHAI PIERCE RANCH

THE HOME OF A GREAT TRAIL DRIVER

ABEL H. PIERCE

BORN JUNE 29, 1834 DIED DECEMBER 26, 1900

FROM A PENNILESS COWBOY, HE ROSE THROUGH ENERGY AND SHREWDNESS TO THE RANK OF CATTLE KING

Wharton County

SITE OF

THE BEEF CANNING PLANT AND RESIDENCE, BUILT IN 1872, BY GAIL BORDEN 1801 • • 1874

PIONEER SURVEYOR, NEWSPAPER EDITOR AND INVENTOR OF THE PROCESS OF CONDENSING MILK, WHO OPERATED THIS PLANT UNTIL HIS DEATH V DEMOLISHED IN 1885 Colorado County



HOME OF GEORGE W. FULTON

BORN AT PHILADELPHIA, JUNE 8, 1810 SERVED IN THE TEXAN ARMY IN 1836 A PIONEER RESIDENT OF REFUGIO COUNTY

> AFTER AN ENGINEERING CAREER OF DISTINCTION ELSEWHERE HE RETURNED TO TEXAS AND BECAME A CATTLE BARON

> > DIED OCTOBER 31, 1893

THE TOWN OF FULTON BEARS HIS NAME

Aransas County





SOD HOUSE SPRINGS

INDIAN CAMP AND WATERING PLACE TOOK ITS NAME FROM FIRST SOD HOUSE BUILT IN 1876 BY GEORGE AND JOHN CAUSEY AND FRANK LLOYD, BUFFALO HUNTERS FIRST PERMANENT SETTLE-MENT IN THIS REGION IN 1882 A COW CAMP WAS ESTABLISHED AT THIS POINT BY ESTES BROTHERS WHO GRAZED CATTLE IN THE VICINITY UNTIL THE PROPERTY WAS ACQUIRED BY THE CAPITOL SYNDICATE

Lamb County

HOME OF WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN 1860 • • 1925

ONCE THE LANDS OF THE MISSION OF THE OBLATE FATHERS, THIS PROPERTY (160 ACRES) WAS OWNED BY BRYAN FROM 1910 TO 1916 • • WHILE RESIDING HERE HE WROTE MANY ARTICLES AND ENGAGED IN A MAGAZINE DEBATE WITH SENATOR ALBERT J. BEVERIDGE

Hidalgo County

Towns of Texas 1846 - 1889

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SITE OF THE FIRST COURT HOUSE OF NEWTON COUNTY COUNTY ORGANIZED IN 1846 SEAT OF JUSTICE NOT ESTABLISHED UNTIL TWO YEARS LATER BY PUBLIC SUBSCRIPTION A BUILDING WAS ERECTED HERE IN 1848 ON LAND DONATED BY JOHN R. BURKE FOR WHOM THE TOWN RECEIVED ITS NAME NEWTON BECAME THE COUNTY SEAT IN 1853

Newton County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

PULASKI

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF PANOLA COUNTY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1846-SEPTEMBER 12, 1848 VAMED IN HONOR OF PULASKI, MISSISSIPPI, EARLY HOME OF JOHN ALLISON, FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF PANOLA COUNTY VAFTER THE COUNTY SEAT WAS MOVED TO CARTHAGE, PULASKI DECLINED

Panola County

PETERSBURG

COUNTY SEAT LAVACA COUNTY 1846 V V 1852

FOUNDED UPON THE TOWN SITE DONATED BY

ARTHUR SHERILL

NAMED BY ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT AUGUST 31, 1846

FIRST OFFICERS, 1846 • • 1848 ANDREW PONTON, CHIEF JUSTICE B. STRIBLING, PROBATE JUDGE M. H. HINCH, SHERIFF JOSIAH DOWLING, COUNTY CLERK D. LAUGHLIN, DISTRICT CLERK GABRIEL ZUMWALT, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR PHILLIP HOWARD, TREASURER

Lavaca County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF NEWPORT

FOUNDED IN 1846 BY JOSEPH WERNER, A GERMAN EMIGRANT & ABANDONED WITH THE DECLINE OF TRINITY RIVER NAVIGATION

Walker County









CITY OF SHERMAN

SETTLED IN 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL SIDNEY SHERMAN 1805-1873 COMMANDER OF THE LEFT WING OF THE TEXAS ARMY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1842-1843

RAPID GROWTH AND PROSPERITY FOLLOWED ITS INCORPORATION MAY 12, 1873

Grayson County

SITE OF

ZODIAC

A MORMON SETTLEMENT V ESTABLISHED IN 1847 BY 150 MORMONS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF LYMAN WIGHT (1796-1858) V ABANDONED IN 1851 AFTER FLOODS DESTROYED THEIR MILL

Gillespie County

TOWN OF

D'HANIS

NOW KNOWN AS OLD D'HANIS

ESTABLISHED IN 1847 BY 29 FAMILIES UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF THEODORE GENTILZ, REPRESENTING HENRI CASTRO (1786 * * *1861), DISTINGUISHED PIONEER AND COLONIZER OF TEXAS WHO INTRODUCED THE EARLY SETTLERS OF MEDINA COUNTY

NAMED IN HONOR OF GUILLAUME (WILLIAM) D'HANIS, MANAGER OF THE COLONIZATION SOCIETY

WHEN THE SOUTHERN PACIFIC RAILROAD MISSED THE TOWN, ITS CITIZENS MOVED TO THE PRESENT D'HANIS

Medina County

HERE WAS

SANTA RITA

FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN SETTLEMENT ON LOWER RIO GRANDE AND COUNTY SEAT OF CAMERON COUNTY 1848 * * * 1849

Cameron County









site of BETHANY

A THRIVING TOWN OF THE FIFTIES THROUGH IT PASSED THE SHREVEPORT ROAD OVER WHICH MANY EMIGRANTS ENTERED TEXAS

Panola County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF TRINITY COUNTY • • • LAND GRANTED IN 1850 • • COUNTY SEAT LOCATED HERE, 1854 • TOWN WAS LAID OUT NOVEMBER 20, 1855 • INCORPORATED 1862 • • COURTHOUSE AND RECORDS WERE DESTROYED BY FIRE, 1872 • • IN 1873, THE COUNTY SEAT WAS REMOVED TO TRINITY

Trinity County

KELLYVILLE

NAMED FOR GEORGE ADDISON KELLY DIED IN 1909 FROPRIETOR OF AN EARLY FOUNDRY WHICH CAST COW-BELLS WIDELY USED BY OX-TEAM FREIGHTERS AFTER 1860 HIS FACTORY TURNED OUT THE FIRST MODERN PLOWS USED IN TEXAS

Marion County

SITE OF

A SETTLEMENT MADE IN 1851 BY 20 MORMON FAMILES UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF LYMAN WIGHT 1796-1858 • • HERE THEY BUILT HOMES, LUMBER MILLS, AND SHOPS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF FURNITURE • ABANDONED IN 1853

Burnet County







TOWN OF HIDALGO

COUNTY SEAT OF HIDALGO COUNTY 1852-1908 • KNOWN AS EDINBURGH IN 1852 • NAME CHANGED IN 1861 TO HIDALGO IN HONOR OF MIGUEL HIDALGO Y COSTILLA, 1753-1811, PARISH PRIEST WHO LED THE MOVE-MENT IN 1810 FOR MEXICAN INDE-PENDENCE • ALMOST COMPLETELY WASHED AWAY BY AN OVERFLOW OF THE RIO GRANDE IN SEPTEMBER, 1887

Hidalgo County

TOWN OF

PANNA MARIA

OLDEST POLISH SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS ESTABLISHED DECEMBER 24, 1854 BY THE REVEREND LEOPOLD MOCZYGEMBA, O. F. M., WHO WAS INSTRUMENTAL IN BRINGING FROM POLAND ABOUT 100 POLISH PEASANT FAMILIES WITHIN A FEW MONTHS THE MAJORITY SOUGHT HOMES IN OTHER LOCALITIES IN TEXAS

Karnes County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF JONESVILLE SECOND COUNTY SEAT OF ANGELINA COUNTY AUGUST 22 1854 MAY 19 1858

Angelina County









SERBIN

HERE IN 1854 UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF REV. JOHN KILIAN EV. LUTHERAN PASTOR ABOUT 600 WENDS SEEKING RELIGIOUS LIBERTY ESTABLISHED THE FIRST WENDISH SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS

Lee County

BEFORE THIS DAM WAS BUILT THERE EXISTED ABOVE THIS SITE A SETTLEMENT KNOWN AS

MOUNTAIN VALLEY

ESTABLISHED IN 1854 BY 16 FAMILIES OF MORMONS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF LYMAN WIGHT (1796-1858). THEY ABANDONED THEIR HOMES AND MILLS IN 1858 AS THE RESULT OF INDIAN DEPREDATIONS. THEIR LANDS ARE NOW BENEATH THE WATERS OF MEDINA LAKE.

Medina County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF SEBASTOPOL

AN IMPORTANT SHIPPING POINT ESTABLISHED IN THE LATE FIFTIES

NAMED IN COMMEMORATION OF A NAVAL STATION OF RUSSIA

DECLINED IN IMPORTANCE AFTER RAILROADS REACHED THIS REGION

Trinity County

TOWN OF

OAKVILLE

SO NAMED FROM ITS LIVE OAK TREES COUNTY SEAT FROM 1856 TO 1919 OF LIVE OAK COUNTY, WHICH WAS CRE-ATED FEBRUARY 2, AND ORGANIZED AUGUST 4, 1856

Live Oak County



THE OLDEST CZECH SETTLEMENT

IN TEXAS WAS ESTABLISHED AT HOSTYN WHEN IN NOVEMBER 1856 THE FAMILIES OF JOSEF JANDA VALINTIN KOLIBAL FRANTISEK KOZA ARRIVED HERE FROM CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Fayette County



SITE OF THE TOWN OF HOMER ALSO KNOWN AS ANGELINA THIRD COUNTY SEAT OF ANGELINA COUNTY 1858 • • • 1890

Angelina County



FORESTBURG

ESTABLISHED AFTER THE CIVIL WAR IN MEMOBY OF ITS PIONEERS WHO BATTLED WITH THE INDIANS, ENDURED HARDSHIPS AND CONQUERED THE SOIL THAT CIVILIZATION MIGHT LIVE

Montague County









FRIO TOWN

KNOWN 1871-1886 AS FRIO CITY FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF FRIO COUNTY 1871-1883

Frio County

TEEPEE CITY

CAMP OF EARLY BUFFALO HUNTERS VONLY SETTLEMENT WEST OF HENRIETTA, NORTH OF FORT GRIFFIN AND SOUTH OF FORT ELLIOTT (NOW MOBEETIE), 1875-1880 V HEADQUARTERS OF TEXAS RANGERS UNDER CAPTAIN G. W. ARRINGTON AT INTERVALS, 1879-1881 V ABANDONED ABOUT 1886 FIRST WHITE CHILD BORN IN MOTLEY COUNTY WAS NORA COOPER, BORN HERE IN 1882 V. N. ARMSTRONG, PIONEER MERCHANT, BURIED NEAR THIS SITE

Motley County

TOWN OF GOODNIGHT

NAMED IN HONOR OF

CHARLES GOODNIGHT 1836-1929 NOTED SCOUT, INDIAN FIGHTER AND TRAIL BLAZER WHO ESTABLISHED THE FIRST RANCH IN THE TEXAS PANHANDLE IN 1876 AND IS ALSO KNOWN AS THE BURBANK OF THE RANGE

Armstrong County

BELLE PLAIN

FIRST OFFICIAL COUNTY SEAT OF CALLAHAN COUNTY, 1877-1883 • THE FIRST UNOFFICIAL COUNTY SEAT WAS CALLAHAN CITY WHERE THE COMMISSIONERS COURT WAS ORGANIZED, JULY 30, 1877, AND SEVERAL CIVIL AND PROBATE CASES FILED • BY AN INVALID ELECTION, OCTOBER 13TH, AND A VALID ELECTION, DECEMBER 9, 1877 BELLE PLAIN WAS SELECTED • ON JANUARY 16, 1883, THE COUNTY SEAT WAS LOCATED AT BAIRD

Callahan County









TASCOSA

COWBOY CAPITAL OF THE TEXAS PAN-HANDLE, 1877-1888 • "BILLY THE KID" AND COWBOYS FROM MANY RANCHES ADDED TO ITS LIVELINESS • MADE FAMOUS BY WILD WEST FICTION • ITS NAME IS A CORRUPTION OF ATASCOSO (BOGGY) FIRST GIVEN TO A NEARBY CREEK • COUNTY SEAT OF OLDHAM COUNTY, 1881-1915

Oldham County

SITE OF ESTACADO

A TOWN FOUNDED IN 1879 BY A COLONY OF ENGLISH QUAKERS UNDER THE LEADERSHIP OF ISAAC PARIS COX WHO PURCHASED FOR THEM 82 SECTIONS OF LAND • THE TOWN, FIRST NAMED MARIETTA IN HONOR OF MARY COX, WIFE OF THE LEADER, WAS RENAMED ESTACADO IN 1886 WHEN CROSBY COUNTY WAS ORGANIZED • • BY 1893 THE COLONY HAD DISINTEGRATED • MOVED IN 1895 TO GALVESTON COUNTY

Crosby County

FARWELL, TEXAS

NAMED FOR JOHN V. FARWELL AND C. B. FARWELL V BUILDERS OF THE TEXAS CAPITOL, 1882-1888, IN EXCHANGE FOR THREE MILLION ACRES OF STATE LAND V FOUNDERS OF THE X I T RANCH, 1885

Parmer County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF RUNNELS

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF RUNNELS COUNTY V ESTABLISHED IN 1880 AS RUNNELS CITY V DECLINED AFTER REMOVAL OF THE COUNTY SEAT TO BALLINGER IN 1888

Runnels County





SITE OF THE COURTHOUSE AT

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF STONEWALL COUNTY ERECTED IN 1888 COUNTY SEAT REMOVED TO ASPERMONT IN 1898

Stonewall County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

FIRST KNOWN AS PEASE • RENAMED IN HONOR OF MARGARET WESLEY, DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. JOHN WESLEY • FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN CHILD BORN IN HARDEMAN COUNTY • FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF HARDEMAN COUNTY, 1884-1890

Foard County

HAYRICK

FIRST COUNTY SEAT OF COKE COUNTY, 1889-1890

ROBERT LEE

THEN BECAME THE COUNTY SEAT

Coke County

Texas Industry 1846 - 1930

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VICTORIA ADVOCATE

SECOND OLDEST EXISTING NEWSPAPER IN TEXAS ESTABLISHED MAY 8, 1846 BY THOMAS STERNE · · · JOHN D. LOGAN AMONG ITS EDITORS HAVE BEEN JOHN HENRY BROWN REV. H. S. THRALL VICTOR M. ROSE HISTORIANS GEN. WILLIAM R. SCURRY · · · GEN. A. P. BAGBY

OF MILITARY FAME GEORGE H. FRENCH PUBLISHER SINCE 1901

Victoria County

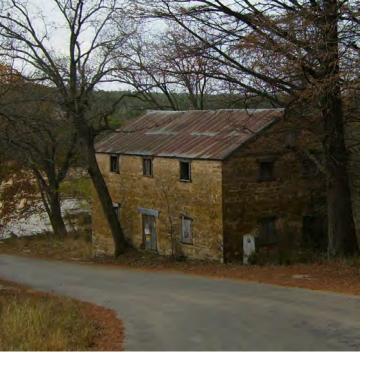


A PIONEER TEXAS NEWSPAPER EDITED AND PUBLISHED FROM AUGUST 20, 1842 TO OCTOBER 25, 1887 BY COLONEL CHARLES DEMORSE(1816-1887) * A LOYAL STATESMAN AND A FINISHED SCHOLAR OFTEN REFERRED TO AS "THE FATHER OF TEXAS JOURNALISM" * AFTER HIS DEATH THE PAPER WAS CONTINUED UNTIL DECEMBER 6, 1888 BY HIS DAUGHTER ISABELLA DEMORSE LATIMER * "LONG SHALL OUR BANNER BRAVE THE BREEZE—THE STANDARD OF THE FREE" APPEARED ON EACH ISSUE

Red River County

HOME OF THE NORTHERN STANDARD, DEMOLISHED IN 1927





LANGE'S MILL

ESTABLISHED IN 1849 BY DOSS BROTHERS V OPERATED 1859-1878 BY WILLIAM F. LANGE; 1878-1888 BY JULIUS LANGE V ITS PRODUCTS WERE FAMED THROUGHOUT THE REGION V ONE OF THE LAST OF THE OLD BURR MILLS IN TEXAS; ONE OF FEW IN AS PERFECT A STATE OF PRESERVATION V NEAR BY ON A CLIFF ARE INDIAN PICTOGRAPHS

Gillespie County





SITE OF AN EARLY BELL FACTORY

FROM A LOG BLACKSMITH SHOP IN 1854 GREW A BELL FOUNDRY OWNED BY G. A. KELLY WHICH MANUFACTURED COWBELLS WIDELY USED BY PIONEER OX-TEAM FREIGHTERS V LATER THE KELLY PLOW ONE OF THE FIRST MODERN PLOWS MADE IN TEXAS WAS MANUFACTURED HERE

Marion County

THE DAVIS MILL BUILT IN 1864 BY WILLIAM A. DAVIS

FIRST STONE MILL WITH CARDING MACHINE IN THIS VICINITY. A SAWMILL AND GIN WERE ADDED IN 1866. FRENCH BURRS, LEFFEL WATER WHEEL AND SILK BOLT BROUGHT FROM GALVESTON BY WAGON IN 1871. MADE FLOUR FOR CENTRAL TEXAS HOMES. NO WIDOW PAID TOLL AT THE DAVIS MILL.

Bell County



SITE OF CATOR BUFFALO CAMP

ESTABLISHED BY JAMES H. AND BOB CATOR IN THE SPRING OF 1872 WHILE HUNTING BUFFALO IN THE FALL OF 1875 THE CAMP BECAME A TRADING POST KNOWN AS ZULU

Hansford County



ESTABLISHED BY BOYLE AND SCOTT ABOUT 1875 • SOLD ICE AT TEN CENTS PER POUND • B. J. BENEFIELD DELIVERED IT • THE PLANT WAS LATER MOVED TO HARRISBURG

Marion County



SITE OF OLD GOODNIGHT RANCH

FIRST RANCH IN THE TEXAS PANHANDLE ESTABLISHED IN 1876 BY CHARLES GOODNIGHT 1836-1929 NOTED SCOUT, INDIAN FIGHTER, TRAIL BLAZER AND RANCHER THE BURBANK OF THE RANGE

Armstrong County



2008







IN COMMEMORATION OF THE ORGANIZATION UNDER THIS OAK BY 40 MEN OF THE CATTLE RAISERS ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS ON FEBRUARY 15-16, 1877

ITS FIRST OFFICERS WERE: C. L. CARTER, PRESIDENT J. D. SMITH, VICE PRESIDENT J. C. LOVING, SECRETARY S. J. CONNER, ASSISTANT SECRETARY

ITS MEMBERSHIP IN 1936 IS 2,500

Young County

SITE OF ORIGINAL HEADQUARTERS OF THE QUITAQUE RANCH

ESTABLISHED BY THE BAKER BROTHERS IN 1877 BOUGHT IN 1880 FOR MRS. CORNELIA ADAIR BY CHARLES GOODNIGHT TOGETHER WITH THE PALO DURO RANCHES IT EMBRACED MORE THAN ONE MILLION ACRES ACQUIRED BY GOODNIGHT IN 1887 LATER BROKEN INTO SMALLER TRACTS

Floyd County

THE BIRTHPLACE OF THE PETROLEUM INDUSTRY

WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER VIN THIS WELL, DRILLED BY H. G. JOHNSTON, E. H. AKIN, AND CHARLES RITTERSBACHER UNDER CONTRACT FOR A WATER WELL FOR THE CITY OF CORSICANA IN 1894, THE FIRST OIL IN COMMERCIAL QUANTITIES IN THE MID-CONTINENT AREA WAS DISCOVERED AT 1035 FEET

Navarro County

ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS TO COMMEMORATE

THE LUCAS GUSHER

DISCOVERY WELL OF THE SPINDLE TOP OIL FIELD AND THE FIRST IMPORTANT WELL ON THE GULF COAST . IT BLEW IN ON JANUARY 10, 1901, FLOWING 75,000 BARRELS OF OIL A DAY, FROM A DEPTH OF 1160 FEET THE OIL PRODUCTION WHICH RESULTED MADE BEAUMONT A CITY THE SABINE DISTRICT A MAJOR OIL REFINING AND EXPORTING CENTER OF THE WORLD . THE LUCAS GUSHER WAS DRILLED BY HAMILL BROTHERS CONTRACTORS, UNDER THE DIRECT SUPERVISION OF CAPTAIN ANTHONY F. LUCAS FOR GUFFEY AND GALEY OF PITTSBURG, ON THE MERADDIN, WIESS, AND KYLE LEASE

Jefferson County

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SITE OF FIRST OIL WELL DRILLED IN EASTLAND COUNTY

THE J. H. MCLESKEY NO. 1 DISCOVERY WELL OF THE RANGER POOL WAS DRILLED BY WARREN WAGNER UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF W. K. GORDON OF THE TEXAS PACIFIC COAL AND OIL COMPANY, JULY 2-OCTOBER 27, 1917 • INITIAL PRODUCTION WAS 1600 BARRELS WITH THREE MILLION FEET OF GAS • ABANDONED MAY 30, 1930 AFTER PRODUCING 275,000 BARRELS OF OIL

Eastland County



(JOINER NO. 3. DAISY BRADFORD) -BROUGHT IN SEPTEMBER 3, 1930 AS THE FIRST PRODUCER IN THE LARGEST OIL FIELD IN THE WORLD

Rusk County





POPE'S CROSSING

USED BY EMIGRANTS AND THE SOUTHERN (BUTTERFIELD) OVERLAND MAIL WHICH LINKED ST. LOUIS AND SAN FRANCISCO WITH A SEMI-WEEKLY MAIL, 1858-1861 • HEADQUARTERS IN 1855 OF CAPTAIN JOHN POPE, SUPERVISOR OF THE DRILLING OF THE FIRST DEEP WELL WEST OF THE 98TH MERIDIAN • THEY STRUCK WATER AT 244 FEET BUT SANK TO 1140 HOPING TO STRIKE ARTESIAN FLOW • THE WELL CAVED BEFORE ITS VALUE COULD BE DETERMINED • THIS \$100,000 EXPERI-MENT POINTED THE WAY TO DEEP WELL DRILLING IN THE GREAT PLAINS

Reeves County

TEXAS IN THE CONFEDERACY 1861 - 1865



In the Esplanade at the Dallas Exposition, the Confederacy is represented by the seven stars in her crown, representing the seven Confederate states.





LEE COUNTY

FORMED FROM WASHINGTON, FAYETTE, BASTROP, AND BURLESON COUNTIES CREATED JANUARY 13, 1874 ORGANIZED JUNE 2, 1874 NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT E. LEE 1807-1870 GENERAL-IN-CHIEF OF THE ARMIES OF THE SOUTHERN CONFEDERACY GIDDINGS, THE COUNTY SEAT

JEFF DAVIS COUNTY

FORMED FROM PRESIDIO COUNTY CREATED MARCH 15, 1887 ORGANIZED MAY 16, 1887

NAMED IN HONOR OF JEFFERSON DAVIS 1808-1868 PRESIDENT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES FORT DAVIS, COUNTY SEAT, PRESIDIO COUNTY, 1875 COUNTY SEAT, JEFF DAVIS COUNTY, SINCE 1887

IN MEMORY OF LT. RICHARD W. DOWLING AND HIS MEN TEXAS REMEMBERS THE FAITHFULNESS AND VALOR OF HER SONS AND COMMENDS THEIR HEROIC EXAMPLE TO FUTURE GENERATIONS

AT THIS SITE ON SEPT. 8TH, 1863 **DICK DOWLING** AND FORTY-SEVEN MEN COMPRISING COMPANY F TEXAS HEAVY ARTILLERY JEFFERSON DAVIS GUARDS C. S. A., FROM A MUD FORT REPULSED AN ATTACK MADE BY FOUR WARSHIPS AND TWELVE HUNDRED MEN OF THE FEDERAL ARMY THUS SAVING TEXAS FROM INVASION BY THE ENEMY

THUS IT WILL BE SEEN THAT WE CAPTURED WITH FORTY-SEVEN MEN TWO GUNBOATS MOUNTING THIRTEEN GUNS OF THE HEAVIEST CALIBER AND ABOUT THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PRISONERS. ALL MY MEN BEHAVED LIKE HEROES, NOT A MAN FLINCHED FROM HIS POST. OUR MOTTO WAS VICTORY OR DEATH. OFFICIAL REPORT OF LT. RICHARD W. DOWLING

THERE IS NO PARALLEL IN ANCIENT OR MODERN WARFARE TO THE VICTORY OF DOWLING AND HIS MEN AT SABINE PASS CONSIDERING THE GREAT ODDS AGAINST WHICH THEY HAD TO CONTEND. JEFFERSON DAVIS

Jefferson County

LT. RICHARD W. DOWLIN

BRICEO HEATLEY, PATRICK ABBOTT MICHAEL CARR, ABBER RICHAEL TAT CLAIR, JAMES CORDORAN

MICHAEL DELANEY DAN DONOVAN INO BRUMMOND MUCHAELENCAN

PAT FEIZCERALD, JARES FLEMINI JOHN FLOOD WILLAM GLEADON TOM HACEATX, WILLIAM HARDS IOHN HASSETH JOHN HENDISSET

LASTES HIGHINS TIM HUGHNS

ERECTED BY THE SPALE OF TEXAS

CAPTAIN JAMES GILLASPIE'S COMPANY FIFTH REGIMENT, TEXAS INFANTRY VOLUNTEERS, COLONEL E. B. NICHOLS COMMANDER, CALLED INTO SERVICE OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA OCTOBER 25, 1861.

JAMES GILLASPIE	CAPTAIN	W. B. MECLINTOCK	PRIVA
JESSE C. DICKIE	1ST. LIEUT.	JAMES MODONALD	
THOMAS C. C. PATTERSON		JOHN L. MCGAR	
GEORGE FEARHAKE, JR.	2ND	W. H. MCGUFFIN	
	and the second second	M. MEKAY	1
E. A. HARPER	1ST. SERGT.	B. D. MCMILLON	
JOHN R. PEEL	2ND. "	K. T. MANN	
W. E. ARCHER	3RD. **	A. P. MAYS	
F. M. BELL	4TH. "	W. G. F. MAYS	
AUG. RAMER	5111. "	GEORGE MERCER	*
BUDD THOMAS	5TH. "	J. T. MINSHEW	10
		G. W. MOON	- 44
J. H. WILSON	1ST. CORPL.	P. MORRING	148
R. W. FOSTER	2ND. "	B. F. PEEBLES	
P. B. RANDOLPH	3RD. "	H. J. PERMENTER	
W. B. HOLLIS	4TH, "	TURNER PERRY	
an activation	1.1.1.	H. F. PLASTER	
RICHARD PHILLIPS	MUSICIAN	C. S. PRESCOTT	
J. P. SMITH		JOHN RAGSDALE	
St. L. MAILET		F. M. RAILEY	
L. A. ABERCROMBIE	FRIVATE	W. A. RAINS	
and a straight by and share and share and	PRIVATE	W. H. RANDOLPH	
HENRY ASH	14	W. R. RICHARDSON	
S. B. ABBOTT	- 10		
THOMAS S. ALLPHIN		G. G. ROBERTS	
J. W. ADAMS		J. F. ROBERTSON	
T. J. ADAMS		W. R. ROBERTSON	
W. W. ADAMS		W. L. ROBINSON	
W. F. ARMITAGE	- 47	GEORGE ROBBINS	
JAMES A. BAKER		NOAHROOKS	
JOHN BURNETT		O. G. ROSS	
DEKALB BRADLEY		JAMES S. ROSEBOROUGH	
WALTER N. BROOK		SAMUEL L. ROSEBOROUGI	
CHARLES BOYACK	-	ISAAC SHANNON	
JOHN CALLAHAN		J. T. SHAFFER	
T. P. CARRINGTON		L, L. SINGLETARY	
JOHN W. CARY	- 00	M. M. SINGLETARY	
JOHN CHILDRESS	-	J. W. SMITH	
T. Y. CHILDRESS	**	SAMUEL SMITH	**
J. K. CHRISTMAS		THOMAS SMITH	
J. W. CUMMINGS	= 30	W. T. SMITH	- 01
R. A. CURTIS	6	SEABORN SPROUSE	.0
THOMAS H. DARWIN		D. I. STEWART	
W. L. DAVIS	- 6 C	JAMES G. STEWART	
JOHN DUNN		W. I. STONE	· *
JOHN DURHAM	47	W. P. TAYLOR	- 44
MARTIN ELLIOT	-0	JAMES TEDDERS	
ENOCH I. FOREMAN	- **	WILLIAM THOMAS	
		WILLIAM THOMPSON	
JAMES T. FOREMAN MATTHEW GANNIS		J. TUBBS	
		W. J. TYLER	
W. S. GUNTER	-6	A. C. WALLER	- 10
THOMAS B. HARRIS		J. K. WARREN	
JARED HARRELL	1011		6.4
W. H. HICKMAN		JAMES WEBB	
CHARLES B. HOLLIS		THOMAS WEBB	
J. H. JACOBS		C. WILLIE	-6
EDWARD JAMES		I. N. WILSON	
THOMAS B. KERR		W. W. WILSON	
T. L. MADAMS		GEORGE WOODARD	
G. W. MCBRIDE		W. J. WOOTON	
J. M. MCCANN		ALLEN WYNNE	

ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS AND W. O. B. GILLASPIE

Walker County

and so that



FORT DAVIS

ESTABLISHED BY LIEUT. COLONEL WASHINGTON SEAWELL WITH 6 COMPANIES OF THE 8TH U. S. INFANTRY ON OCTOBER 7, 1854 FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROTECTING PRESIDIO DEL NORTE FROM INDIAN RAIDS

> NAMED IN HONOR OF JEFFERSON DAVIS, THEN SECRETARY OF WAR

EVACUATED BY FEDERAL TROOPS, APRIL 13, 1861 PERMANENT BUILDINGS WERE ERECTED WHEN REOCCUPIED IN 1867 ABANDONED AS A MILITARY POST IN 1891 AFTER THE COUNTRY HAD BEEN CLEARED OF INDIANS AND BANDITS

Jeff Davis County





ERATH MEMORIAL ARCH

GENERAL SIDNEY SHERMAN

BORN IN MASSACHUSETTS JULY 23 . 1805 CAME TO TEXAS FEBRUARY 1836 AS CAPTAIN OF A COMPANY OF VOLUNTEERS HE HAD RECRUITED IN KENTUCKY AND OHIO COMMANDED THE SECOND REGIMENT OF TEXAS VOLUNTEERS AT SAN JACINTO FIRST TO SOUND THE IMMORTAL WAR CRY OPENING THE BATTLE . REMEMBER THE ALAMO . REMEMBER GOLIAD . MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1842 1843 - MAJOR GENERAL OF THE MILITIA 1843 · 1846 · COMMANDANT · PORT OF GALVESTON . C. S. A. 1861 . 1862 FATHER OF RAILROADS IN TEXAS HAVING BUILT THE FIRST ONE WEST OF THE SABINE RIVER . . DIED IN GALVESTON TEXAS ON THE FIRST DAY OF AUGUST 1873

> ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS 1936 WITH FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO COMMEMORATE ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF TEXAS INDEPENDENCE

> > Galveston County

GEORGE BERNHARD ERATH

PROTECTOR OF THE TEXAS FRONTIER. HERO OF SAN JACINTO. MAJOR IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY. MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS AND LEGISLATURE. BORN AT VIENNA, AUSTRIA JANUARY 1, 1813. DIED AT WACO, TEXAS MAY 13, 1891. ERATH COUNTY WAS NAMED IN HIS HONOR.

HE SOUGHT IN TEXAS FREEDOM FROM TYRANNY. IN RETURN, HE CONTRIBUTED, THROUGH LIFE-LONG SERVICE, TO THE PROGRESS OF THE STATE AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN ENLIGHTENED PEOPLE.







JASPER COUNTY

INCLUDED IN THE EMPRESARIO GRANT TO LORENZO DE ZAVALA IN 1829

CREATED THE MUNICIPALITY OF BEVIL, IN 1834 IN HONOR OF JOHN BEVIL, EARLY SETTLER.

NAME CHANGED BY THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS, DECEMBER 3, 1835 TO JASPER IN HONOR OF WILLIAM JASPER (1750-1779),

A HERO OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

CREATED A COUNTY MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED DECEMBER 14, 1837 WITH JASPER AS ITS COUNTY SEAT. FAMOUS FOR ITS LONG-LEAF PINE.

IN MEMORY OF MARTIN PARMER, STEPHEN WILLIAMS, JOHN BEVIL, THOMAS B. HULING, M. B. LEWIS, R. C. DOOM, EARLY SETTLERS.

WYATT HANKS, THOMAS HOLMES, JOHN H. BLOUNT, MEMBERS OF THE CONSULTATION FROM BEVIL MUNICIPALITY.

GEORGE WASHINGTON SMYTH, STEPHEN H. EVERITT, SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

COL. ANDERSON CRAWFORD, MAJ. BEN NORSWORTHY, MAJOR E. T. SEALE; LT. COL. C. R. BEATY, CAPT. E. I. KELLIE, CONFEDERATE HEROES.

ROBERT PERKINS, THOMAS SEALE MAJOR W. R. BLACKSHEAR, WHO FELL IN THE WORLD WAR.

> COLORADO COUNTY CITY OF COLUMBUS

SITE OF PROJECTED CAPITOL OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN'S COLONY, 1823.

FIRST SETTLEMENT AT THIS POINT SHOWN ON STEPHEN F. AUSTIN'S MAP OF 1835 AS MONTEZUMA.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF COLORADO WAS CREATED BY THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS JANUARY 11, 1836 AND THE TOWN OF COLUMBUS ORDERED LAID OUT AS THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

ON MARCH 17, 1836 THE COUNTY OF COLORADO WAS CREATED, IN 1837, IT WAS ORGANIZED.

COLUMBUS, THE COUNTY SEAT, WAS INCORPORATED JUNE 5, 1837

AS A RAILROAD TERMINAL, FROM 1869 TO 1873, COLUMBUS WAS AN IMPORTANT TRADING CENTER FOR A LARGE TERRITORY TO THE WEST.

IN MEMORY OF

THE MONEER FAMILIES OF BURNAM, GILLELAND, CUMMINS, FISHER DEWEES, KUYKENDALL AND TUMLINSON.

J. W. E. WALLACE AND HIS COMPANY WHO DEFENDED GONZALES OCTOBER 2, 1835.

WILLIAM D. LACEY, WILLIAM MENEFEE,

SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

LEANDER BEASON, JOHN P. BORDEN, DAVID COLE, STEPHEN T. FOLEY, GEORGE W. GARDNER, S. JOSEPH GARWOOD, BASIL G. IJAMS, DR. JAMES D. JENNINGS, ALFRED KELSO, AMOS D. KENYON, DANIEL MILLER, JAMES NELSON, MITCHELL PUTNAM, DEMPSEY PACE, WILLIAM PACE, WASHING-TON H. SECREST, MAXWELL STEEL, ROBERT STEVENSON, SPENCER B. TOWNSEND, WILLIAM WATERS, LEROY WILKINSON, SAN JACINTO VETERANS WHO LIVED IN THIS COUNTY PRIOR TO OR AFTER THE TEXAS REVOLUTION.

COL. JOHN C. UPTON, MAJOR JOHN S. SHROPSHIRE, MAJOR J. S. WEST, CAPT. P. J. OAKES, CAPT. JAMES D. ROBERDEAU, CAPT. R. V. COOK CONFEDERATE OFFICERS.

THE FOLLOWING CITIZENS OF DISTINCTION HAVE RESIDED IN COLORADO COUNTY

JONES RIVERS, JURIST, DR. LAWRENCE WASHINGTON, GAIL BORDEN, MATTHEW STANLEY OUAY, SENATOR FOR PENNSYLVANIA, CHAS. NAGEL, CABINET MINISTER UNDER TAFT, WELLS THOMPSON, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF 27EXAS, GEORGE MC CORMICK, STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND CO.WRITER OF THE PRESENT STATE CONSTITUTION, 245 GEO. W. SMITH, MEMBER OF SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS.









FORT BROWN

OLDEST PERMANENT FORT IN TEXAS CALLED FORT TAYLOR IN MARCH, 1846 LATER RENAMED IN HONOR OF MAJOR JACOB BROWN KILLED HERE IN MAY, 1846 PERMANENT POST ESTABLISHED, 1849 EVACUATED BY FEDERAL TROOPS IN 1861; BY CONFEDERATES, 1863 REOCCUPIED BY UNITED STATES TROOPS FROM 1865 TO 1906 AGAIN REOCCUPIED BY UNITED STATES TROOPS IN 1913

Cameron County

SITE OF CAMP VERDE

ESTABLISHED AS A FRONTIER POST BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY, JULY 8, 1855 HEADQUARTERS IN 1856 FOR 40 CAMELS, SENT BY SECRETARY OF WAR JEFFERSON DAVIS, TO BE USED IN A SYSTEM OF OVERLAND COMMUNICATION WITH THE WEST, WHICH PROVED IMPRACTICABLE SURRENDERED TO THE CONFEDERATE GOVERNMENT IN 1861 REOCCUPIED IN 1865 BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY ABANDONED APRIL 1, 1869

Kerr County

GENERAL LAND OFFICE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS 1856-1918

NOW DEDICATED BY THE STATE TO THE USES AND PURPOSES OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE REPUBLIC AND THE TEXAS DIVISION OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE CONFEDERACY

HERE O. HENRY WORKED FROM JANUARY, 1887 TO JANUARY, 1891 Travis County

TO THE MEMORY OF

WALTER PAYE LANE

HERO OF SAN JACINTO INDIAN FIGHTER COMMANDER OF TEXAS RANGERS IN MEXICAN WAR BRIGADIER GENERAL IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY BORN, FEBRUARY 18, 1817 DIED, JANUARY 22, 1892

WITH HONOR UNTARNISHED HE RESTS FROM HIS LABORS Harrison County









CULBERSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM EL PASO COUNTY CREATED MARCH 10, 1911 ORGANIZED APRIL 18, 1911

NAMED FOR DAVID B. CULBERSON 1830-1903 FAMOUS CONSTITUTIONAL LAWYER A CONFEDERATE OFFICER MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS.

VAN HORN, THE COUNTY SEAT

DONLEY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED MARCH 22, 1882 NAMED IN HONOR OF STOCKTON P. DONLEY 1821-1871 A CONFEDERATE OFFICER ELECTED TO THE TEXAS SUPREME BENCH IN 1866

CLARENDON, THE COUNTY SEAT

ECTOR COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 26, 1887 FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY ORGANIZED JANUARY 15, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF

MATTHEW DUNCAN ECTOR 1822-1879 MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE A CONFEDERATE OFFICER AND OUTSTANDING JURIST

ODESSA, THE COUNTY SEAT

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FOARD COUNTY

FORMED FROM HARDEMAN, KING, COTTLE, AND KNOX COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 3, 1891 APRIL 27, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT L. FOARD 1831-1898 A CONFEDERATE OFFICER PROMINENT LAWYER OF COLUMBUS TEXAS

CROWELL, THE COUNTY SEAT TRAVERSED BY A RAILROAD IN 1908









OCHILTREE COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 21, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF

WILLIAM BECK OCHILTREE, 1811-1867, ASSOCIATE JUSTICE, SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS, 1842; SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY, 1844; THE LAST ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS; MEMBER OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE, 1855, DELEGATE TO THE SECESSION CONVENTION OF 1861; COLONEL IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY.

COUNTY SEAT OCHILTREE, 1889 PERRYTON, SINCE 1920

OLDHAM COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JANUARY 12, 1881 NAMED IN HONOR OF

WILLIAMSON SIMPSON OLDHAM 1813-1868 ARKANSAS LAWYER AND JURIST MEMBER OF THE CONFEDERATE SENATE FROM TEXAS COUNTY SEAT, TASCOSA, 1881 VEGA, SINCE 1915

RANDALL COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JULY 27, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF

HORACE RANDALL 1821-1864 A DISTINGUISHED CONFEDERATE OFFICER WHO FELL IN BATTLE AT THE HEAD OF HIS BRIGADE

CANYON, THE COUNTY SEAT

REAGAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 7, 1903 APRIL 20, 1903

NAMED IN HONOR OF JOHN H. REAGAN 1818-1905 INDIAN FIGHTER AND SURVEYOR MEMBER OF TEXAS LEGISLATURE AND UNITED STATES CONGRESS POSTMASTER GENERAL OF THE SOUTHERN CONFEDERACY

> COUNTY SEAT, STILES, 1903-1925 BIG LAKE, SINCE







Missing

REEVES COUNTY

FORMED FROM PECOS COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 14, 1883 NOVEMBER 4, 1884

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GEORGE ROBERTSON REEVES 1826-1882 A COLONEL IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

PECOS, THE COUNTY SEAT

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SCURRY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JUINE 28, 1884 NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL WILLIAM R. SCURRY 1821-1864 MEMBER OF THE LAST TEXAS CONGRESS A DISTINGUISHED OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

SNYDER, THE COUNTY SEAT

STARR COUNTY

FORMED FROM NUECES COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 10, 1848 ORGANIZED AUGUST 7, 1848 NAMED FOR DR. JAMES HARPER STARR 1809-1890 PIONEER TEXAS SURGEON AND INDIAN FIGHTER LOCATED AT NACOGDOCHES IN 1837 SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1839-1840 ASSISTANT POSTMASTER GENERAL OF THE CONFEDERACY,

RIO GRANDE CITY, THE COUNTY SEAT

STEPHENS COUNTY

CREATED AS BUCHANAN COUNTY JANUARY 22, 1858 ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 20, 1860 NAME CHANGED TO STEPHENS DECEMBER 17, 1861

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS 1812-1883 VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES

BRECKENRIDGE, THE COUNTY SEAT 249









STONEWALL COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 DECEMBER 20, 1888

NAMED IN HONOR OF

THOMAS JONATHAN (STONEWALL) JACKSON 1824-1863 A CONFEDERATE GENERAL

COUNTY SEAT, RAYNER, 1888 ASPERMONT, SINCE 1898

SUTTON COUNTY

FORMED FROM CROCKETT COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 1, 1887 NOVEMBER 4, 1890

NAME IN HONOR OF

JOHN S. SUTTON 1821-1862 A MEMBER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION ACTIVE IN RANGER SERVICE A SOLDIER IN THE MEXICAN WAR AND A CONFEDERATE OFFICER

SONORA, COUNTY SEAT

TOM GREEN COUNTY

A PART OF THE MILLER AND FISHER GRANT IN 1842 CREATED A COUNTY ORGANIZED MARCH 13, 1874 JANUARY 5, 1875

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL THOMAS GREEN, 1814-1864 A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION A CONFEDERATE OFFICER

FIRST MAIL ROUTES TO THE PACIFIC CONVERGED HERE IN 1858

COUNTY SEAT, BEN FICKLIN, 1875 SAN ANGELO, SINCE 1882

UPTON COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 26, 1887 MAY 7, 1910

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN CUNNINGHAM UPTON 1828-1869 A DISTINGUISHED CONFEDERATE OFFICER KILLED AT MANASSAS, AUGUST 30, 1869

COUNTY SEAT, UPLAND, 1910-1921 RANKIN, SINCE A CATTLE AND SHEEP RAISING COUNTRY OIL WELLS DOT THE COUNTY

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GRAY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876

MAY 27, 1902

NAMED IN HONOR OF PETER W. GRAY 1819-1874 MEMBER OF THE FIRST LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS MEMBER OF THE CONFEDERATE CONGRESS APPOINTED TO THE TEXAS SUPREME BENCH IN 1874

> COUNTY SEAT, LEFORS, 1902 PAMPA, SINCE 1928

GREGG COUNTY

FORMED FROM RUSK AND UPSHUR COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 12, 1873 JUNE 28, 1873

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL JOHN GREGG 1828-1864 DELEGATE TO SECESSION CONVENTION AND TO THE PROVISIONAL CONGRESS OF THE SOUTHERN CONFEDERACY A CONFEDERATE OFFICER

LONGVIEW, THE COUNTY SEAT

TERRELL COUNTY

FORMED FROM PECOS COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 8, 1905 SEPTEMBER 19, 1905

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ALEXANDER WATKINS TERRELL 1827-1912 A DISTINGUISHED OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE FOR SIXTEEN YEARS

SANDERSON, THE COUNTY SEAT

TERRY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JUNE 28, 1904

NAMED IN HONOR OF

COLONEL BENJAMIN FRANKLIN TERRY 1821-1861 LEADER OF THE FAMOUS TERRY'S TEXAS RANGERS

BROWNFIELD, THE COUNTY SEAT PRIMARILY A FARMING AREA







site of a MUNITION FACTORY

OF THE SOUTHERN CONFEDERACY ▼ ES-TABLISHED IN 1861 ▼ IN OPERATION UNTIL 1865 ▼ CANNON, CANNON BALLS, GUNS, PISTOLS, SWORDS, SABERS, BAYONETS AND GUN POWDER WERE MANUFACTURED

Grimes County

SITE OF

CONFEDERATE ARMS FACTORY

ESTABLISHED BY N. B. TANNER IN 1862 FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF GUNS AND BAYONETS V CONTINUED IN OPERATION UNTIL 1865

Bastrop County

SITE OF CONFEDERATE ARMS FACTORY

ESTABLISHED BY JOSEPH H. SHERRARD, WILLIAM L. KILLEM, PLEASANT TAYLOR AND JOHN M. CROCKETT IN 1862 TO MANUFACTURE PISTOLS FOR THE STATE OF TEXAS

Dallas County

210 FEET NORTH 36° EAST OF THIS POINT IS THE EXACT SITE OF A

> CONFEDERATE POWDER MILL

ERECTED IN 1862 BY WILLIAM ROWEN V ON APRIL 29, 1863 IT WAS DESTROYED BY AN EXPLOSION AND ITS OWNER KILLED ALSO KILLED WAS JOSHUA G. PHILLIPS

Ellis County





BUILT IN 1863 BY THOMAS ANDERSON A NATIVE OF PENNSYLVANIA USED AS A POWDER MILL FOR THE CONFEDERATE ARMIES DURING THE CIVIL WAR

Travis County







SITE OF CONFEDERATE GUN FACTORY BUILT IN 1862 BY JOHN L. WHITESCARVER, WILLIAM H. CAMPBELL AND BENJAMIN F. CAMPBELL WHEN UNABLE TO SECURE MATERIALS AND TOOLS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF RIFLES, COLT-MODEL PISTOLS WERE MADE A NUMBER OF NEGROES WERE EMPLOYED

Cherokee County

SITE OF CONFEDERATE ARMS FACTORY

BUILT IN 1862 BY SHORT, BISCOE AND COMPANY À CONTRACT MADE IN 1862 WITH THE STATE OF TEXAS TO FURNISH 5000 GUNS WAS ANNULLED IN 1863, AS NEEDED MATERIAL AND LABOR COULD NOT BE SECURED EQUIPMENT WAS THEN SOLD TO THE GOVERN-MENT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES

Smith County









SITE OF THE

JOHNSTON • • • HUSTON DUEL

ON THIS SPOT GENERAL ALBERT SIDNEY JOHNSTON AND GENERAL FELIX HUSTON FOUGHT A DUEL FEBRUARY 5, 1837 GENERAL JOHNSTON WAS SERIOUSLY WOUNDED

WHILE COMMANDING THE CONFEDERATE ARMY AT THE BATTLE OF SHILOH APRIL 6, 1862, HE WAS KILLED.

Jackson County

SPINDLE TOP HILL CONFEDERATE CAMP

HERE FROM 1862 TO 1864, CAMPED COLONEL A. W. SPAIGHT'S BATTALION, 2ND TEXAS INFANTRY, CONFEDERATE STATES ARMY, COMPOSED OF SOLDIERS FROM JEFFERSON, LIBERTY, AND CHAMBERS COUNTIES THEIR PRESENCE HERE SERVED TO PREVENT INVASION OF THIS PART OF TEXAS BY THE FEDERAL ARMY

Jefferson County

SITE OF THE TOWN OF

LAMAR

NAMED FOR MIRABEAU B. LAMAR 1798 • • • 1859

PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1838 • • • 1841

ESTABLISHED IN 1838 MADE A PORT OF ENTRY IN 1839 SACKED BY UNION TROOPS FEB. 11, 1864 SURVIVED UNTIL 1914 BUT NEVER FLOURISHED

Aransas County

THESE PALMETTO PILING ARE THE REMAINS OF THE BOCA CHICA CROSSING OF THE RAILROAD FROM BOCA CHICA INLET TO WHITE'S RANCH ON THE RIO GRANDE * BEGUN BY GENERAL FRANCIS H. HERRON, U.S.A., IN 1864 AND COMPLETED IN 1865 BY GENERAL PHILIP H. SHERIDAN FOR THE TRANSPORTA-TION OF MILITARY SUPPLIES.

THE CYPRESS PILING 1,000 FEET NORTH ARE WHAT REMAIN OF A FLOATING BRIDGE CONSTRUCTED ACROSS BOCA CHICA INLET BY GENERAL ZACHARY TAYLOR IN 1846 AS A PART OF THE ROAD FROM BRAZOS SANTIAGO TO THE WHITE RANCH LANDING AND CLARKSVILLE ON THE RIO GRANDE, FOR TRANSPORTATION OF MILITARY SUPPLIES.

Cameron County



LAS RUCIAS

HERE COLONEL JOHN S. FORD OF THE CONFEDERATE ARMY DEFEATED THE UNION FORCES JUNE 25, 1864

Cameron County



Replacement marker



COLONEL JOHN S. (RIP) FORD AND

TROOPS

UNDER

UNION FORCES ON MAY 13, 1865; 34 DAYS AFTER LEE'S SURRENDER AT APPOMATTOX

AT THIS SITE THE LAST BATTLE OF THE CIVIL WAR, KNOWN AS PALMITO HILL, WAS FOUGHT

BY

Cameron County

CONFEDERATE

COLONEL STEPHEN HEARD DARDEN

ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 * STATE SENATOR, 1861-1862 * COMMISSIONED COLONEL C. S. A., 1863 * MEMBER OF THE CON-FEDERATE CONGRESS, 1864 * STATE COMPTROLLER, 1874-1881 * BORN IN MISSISSIPPI, NOVEMBER 18, 1816 * DIED IN WHARTON, TEXAS, MAY 16, 1902

HIS WIFE

CATHERINE MAYS DARDEN

BORN FEBRUARY 13, 1836 DIED AUGUST 19, 1912

Travis County











JOHN HAWKINS SINGLETON

SERVED IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS, 1836 THE ARMY OF THE UNITED STATES IN THE MEXICAN WAR, 1846 THE CONFEDERATE ARMY 1861-1865 BORN IN KENTUCKY JUNE 25, 1818 DIED IN ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS AUGUST 3, 1884

HIS WIFE REBECCA ANN (BARKER) SINGLETON

BORN IN TENNESSEE OCTOBER 9, 1830 DIED IN ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS MAY 8, 1901

Travis County

EDWIN FAIRFAX GRAY

MIDSHIPMAN IN THE TEXAS NAVY, 1841 LIEUTENANT IN THE U. S. NAVY, 1857 LIEUTENANT COLONEL 4TH TEXAS INFANTRY C. S. A., 1862-65 BORN IN FREDERICKSBURG, VIRGINIA MARCH 15, 1829 DIED, AUG. 19, 1884

Harris County

GEN. JAMES WILLIE

BORN IN GEORGIA JAN. 5, 1822 DIED IN HOUSTON, TEXAS 1863 ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS, 1856-7 OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

Washington County

COLONEL ALFRED G. COOPER

SEMINOLE FLORIDA WAR, 1836 V CAP-TAIN IN MEXICAN WAR, 1846 V LT. COL. CONFEDERATE ARMY, 1862 V BORN IN TENNESSEE, JUNE 22, 1817 V DIED FEBRUARY 28, 1883

Parker County





ESTABLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES ARMY DECEMBER 5, 1848 AS A PROTECTION TO TRAVELERS AND SETTLERS AGAINST INDIAN ATTACK NAMED IN HONOR OF MAJOR MARTIN SCOTT, BREVET LIEUTENANT COLONEL, 5TH UNITED STATES INFANTRY, KILLED AT MOLINO DEL REY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1847 ITS GARRISON PARTICIPATED IN MANY INDIAN SKIRMISHES OCCUPIED INTERMITTENTLY AFTER 1852 HELD BY THE CONFEDERATES, 1861-1865 PERMANENTLY ABANDONED IN DECEMBER, 1866

Gillespie County

SITE OF

CAMP SAN SABA

HERE WAS STATIONED, 1862-1864, CAPTAIN W. G. O'BRIEN'S COMPANY OF MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS A UNIT OF THE FRONTIER REGIMENT ORGANIZED TO PROTECT THE FRONTIER AGAINST INDIANS • THE REGI-MENT IN 1864 BECAME THE FORTY-SIXTH TEXAS CAVALRY IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

McCulloch County

COL. NATHANIEL BENTON

BORN IN TENNESSEE 1814 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 SERVED IN THE ARMY, 1836 TEXAS RANGER, 1858 CONFEDERATE OFFICER, 1861 DIED IN 1872

> HIS WIFE JANE HARRIS BENTON

> > BORN IN 1836 DIED IN 1862

Guadalupe County

JUDGE STOCKTON P. DONLEY

IN WHOSE HONOR DONLEY COUNTY WAS NAMED CONFEDERATE OFFICER ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS BORN IN MISSOURI MAY 27, 1821 DIED FEB. 17, 1871

HIS WIFE EMMA DONLEY

BORN JULY 15, 1834 DIED JULY 9, 1909

Smith County















AMOS GATES

A MEMBER OF AUSTIN'S FIRST COLONY V BORN JANUARY 11, 1799 V DIED MAY 26, 1883

HIS SON

WILLIAM C. GATES

WHO SERVED IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY V BORN JULY 15, 1834 DIED JANUARY 30, 1877

Washington County

COLONEL GEORGE WYTHE BAYLOR

BORN AUGUST 24, 1832 AT FORT GIBSON IN WHAT IS NOW THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA DIED MARCH 24, 1916 COLONEL OF THE 2ND REGIMENT ARIZONA BRIGADE, C. S. A. LATER A NOTED TEXAS RANGER

Bexar County

CAPTAIN ANDREW JACKSON BERRY

BORN IN INDIANA MAY 16, 1816 DIED AT BAIRD, TEXAS JULY 31, 1899 VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY.

Callahan County

CAPTAIN HENRY C. LYON

SERVED IN ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS COMMANDED A COMPANY IN THE ARMY OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA BORN IN TENNESSEE APRIL 15, 1815 DIED MARCH 31, 1889

Fisher County







WILLIAM E. COLLARD

BORN IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY, TEXAS APRIL, 1839 DIED IN AUSTIN APRIL 15, 1902 SERVED IN THE CONFEDERACY 10TH AND 15TH TEXAS INFANTRY ELECTED DISTRICT JUDGE IN ROBERTSON COUNTY, 1880 ON CIVIL APPEALS COURT 1887-1902 Travis County

JOHN IRELAND

BORN IN HART COUNTY, KENTUCKY JANUARY 1, 1827 DIED IN SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS MARCH 15, 1896

AN OFFICER IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY SENATOR IN THE STATE LEGISLATURE ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS GOVERNOR OF TEXAS JAN. 16, 1883 TO JAN. 18, 1887 Travis County

HERE REST

FRANCES LENOIR MCCULLOCH AND HER SON BENJAMIN MCCULLOCH

TWO OF THE SONS OF ALEXANDER AND FRANCES (LENOIR) MCULLOCH, BENJAMIN AND HENRY EUSTACE, WERE BRIGADIER GENERALS IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

> FRANCES LENOIR MCCULLOCH BORN APRIL 11, 1780 DIED IN ELLIS COUNTY, TEXAS MAY 10, 1866

BENJAMIN MCCULLOCH BORN IN TENNESSEE NOVEMBER 11, 1811 PRIVATE IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO APRIL 21, 1836 KILLED IN THE BATTLE OF ELK HORN, ARKANSAS MARCH 7, 1862 WHILE A BRIGADIER GENERAL IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

Travis County

NATIVE AMERICANS 1500 - 1880

Tejas Warrior at the Hall of State in the Dallas Exposition Esplanade

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LARGEST PICTOGRAPH

SITE IN TEXAS

1500 PAINTINGS BY VARIOUS TRIBES AT WIDELY DIFFERING DATES ARE SCATTERED ALONG THE BLUFF FOR A HALF MILE

MOST OUTSTANDING PICTORIAL CONTRIBUTION OF THE NOMADIC TRIBES OF TEXAS

Concho County



ROARING SPRING

FROM PREHISTORIC DAYS A FAVORITE INDIAN CAMP GROUND • THE MAIN CAMP OF THE COMANCHE INDIANS IN DECEMBER, 1860 WHEN CYNTHIA ANN PARKER WAS RECAPTURED FROM THEM NEAR MEDICINE MOUND IN FOARD COUNTY • FAMED FOR THE PURITY OF ITS WATER • TRADITION TELLS OF CORN GROUND IN THE HOLES IN THE SAND STONES NORTH OF THIS SITE

Motley County









IN THE PRESENT COUNTY OF CHEROKEE

WAS THE HOME OF THE EXALTED GRAND XINESI-CHIEF PRIEST AND CUSTODIAN OF THE SACRED FIRE OF THE HASINAI CONFEDERACY OF INDIANS. IF FIRE WAS ALLOWED TO DIE OUT, IT WAS HIS DUTY TO CARRY MORE FIRE WITH PROPER CEREMONY TO THEIR HOMES TO BE REKINDLED. IT WAS TO THE HAINAI - THE PRINCIPAL TRIBE OF THIS CONFEDERACY, THAT THE WORD "TEXAS" WAS GENERALLY APPLIED.





LIBERTY COUNTY

THE HOME OF THE ORCOQUISAC INDIANS AN EAST-WEST TRAIL ACROSS THE REGION TRAVELED BY ALONSO DE LEON IN 1690 BECAME THE "LA BAHIA" OR "LOWER ROAD" OF THE 18TH CENTURY AND

THE OPELOUSAS ROAD OF THE 19TH AT THE POINT THIS ROAD CROSSED THE TRINITY THE SPANIARDS MADE THE FIRST SETTLEMENT, ATASCOSITO, IN1757 NAPOLEONIC EXILES SOUGHT REFUGE HERE IN 1818. ANGLO-AMERICANS CAME, 1821-1830 THE TOWN, ESTABLISHED MAY 5, 1831, AS THE "VILLA DE LA SANTISIMATRINIDAD DE LA LIBERTAD" (CITY OF THE BLESSED TRINITY OF LIBERTY) GAVE ITS NAME TO THE MUNICIPALITY AND TO THE COUNTY CREATED IN 1836 LIBERTY COUNTY IN 1837 INCLUDED ALL OF TYLER AND PARTS OF HARDIN, CHAMBERS, JACINTO AND POLK COUNTIES SAN

THE TOWN OF LIBERTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 7, 1837, HAS REMAINED THE COUNTY SEAT

IN MEMORY OF

THE PIONEER SETTLERS OF THE REGION

PATRICK C. JACK, CLAIBORNE WEST, JAMES MORGAN DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION OF 1832

PATRICK C. JACK, SAMUEL WHITING, WILLIAM HARDIN, DAVID G. BURNET, DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION OF 1833

HENRY MILLARD, GEORGE M. PATRICK, A. B. HARDIN, JAMES B. WOODS

DELEGATES TO THE CONSULTATION IN 1835 A. B. HARDIN, JAMES B. WOODS, M. B. MENARD

SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

THE SOLDIERS FROM LIBERTY COUNTY WHO FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO AND ELSEWHERE FOR AND IN DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS.





THE TOWN OF SPANISH FORT OCCUPIES THE SITE OF AN ANCIENT TAOVAYAS INDIAN VILLAGE.

SCENE OF FIRST SEVERE DEFEAT IN TEXAS OF SPANISH TROOPS BY INDIANS IN 1759.

NAMED FORT TEODORO IN 1778 BY DE MEZIERES IN HONOR OF TEODORO DE CROIX, COMMANDER OF THE INTERIOR PROVINCES OF MEXICO.

PERMANENT WHITE SETTLEMENTS BEGAN IN THIS VICINITY AFTER 1850.

"LET THE GRANDEUR OF THE PIONEER BE DISCERNED IN THE SAFETY HE HAS SECURED, IN THE GOOD HE HAS ACCOMPLISHED, IN THE CIVILIZATION HE HAS ESTABLISHED."

Montague County



LA CALLE REAL DEL NORTE

AN 18TH-CENTURY TRAIL CONNECTING THE INDIAN VILLAGES OF THE NACOG-DOCHE AND NASONI INDIANS TRAVELLED BY SPANISH MISSIONARIES, SOLDIERS AND SETTLERS, FRENCH TRADERS AND AMERICAN FILBUSTERS BEFORE ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONISTS CAME TO MAKE TEXAS THEIR HOME

Nacogdoches County



WILD ROSE PASS

IN EARLY DAYS THE INDIAN TRAIL THROUGH THESE MOUNTAINS FOLLOWED THE GORGE BELOW KNOWN AS LIMPIA CANYON. TO AVOID THE FLOODS TRAVELERS OVER THE SAN ANTONIO-EL PASO ROAD, EMIGRANTS, U. S. TROOPS AND SUPPLY TRAINS, AND THE MAIL CHOSE THIS HIGHER PASS FAMED FOR ITS WEALTH OF WILD ROSES

Jeff Davis County



YOU ARE NOW TRAVELING THE COMANCHE TRAIL, BLAZED BY COMANCHE INDIANS, EN ROUTE FROM THE WESTERN PLAINS TO MEXICO, AND TRAVELED LATER BY EMI-GRANTS AND SOLDIERS. IT EXTENDED SOUTH FROM THE HORSE HEAD CROSSING OF THE PECOS BY COMANCHE SPRINGS (FORT STOCKTON) TO THE RIO GRANDE.

Brewster County

TRAMMEL'S TRACE AN EARLY INDIAN TRAIL WHICH

NACOGDOCHES BEARS THE NAME OF NICHOLAS TRAMMEL FERRYMAN BETWEEN 1820 AND 1830

EXTENDED



AT THE CROSSING OF THE TRINITY ON THE OLD SAN ANTONIO ROAD

FROM RED RIVER TO

Rusk County





SEVEN WELLS

SO NAMED FOR THE SEVEN NATURAL UNFAILING FRESH WATER WELLS, CUT DEEP INTO SANDSTONE ROCK. HERE WAS THE LAST WATERING HOLE FOR THE BUFFALO, WHOSE TRACKS ARE IMPRINTED IN THE ROCK. AN OLD INDIAN CAMP, AND ONE OF THE FIRST CAMPING GROUNDS FOR MITCHELL COUNTY SETTLERS. NOW STILL VISITED FOR ITS SCENIC BEAUTY AND AS AN IDEAL PICNIC GROUND.

Mitchell County

SITE OF EPPERSON'S FERRY

AT THIS CROSSING, CONSTRUCTED BY NATURE AND USED BY CADDO INDIANS, EARLY FRENCH AND SPANISH EXPLORERS, AND TRAVELERS OVER TRAMMEL'S TRACE, MARK EPPERSON BEFORE 1837 ESTABLISHED A FERRY USED UNTIL THE CONSTRUCTION OF A WOODEN BRIDGE ANTEDATING THE MODERN STRUCTURE ERECTED IN 1924

Bowie County





RECONSTRUCTED HOUSE IN THE BURIED CITY



MOSS SPRING

INDIAN CAMP SITE AND WATERING PLACE THE FIRST ROAD FROM FORT SMITH, ARKANSAS, TO EL PASO BLAZED BY CAPTAIN RANDOLPH B. MARCH OF THE U. S. ARMY IN 1849, WHICH BECAME KNOWN AS THE NORTH TEXAS EMIGRANT TRAIL OR THE MARCY TRAIL TRAVELED BY MANY IN THE EARLY FIFTIES, PASSED THIS SPRING OF EVERLASTING WATER GUARDED BY ITS SENTRY POST, SIGNAL MOUNTAIN

Howard County

IN 1907 DR. T. L. EYERLY, FLOYD V. STUDER AND OTHER ARCHAEOLOGISTS DISCOVERED HERE "THE BURIED CITY"

THESE PUEBLO RUINS WERE BUILT BY THE PANHANDLE PUEBLO INDIANS WHO WERE AGRICULTURISTS, STONE HOUSE BUILDERS, POTTERY AND BASKET MAKERS

DR. WARREN K. MOOREHEAD PARTIALLY EXCAVATED THIS RUIN IN 1919-1920

SOME ARCHAEOLOGISTS AND HISTORIANS AGREE THAT THE WELL-BUILT STONE HOUSES WERE IN RU'INS WHEN CORONADO EXPLORED THIS REGION IN 1541

Ochiltree County

HORSE HEAD CROSSING ON THE PECOS RIVER

HERE CROSSED THE UNDATED COMANCHE TRAIL FROM LLANO ESTACADO TO MEXICO. IN 1850 JOHN R. BARTLETT WHILE SURVEYING THE MEXICAN BOUNDARY FOUND THE CROSSING MARKED BY SKULLS OF HORSES; HENCE THE NAME "HORSE HEAD." THE SOUTHERN OVERLAND MAIL (BUTTERFIELD) ROUTE, ST. LOUIS TO SAN FRANCISCO, 1858-1861, AND THE ROAD WEST FROM FORT CONCHO CROSSED HERE. THE GOODNIGHT-LOVING TRAIL, ESTABLISHED IN 1866 AND TROD BY TENS OF THOUSANDS OF TEXAS LONGHORNS, CAME HERE AND TURNED UP THE EAST BANK OF THE PECOS FOR FORT SUMNER AND INTO COLORADO.

Crane County



HUECO TANKS

ONE OF THE MOST HISTORIC SPOTS IN THE SOUTHWEST. FAMOUS WATERING PLACE FOR INDIANS, EMIGRANTS, AND TRAVELERS. NEAR HERE ON MANY OCCASIONS THE APACHE CHALLENGED THE RIGHT OF THE WHITE MAN TO PASS THROUGH AND DISTURB HIS COUNTRY. HERE WAS A STATION OF THE SOUTHERN OVERLAND MAIL LINE WHICH LINKED ST. LOUIS WITH SAN FRANCISCO, 1858-1861.

El Paso County



SITE OF NECHES INDIAN VILLAGE HERE AT THE OPENING OF THE 18TH CENTURY STOOD A VILLAGE OF THE NECHES INDIANS THEIR NAME WAS GIVEN TO THE RIVER AND LATER TO A MISSION, SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS NECHES, ESTABLISHED NEAR BY WITH THE CHEROKEES, THE NECHES INDIANS WERE EXPELLED FROM TEXAS IN 1839

Cherokee County



SAND HILL

HERE EAST TEXAS INDIANS MADE POTTERY FROM NATIVE CLAY VEXCAVATIONS SINCE 1840 HAVE BROUGHT TO LIGHT MANY VESSELS WHOSE DESIGNS, GLAZE, COLOR AND CARVINGS INDICATE SUPERIOR SKILL VET HIM INTO WHOSE HANDS COMES A SPECIMEN OF THIS POTTERY CHERISH IT AS A RELIC OF THOSE EARLY ARTISTS

Upshur County



SITE OF THE DELAWARE INDIAN VILLAGE

NOTED AS INTERPRETERS AND MESSENGERS OF PEACE, THE DELAWARES WERE CHIEFLY INSTRUMENTAL IN BRINGING THE OTHER TRIBES TO THE GENERAL TREATY AT BIRD'S FORT (IN THE PRESENT COUNTY OF TAR-RANT) IN 1843

Cherokee County



VILLAGE OF THE ALABAMA AND COUSHATTI INDIANS WHO CAME INTO TEXAS EARLY IN THE 19TH CENTURY AND HAVE ALWAYS BEEN FRIENDLY WITH THE WHITES

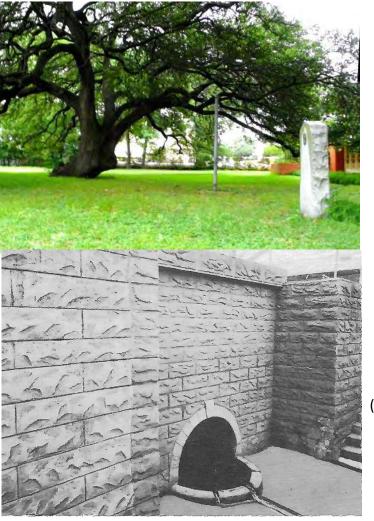
Polk County



BRUSHY MOUND

FROM THIS LOOKOUT ON WHOSE SUMMIT AN INDIAN CHIEF LIES BURIED, KIOWAS AND COMANCHES SPIED ON EARLY SETTLERS BEFORE LAUNCHING UNEXPECTED ATTACKS

Montague County







ON THIS SITE

STOOD THE VILLAGE OF A SEMI-CIVILIZED TRIBE, THE WACO INDIANS WHO MADE A TREATY WITH STEPHEN F. AUSTIN IN 1824 BUT WERE, DRIVEN OUT BY COMANCHES ABOUT 1837 FROM THEM THE CITY OF WACO, LAID OUT BY MAJOR GEORGE B. ERATH IN 1849, TAKES ITS NAME

McLennan County

Added plaque states it was Cherokees, not Comanches

WACO SPRING SITE OF THE WACO INDIAN VILLAGE (photo from 1938 book)

BATTLE ISLAND

HERE IN 1826, A COMPANY OF VOLUNTEERS COMMANDED BY CAPTAIN AYLETT C. BUCKNER ALMOST EXTERMINATED A BAND OF KARANKAWA INDIANS WHO HAD MURDERED SEVERAL FAM-ILIES ON LOWER CANEY

Sabine County

IN THIS VICINITY

ON NOVEMBER 21, 1831 JAMES BOWIE, REZIN P. BOWIE, DAVID BUCHANAN, CEPHAS D. HAMM, MATTHEW DOYLE, JESSE WALLACE, THOMAS MCCASLIN, ROBERT ARMSTRONG, JAMES CORYELL WITH TWO SERVANTS, CHARLES AND GONZALES, HELD AT BAY FOR A DAY AND A NIGHT, 164 CADDOS AND LIPANS * AFTER 80 WARRIORS HAD BEEN KILLED, THE INDIANS WITHDREW

McCulloch County









SITE OF BOWLES' INDIAN VILLAGE

HERE GENERAL SAM HOUSTON AND JOHN FORBES SIGNED A TREATY ON FEBRUARY 23, 1836 WITH BOWLES, CHIEF OF THE CHEROKEES AND HIS ASSOCIATED BANDS BY WHICH "DOMICILE AND TILLAGE- USU-FRUCTUARY RIGHTS" WERE GUARANTEED THEM.

Rusk County

SITE OF

COUNCIL HILL

HOME OF VERNON B. LEA, BROTHER OF MRS. SAM HOUSTON V HERE GENERAL HOUSTON FREQUENTLY MET WITH DELEGATIONS OF ALABAMA INDIANS

San Jacinto County

PEASE RIVER BATTLEFIELD

AFTER BEING CAPTURED BY COMANCHE INDIANS ON MAY 19, 1836 IN WHAT IS NOW LIMESTONE COUNTY, CYNTHIA ANN PARKER WAS RECAPTURED HERE BY TEXAS RANGERS UNDER CAPTAIN L. S. ROSS ON DECEMBER 18, 1860

Foard County

SITE OF THE KICKAPOO BATTLEFIELD

HERE GENERAL THOMAS J. RUSK WITH 200 TEXANS ON OCTOBER 16, 1838, ATTACKED A BAND OF HOSTILE INDIANS AND ALLIED MEXICANS, MOLESTORS OF FRONTIER SETTLEMENTS, AND ROUTED THEM

Anderson County







NEAR HERE ON OCTOBER 20, 1838

MOSES LAPHAM

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO, AND THREE OF HIS COMPANIONS WERE KILLED BY INDIANS, AS WERE SEVEN MEMBERS OF A RESCUE PARTY ON THE FOLLOWING DAY

Bexar County

AT THIS SITE WAS THE CAMP OF THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS UNDER GENERALS EDWARD BURLESON, THOMAS J. RUSK, ALBERT SIDNEY JOHNSTON, HUGH MªLEOD, KELSEY H. DOUGLASS AND COLONEL WILLIS H. LANDRUM JUST BEFORE THEY ENGAGED CHIEF BOWLES OF THE CHEROKEES AND ASSOCIATED TRIBES IN THE DECISIVE BATTLE ON JULY 16, 1839, BY WHICH THE INDIANS WERE FOREVER DRIVEN FROM EAST TEXAS

Smith County

ON THIS SITE THE CHEROKEE CHIEF BOWLES

WAS KILLED ON JULY 16, 1839 WHILE LEADING 800 INDIANS OF VARIOUS TRIBES IN BATTLE AGAINST 500 TEXANS • • THE LAST ENGAGEMENT BETWEEN CHEROKEES AND WHITES IN TEXAS

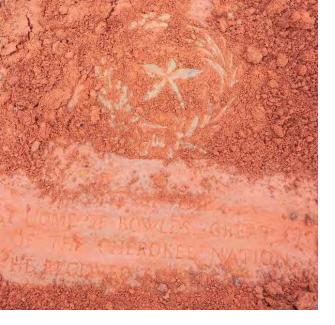
Van Zandt County

HERE WAS THE CAMP OF THE

ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

UNDER GENERALS KELSEY H. DOUGLASS THOMAS J. RUSK, EDWARD BURLESON AND COLONEL LANDRUM, FROM WHICH THE SOLDIERS RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES ON JULY 25, 1839 AFTER THE DECISIVE BATTLE WITH CHIEF BOWLES OF THE CHEROKEES AND ASSOCIATED TRIBES ON JULY 16, 1839 IN VAN ZANDT COUNTY

Smith County



SITE OF THE LAST HOME OF BOWLES, GREAT CHIEF OF THE CHEROKEE NATION. HERE HE RECEIVED PRESIDENT LAMAR'S DECREE OF EXPULSION FROM TEXAS OF THE CHEROKEES AND ASSOCIATE TRIBES IN JUNE, 1839. CHIEF BOWLES WAS KILLED IN A DECISIVE BATTLE IN THE PRESENT VAN ZANDT COUNTY, JULY 16, 1839 AND THE TRIBES EXPELLED.

Cherokee County











HERE SLEEP THE VICTIMS OF THE "WEBSTER MASSACRE"

OF AUGUST 27, 1839 ABOUT THIRTY HOMESEEKERS HEADED BY JOHN WEBSTER EN ROUTE TO WHAT IS NOW BURNET COUNTY, WERE ATTACKED BY A BAND OF COMANCHE INDIANS AFTER ATTEMPTING TO FLEE UNDER COVER OF DARKNESS, THEY WERE TRAPPED IN THIS VICINITY MRS. WEBSTER AND HER TWO CHILDREN WERE CAPTURED AND LATER RELEASED ALL THE OTHERS WERE KILLED MARTHA WEBSTER THEN BUT THREE YEARS OLD WAS LATER MARRIED TO MARMADUKE STRICKLAND

Williamson County

INDIAN BATTLEFIELD

AT THIS SITE, NEAR THE PIONEER HOME OF GEORGE MORGAN, A BATTLE TOOK PLACE, JANUARY 16, 1839, BETWEEN SETTLERS IN THIS REGION AND INDIANS UNDER CHIEF JOSE MARIA IN WHICH THE COLONISTS WERE DEFEATED

A TREATY WITH THESE INDIANS MADE SOON AFTER BROUGHT COMPARATIVE PEACE TO THIS REGION

Falls County

400 YARDS NORTHEAST IS THE SITE OF THE HOME OF GEORGE MORGAN INDIANS ATTACKING THE HOUSE ON THE NIGHT

OF JAN. 1, 1839 KILLED GEORGE MORGAN MRS. GEORGE MORGAN MRS. JACKSON MORGAN MISS ADELINE MARLIN

Falls County

IN THIS VICINITY ON A BANK OF THE COLORADO OCTOBER 24, 1840 A COMANCHE INDIAN VILLAGE WAS COMPLETELY DESTROYED AND MUCH STOLEN PROPERTY RECOVERED **INCLUDING 500 HORSES 128 INDIANS WERE KILLED** 34 WERE CAPTURED THE EXPEDITION COMMANDED BY COLONEL JOHN HENRY MOORE CONSISTED OF 90 CITIZEN VOLUNTEERS MOSTLY RESIDENTS OF FAYETTE COUNTY SEVENTEEN FRIENDLY LIPAN INDIANS UNDER CHIEFS CASTRO AND FLACO SERVED AS GUIDES NO TEXANS WERE KILLED AND BUT TWO WOUNDED

Upshur County

THIS MARKER FACES THE SITE (ACROSS THE STREET) OF ROUND TOP HOUSE

THE CITADEL OF VICTORIA * BUILT BEFORE THE YEAR 1836 BY PLACIDO BENAVIDES, SON-IN-LAW OF MARTIN DE LEON * THE HOUSE SERVED AS A PLACE OF REFUGE FOR THE CITI-ZENS OF VICTORIA DURING THE COMANCHE RAID OF 1840

Victoria County

NINE MILES WEST IS THE ENCHANTED ROCK

FROM ITS SUMMIT, IN THE FALL OF 1841 CAPTAIN JOHN C. HAYS WHILE SURROUNDED BY COMANCHE INDIANS WHO CUT HIM OFF FROM HIS RANGING COMPANY, REPULSED THE WHOLE BAND AND INFLICTED UPON THEM SUCH HEAVY LOSS THAT THEY FLED

Llano County

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Gillespie County

IN THIS VICINITY

JUNE 24, 1841, CAPTAIN JOHN COFFEE HAYS AND HIS COMPANY OF 16 RANGERS ASSISTED BY THIRTY MEXICANS UNDER CAPTAIN FLORES ENCOUNTERED TEN COMANCHE INDIANS * KILLED EIGHT AND CAPTURED THE OTHER TWO * NONE OF THE RANGERS WERE KILLED AND BUT ONE WOUNDED

Uvalde County











SITE OF RAVEN HILL

PLANTATION HOME OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON WHO WAS CALLED "THE RAVEN" BY THE CHEROKEE INDIANS V BUILT IN 1844 V SOLD BEFORE 1860

San Jacinto County



QUEEN'S PEAK INDIAN LOOKOUT

DISCOVERED BY WHITE MEN IN 1848 PERMANENT WHITE SETTLEMENT BEGAN IN THIS REGION IN 1858 HISTORY IS A LONG STORY OF INDIAN RAIDS IN MEMORY OF PIONEER WOMEN, WHO, IN THE MIDST OF SUCH DANGERS, DAILY RISKED THEIR LIVES FOR OTHERS, THIS MONUMENT IS ERECTED

Montague County



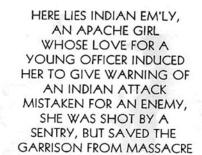
ON THIS SITE

A TREATY OF PEACE WAS AGREED UPON, MARCH 1-2, 1847, BETWEEN TWENTY COMANCHE CHIEFS AND THE GERMAN COLONISTS REPRE-SENTED BY OTFRIED HANS, FREIHERR VON MEUSEBACH (1812-1897), WHO BECAME A CITIZEN OF TEXAS UNDER THE NAME OF JOHN O. MEUSEBACH V V THIS TREATY WAS NEVER BROKEN

San Saba County







[Special marker erected in the old cemetery, Fort Davis, with a \$200 allocation by the Commission

Jeff Davis County

SITE OF THE PRINCIPAL VILLAGE OF THE

COMANCHE INDIAN RESERVE

ESTABLISHED IN 1854 V HERE COLONEL ROBERT E. LEE, U. S. A., THEN COM-MANDING CAMP COOPER, HELD A PEACE PARLEY WITH CHIEF CATUMSEH ON APRIL 11, 1856

Throckmorton County



AROUND THIS MOUNTAIN A BATTLE WAS FOUGHT ON JANUARY 8, 1865

DOVE CREEK BATTLEFIELD

WAS FOUGHT ON JANUARY 8, 1865 BETWEEN 2000 INDIANS AND TEXAS RANGERS AND STATE TROOPS COM-MANDED BY CAPTAINS JOHN FOSSETT AND S. S. TOTTEN ***** FOUR OFFICERS AND 22 OF THEIR MEN LIE IN UNMARKED GRAVES NEAR BY

Irion County



THE BATTLE OF ADOBE WALLS

WAS FOUGHT HERE NOVEMBER 25, 1864, WHEN COLONEL CHRISTOPHER (KIT) CARSON (1809-1868) WITH A FEW COMPANIES OF UNITED STATES TROOPS UNDER THE PROTECTION OF THE ADOBE WALLS ATTACKED A BAND OF HOSTILE KIOWA AND COMANCHE INDIANS AND KILLED OVER 60 BRAVES THIS WAS "KIT" CARSON'S LAST FIGHT

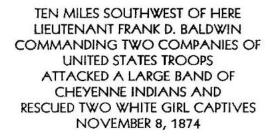
Hutchinson County





PRIVATES GREGG, WILLIAM MAX, W. H. KILPATRICK AND OTHER SOLDIERS WHO MET DEATH IN THIS REGION WHILE SERVING UNDER GENERAL R. S. MACKENZIE, FOURTH U. S. CAVALRY, 1871-1872 AND 1874-1875 * WITH NO HOPE OF HONOR IF VICTORIOUS, NO DREAM OF MERCY IF THEY FELL, AND THE CERTAINTY OF DEATH BY TOR-TURE IF TAKEN ALIVE, THEY FOUGHT THE SAVAGE COMANCHE AND CLEARED THE PLAINS FOR THE WHITE MEN

Dickens County



Gray County





INDIAN BATTLEFIELD

IN THIS VICINITY LIEUTENANT FRANK D. BALDWIN, COMMANDING TWO COMPANIES OF UNITED STATES TROOPS, ATTACKED A LARGE BAND OF INDIANS AND RESCUED TWO WHITE GIRL CAPTIVES, NOVEMBER 8, 1874

Gray County

IN THIS VICINITY

JUNE 12, 1880 THE APACHES MADE THEIR LAST STAND IN PRESIDIO COUNTY WHEN FOUR PUEBLO INDIAN SCOUTS OF GENERAL BENJ. H. GRIERSON, U. S. A. FOUGHT AND DEFEATED 20 APACHE WARRIORS

Presidio County



IN THIS VICINITY MAY 24, 1841 GENERAL EDWARD H. TARRANT WITH 70 MEN ATTACKED SEVERAL INDIAN VILLAGES SITUATED ALONG A CREEK (NOW CALLED VILLAGE CREEK) AND RECOVERED MANY HORSES AND MUCH STOLEN PLUNDER 12 INDIANS WERE KILLED AND MANY WOUNDED OF THE TEXANS CAPTAIN JOHN B. DENTON WAS KILLED CAPTAINS HENRY STOUT AND GRIFFIN WERE WOUNDED

Tarrant County



QUIHI SURVEYED IN OCTOBER, 1844 BY

HENRI CASTRO 1786 V V 1861 DISTINGUISHED PIONEER AND COLONIZER OF TEXAS

ESTABLISHED IN MARCH, 1845 BY TEN FAMILIES IN CHARGE OF LOUIS HUTH, AGENT FOR CASTRO

MANY SETTLERS WERE KILLED BY INDIANS BEFORE 1860

Medina County



WICHITA COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG LAND DISTRICT CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED JUNE 21, 1882

NAMED FOR THE WICHITA INDIANS WHO FORMERLY RESIDED HERE

COUNTY SEAT, WICHITA FALLS









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COMANCHE COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 25, 1856 ORGANIZED MAY 17, 1856 NAMED FOR THE COMANCHE INDIANS, NOMADS OF THE PLAINS, SUCCESSFUL HUNTERS, SUPERB HORSEMEN, AND COURAGEOUS WARRIORS, THE TERROR OF TEXAS FRONTIER SETTLERS, WHO DISPOSSESSED THEM OF THEIR HUNTING GROUNDS.

COUNTY SEAT TROY (CHANGED TO CORA), 1856 COMANCHE, SINCE JULY 18, 1859

CASAS AMARILLAS (YELLOW HOUSES)

MOST FAMOUS LANDMARK ON THE SOUTH PLAINS • ANCIENT INDIAN CAMP GROUND VISITED IN THE 17TH CENTURY BY SPANISH MISSIONARIES • HERE THE WHITES RECOVERED THROUGH TRADE PROPERTY STOLEN BY INDIANS • CAMP SITE FOR BUFFALO HUNTERS, FREIGHTERS AND CATTLEMEN • ACQUIRED BY THE X I T SYNDICATE, 1882; BY GEORGE W. LITTLEFIELD, 1901

Hockley County

SITE OF

SHAWNEE TOWN

AN INDIAN VILLAGE OCCUPIED SUCCES-SIVELY BY SEVERAL INDIAN TRIBES BEFORE THE CHEROKEES AND THEIR ASSOCIATES WERE DRIVEN FROM EAST TEXAS IN 1839 ▼ THE MOUNDS, SUG-GESTIVE OF THEIR BURIAL PLACES, AND BITS OF POTTERY REMAIN MUTE EVIDENCES OF THE CIVILIZATION OF THE RED MEN

Rusk County

SITE OF

TORREY'S TRADING POST

ESTABLISHED IN 1843 BY JOHN F. TORREY AND BROTHERS AND MANAGED BY GEORGE BARNARD THE POST WAS ON THE LINE SEPARATING THE INDIAN AND WHITE SETTLEMENTS HERE THE INDIANS SIGNED TREATIES AND RECEIVED PRESENTS UNTIL 1854 WHEN THEY WERE SETTLED ON RESERVATIONS ON THE UPPER BRAZOS

McClennan County

HIGHWAY MARKERS

This chapter includes the county markers in alphabetical order not included under the 6 flags. When the Centennial Commission saw the 1935 Highway markers, they decided on a more extensive statewide historical marker project. The highway markers were originally placed on the main road leading into the county. As the highways were widened, many of the markers were moved to county courthouses, roadside parks, or stayed near the county line. Over the years, many have been vandalized or neglected, and several are missing. Others have been restored by the counties. Our photographs were taken between 2008 and 2012, with a few updates. Today's Highway Department didn't know the markers were their responsibility until I brought it to their attention in 2020, and the markers should now receive better care.

Marker texts were taken from the 1938 "Monuments Commemorating the Centenary of Texas Independence." A few didn't have the name of the person honored, so it has been added. In addition to the 220 county markers, the 44 remaining designate historical points of interest are included in the other chapters.

When reading this chapter, make sure you have a big map by your side to locate all of the counties. Actual marker locations will be listed in the Addendum.











ANDERSON COUNTY

CREATED MARCH 24, 1846, FROM HOUSTON COUNTY ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846 WITH PALESTINE AS THE COUNTY SEAT NAMED IN HONOR OF KENNETH LEWIS ANDERSON VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1844-45

ANDREWS COUNTY

CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED MAY 11, 1910

NAMED FOR

RICHARD ANDREWS

KILLED AT THE BATTLE OF CONCEPCION, OCTOBER 28, 1835 THE FIRST MAN TO FALL IN THE TEXAS REVOLUTION

COUNTY SEAT, ANDREWS

ANGELINA COUNTY

CREATED AND ORGANIZED IN 1846 ORIGINALLY A PART OF NACOGDOCHES COUNTY BEARS THE NAME OF THE RIVER TRAVERSING THE REGION THE FOLLOWING TOWNS HAVE SERVED AS THE COUNTY SEAT MARION 1846-1854 JONESVILLE 1854-1858 HOMER FEB. 3-MAY 17, 1858 WHEN ITS NAME WAS CHANGED TO ANGELINA 1858-1890 LUFKIN 1890

ARANSAS COUNTY

CREATED SEPTEMBER 18, 1871 FROM REFUGIO COUNTY, ORGANIZED IN 1871 WITH ROCKPORT AS THE COUNTY SEAT

NAMED FOR THE RIVER NUESTRA SEÑORA DE ARANZAZU









ARCHER COUNTY

A PART OF THE PETERS' GRANT, 1841 CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 22, 1858 JULY 27, 1880 NAMED IN HONOR OF

DR. BRANCH TANNER ARCHER 1790-1856 TEXAS COMMISSIONER TO THE UNITED STATES, 1835, MEMBER OF CONGRESS, SECRETARY OF WAR OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS. FIRST PERMANENT SETTLEMENT, 1874 FIRST RAILROAD, 1890 ARCHER CITY, THE COUNTY SEAT

ATASCOSA COUNTY

AS EARLY AS 1722 THE CAMINO REAL (KING'S HIGHWAY) FROM THE RIO GRANDE TO SAN ANTONIO TRAVERSED THIS TERRITORY. THE SPANISH TERM "ATASCOSA," DESCRIPTIVE OF THE BOGGY STRETCHES WHICH MADE PIONEER TRAVEL DIFFICULT, GAVE THE COUNTY ITS NAME

CREATED FROM BEXAR COUNTY AND ORGANIZED IN 1856

NAVATASCO, 1857 PLEASANTON, 1858 JOURDANTON, 1911 HAVE SERVED AS COUNTY SEAT

AUSTIN COUNTY

A PART OF THE GRANT TO STEPHEN F. AUSTIN IN 1821 CREATED A MUNICIPALITY UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT IN 1828 BECAME A COUNTY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, MARCH 17, 1836.

NAMED IN HONOR OF

STEPHEN FULLER AUSTIN, 1793-1836 PIONEER EMPRESARIO FOUNDER OF ANGLO-AMERICAN TEXAS. SAN FELIPE DE AUSTIN, CAPITAL OF AUSTIN'S COLONY, 1824-1836 SEAT OF PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS, 1835-1836

> COUNTY SEAT, 1837-1848, BELLVILLE, SINCE

BAILEY COUNTY

A PART OF BEXAR TERRITORY 1836-1876 CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED NOVEMBER 5, 1918 NAMED IN HONOR OF PETER JAMES BAILEY 1812-1836 A KENTUCKY LAWYER KILLED IN DEFENDING THE ALAMO

MULESHOE, THE COUNTY SEAT









BANDERA COUNTY

A STRATEGIC INDIAN POINT IN EARLY DAYS. RANGERS AND COMANCHES STRUGGLED HERE IN 1843. IN 1854 ELDER LYMAN WIGHT SETTLED MORMON COLONY. IN 1855 POLES SETTLED HERE. FROM EARLY DAYS A PART OF BEXAR COUNTY, CREATED AND ORGANIZED IN 1856

BANDERA, THE COUNTY SEAT FOUNDED BY JOHN JAMES, CHARLES DE MONTEL AND JOHN HERNDON IN 1853

BASTROP COUNTY

A PART OF AUSTIN'S GRANT IN 1821 CREATED THE MUNICIPALITY OF MINA 1834, BECAME THE COUNTY OF MINA IN THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1836

NAME CHANGED TO "BASTROP" DECEMBER 18, 1837, IN HONOR OF FELIPE ENRIQUE NERI BARON DE BASTROP, 1770-1829 LAND COMMISSIONER OF AUSTIN'S COLONY MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF COAHUILA AND TEXAS.

BASTROP, THE COUNTY SEAT

BAYLOR COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED APRIL 23, 1879

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DR. HENRY W. BAYLOR 1818-1854 INDIAN FIGHTER AND RANGER CAPTAIN SERVED IN THE MEXICAN WAR. SEYMOUR, THE COUNTY SEAT

BEE COUNTY

CREATED A COUNTY LARGELY FROM SAN PATRICIO IN 1857 ORGANIZED IN 1858. NAMED FOR GENERAL BARNARD E. BEE, 1787-1853 SECRETARY OF WAR AND SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS TEXAS MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES

> FIRST RAILROAD IN 1886 OIL DISCOVERED, 1929

COUNTY SEAT, MARYSVILLE, 1858 BEEVILLE, SINCE 1860









BELL COUNTY

FORMED FROM MILAM COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 22, 1850 AUGUST 1, 1850

NAMED IN HONOR OF

PETER HANSBROUGH BELL, 1812-1898

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO GOVERNOR OF TEXAS, 1849-1853 OFFICER IN MEXICAN WAR MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS, 1853-1857

> COUNTY SEAT NOLANVILLE, 1850 BELTON SINCE DECEMBER 16, 1851

BLANCO COUNTY FORMED FROM BURNET, HAYS, GILLESPIE AND COMAL COUNTIES. OREATED FEBRUARY 12, 1858 ORGANIZED APRIL 12, 1858 NAMED FOR THE STREAM WHICH TRAVERSES THE REGION. COUNTY SEAT, BLANCO CITY, 1858-1890 JOHNSON CITY, SINCE.

BORDEN COUNTY

ORIGINALLY A PART OF BEXAR DISTRICT CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST £1, 1876 MARCH 17, 1891 NAMED IN HONOR OF GAIL BORDEN 1801-1874 PIONEER SURVEYOR, NEWSPAPER EDITOR, AND INVENTOR OF THE PROCESS OF CONDENSING MILK GAIL, COUNTY SEAT

BOSQUE COUNTY

IN 1841 THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION CROSSED THIS REGION. FIRST SETTLEMENT, 1850 CREATED FROM MCLENNAN COUNTY FEBRUARY 4, 1854, ORGANIZED AUGUST 7, 1854. NAMED FOR THE RIVER TRAVERSING ITS WOODED SECTIONS. SCANDINAVIAN SETTLEMENT NEAR NORSE, 1853. MERIDIAN, LOCATED ON LAND DONATED BY DR. J. M. STEINER, AND SURVEYED BY MAJOR GEO. B. ERATH, COUNTY SEAT SINCE 1854









BOWIE COUNTY

IN 1836 A PART OF RED RIVER COUNTY CREATED DECEMBER 17, 1840 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1841 NAMED IN HONOR OF JAMES BOWIE 1785-1836 MEMBER OF LONG'S EXPEDITION DEFENDER OF TEXAS LIBERTY A MARTYR OF THE ALAMO

OLD BOSTON, 1841, TEXARKANA AND NEW BOSTON HAVE SERVED AS COUNTY SEAT

BRAZOS COUNTY

A PART OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF AUSTIN, 1828, MUNICIPALITY OF WASHINGTON, DECEMBER, 1837, CREATED AS NAVASOTA COUNTY, JANUARY 30, 1841, NAME CHANGED TO BRAZOS, JANUARY 28, 1842. ORGANIZED AS BRAZOS COUNTY, FEBRUARY 6, 1843.

FIRST RAILROAD REACHED MILLICAN IN 1860

COUNTY SEAT, BOONVILLE, 1841-1866 BRYAN, SINCE

BREWSTER COUNTY

FORMED FROM PRESIDIO COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 2, 1887, ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 14, 1887. IN 1897 THE TERRITORY OF BU-CHEL AND FOLEY COUNTIES WAS ADDED TO BREWSTER. NAMED FOR HENRY PERCY BREWSTER, 1816-1884 SOLDIER AND STATESMAN, A HERO OF SAN JACINTO.

MURPHYVILLE, COUNTY SEAT, 1887, NAME CHANGED TO ALPINE, 1889. LARGEST COUNTY IN AREA IN THE STATE

BRISCOE COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR TERRITORY CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED MARCH 15, 1892

NAMED FOR ANDREW BRISCOE 1810-1849 DEFENDER OF TEXAN LIBERTY AT THE BATTLE OF CONCEPCION, THE CAPTURE OF BEXAR AND THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO. CHIEF JUSTICE OF HARRIS COUNTY. SILVERTON IS THE COUNTY SEAT









BROOKS COUNTY

FORMED FROM HIDALGO, STARR AND ZAPATA COUNTIES, CREATED MARCH 11, 1911 ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 2, 1911

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES ABIJAH BROOKS, CAPTAIN OF TEXAS RANGERS, 1882-1906, MEMBER OF TEXAS LEGISLATURE, COUNTY JUDGE, BROOKS COUNTY SINCE 1911

FALFURRIAS, THE COUNTY SEAT

BROWN COUNTY

CREATED AUGUST 27, 1856 ORGANIZED MARCH 21, 1857.

NAMED FOR CAPT. HENRY S. BROWN CAME TO TEXAS IN 1824 INDIAN TRADER AND FIGHTER, COMMANDED A COMPANY AT THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, MEMBER OF THE CONVENTION OF 1832

COUNTY SEAT, BROWNWOOD 1856 MOVED TO NEW SITE OF SAME NAME, 1867

BURLESON COUNTY

FORMED FROM WASHINGTON AND MILAM COUNTIES CREATED MARCH 24, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL EDWARD BURLESON 1798-1851 INDIAN FIGHTER, VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO, SENATOR IN THIRD CONGRESS, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, PROMINENT LEADER IN CHEROKEE WAR, VICE-PRESIDENT, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1841-1844 STATE SENATOR WHEN HE DIED

CALDWELL, THE COUNTY SEAT

CALDWELL COUNTY

A PART OF DE WITT'S COLONY, 1825-1836. A PART OF GONZALES COUNTY TO 1848. FIRST SETTLEMENTS WERE ON PLUM CREEK AND THE SAN MARCOS RIVER CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 6, 1848 AUGUST 7, 1848

NAMED IN HONOR OF MATHEW CALDWELL, "OLD PAINT" 1798-1842 SOLDIER-STATESMAN. SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE COMMANDER OF THE TEXAS RANGERS LOCKHART, THE COUNTY SEAT





BURNET COUNTY

FORMED FROM PORTIONS OF TRAVIS, WILLIAMSON AND BELL COUNTIES. CREATED FEBRUARY 5, 1852, ORGANIZED AUGUST 28, 1852. NAMED IN HONOR OF DAVID G. BURNET 1788-1870, PRESIDENT OF THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS IN 1836. COUNTY SEAT, BURNET; FAMOUS FOR ITS GRANITE MOUNTAINS

DAILYTRIB

HOME OF HIGHLAND LAKES NEWS

Restored Texas Centennial marker now rests at Burnet County

Now **Courthouse**tored, a large granite stone commemorating the 100th anniversary of Texas Independence Day has received its new plaques and been installed on the east side of the Burnet County Courthouse in Burnet. An unveiling is planned for sometime in the near future by the Burnet County Historical Commission, which was in charge of the restoration.

The around 5,000-pound stone was originally installed in 1936 at a now long-gone roadside park on the southwest side of the U.S. 281 bridge in Marble Falls. It was one of 1,100 monuments placed across the state by the Commission of Control for Texas Centennial Celebrations. Many of the monuments have disappeared without a trace.

The Marble Falls marker had been stripped of its bronze and <u>pushed down a hill behind La Quinta Inn</u>, probably during one of several Texas Department of Transportation projects to widen the bridge and roadway.

It was discovered by two Cottonwood Shores history buffs, Nichole and Michael Ritchie, who were profiled as <u>Picayune People in a 2022 issue</u> of The Picayune Magazine.

The couple found listings for two Burnet County centennial markers in an old book given to them by a friend. The markers were both placed on U.S. 281: one in Marble Falls by the bridge and the other north of Burnet.

"The Burnet one has been gone for at least 20 years," Michael told The Picayune Magazine in 2022. "The one in Marble Falls has been missing for probably about 30."

Using directions in the book, they walked the hill between U.S. 281 and the La Quinta parking lot and found the Marble Falls stone. Together with TxDOT and the local historical commission, the Ritchies were instrumental in getting the monument restored and moved.

MISSING







CALHOUN COUNTY

FORMED FROM VICTORIA, JACKSON, AND MATAGORDA COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 4, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF JOHN CALDWELL CALHOUN 1782-1850 A DISTINGUISHED SOUTHERN STATESMAN A MEMBER OF CONGRESS AND OF THE CABINET VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, 1825-1832 PORT LAVACA, THE COUNTY SEAT

CALLAHAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR TERRITORY CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 RECREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JULY 3, 1877

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES H. CALLAHAN, 1812-1856 SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS REVOLUTION CAPTAIN OF THE TEXAS RANGERS

COUNTY SEAT, CALLAHAN CITY, 1877 BELLE PLAIN, 1877-1883, BAIRD, SINCE

TWO EARLY MILITARY ROADS, THE CHISHOLM TRAIL, AND THE FIRST GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH LINE

CAMERON COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 12, 1848 FROM NUECES COUNTY ORGANIZED AUGUST 7, 1848

NAMED IN HONOR OF

EWEN CAMERON, 1811-1843 CAPTAIN IN THE MIER EXPEDITION SHOT AT QUERETARO

COUNTY SEAT, SANTA RITA 1848-1849 BROWNSVILLE, SINCE THE EARLIEST BATTLES OF THE MEXICAN WAR AND THE LAST BATTLE OF THE CIVIL WAR WERE FOUGHT IN THIS COUNTY

CAMP COUNTY

FORMED FROM UPSHUR COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 6, 1874 JUNE 20, 1874

NAMED IN HONOR OF JOHN LA FAYETTE CAMP 1828-1891 SOLDIER-LAWYER-STATESMAN, MEMBER OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION, 1866, STATE SENATOR IN 1874 PITTSBURG. THE COUNTY SEAT









CARSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JUNE 29, 1888 NAMED IN HONOR OF SAMUEL P. CARSON 1798-1840 STATESMAN OF THE UNITED STATES AND THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS.

WHEAT, OIL AND GAS CONTRIBUTE TO ITS WEALTH.

PANHANDLE, COUNTY SEAT

CASS COUNTY

FORMED FROM BOWIE COUNTY CREATED APRIL 25, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846 NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL LEWIS CASS, 1782-1868 UNITED STATES SOLDIER AND STATESMAN, ADVOCATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF TEXAS.

COUNTY SEAT, LINDEN, 1852

IN 1861 THE NAME OF THIS COUNTY WAS CHANGED TO DAVIS IN HONOR OF JEFFERSON DAVIS, PRESIDENT OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES, RENAMED CASS COUNTY IN 1871

CASTRO COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1875 DECEMBER 8, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF

HENRI CASTRO 1786-1861 A DISTINGUISHED PIONEER AND COLONIZER OF TEXAS FOUNDER OF THE TOWNS OF CASTROVILLE QUIHI, VANDENBURG AND D'HANIS IN MEDINA COUNTY

DIMMITT, THE COUNTY SEAT

CHAMBERS COUNTY

FORMED FROM JEFFERSON AND LIBERTY COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 12, 1858 AUGUST 2, 1858

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL THOMAS JEFFERSON CHAMBERS 1802-1865 THE FIRST AND ONLY SUPERIOR JUDGE OF TEXAS BEFORE THE REVOLUTION MEMBER OF SECESSION CONVENTION OF 1861

COUNTY SEAT, WALLISVILLE, 1858 ANAHUAC, FIRST KNOWN AS CHAMBERSEA, SINCE 1908 290









CHILDRESS COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 APRIL 11, 1887

> NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE CAMPBELL CHILDRESS 1804-1841

A MEMBER OF THE CONVENTION IN 1836 CO-AUTHOR OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

CHILDRESS, THE COUNTY SEAT

CLAY COUNTY FORMED FROM COOKE COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED DECEMBER 24, 1857 AUGUST 6, 1860 DISORGANIZED IN 1862 BECAUSE OF INDIAN RAIDS REORGANIZED AUGUST 4, 1873 HENRIETTA, HEADQUARTERS FOR **BUFFALO HUNTERS UNTIL 1878** THE FIRST HEREFORD CATTLE IN TEXAS WERE BROUGHT TO CLAY COUNTY 1875 FROM BEECHER, ILLINOIS BY WILLIAM S. IKARD ORIGINAL COUNTY SEAT CAMBRIDGE MOVED TO HENRIETTA 1874

COCHRAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 MAY 6, 1924 NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT COCHRAN A PRIVATE WHO DIED AT THE ALAMO MORTON, THE COUNTY SEAT

COKE COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 13, 1889 APRIL 23, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF

RICHARD COKE 1829-1896 GOVERNOR OF TEXAS 1874-1876 MEMBER OF UNITED STATES SENATE 1878-1896

COUNTY SEAT, HAYRICK, 1889 ROBERT LEE, SINCE 1890





FORMED FROM FANNIN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 3, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

COLLIN COUNTY

NAMED IN HONOR OF

COLLIN MCKINNEY 1766-1861 LAND SURVEYOR SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF CONGRESS, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

COUNTY SEAT, BUCKNER, 1846-1848 MCKINNEY, SINCE

COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 NOVEMBER 4, 1890

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES COLLINSWORTH 1806-1838 THE FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS. SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO SECRETARY OF STATE IN BURNET'S CABINET.

WELLINGTON, THE COUNTY SEAT

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COLEMAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM TRAVIS AND BROWN COUNTIES CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858, ORGANIZED OCTOBER 6, 1864. NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT M. COLEMAN 1799-1837 A SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, A HERO OF SAN JACINTO, ORGANIZER OF FIRST COMPANY OF TEXAS RANGERS. COLEMAN APPROVED AS COUNTY SEAT APRIL 28, 1876









COLORADO COUNTY

A PART OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN'S FIRST COLONY CREATED MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED IN 1837

THE RIVER TRAVERSING THE REGION WAS CALLED "COLORADO" (RED) BY SPANISH EXPLORERS WHO MISTOOK IT FOR THE REDDISH BRAZOS. FROM THE RIVER, THE COUNTY TOOK ITS NAME

COLUMBUS, THE COUNTY SEAT

COMAL COUNTY

FORMED FROM TRAVIS AND BEXAR LAND DISTRICTS CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 24, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED FOR THE RIVER SO CALLED FROM THE PANCAKE SHAPE OF THE ISLANDS FORMED BY ITS SPRINGS

NEW BRAUNFELS, COUNTY SEAT ESTABLISHED MARCH 21, 1845 NAMED IN HONOR OF THE FOUNDER PRINCE CARL OF SOLMS-BRAUNFELS

COMANCHE COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 25, 1856 ORGANIZED MAY 17, 1856 NAMED FOR THE COMANCHE INDIANS, NOMADS OF THE PLAINS, SUCCESSFUL HUNTERS, SUPERB HORSEMEN, AND COURAGEOUS WARRIORS, THE TERROR OF TEXAS FRONTIER SETTLERS, WHO DISPOSSESSED THEM OF THEIR HUNTING GROUNDS.

COUNTY SEAT TROY (CHANGED TO CORA), 1856 COMANCHE, SINCE JULY 18, 1859

CONCHO COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED MARCH 11, 1879 NAMED FOR THE RIVER WHICH THE SPANIARDS CALLED THE CONCHO BECAUSE OF THE MANY SHELLS THAT THEY FOUND IN IT.

PAINT ROCK, THE COUNTY SEAT









COOKE COUNTY

CREATED MARCH 20, 1848 ORGANIZED MARCH 10, 1849

NAMED IN HONOR OF

WILLIAM G. COOKE 1808-1847 CAPTAIN OF THE "NEW ORLEANS GREYS," 1835 ASSISTANT INSPECTOR GENERAL AT SAN JACINTO, 1836 MEMBER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION, 1841 SECRETARY OF WAR AND MARINE, 1845 ADJUTANT GENERAL, 1846-1847

COUNTY SEAT, GAINESVILLE

CORYELL COUNTY

FORMED FROM BELL COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 4, 1854 MARCH 4, 1854

NAMED IN HONOR OF JAMES CORYELL BORN IN TENNESSEE IN 1796 A MEMBER OF THE BOWIE EXPEDITION TO THE OLD SAN SABA SILVER MINES IN 1831 A TEXAS RANGER KILLED BY INDIANS NEAR FORT MILAM MAY 27, 1837

COUNTY SEAT FORT GATES 1854 GATESVILLE, SINCE

COTTLE COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JANUARY 11, 1892

NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE WASHINGTON COTTLE

A PRIVATE WHO DIED AT THE ALAMO

PADUCAH, THE COUNTY SEAT

CRANE COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 26, 1887 ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 3, 1927

NAMED IN HONOR OF WILLIAM CAREY CRANE 1816-1885 A BAPTIST MINISTER PRESIDENT OF BAYLOR UNIVERSITY 1863-1885

CRANE, THE COUNTY SEAT









CROCKETT COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR TERRITORY CREATED JANUARY 22, 1875 ORGANIZED JULY 7, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF DAVID CROCKETT 1786-1836 MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS FROM TENNESSEE KILLED AT THE ALAMO

OZONA, COUNTY SEAT

CROSBY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 SEPTEMBER 20, 1886

NAMED IN HONOR OF STEPHEN CROSBY 1800-1869 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1845 COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE

> COUNTY SEAT, ESTACADO, 1886 EMMA, 1890 CROSBYTON, SINCE 1911

CULBERSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM EL PASO COUNTY CREATED MARCH 10, 1911 ORGANIZED APRIL 18, 1911

NAMED FOR DAVID B. CULBERSON 1830-1903 FAMOUS CONSTITUTIONAL LAWYER A CONFEDERATE OFFICER MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS.

VAN HORN, THE COUNTY SEAT

DALLAM COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JULY 28, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES W. DALLAM 1818-1847 COMPILER OF DIGEST OF DECISIONS OF SUPREME COURT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1845

COUNTY SEAT, TEXLINE, 1891-1903 DALHART, SINCE

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DALLAS COUNTY

THE UNINCORPORATED TOWN OF DALLAS WAS DESIGNATED AS A POST OFFICE BY THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS IN 1843. THE COUNTY OF DALLAS WAS CREATED BY THE FIRST LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS ON MARCH 30, 1846 FROM PORTIONS OF ROBERTSON AND NACOGDOCHES COUNTIES. BOTH CITY AND COUNTY WERE NAMED IN HONOR OF

> GEORGE MIFFLIN DALLAS 1792-1864

PENNSYLVANIA DEMOCRATIC STATESMAN WHO WAS ELECTED THE ELEVENTH VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES ON A PLATFORM FAVORING TEXAS ANNEXATION

DAWSON COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 RECREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 FROM BEXAR TERRITORY ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 13, 1905

NAMED IN HONOR OF

NICHOLAS MOSBY DAWSON 1808-1842 WHO FOUGHT AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AND FELL AT DAWSON'S MASSACRE

LAMESA, COUNTY SEAT

DEAF SMITH COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 OCTOBER 3, 1890

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ERASTUS "DEAF" SMITH 1787-1837 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1821 RENDERED VALUABLE SERVICE AS A SCOUT AND SPY DURING THE TEXAS REVOLUTION AND WAS CONSPICUOUS FOR HIS BRAVERY IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO

COUNTY SEAT, LA PLATA FREQUENTLY CALLED GRENADA, 1890-1898 HEREFORD, SINCE 1899

DELTA COUNTY

FORMED FROM LAMAR AND HOPKINS COUNTIES CREATED JULY 29, 1870 ORGANIZED OCTOBER 6, 1870 THE NAME DESCRIBES ITS POSITION AND TRIANGULAR SHAPE

COOPER, THE COUNTY SEAT









DENTON COUNTY

CREATED APRIL 11, 1846 FROM FANNIN COUNTY ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846 WITH DENTON AS COUNTY SEAT BOTH TOWN AND COUNTY ARE NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN B. DENTON 1806-1841 PIONEER PREACHER, LAWYER AND INDIAN FIGHTER.

FIRST COUNTY SEAT DESIGNATED AS PINCKNEYVILLE, 1846 SITE SELECTED IN 1848 CALLED ALTON PERMANENTLY LOCATED AT DENTON IN 1857

DE WITT COUNTY

CREATED MARCH 24, 1846 FROM GONZALES, VICTORIA AND GOLIAD COUNTIES, ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846, WITH CAMERON AS THE COUNTY SEAT

> NAMED IN HONOR OF GREEN DE WITT

A TEXAS EMPRESARIO BORN IN KENTUCKY FEBRUARY 12, 1787 DIED IN MEXICO MAY 18, 1835.

DICKENS COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES

> CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED APRIL 15, 1903

DICKENS CITY, COUNTY SEAT

(NAMED IN HONOR OF J. DICKENS DEFENDER OF THE ALAMO)

DIMMIT COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED NOVEMBER 2, 1880

NAMED IN HONOR OF PHILIP DIMITT A PIONEER TRADER AND CAPTAIN IN THE TEXAS ARMY WHO DIED IN 1841

CARRIZO SPRINGS, THE COUNTY SEAT



DUVAL COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED NOVEMBER 7, 1876

NAMED IN HONOR OF

BURR H. DUVAL 1809-1836 CAPTAIN OF A COMPANY OF FANNIN'S COMMAND AT GOLIAD. MURDERED AFTER THE SURRENDER MARCH 27, 1836

SAN DIEGO, THE COUNTY SEAT

EASTLAND COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES

CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 DECEMBER 2, 1873

NAMED IN HONOR OF CAPTAIN WILLIAM MOSBY EASTLAND 1806-1843 HERO OF SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION WHO DREW THE FIRST BLACK BEAN AT SALADO, MEXICO, AND WAS EXECUTED, ON MARCH 25, 1843

EASTLAND, THE COUNTY SEAT

EDWARDS COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 10, 1883

NAMED IN HONOR OF

HADEN EDWARDS 1771-1849 EMPRESARIO LEADER OF THE FREDONIAN WAR IN 1827

COUNTY SEAT, LEAKEY 1883 ROCK SPRINGS, SINCE 1890

MISSING







CREATED DECEMBER 20, 1849 FROM NAVARO COUNTY

ORGANIZED AUGUST 5, 1850.

NAMED IN HONOR OF

RICHARD ELLIS, 1781-1846 A VIRGINIAN BY BIRTH AND EDUCATION JURIST AND STATESMAN OF ALABAMA, 1813-1825 MOVED TO TEXAS IN 1825 PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL COVENTION, MARCH, 1836 MEMBER, CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

WAXAHACHIE, THE COUNTY SEAT

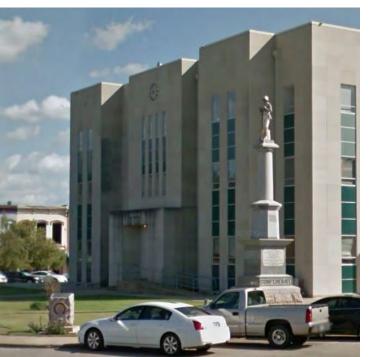


FALLS COUNTY

INCLUDED IN THE STERLING C. ROBERTSON GRANT, 1834 ONCE A PART OF MUNICIPALITY OF VIESCA FORMED FROM MILAM AND LIMESTONE COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 28, 1850 AUGUST 5, 1850

NAMED FOR THE FALLS OF THE BRAZOS NEAR THE CENTER OF THE COUNTY

COUNTY SEAT, MARLIN



FANNIN COUNTY

FIRST SETTLERS FROM THE UNITED STATES CAME SOON AFTER 1834 CREATED ORGANIZED DECEMBER 14, 1837 APRIL 9, 1838

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES FANNIN 1805-1836 DEFENDER OF TEXAS LIBERTY WITH HIS COMPANY, THE BRAZOS GUARDS, MASSACRED AT GOLIAD

COUNTY SEAT, JACOB BLACK'S ON RED RIVER, 1838 WARREN, 1840, BOIS D'ARC, 1843 NAME CHANGED TO BONHAM, 1844



FAYETTE COUNTY

FORMED FROM COLORADO AND BASTROP COUNTIES CREATED DECEMBER 14, 1837 ORGANIZED JANUARY 1, 1838

NAMED IN HONOR OF

MARQUIS DE LA FAYETTE 1757-1834 NOBLEMAN AND REPUBLICAN FRIEND OF WASHINGTON AND OF THE UNITED STATES

COUNTY SEAT, LA GRANGE



FISHER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 APRIL 27, 1886 NAMED IN HONOR OF SAMUEL RHOADS FISHER 1794-1839 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS IN 1836 ROBY, THE COUNTY SEAT



FLOYD COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES

CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 MAY 28, 1890

NAMED IN HONOR OF DOLPHIN WARD FLOYD A CAPTAIN WHO DIED AT THE ALAMO

COUNTY SEAT, FLOYD CITY, 1890 FLOYDADA, SINCE 1892









FRANKLIN COUNTY

FORMED FROM TITUS COUNTY CREATED MARCH 8, 1875 ORGANIZED APRIL 30, 1875

NAMED IN HONOR OF BENJAMIN C. FRANKLIN 1805-1873 HERO OF SAN JACINTO DISTRICT JUDGE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE

MT. VERNON, COUNTY SEAT

FREESTONE COUNTY

FORMED FROM LIMESTONE COUNTY CREATED SEPTEMBER 6, 1850 ORGANIZED JANUARY 6, 1851

SO NAMED FROM THE NATURE OF ITS STONE

COUNTY SEAT, FAIRFIELD, FORMERLY KNOWN AS MOUND PRAIRIE

FRIO COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR, ATASCOSA AND UVALDE COUNTIES CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED JULY 20, 1871

"FRIO" IS THE SPANISH WORD FOR "COLD" FIRST APPLIED TO THE RIVER TRAVERSING IT

> COUNTY SEAT, FRIO CITY 1871-1883 PEARSALL, SINCE

GAINES COUNTY

CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED OCTOBER 24, 1905 NAMED FOR JAMES GAINES BORN IN VIRGINIA IN 1779 ESTABLISHED A FERRY ACROSS THE SABINE RIVER IN 1819, A SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC. GOLD LURED HIM TO CALIFORNIA WHERE HE DIED.

A CATTLE COUNTRY SEMINOLE, THE COUNTY SEAT









GARZA COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JUNE 15, 1907

NAMED IN HONOR OF

THE GARZA FAMILY NATIVES OF THE CANARY ISLANDS PIONEER SETTLERS OF SAN ANTONIO IN 1731 A CATTLE RAISING COUNTRY SINCE ITS SETTLEMENT AGRICULTURAL SINCE 1910 TEXTILE MILLS ESTABLISHED IN 1912 POST, THE COUNTY SEAT

GILLESPIE COUNTY

THE TRAILS OF ROVING INDIANS CROSSED THESE HILLS SETTLED BY GERMAN PIONEERS IN 1846 A GROUP OF MORMONS SETTLED AT ZODIAC IN 1847.

CREATED FEBRUARY 23, 1848 ORGANIZED JUNE 5, 1848

NAMED FOR RICHARD ADDISON GILLESPIE A TEXAN FROM 1837 A DEFENDER OF THE TEXAS FRONTIER CAPTAIN IN THE MEXICAN WAR WHO FELL AT MONTERREY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1846.

FREDERICKSBURG, THE COUNTY SEAT

GOLIAD COUNTY

FIRST KNOWN TO THE SPANIARDS AS NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LORETO, LATER AS PRESIDIO BAHIA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO.

ESTABLISHED HERE WITH MISSION, 1749. NAME CHANGED TO GOLIAD AND CREATED A MEXICAN MUNICIPALITY IN 1829.

STRATEGIC FORT UNDER SPANISH, MEXICAN AND TEXAS OCCUPANCY 1810-1821, 1835-1836. SCENE OF MASSACRE OF FANNIN AND HIS COMMAND IN 1836.

> ORGANIZED AS A COUNTY IN 1836 GOLIAD, THE COUNTY SEAT

GRIMES COUNTY

CREATED APRIL 6, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JESSE GRIMES 1788-1866 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS

COUNTY SEAT, ANDERSON, ORIGINALLY KNOWN AS FANTHORP

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GUADALUPE COUNTY

FORMED FROM GONZALES AND BEXAR COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 30, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED FOR THE GUADALUPE RIVER, TO WHICH THIS NAME WAS GIVEN BY ALONSO DE LEON IN 1689 SEGUIN, THE COUNTY SEAT NAMED IN HONOR OF JUAN NEPOMUCENO SEGUIN 1806-1890

HALE COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES

CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 AUGUST 13, 1888

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN C. HALE A LIEUTENANT WHO FELL AT SAN JACINTO

PLAINVIEW, COUNTY SEAT

HALL COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JUNE 23, 1890

NAMED IN HONOR OF

WARREN D. C. HALL 1788-1867 MEMBER OF THE SAN FELIPE CONVENTION IN 1832 SECOND IN COMMAND OF THE TEXANS AT ANAHUAC, 1832

MEMPHIS, THE COUNTY SEAT

HAMILTON COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 2, 1842 FROM MONTGOMERY AND HOUSTON COUNTIES RECREATED JANUARY 22, 1858 ORGANIZED AUGUST 2, 1858

NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL JAMES HAMILTON, 1786-1857 LAWYER AND GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA APPOINTED DIPLOMATIC AGENT TO EUROPE BY PRESIDENT LAMAR

HAMILTON, THE COUNTY SEAT 303





FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 MARCH 11, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN M. HANSFORD CAME TO TEXAS IN 1837 MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS JUDGE OF THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT, 1840-1842 DIED IN 1844

HANSFORD, THE COUNTY SEAT





CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 RECREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED DECEMBER 30, 1884

NAMED IN HONOR OF

BAILEY HARDEMAN, 1785-1836, SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE,

AND

THOMAS JONES HARDEMAN, 1788-1854 MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS AND LEGISLATURE

COUNTY SEAT, MARGARETTE, 1884-1890 QUANAH, SINCE, IN HONOR OF QUANAH PARKER, A COMANCHE CHIEF



HARDIN COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 22, 1858 ORGANIZED AUGUST 2, 1858

NAMED IN HONOR OF THE HARDINS OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FIVE BROTHERS—BENJAMIN WATSON, AUGUSTINE BLACKBURN, WILLIAM, FRANKLIN AND MILTON A. WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1825

> COUNTY SEAT, HARDIN, 1858-1887 KOUNTZE, SINCE



HARRISON COUNTY

FORMED FROM SHELBY COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 28, 1839 JUNE 12, 1842

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JONAS HARRISON A PIONEER STATESMAN OF NEW JERSEY WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1820 A MEMBER OF THE FIRST CONVENTION OF TEXAS HELD AT SAN FELIPE IN 1832 DIED IN 1836

MARSHALL, THE COUNTY SEAT

NAMED IN HONOR OF JOHN MARSHALL, CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT



HARTLEY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUING AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 5, 1891 NAMED IN HONOR OF TWO BROTHERS, OLIVER CROMWELL AND RUFUS K. HARTLEY DISTINGUISHED MEMBERS OF THE TEXAS BAR HARTLEY, THE COUNTY SEAT



HASKELL COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 RECREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JANUARY 13, 1885

NAMED IN HONOR OF CHARLES READY HASKELL, 1817-1836 A TENNESSEEAN WHO WAS SHOT WITH FANNIN IN THE MASSACRE AT GOLIAD HASKELL, THE COUNTY SEAT

CROSSED BY CAPT. R. B. MARCY IN SURVEYING A ROUTE TO CALIFORNIA IN 1849 FIRST SETTLEMENT AT HASKELL, 1882









HAYS COUNTY

FORMED FROM TRAVIS COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 1, 1848 AUGUST 7, 1848 NAMED IN HONOR OF JOHN COFFEE (JACK) HAYS 1817-1883 CAPTAIN OF TEXAS RANGERS COLONEL IN THE MEXICAN WAR

COUNTY SEAT, SAN MARCOS

HEMPHILL COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JULY 5, 1886

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN HEMPHILL, 1809-1862 FIRST CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF TEXAS ADJUTANT GENERAL OF THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION MEMBER OF THE FIRST STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS

CANADIAN, THE COUNTY SEAT

HENDERSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM HOUSTON AND NACOGDOCHES COUNTIES. CREATED APRIL 27, 1846 ORGANIZED AUGUST 4, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES PINCKNEY HENDERSON 1808-1858 FIRST GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS

BUFFALO, CENTERVILLE AND ATHENS SINCE 1850 HAVE SERVED AS COUNTY SEATS

HIDALGO COUNTY

FORMED FROM STARR AND CAMERON COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 24, 1852 APRIL 7, 1854

NAMED IN HONOR OF

MIGUEL HIDALGO Y COSTILLA 1753-1811 MEXICAN PATRIOT

COUNTY SEAT, 1852, EDINBURGH, NAME CHANGED FEBRUARY 7, 1861, TO HIDALGO. MOVED TO PRESENT SITE, THEN CALLED CHAPIN, OCTO-BER 12, 1908. NAME CHANGED TO EDINBURG, FEBRUARY 3, 1911









HILL COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 7, 1853 ORGANIZED MAY 14, 1853

NAMED IN HONOR OF DR. GEORGE W. HILL 1814-1860 MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS AND LEGISLATUPE SECRETARY OF WAR OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, 1843-1845

LEXINGTON, FIRST VILLAGE 1853 HILLSBORO, COUNTY SEAT SINCE

HOCKLEY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 19, 1921 NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE W. HOCKLEY COMMANDER OF THE ARTILLERY AT SAN JACINTO. SECRETARY OF WAR OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS. DIED IN 1851.

LEVELLAND CALLED HOCKLEY CITY UNTIL 1912 COUNTY SEAT

HOPKINS COUNTY

FORMED FROM LAMAR AND NACOGDOCHES COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 25, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF THE PIONEER

HOPKINS FAMILY WHICH CAME TO TEXAS FROM KENTUCKY AND INDIANA

COUNTY SEAT, TARRANT, 1846-1858 SULPHUR SPRINGS, SINCE

HOUSTON COUNTY

CREATED FROM NACOGDOCHES COUNTY JUNE 12, 1837 ORGANIZED THE SAME YEAR

NAMED IN HONOR OF

SAM HOUSTON 1793-1863 COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF OF THE TEXAN ARMY AT SAN JACINTO PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC AND GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS SENATOR IN THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS, 1846-1859

CROCKETT, THE COUNTY SEAT









HOWARD COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JUNE 15, 1882

NAMED IN HONOR OF VOLNEY ERSKINE HOWARD 1809-1889 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1844 DELEGATE TO THE FIRST STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS

BIG SPRING, THE COUNTY SEAT

HUDSPETH COUNTY

FORMED FROM EL PASO COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 16, 1917 AUGUST 25, 1917

NAMED IN HONOR OF

CLAUDE BENTON HUDSPETH BORN IN 1877 A NATIVE TEXAN HOLDER OF LARGE RANCHING INTERESTS MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE AND THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS

SIERRA BLANCA, THE COUNTY SEAT

HUNT COUNTY

CREATED APRIL 11, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL MEMUCAN HUNT 1807-1856 SECRETARY OF THE NAVY AND INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS TEXAS MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES ADJUTANT GENERAL IN THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

GREENVILLE, THE COUNTY SEAT

IRION COUNTY

CREATED MARCH 7, 1889 ORGANIZED APRIL 16, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT ANDERSON IRION 1806-1860 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1833 AND LOCATED AT NACOGDOCHES MEMBER OF THE FIRST TEXAS CONGRESS SECRETARY OF STATE IN THE CABINET OF PRESIDENT HOUSTON,

1837-1838 SHERWOOD, THE COUNTY SEAT

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MISSING







JACKSON COUNTY

CREATED A MUNICIPALITY DECEMBER 5, 1835 WITH SANTA ANNA AS CAPITAL ORGANIZED AS A COUNTY IN 1836

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ANDREW JACKSON 1767-1845 AMERICAN SOLDIER AND STATESMAN SEVENTH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

TEXANA, FORMERLY SANTA ANNA, COUNTY SEAT, 1836-1883 EDNA, SINCE

JIM HOGG COUNTY

FORMED FROM BROOKS AND DUVAL COUNTIES CREATED MARCH 31, 1913 ORGANIZED AUGUST 11, 1913

NAMED IN HONOR OF JAMES STEPHEN HOGG 1851-1906 FIRST NATIVE TEXAN TO SERVE AS GOVERNOR FATHER OF THE RAILROAD COMMISSION HEBBRONVILLE, THE COUNTY SEAT

JIM WELLS COUNTY

FORMED FROM NUECES COUNTY, CREATED MARCH 11, 1911, ORGANIZED MAY 6, 1911.

NAMED FOR JUDGE JAMES B. WELLS, AN ABLE LAWYER, BORN NEAR ARANSAS PASS, TEXAS JULY 12, 1854, DIED AT BROWNSVILLE DECEMBER 21, 1923

ALICE, THE COUNTY SEAT

JOHNSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM NAVARRO, ELLIS AND HILL COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 3, 1854 AUGUST 7, 1854

> NAMED IN HONOR OF MIDDLETON T. JOHNSON 1809-1866 TEXAS SOLDIER AND JURIST

COUNTY SEAT, WARDVILLE, 1854-1856 BUCHANAN, 1856-1867 CLEBURNE (FIRST CALLED CAMP HENDERSON) SINCE

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JONES COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR AND BOSQUE COUNTIES CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 RECREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JUNE 13, 1881

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ANSON JONES, 1798-1858 A SAN JACINTO VETERAN. MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS, 1837-1841. MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES 1838 SECRETARY OF STATE, 1841-1844. LAST PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

COUNTY SEAT, PHANTOM HILL TEMPORARILY IN 1881. ANSON, FIRST KNOWN AS JONES CITY, SINCE

KARNES COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 4, 1854 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 27, 1854

NAMED IN HONOR OF

HENRY WAX KARNES 1812-1840 CONSPICUOUS FOR GALLANTRY AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR COMMANDED A COMPANY AT SAN JACINTO TEXAS RANGER IN 1838 COUNTY SEAT, HELENA, 1854-1894 KARNES CITY, SINCE

KAUFMAN COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 26, 1848 ORGANIZED AUGUST 7, 1848

NAMED IN HONOR OF DAVID SPANGLER KAUFMAN 1812-1851 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1837 AND LOCATED AT NACOGDOCHES MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS 1839-1845 MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS

KAUFMAN, THE COUNTY SEAT



KENDALL COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 10, 1862 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 18, 1862

NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE WILKINS KENDALL, 1809-1867 POET, JOURNALIST, AUTHOR AND FARMER ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF THE NEW ORLEANS PICAYUNE MEMBER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION MOST SUCCESSFUL SHEEP RAISER IN THE SOUTHWEST

BOERNE, THE COUNTY SEAT





KENEDY COUNTY

CREATED APRIL 2, 1921 OUT OF CAMERON, WILLACY AND HIDALGO COUNTIES.

NAMED FOR MIFFLIN KENEDY 1818-1895 SENT TO TEXAS IN 1846 ON UNITED STATES ARMY SUPPLY BOATS, COMMERCIAL NAVIGATOR OF THE RIO GRANDE 1848-1860

SARITA IS THE COUNTY SEAT

KENT COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED NOVEMBER 8, 1892

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ANDREW KENT WHO FELL AT THE ALAMO

CLAIREMONT, THE COUNTY SEAT





FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED JANUARY 26, 1856 ORGANIZED MARCH 22, 1856

NAMED IN HONOR OF JAMES KERR, 1790-1850 THE FIRST AMERICAN SETTLER ON THE GUADALUPE RIVER. GENERAL MANAGER OF DE WITT'S COLONY. SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE. MEMBER OF THE THIRD TEXAS CONGRESS.

COUNTY SEAT, KERRSVILLE (AFTERWARDS KERRVILLE), 1856-1860 COMFORT, 1860-1862, KERRVILLE, SINCE



CREATED JANUARY 22, 1858 ORGANIZED JANUARY 3, 1876 NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE C. KIMBLE WHO FELL AT THE ALAMO JUNCTION CITY, COUNTY SEAT





MISSING

KING COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JUNE 25, 1891

GUTHRIE, THE COUNTY SEAT

(NAMED IN HONOR OF WILLIAM KING WHO FELL AT THE ALAMO)

KINNEY COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED JANUARY 28, 1850 RECREATED FEBRUARY 2, 1856 ORGANIZED DECEMBER 3, 1869

NAMED IN HONOR OF

HENRY L. KINNEY 1813-1861 FOUNDER OF CORPUS CHRISTI MEMBER OF THE FIRST STATE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION BRACKETTVILLE, COUNTY SEAT A LEADING WOOL AND MOHAIR PRODUCING COUNTY









KLEBERG COUNTY

FORMED FROM NUECES COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 27, 1913 ORGANIZED JUNE 27, 1913

NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT JUSTUS KLEBERG 1803-1888 A PIONEER GERMAN SETTLER IN TEXAS A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO

KINGSVILLE, COUNTY SEAT

KNOX COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 RECREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED MARCH 20, 1886

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL HENRY KNOX 1750-1806 MAJOR GENERAL OF THE CONTINENTAL ARMY, 1781 SECRETARY OF WAR, 1785-1794

BENJAMIN, THE COUNTY SEAT

LAMAR COUNTY

CREATED DECEMBER 17, 1840 FROM RED RIVER COUNTY ORGANIZED IN 1841

NAMED IN HONOR OF MIRABEAU B. LAMAR, 1798-1859 FATHER OF TEXAS EDUCATION PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1838-1841

LAFAYETTE, 1841 MOUNT VERNON, 1843 PARIS, ORIGINALLY CALLED PINHOOK, 1844, HAVE SERVED AS COUNTY SEAT

LAMB COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JUNE 20, 1908

NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE A. LAMB 1814-1836 A SECOND LIEUTENANT WHO FELL IN THE FIRST CHARGE AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO

OLTON, COUNTY SEAT



LAMPASAS COUNTY

FORMED FROM TRAVIS AND BELL COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1856 MARCH 10, 1856

THE NAME LAMPAZOS, FIRST GIVEN TO THE RIVER BY THE SPANIARDS, WAS SUGGESTED BY THE MANY COCKLE-BURS IN THE REGION FIRST SETTLEMENTS ABOUT 1850 FIRST RAILROAD, 1882

COUNTY SEAT, BURLESON, AFTER 1856, CALLED LAMPASAS





LA SALLE COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED NOVEMBER 2, 1880

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ROBERT CAVALIER SIEUR DE LA SALLE 1643-1687 FIRST FRENCH EXPLORER OF TEXAS

COUNTY SEAT, LA SALLE 1880 COTULLA, SINCE 1882

LEON COUNTY

FORMED FROM ROBERTSON COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 17, 1846 JULY 13, 1846 NAMED IN HONOR OF MARTIN DE LEON 1765-1833 A TEXAS EMPRESARIO FOUNDER OF VICTORIA COUNTY SEAT, LEONA 1846 CENTERVILLE, SINCE 1850



MISSING

LIBERTY COUNTY

A TRAIL ACROSS THIS REGION TRAVELED AND DESCRIBED BY ALONSO DE LEON IN 1690 BECAME THE "LA BAHIA" OR "LOWER ROAD" IN THE 18TH CENTURY. FIRST SETTLEMENT, ATASCOCITA, ESTABLISHED IN 1757. THE TOWN ESTABLISHED MAY 5, 1831 AS THE "VILLA DE LA SANTISIMA TRINIDAD DE LA LIBERTAD" (CITY OF THE BLESSED TRINITY OF LIBERTY) BECAME THE COUNTY SEAT AND GAVE THE COUNTY ITS NAME WHEN CREATED AND ORGANIZED IN 1836

LIMESTONE COUNTY

FORMED FROM ROBERTSON COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 11, 1846 AUGUST 18, 1840

NAMED FOR

THE ROCK FORMATION IN THE REGION

COUNTY SEAT SPRINGFIELD, 1846 GROESBECK, SINCE 1874



LIPSCOMB COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JUNE 6, 1887

NAMED IN HONOR OF ABNER S. LIPSCOMB, 1789-1856 SECRETARY OF STATE IN PRESIDENT LAMAR'S CABINET MEMBER OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION, 1845 ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE FIRST SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

LIPSCOMB, THE COUNTY SEAT



LIVE OAK COUNTY

FORMED FROM NUECES AND SAN PATRICIO COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 2, 1856 AUGUST 4, 1856 SO NAMED FROM ITS LIVE OAK TREES COUNTY SEAT, OAKVILLE,1856 GEORGE WEST, SINCE 1919









LLANO COUNTY

THE NAME "LLANO," FIRST GIVEN BY SPANISH EXPLORERS IN THE 18TH CENTURY TO THE RIVER TRAVERSING THE REGION, IS A CORRUPTION OF THE FRENCH NAME GIVEN THE LIPAN INDIANS. FIRST SETTLEMENTS WERE MADE BY GERMANS ABOUT 1850

THE COUNTY, CREATED FROM GILLESPIE, BEXAR, FEBRUARY 1, 1856, WAS ORGANIZED AUGUST 4, 1856, WITH LLANO AS THE COUNTY SEAT

LUBBOCK COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 MARCH 10, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF

COLONEL THOMAS S. LUBBOCK 1817-1862

MEMBER OF THE NEW ORLEANS GREYS AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR, COMMANDER OF A COMPANY IN THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION, MEMBER OF THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION, CO-ORGANIZER OF THE FAMOUS TERRY'S TEXAS RANGERS, 1861.

COUNTY SEAT, LUBBOCK

LYNN COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST £1, 1876 ORGANIZED APRIL 15, 1903

TAHOKA, COUNTY SEAT

(NAMED IN HONOR OF GEORGE WASHINGTON LYNN, ALAMO DEFENDER)

MADISON COUNTY

FORMED FROM GRIMES, WALKER AND LEON COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 27, 1853 APRIL 4, 1853

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES MADISON 1751-1836 "FATHER OF THE CONSTITUTION" FOURTH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

COUNTY SEAT, MADISONVILLE







MARTIN COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 NOVEMBER 4, 1884

NAMED IN HONOR OF

WYLY MARTIN 1776-1842

AN ALCALDE IN AUSTIN'S COLONY MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION IN 1835 SOLDIER IN THE TEXAS REVOLUTION MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS

COUNTY SEAT, MARIENFELD, 1884 STANTON, SINCE 1890

MASON COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 22, 1858 ORGANIZED AUGUST 2, 1858

FORT MASON ESTABLISHED JULY 6, 1851 AND ABANDONED MARCH 23, 1869. THE COUNTY AND THE COUNTY SEAT WERE

NAMED IN HONOR OF

LIEUTENANT G. T. MASON UNITED STATES 2ND DRAGOONS KILLED IN ACTION NEAR BROWNSVILLE APRIL 25, 1846

MATAGORDA COUNTY

ORGANIZED MARCH 6, 1834, INTO THE MEXICAN MUNICIPALITY OF MATAGORDA CREATED A COUNTY OF THE SAME NAME IN 1836 ORGANIZED IN 1837

WHICH IT FRONTS

COUNTY SEAT, MATAGORDA 1837-1894 BAY CITY, SINCE





MAVERICK COUNTY

CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 2, 1856 JULY 13, 1871 NAMED IN HONOR OF SAMUEL AUGUSTUS MAVERICK 1803-1870 AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR DECEMBER, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

EAGLE PASS, THE COUNTY SEAT

MCCULLOCH COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 27, 1856 AUGUST 4, 1862

NAMED IN HONOR OF

BENJAMIN MCULLOCH 1811-1862 A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS CAPTAIN OF TEXAS RANGERS A BRIGADIER GENERAL IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY

BRADY, THE COUNTY SEAT

MCLENNAN COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 22, 1850 ORGANIZED AUGUST 5, 1850

NAMED IN HONOR OF NEIL MELENNAN 1787-1867 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 LOCATED ON THE BOSQUE RIVER IN 1840 BUILT THE FIRST DWELLING A LOG CABIN, IN MELENNAN COUNTY

WACO, THE COUNTY SEAT









MEDINA COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 12, 1848 ORGANIZED AUGUST 7, 1848

NAMED FOR THE RIVER WHICH TRAVERSES THE COUNTY

COUNTY SEAT, CASTROVILLE, 1848-1892 HONDO, SINCE

> PRIMARILY A FARMING AND RANCHING AREA

MENARD COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 22, 1858 JUNE 25, 1866

NAMED IN HONOR OF

MICHEL BRANAMOUR MENARD 1805-1856 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS FOUNDER OF GALVESTON

MENARD, THE COUNTY SEAT

MIDLAND COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 4, 1885 MARCH 25, 1885

NAMED FOR ITS LOCATION WHICH IS HALFWAY BETWEEN FT. WORTH AND EL PASO

MILAM COUNTY

A PART OF ROBERTSON'S COLONY IN 1834 A PART OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF VIESCA, 1835 NAME CHANGED TO MILAM DECEMBER 27, 1835

IN HONOR OF

BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM, 1788-1835 WHO FELL AT SAN ANTONIO. AFTER BURLESON AND ROBERTSON COUNTIES WERE CUT OFF NASHVILLE BECAME THE COUNTY SEAT IN 1837. THE LATER CREATION OF WILLIAMSON, BELL, MELENNAN AND FALLS, REDUCED MILAM COUNTY TO ITS PRESENT SIZE.

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MILLS COUNTY

FORMED FROM BROWN, COMANCHE HAMILTON AND LAMPASAS COUNTIES CREATED MARCH 15, 1887 ORGANIZED AUGUST 30, 1887

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN T. MILLS 1817-1871 JUDGE OF THE THIRD AND SEVENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICTS IN THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

GOLDTHWAITE, COUNTY SEAT

MITCHELL COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST £1, 1876 JANUARY 10, 1881

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ASA MITCHELL 1795-1865 A SOLDIER IN THE BATTLE OF VELASCO, 1832. MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION 1835, AND ELI MITCHELL, HIS BROTHER, A SOLDIER IN THE BATTLE OF GONZALES, OCTOBER 2, 1835

> COUNTY SEAT, COLORADO CITY, LATER ABBREVIATED TO COLORADO

MONTAGUE COUNTY

CREATED DECEMBER 24, 1857 ORGANIZED AUGUST 2, 1858

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DANIEL MONTAGUE 1798-1876 PIONEER TEXAS SURVEYOR AND INDIAN FIGHTER COMMANDER OF A COMPANY IN THE MEXICAN WAR

MONTAGUE, COUNTY SEAT

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

CREATED FROM WASHINGTON COUNTY DECEMBER 14, 1837 ORGANIZED THE SAME YEAR

NAMED IN HONOR OF

RICHARD MONTGOMERY 1736-1775 BRIGADIER GENERAL IN THE CONTINENTAL ARMY

COUNTY SEAT, MONTGOMERY, 1837 320 CONROE, SINCE 1889









MOORE COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JULY 5, 1892

NAMED IN HONOR OF

EDWIN WARD MOORE A NATIVE OF VIRGINIA COMMODORE OF THE NAVY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS DIED IN 1865

DUMAS, THE COUNTY SEAT

MOTLEY COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST £1, 1876 FEBRUARY 5, 1891

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DR. JUNIUS WILLIAM MOTTLEY 1812-1836 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, AIDE TO GENERAL RUSK AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO WHERE HE WAS MORTALLY WOUNDED.

MATADOR, THE COUNTY SEAT

NACOGDOCHES COUNTY

HOME OF THE NACOGDOCHES INDIANS IN THE 17TH CENTURY SPANISH SETTLEMENTS, 1716 ALTERNATELY SETTLED AND ABANDONED IN 18TH CENTURY DUE TO FRENCH ENCROACHMENTS SCENE OF THE FREDONIAN REBELLION IN 1827. ORGANIZED A MUNICIPALITY, 1832 UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT CREATED A COUNTY MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED MAY 24, 1837

NACOGDOCHES, ESTABLISHED 1779, BECAME THE COUNTY SEAT IN 1836

NAVARRO COUNTY

FORMED FROM ROBERTSON COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 25, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOSE ANTONIO NAVARRO 1795-1871 SOLDIER, PATRIOT AND STATESMAN, SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS 1838, COMMISSIONER ON THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION, DELEGATE IN 1845 TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

COUNTY SEAT, CORSICANA



MISSING

NEWTON COUNTY

FORMED FROM JASPER COUNTY CREATED APRIL 22, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

SERGEANT JOHN NEWTON 1752-1807 HERO OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

> COUNTY SEAT, NEWTON,1846 BURKEVILLE, 1848 NEWTON, SINCE 1853

NOLAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED JANUARY 10, 1881

NAMED IN HONOR OF PHILIP NOLAN PIONEER AND SCOUT WHO EXPLORED TEXAS IN 1800 MURDERED BY THE SPANIARDS IN MARCH, 1801

SWEETWATER, THE COUNTY SEAT



NUECES COUNTY

CREATED APRIL 18, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED FOR THE RIVER WHICH, IN 1689, ALONSO DE LEON CALLED THE NUECES BECAUSE OF THE MANY PECAN TREES ON ITS BANKS

CORPUS CHRISTI, COUNTY SEAT





ORANGE COUNTY

FORMED FROM JEFFERSON COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 5, 1852 MARCH 20, 1852

NAMED FOR THE FRUIT GROWN IN THIS DISTRICT SINCE THE EARLIEST SETTLEMENTS NEAR THE MOUTH OF THE SABINE RIVER

COUNTY SEAT, MADISON, 1852

NAME CHANGED TO ORANGE FEBRUARY 6, 1858

PALO PINTO COUNTY

FORMED FROM BOSQUE AND NAVARO COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 27, 1856 APRIL 27, 1857

THE MOTTLED APPEARANCE OF THE BARK OF THE TREES IN THIS REGION GAVE RISE TO THE NAME (SPOTTED OAK), APPLIED FIRST TO THE RIVER AND LATER TO THE COUNTY

COUNTY SEAT, GOLCONDA, 1856 RENAMED PALO PINTO, 1858

PANOLA COUNTY

FORMED FROM HARRISON AND SHELBY COUNTIES CREATED MARCH 30, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED FOR AN INDIAN WORD MEANING "COTTON"

COUNTY SEAT, PULASKI, 1846 CARTHAGE, SINCE 1848







PARMER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 MAY 7, 1907

NAMED IN HONOR OF

MARTIN PARMER CAME TO TEXAS IN 1825 AND LOCATED AT MOUND PRAIRE. A LEADER IN THE FREDONIAN WAR IN 1826. SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE DIED IN 1850

COUNTY SEAT PARMERTON, 1907 FARWELL, SINCE 1909

PECOS COUNTY

FORMED FROM PRESIDIO COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MAY 3, 1871 MARCH 9, 1875

ON MARCH 9, 1875, THE FOLLOWING COUNTY OFFICERS WERE ELECTED: GEORGE M. FRAZER, CHIEF JUSTICE CESARIO TORRES, COMMISSIONER FRANCIS ROONEY, COMMISSIONER HIPOLITO CARRASCO, COMMISSIONER MARTIN HUFMANN, COMMISSIONER

> FORT STOCKTON, COUNTY SEAT OIL WAS DISCOVERED IN THE YATES FIELD IN 1926

POTTER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED AUGUST 30, 1887

NAMED IN HONOR OF ROBERT POTTER 1800-1842 SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE SECRETARY OF THE NAVY SENATOR IN THE TEXAS CONGRESS, 1840

AMARILLO, COUNTY SEAT



POLK COUNTY

CREATED FROM LIBERTY COUNTY MARCH 30, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846 WITH LIVINGSTON AS COUNTY SEAT

NAMED FOR

JAMES KNOX POLK, 1795-1849 PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES WHO FAVORED THE ANNEXATION OF TEXAS EARLY SETTLEMENTS WERE DREW'S LANDING, MARIANA, SWARTWOUT ON 1,280 ACRES GRANTED BY THE STATE IN 1854, THE DESCENDANTS OF THE ALABAMA INDIANS STILL LIVE





PRESIDIO COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 3, 1850 MARCH 13, 1875

SO NAMED FOR THE EARLY "FORTRESS GARRISONED BY SOLDIERS." ERECTED FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE BIG BEND MISSIONS.

> COUNTY SEAT FORT DAVIS, 1875 MARFA, SINCE 1885

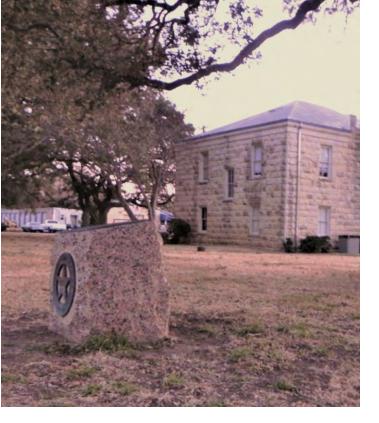
RAINS COUNTY

FORMED FROM WOOD, HOPKINS, HUNT AND VAN ZANDT COUNTIES CREATED JUNE 9, 1870 ORGANIZED DECEMBER 1, 1870

NAMED IN HONOR OF

EMORY RAINS 1800-1878 MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS AND LEGISLATURE

EMORY, THE COUNTY SEAT 325







REAL COUNTY

FORMED FROM EDWARDS, KERR AND BANDERA COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 3, 1913 JULY 26, 1913

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JULIUS REAL PROMINENT BUSINESS MAN BORN IN KERR COUNTY, MAY 7, 1860 STATE SENATOR, 1911-1914

LEAKEY, THE COUNTY SEAT ESTABLISHED BY JOHN LEAKEY 1853-1900 PIONEER SETTLER IN THE REGION

REFUGIO COUNTY

ORGANIZED IN 1835 INTO THE MEXICAN MUNICIPALITY OF REFUGIO CREATED A COUNTY OF THE SAME NAME MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED IN 1837

> NAMED FOR THE MISSION "OUR LADY OF REFUGE" ESTABLISHED IN 1791 TO CIVILIZE AND CHRISTIANIZE THE INDIANS

REFUGIO, THE COUNTY SEAT

ROBERTS COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JANUARY 10, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN S. ROBERTS A SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, AND ORAN MILO ROBERTS GOVERNOR OF TEXAS, 1878-1882

> COUNTY SEAT, MIAMI, TO OCTOBER, 1889 PARNELL, TO AUGUST 1, 1898 MIAMI, SINCE









ROBERTSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM MILAM COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED DECEMBER 14, 1837 MARCH, 1838 NAMED IN HONOR OF

STERLING CLACK ROBERTSON 1785-1842 EARLY TEXAS EMPRESARIO SIGNER OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

COUNTY SEAT, FRANKLIN, 1838 WHEELOCK, 1847 OWENVILLE, 1853 CALVERT, 1868 FRANKLIN, SINCE 1879

ROCKWALL COUNTY

FORMED FROM KAUFMAN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 1, 1873 APRIL 23, 1873

NAMED FOR A CURIOUS GEOLOGICAL FORMATION, AN UNDERGROUND ROCK WALL, THAT COMES TO THE SURFACE IN SEVERAL LOCALITIES

COUNTY SEAT, ROCKWALL

RUNNELS COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR AND TRAVIS COUNTIES CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 16, 1880

NAMED IN HONOR OF

HIRAM G. RUNNELS 1796-1857 LAWYER AND GOVERNOR OF MISSISSIPPI MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE

COUNTY SEAT, RUNNELS CITY, 1880 BALLINGER, SINCE 1888

SAN JACINTO COUNTY

EIGHTEENTH CENTURY SPANISH EXPLORERS GAVE TO THE HYACINTH-CHOKED STREAM THE NAME OF SAINT HYACINTH. ANGLO-AMERICANS SETTLED HERE AFTER 1820. FORMED FROM PORTIONS OF POLK, MONTGOMERY, LIBERTY AND WALKER COUNTIES CREATED JANUARY 5, 1869 RECREATED AUGUST 13, 1870 ORGANIZED DECEMBER 1, 1870

> COUNTY SEAT, COLD SPRINGS, 1870 LATER, COLDSPRING



SAN PATRICIO COUNTY

UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT, THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN PATRICIO CREATED A COUNTY, MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED IN 1837 REORGANIZED IN 1845

NAMED FOR ST. PATRICK, THE PATRON SAINT OF IRELAND BY MEMULLEN AND MEGLOIN, FOUNDERS IN 1830 OF AN IRISH COLONY

VICTORIA, 1836 CORPUS CHRISTI, 1845 SINTON, SINCE 1893 HAVE SERVED AS COUNTY SEAT

SAN SABA COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 1, 1856 MAY 3, 1856

THE RIVER TRAVERSING THE REGION, THE MISSION ERECTED NEAR BY IN 1757, AND LATER THE COUNTY AND COUNTY SEAT WERE GIVEN THE NAME OF AN EARLY SAINT, WHOSE NAME IN SPANISH IS SABA.

SCHLEICHER COUNTY

FORMED FROM CROCKETT COUNTY CREATED APRIL 1, 1887 ORGANIZED JULY 9, 1901 NAMED IN HONOR OF GUSTAV SCHLEICHER 1823-1879 PIONEER GERMAN SETTLER MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE MEMBER OF THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS COUNTY SEAT, ELDORADO FIRST BALE OF COTTON, 1904









SHACKELFORD COUNTY

FORMED FROM BOSQUE COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 12, 1874

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DR. JACK SHACKELFORD 1790-1857 CAPTAIN OF THE "RED ROVERS," A COMPANY FROM ALABAMA WHICH BECAME A UNIT OF FANNIN'S COMMAND ONE OF THE FEW SPARED BY THE MEXICANS IN THE MASSACRE AT GOLIAD

ALBANY, THE COUNTY SEAT

SHELBY COUNTY

IN THIS COUNTY OF SHELBY, ONCE A PART OF THE NEUTRAL GROUND, AN UNORGANIZED FEUD KNOWN AS THE REGULATOR-MODERATOR WAR WAS WAGED BETWEEN 1841 AND 1844. AFTER HEAVY SACRIFICE OF LIFE AND PROPERTY, GENERAL JAMES SMITH, COMMANDING TROOPS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS, UNDER ORDERS FROM PRESIDENT SAM HOUSTON, ENDED THE UPRISING AND RESTORED ORDER WITHOUT FIRING A GUN

(NAMED IN HONOR OF ISAAC SHELBY, AN OFFICER IN THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION)

SHERMAN COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JUNE 13, 1889

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL SIDNEY SHERMAN 1805-1873 COMMANDER OF THE LEFT WING OF THE ARMY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS 1842-1843

COUNTY SEAT, COLDWATER, 1889 STRATFORD, SINCE 1901

SMITH COUNTY

FORMED FROM NACOGDOCHES COUNTY CREATED APRIL 11, 1846, ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846, NAMED IN HONOR OF

GENERAL JAMES SMITH

PIONEER SOLDIER AND STATESMAN, FRIEND OF GENERAL SAM HOUSTON, THOMAS J. RUSK AND J. PINCKNEY HENDERSON BORN SEPTEMBER 10, 1792 DIED DECEMBER 25, 1855 BURIED WITH MILITARY HONORS AT HENDERSON. TYLER, THE COUNTY SEAT



SOMERVELL COUNTY

FORMED FROM JOHNSON AND HOOD COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 13, 1875 APRIL 12, 1875

NAMED IN HONOR OF ALEXANDER SOMERVELL, 1796-1854

A VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO. SECRETARY OF WAR IN BURNET'S CABINET. SENATOR IN FIRST TEXAS CONGRESS. COMMANDER OF THE SOMERVELL EXPEDITION. COLLECTOR OF CUSTOMS AT SALURIA 1842-1854

GLEN ROSE, THE COUNTY SEAT, KNOWN IN EARLY DAYS AS BARNARD'S MILL





SWISHER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 JULY 17, 1890 NAMED IN HONOR OF JAMES GIBSON SWISHER 1794-1864 CONSPICUOUS FOR GALLANTRY AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR, 1835 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836 COUNTY SEAT, TULIA

TAYLOR COUNTY

NAMED IN HONOR OF BROTHERS TRAVIS, EDWARD, JAMES, AND GEORGE TAYLOR WHO FELL AT THE ALAMO.

THE MARKER WAS ERECTED IN 1955 BY THE DAUGHTERS OF 1812.





THROCKMORTON COUNTY

FORMED FROM FANNIN AND BOSQUE COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 13, 1858 MARCH 18, 1879

NAMED IN HONOR OF

DP. WILLIAM EDWARD THROCKMORTON 1795-1843 A REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIER FATHER OF JAMES WEBB THROCKMORTON, WHO BECAME GOVERNOR OF TEXAS IN 1866

COUNTY SEAT, THROCKMORTON

TITUS COUNTY

FORMED FROM RED RIVER AND BOWIE COUNTIES CREATED MAY 11, 1846 ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ANDREW J. TITUS 1814-1855 PIONEER OF NORTHWEST TEXAS SOLDIER IN THE MEXICAN WAR MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE COUNTY SEAT, MT. PLEASANT

TRAVIS COUNTY

CREATED JANUARY 25, 1840

ORGANIZED APRIL 8, 1843

NAMED IN HONOR OF

WILLIAM BARRETT TRAVIS BORN IN EDGEFIELD DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA, AUGUST 1, 1809. CAME TO TEXAS IN 1831. COMMANDER AT THE ALAMO WHERE HE WAS KILLED MARCH 6, 1836.

AUSTIN, THE COUNTY SEAT, SELECTED AS THE CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS IN 1839 AND BY A VOTE OF THE PEOPLE IN 1850 MADE THE PERMANENT CAPITAL OF THE STATE OF TEXAS









UPSHUR COUNTY

CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 27, 1846 JULY 13, 1846 NAMED IN HONOR OF ABEL PACKER UPSHUR 1790-1844 DISTINGUISHED DEBATER AND ORATOR AS SECRETARY OF STATE UNDER PRESIDENT JOHN TYLER HE BEGAN NEGOTIATIONS IN 1843 FOR THE ANNEXATION OF TEXAS GILMER, THE COUNTY SEAT

UVALDE COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 8, 1850 RECREATED FEBRUARY 2, 1856 ORGANIZED APRIL 21, 1856

THE COUNTY TAKES ITS NAME FROM UVALDE CANYON, WHICH WAS NAMED FOR JUAN DE UGALDE, GOVERNOR OF COAHUILA IN 1778

UVALDE, THE COUNTY SEAT

VAL VERDE COUNTY

FORMED FROM CROCKETT, KINNEY AND PECOS COUNTIES CREATED MARCH 24, 1885 ORGANIZED MARCH 31, 1885

NAMED IN HONOR OF THE BATTLE FOUGHT AT VAL VERDE, NEAR FORT CRAIG, NEW MEXICO, FEBRUARY 19, 1862

DEL RIO, THE COUNTY SEAT

VAN ZANDT COUNTY

A PORTION OF THE ORIGINAL MERCER GRANT. CREATED FROM HENDERSON COUNTY IN 1848

NAMED IN HONOR OF THE ILLUSTRIOUS STATESMAN ISAAC VAN ZANDT BORN IN TENNESSEE, JULY 10, 1813 DELEGATE TO THE ANNEXATION CONVENTION IN 1845 DIED IN TEXAS, OCTOBER 10, 1847

> CANTON, THE COUNTY SEAT VAN, THE OIL FIELD CENTER GRAND SALINE, FAMED FOR ITS SALT INDUSTRY









VICTORIA COUNTY

IN THIS COUNTY THE FIRST EUROPEAN SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS,

FORT ST. LOUIS, WAS BUILT BY THE FRENCH EXPLORER LA SALLE IN 1685. BETWEEN 1722 AND 1726 A SPANISH PRESIDIO AND THE MISSION OF ESPIRITU SANTO WERE ESTABLISHED. SETTLED BY COLONISTS UNDER MARTIN DE LEON IN 1824 WHO NAMED HIS CAPITAL, LATER THE COUNTY SEAT, VICTORIA FROM IT THE COUNTY, CREATED MARCH 17, 1836, TOOK ITS NAME

WALKER COUNTY

FORMED FROM MONTGOMERY COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 6, 1846 JULY 13, 1846

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ROBERT JAMES WALKER, 1801-1869 A DISTINGUISHED CITIZEN OF MISSISSIPPI AND ADVOCATE OF THE ANNEXATION OF TEXAS RENAMED WALKER COUNTY DECEMBER 10, 1863, IN HONOR OF CAPTAIN SAMUEL H. WALKER, 1810-1847 DARING TEXAS RANGER WHO FELL IN MEXICO

COUNTY SEAT, HUNTSVILLE

WALLER COUNTY

CREATED ORGANIZED APRIL 28, 1873 AUGUST 16, 1873 NAMED IN HONOR OF EDWIN WALLER 1800-1881 MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION IN 1835, SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, FIRST MAYOR OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN, MEMBER OF THE SECESSION CONVENTION OF 1861.

HEMPSTEAD, THE COUNTY SEAT

WARD COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 26, 1887 MARCH 29, 1892

NAMED IN HONOR OF

THOMAS WILLIAM WARD 1807-1872 AT THE STORMING OF BEXAR DECEMBER, 1835 COMMISSIONER OF THE GENERAL LAND OFFICE, 1841-1848 UNITED STATES CONSUL AT PANAMA, 1853-1856

BARSTOW, COUNTY SEAT







WEBB COUNTY

FORMED FROM NUECES COUNTY CREATED JANUARY 28, 1848 ORGANIZED MARCH 16, 1848

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES WEBB, 1792-1856 ATTORNEY GENERAL AND SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1838-1841

> LAREDO, THE COUNTY SEAT FOUNDED IN 1755 BY TOMAS SANCHEZ

WHARTON COUNTY

CREATED APRIL 3, 1846 FROM MATAGORDA AND JACKSON COUNTIES, ORGANIZED SAME YEAR. NAMED FOR WILLIAM H. WHARTON 1806-1839 TEXAS MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES 1836-1837, AND HIS BROTHER JOHN A. WHARTON 1809-1839 ADJUTANT AT SAN JACINTO MEMBER OF CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1837-1839 WHARTON, THE COUNTY SEAT

WHEELER COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG AND BEXAR TERRITORIES CREATED ORGANIZED AUGUST 21, 1876 APRIL 12, 1879

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ROYAL T. WHEELER 1810-1864 ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS 1844-1858 CHIEF JUSTICE, 1858-1864

COUNTY SEAT, MOBEETIE, 1879-1906 WHEELER, SINCE









WICHITA COUNTY

FORMED FROM YOUNG LAND DISTRICT CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED JUNE 21, 1882

NAMED FOR THE WICHITA INDIANS WHO FORMERLY RESIDED HERE

COUNTY SEAT, WICHITA FALLS

WILBARGER COUNTY

FORMED FROM BEXAR COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED OCTOBER 10, 1881

NAMED FOR

JOSIAH AND MATHIAS WILBARGER BROTHERS WHO CAME TO TEXAS IN 1829 JOSIAH, SCALPED BY INDIANS AUGUST, 1833, SURVIVED 11 YEARS

VERNON, THE COUNTY SEAT MILLIONS OF CATTLE AND HORSES WERE DRIVEN NORTH THROUGH THIS COUNTY

WILLACY COUNTY

FORMED FROM CAMERON AND HIDALGO COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 11, 1911 AUGUST 12, 1911 RECREATED REORGANIZED APRIL 2, 1921 AUGUST 13, 1921

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JOHN G. WILLACY BORN NOVEMBER 10, 1859 MEMBER OF THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE 1900-1916

STATE TAX COMMISSIONER, 1922-1926

COUNTY SEAT, SARITA, 1911 RAYMONDVILLE, SINCE 1921

WILLIAMSON COUNTY

FORMED FROM MILAM COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED MARCH 13, 1848 AUGUST 7, 1848

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ROBERT MCALPIN WILLIAMSON 1806-1859 PIONEER EDITOR, LAWYER, PATRIOT AND STATESMAN VETERAN OF SAN JACINTO

GEORGETOWN, THE COUNTY SEAT



WILSON COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 13, 1860 ORGANIZED AUGUST 6, 1860

NAMED IN HONOR OF

JAMES CHARLES WILSON 1816-1861 MEMBER OF THE MIER EXPEDITION DISTRICT CLERK OF BRAZORIA COUNTY, 1844 SENATOR FROM MATAGORDA COUNTY

FLORESVILLE, THE COUNTY SEAT





WINKLER COUNTY

FORMED FROM TOM GREEN COUNTY CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 26, 1887 APRIL 5, 1910

NAMED IN HONOR OF

C. M. WINKLER 1821-1882 STATESMAN, SOLDIER AND JURIST

KERMIT, THE COUNTY SEAT A PETROLEUM PRODUCING AND CATTLE RAISING AREA

WOOD COUNTY

CREATED ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 5, 1850 AUGUST 5, 1850

NAMED IN HONOR OF

GEORGE T. WOOD 1795-1858

MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS AN OFFICER IN THE MEXICAN WAR GOVERNOR OF TEXAS 1847-1849

QUITMAN, THE COUNTY SEAT







YOAKUM COUNTY

CREATED AUGUST 21, 1876 ORGANIZED SEPTEMBER 21, 1907

NAMED IN HONOR OF HENDERSON YOAKUM 1810-1855 AUTHOR OF A HISTORY OF EARLY TEXAS A SOLDIER IN THE MEXICAN WAR PLAINS, THE COUNTY SEAT

ZAPATA COUNTY

FORMED FROM WEBB AND STARR COUNTIES CREATED ORGANIZED JANUARY 22, 1858 APRIL 26, 1858

NAMED IN HONOR OF

ANTONIO ZAPATA A PIONEER STOCKMAN OF THE REGION SUPPORTER OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE RIO GRANDE

COUNTY SEAT, CARRIZO, 1858 NAME LATER CHANGED TO ZAPATA

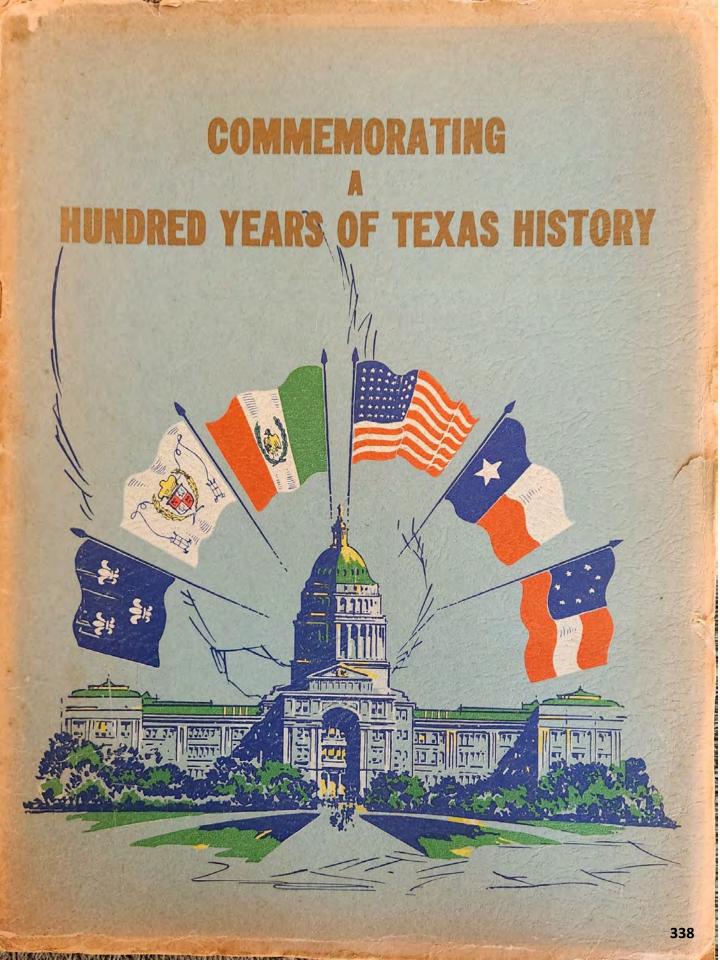
ZAVALA COUNTY

FORMED FROM UVALDE AND MAVERICK COUNTIES CREATED FEBRUARY 1, 1858 ORGANIZED FEBRUARY 25, 1884

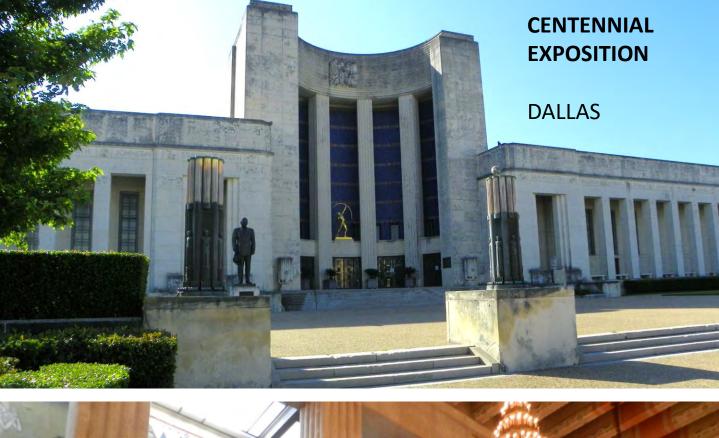
NAMED IN HONOR OF

LORENZO DE ZAVALA 1788-1836 SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

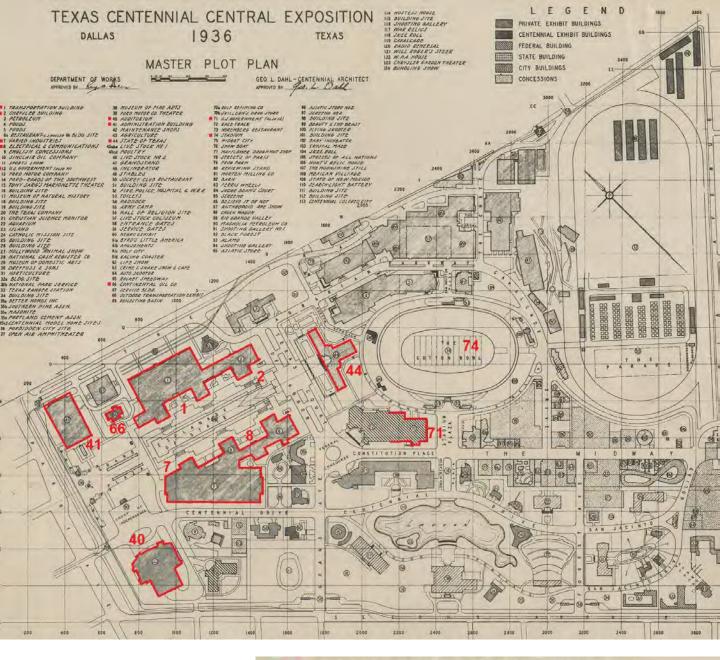
COUNTY SEAT, BATESVILLE, 1884 CRYSTAL CITY, SINCE 1927



EXPOSITIONS



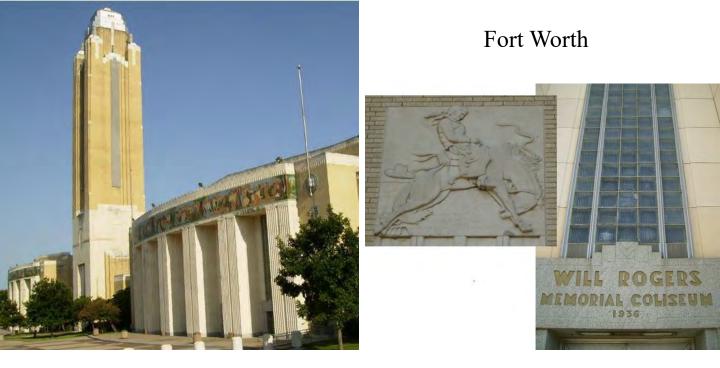




REMAINING **BUILDINGS**

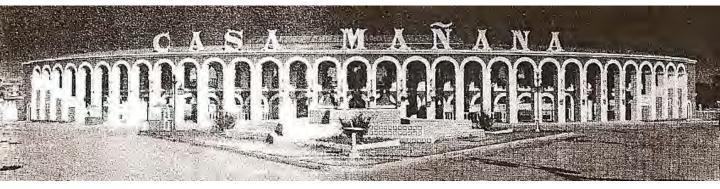
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66 CONTINENTAL OIL CO.



Will Rogers Memorial Tower, Coliseum, and Auditorium

The Gity of Fort Worth constructed the tower, coliscum, and auditorium, dedicated to the memory of Will Rogers, on the exposition grounds as its part in the celebration of the Texas Centennial. The total cost of the project was \$1,754,489.59; of this sum, \$250,000 was furnished by the United States Texas Centennial Commission. The Elmer G. Withers Architectural Company and Wyatt C. Hedrich were the architects.



CASA MAÑANA FORT WORTH

Demolished so steel could be donated to war effort in WWII

The United States Texas Centennial Commission, allocated \$50,000 to the Texas Centennial Livestock and Frontier Days Exposition to be used in the construction of a permanent building on the exposition grounds. The allocation was applied toward the construction of Casa Mañana. The open-air building, constructed at a total cost of \$333,841.44, was planned by Joseph R. Pelich, architect, and is owned by the City of Fort Worth. It is used each summer for public entertainment.

CENTENNIAL MUSEUMS

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EL PASO MEMORIAL MUSEUM EL PASO

Located on the campus of the College of Mines and Metallurgy, this museum was designed by Percy McGhee, architect, to house the most complete mineral collections in the Southwest, an excellent exhibit of Indian pottery, habitat groups of the birds and mammals of West Texas, and a large collection of invertebrate paleontological materials arranged for individual research study. A \$50,000 allocation, increased by a contribution of \$700 by the Women's Auxiliary of the college, is responsible for the construction of the museum, now owned and operated by the College of Mines and Metallurgy.

This unique museum owes its style to the wife of the Dean, who was reading "Castles in the Air" in the April 1914 issue of National Geographic, and noticed the striking similarities between the rugged landscape of the Asian Kingdom of Bhutan and the new College of Mines and Metallurgy location. There were photographs of buildings with high sloping walls, deep inset windows, red brick friezes, mandalas, and majestic overhangs. Mrs. Worrell eventually convinced officials to use the architecture of the small Himalayan nation as a model for the buildings of the new campus.



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In 1932 the State of Texas matched \$25,000 of private funds to construct the original unit. Since 1935 the museum, through Works Progress Administration projects, has increased its archeological and paleontological materials beyond the facilities of the building. An allocation of \$25,000 was used to construct and equip a basement addition designed by Rittenberry and Carder, architects, to provide ten thousand square feet of additional floor space. The museum is located on the campus of the West Texas State College and is operated by the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society.



PANHANDLE-PLAINS HISTORICAL SOCIETY MUSEUM CANYON



The Act creating the Commission appropriated \$225,000 directly to the Board of Regents of The University of Texas to be used in gathering. and preparing materials for exhibits of natural and civic history and for furnishing and equipping the Texas Memorial Museum building. The appropriation was expended as follows: Administration and promotion, \$16,620.10; collecting and preparing exhibits, \$82,127.06; moving and storing exhibits, \$2,272.21; and movable and built in equipment, including approximately \$50,000 for museum cases, \$123,980,63. The University Centennial exhibits were displayed in the university gymnasium and other huldings awarting the construction of the museum building. The act provided that approximately \$750,000 for its construction on the campus of The University of Texas was to be secured by donations and subscriptions to be sponsored by the American Legion of the State of Texas. For this purpose the American Legion sponsored the sale of Centennial half-dollars which netted \$8,049.17; then turned the coin sales over to the Board of Regents, who to August 31, 1938, raised an additional \$81,299.59 net from the same source. The United States Texas Centennial Commission meanwhile allocated \$300,000 for the construction of the first unit of the building designed by John F. Staub, architect, and Paul P. Cret, consulting architect, which now houses the geological, historical, botanical, zoological, and anthropological collections of the University.

TEXAS MEMORIAL MUSEUM AUSTIN



PROMOTION 1146 OF MY COUNTRY EVERY ENERGY OF MY MIND SHALL BE EMPLOYED WITH A FERVENT INVOCATION TO THE GOD WHO BUILDETH UP NATIONS THAT HIS WISDOM MAY DIRECT US IN HONOR AND THAT THE PEOPLE OF THIS NATION MAY BE ES. TABLISHED IN VIRTUE IN PROSPERITY AND IN HAPPINESS.

PRESIDENT HOUSTON'S MESSAGE TO THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS DECEMBER 20, 1841

SAM HOUSTON MEMORIAL MUSEUM HUNTSVILLE



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CAN QUESTION NONE HOUSTON'S UNDYING DE-VOTION TO TEXAS. SHE WAS HIS HANDIWORK. HE LOVED HER AS A FATHER LOVETH HIS OWN CHILD. HE NEVER SUFFERED HER RIGHTS TO BU INFRINGED OK HER HONOR TO BE TARNISHED, AS LONG AS THERE ARE THOSE WHO LOVE TEXAS, AS LONG AS HER GLORIOUS HISTORY IS READ THE NAME OF HOUSTON WILL BE HON-ORDED AND HIS NOBLE DEEDS EMULATED.

J. H. BANTON OF WALKER COUNTY, IN TEXAS LEGISLATURE, NOVEMBER 3, 1863

An allocation of \$35,200 was used to construct and equip the museum as an improvement to the Sam Houston Shrine which comprises some fifteen acres of Sam Houston's homestead, together with several historic buildings associated with his life. The museum was designed by Harry D. Payne, architect, as a permanent monument to the memory of Sam Houston and as a repository for valuable relics connected with his life. In addition, the Commission allocated \$2,000 to purchase land adjacent to the old cemetery where Sam Houston is buried, and \$4,000 to repair the "Steamboat House" and remove it to the Sam Houston Shrine (see page 49). The Houston Shrine is a part of the campus of the Sam Houston State Teachers College, and the museum, as a unit in it, is operated by the college. The building, located in South Bluff Park, on land donated by the City of Corpus Christi, was designed by Brock, Roberts & Anderson, architects. It consists of one room sixty feet long and forty feet wide with stucco exterior walls and plaster interior walls on a concrete foundation. Funds for its construction were provided by an allocation of \$4,000 by the Commission, supplemented by a \$1,250 grant from Nueces County and a donation of \$1,033.10 from the Nueces County Centennial Memorial Fund. The City of Corpus Christi operates the museum.

CORPUS CHRISTI CENTENNIAL MUSEUM CORPUS CHRISTI (now a gym)







The West Texas Museum, on the campus of the Texas Technological College, was designed by W. L. Bradshaw to house the geological, paleontological, archaeological and historical collections of the West Texas Museum Association. A \$25,000 allocation was used to construct the ground floor unit. The Association has provided the equipment for this unit, and is now sponsoring a campaign to complete the proposed structure.

> WEST TEXAS MUSEUM LUBBOCK







Taking full advantage of the hillside location of the museum, Victor J. Smith, Sul Ross State Teachers College architect, designed a suitable half-basement to contain three laboratories, an auditorium seating one hundred eighty-five persons, a storeroom, and two garages. In addition to the central exhibit hall of pioneet and other historical materials, the main floor contains an auxiliary exhibit room, a replica of the interior of a pioneer home, a Latin-American room, an exhibit of fossils, flora, and fauna of West Texas, and a hall devoted to Indian relics. The construction of the museum was made possible by an allocation of \$25,000, a Works Progress Administration project of approximately \$20,000, and the contribution of an estimated \$5,000 in equipment, material, and services by the Sul Ross State Teachers College. Constructed of native stone and located on the campus of the college, the museum is operated by the West Texas Historical and Scientific Society.

BIG BEND HISTORICAL MUSEUM ALPINE

MUSEUM OF THE BIG BEND

Approximately \$53,000 of a federal allocation of \$75,000 for improvements to the Alamo was used to construct the museum and landscape the site. The balance was used to make repairs to the Alamo proper. Henry T. Phelps, architect, appropriately designed the museum in mission style to harmonize with the Alamo, near which it is located, and in addition to the main display room provided two committee rooms on the second floor. The museum displays the historical relics and records of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, custodians of the Alamo.



ALAMO MUSEUM SAN ANTONIO (now a gift shop)





The Commission allocated the sum of \$30,000 and the Public Works Administration \$24,545 for the construction of the building. An allocation of \$6,000 was used for equipment and furnishings, and for the construction of a reflecting pool; a \$1,500 allocation provided the monument to thirty two Gonzales men; a \$500 allocation provided the marble plaque to eighteen Gonzales men; sixteen bronze plaques relating the early history of the region were provided for the interior walls by part of an additional \$1,500 allocation. The building of Texas shell stone trimmed in Cordova cream limestone was designed by Phelps & Dewees, architects; the murals were executed by J. B. Winn, Jr. The monument to the thirty two Gonzales men, a shaft of axed Texas pink granite eight feet ten inches in height, tapering from five feet six inches at the base to three feet eight inches at the top, and one foot four inches thick, standing on a three-foot base, was designed by Page & Southerland, architects. The bronze sculptured panel attached to its face was designed by Raoul Josset. The hone-finished silver gray Georgia marble plaque to the "Old Eighteen," set in the inside wall of the museum, was designed by Phelps & Dewees. The museum is owned and maintained by the City of Gonzales; the amphitheatre is used for public gatherings and entertainment. Inscriptions on the monuments and plaques are presented on the following pages.

GONZALES MEMORIAL MUSEUM AND AMPHITHEATRE GONZALES



COMMUNITY CENTERS

DAVID CROCKETT MEMORIAL BUILDING GROUNDS



MEMORIAL AUDITORIUM AND STADIUM Goliad County

Designed by Samuel C. P. Vosper and Raiford L. Stripling, this memorial of reinforced concrete was financed by a state allocation of \$50,000 and a federal allocation of \$20,000. The auditorium and stadium adds materially to the recreational facilities of Goliad State Park, providing a suitable place for pageants, public meetings, and memorial exercises. The Works Progress Administration has expended an additional sum of \$5,000 to build sidewalks, parking areas and roads, to grade and fill the athletic field, and to provide floors under the stadium for a clubroom. The Goliad State Park Commission has provided flood lights for the athletic field and maintains and supervises the building.





SUNKEN GARDEN AMPHITHEATRE Bexar County

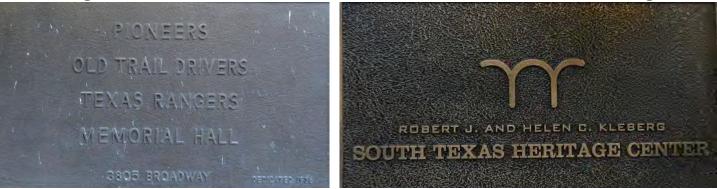
A federal allocation of \$62,000 was used to improve the Sunken Garden Amphitheatre in Brackenridge Park. The project included the crection of dressing rooms, a concrete area equipped with 2200 seats, a chain fence, and an entrance structure on North St. Mary's Street. The amphitheatre is owned and maintained by the City of San Antonio, and is used by community groups, such as the San Antonio Civic Opera Company, for public entertainment. The architects were Harvey Smith, George Willis, and Charles Boelhauwe. The National Youth Administration and the City of San Antonio contributed an additional \$5,000 to construct new roads, walks, and walls, and to landscape the adjoining grounds. 355

TEXAS PIONEERS-TRAIL DRIVERS-RANGERS MEMORIAL Bexar County



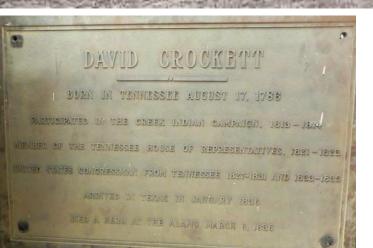
Original Name

Name after remodeling



A federal allocation of \$100,000 was used to construct and equip this memorial building in Brackenridge Park, designed by Phelps & Dewees and Ayres & Ayres, architects. The building serves as the headquarters for the Old Trail Drivers Association of Texas and the State Association of Texas Pioneers. The Texas Ex-Rangers Association plan to use the room reserved for them as a museum. In addition to the three meeting rooms, the building contains a ballroom equipped with a stage and convertible into an auditorium, a custodian's room, a service room, and a kitchen. The Division of Parks of the City of San Antonio has landscaped the grounds, and maintains the building. 356

DAVID CROCKETT MEMORIAL BUILDING Houston County DEMOLISHED; PLAQUES IN STORAGE



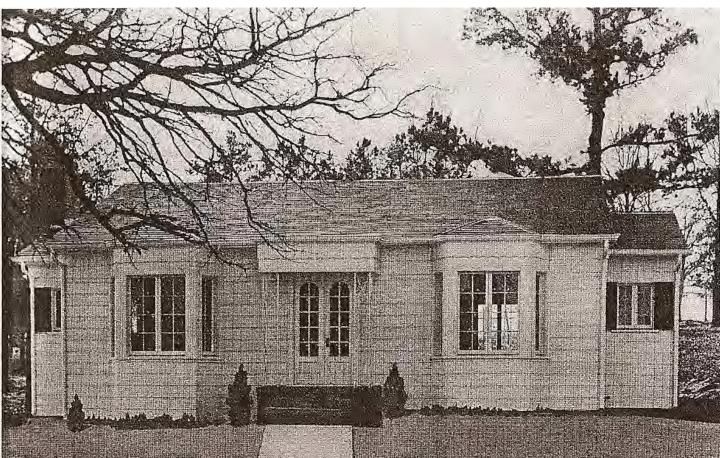


BORN IN TENNESSEE AUGUST 17, 1786

PARTICIPATED IN THE CREEK INDIAN CAMPAIGN, 1813-1814 MEMBER OF THE TENNESSEE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, 1821-1823 UNITED STATES CONGRESSMAN FROM TENNESSEE 1627-1831 AND 1833-1935 ARRIVED IN TEXAS IN JANUARY 1936 DIED A HERO IN THE ALAMO MARCH 6, 1836

"BE SURE YOU ARE RIGHT; THEN GO AHEAD"

JAMES SMITH MEMORIAL BUILDING Tyler County DEMOLISHED IN 1970s



This building of colonial design, located in Fait Park, consists of one large room twenty-six by thirty-six feet, paneled in stained knotty pine, with a brick fireplace and rest rooms. The City of Tyler owns and maintains the building, which is used as a community center. W. Keith Maxwell and Gilbert Santacruz were the architects. An allocation of \$3,000 by the Commission was used to erect the building.

James Smith was a captain in the Texas Revolution, who used his home to protect neighbors during the Indian troubles of 1837-1838. Smith was later a brigadier general in command of the Third Brigade on the northwest frontier with Mexico, and he represented Rusk County in the Texas House of Representatives, 1846-1847. In the 1970s, the building was torn down because of rot and termites. The former location is in the Tyler Rose Gardens.

Restorations





FORT INGLISH BONHAM

The original site of the fort was donated to the City of Bonham by the heirs of Smith Lipscomb. The Commission allocated \$2,400 to construct the replica designed by L. Ross Garner, architect. The City of Bonham maintains the building.

Fannin County





FORT BELKNAP

NEWCASTLE

ESTABLISHED NOV. 1851 FOR THE U. S. ARMY BY GEN. WM. G. BELKNAP LOCATION SELECTED BY CAPT. R. B. MARCY THIS POST - ONE OF THE MOST IM-PORTANT IN TEXAS AT THAT TIME - WAS MAINTAINED BY THE U. S. ARMY UNTIL 1867 FOR THE PROTECTION OF EARLY SETTLERS AND TRAVELERS

THE FOLLOWING PERSONNEL OCCU-PIED THIS POST FROM 1851 TO 1867

1851 - TEN COMPANIES OF THE TENTH INFANTRY UNDER COMMAND OF COL. G. LOOMIS

1852 - FIVE COMPANIES OF THE FIFTH INFANTRY UNDER COMMAND OF COL. G. LOOMIS

1854 - THREE COMPANIES OF THE SEC-OND DRAGOONS EIGHTY SEVENTH INFANTRY 1855 TO 1857 - TWO TO FOUR COM-PANIES OF THE FIRST AND SEVENTH INFANTRY UNDER COMMAND OF CAPT. AND BREVET MAJ. G. R. PAUL

1858 - ONE COMPANY OF THE FIRST CAVALRY AND FIRST INFANTRY UNDER COMMAND OF CAPT. R. W. JOHNSON 1867 - ONE COMPANY OF THE SIXTH CAVALRY UNDER COMMAND OF FIRST LIEUT. G. SCHREYER

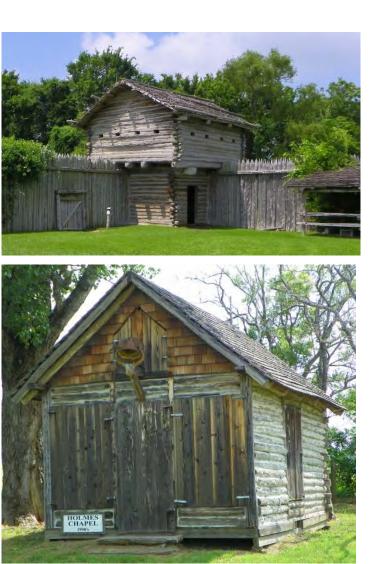
Young County



FORT CONCHO SAN ANGELO

Fort Concho, established in 1867, was one of the largest and best known of the western frontier posts. Constructed of native stone, many of the original buildings remain in San Angelo in good condition to this day. Title to the headquarters building was acquired by Tom Green County through public subscription and then transferred to the City of San Angelo. An allocation of \$2,800 of federal funds by the Commission and some \$400 raised by individual contribution was used to repair the building under the supervision of John G. Becker, architect. Since 1929 it has housed the historical collections of the West Texas Museum, recently changed to the Fort Concho Museum, and operated by a Museum Board of seven members appointed by the city commissioners. The city and county jointly maintain the building and provide for a caretaker. The Museum Board is now interested in a project to restore the original fort in its entirety.

Tom Green County



FORT PARKER LIMESTONE COUNTY

The State Park Board in 1935 acquired title to the site of Fort Parker in Limestone County through the donation of 1496 acres by the City of Mexia and the citizens of Mexia and Groesbeck. The Commission allocated \$10,000 to construct a replica of the fort and a caretaker's house. The stockade, constructed of cedar timbers, encloses an acre of land and occupies the original site. The plans, which include two blockhouses and six cabins, were drawn and authenticated by the National Park Service. J. F. Denning, architect, supervised the construction. The Civilian Conservation Corps provided the labor for the installation of plumbing, a water system and electrical equipment for the caretaker's house and cases for the display of relics closely associated with the history of the fort. The State Park Board provides a caretaker and maintains the fort.

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CAMP COLORADO COLEMAN

The construction of the replica in the Coleman City Park of the administration building of Camp Colorado, originally built in 1856, was made possible by an allocation of \$1800 by the Commission of Control, a contribution of \$760.09 by the City of Coleman, and a Works Progress Administration project amounting to \$1598.57. The replica contains three rooms: one is to contain a complete miniature replica of Old Camp Colorado and a large relief map showing all early trails, roads, and military posts in the region; a second room is used for museum displays; and the third room serves as a meeting place for the American Legion, Boy Scouts, The Old Settlers Association, and other organizations.

Coleman County





OLD STONE FORT NACOGDOCHES

When the original Old Stone Fort was demolished in 1901, the stones were saved by the Cum Concilio Club of Nacogdoches. The Commission allocated \$20,000 to reconstruct the fort on the campus of the Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College about one mile from its original site. H. B. Tucker, architect, designed the replica, using the original stones for the outside walls. The building is now used as a museum by the college.

Nacogdoches County



REAL PRESIDIO DE SAN SABÁ MENARD

ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED ON THE SAN GABRIEL RIVER AS THE PRESIDIO OF SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER IN 1751 MOVED TO THE PRESENT SITE IN 1757 AS A PROTECTION TO THE MISSION SANTA CRUZ DE SAN SABA KNOWN AS THE PRESIDIO DE SAN LUIS DE LAS AMARILLAS 1757-1761 AFTER MARCH 1761 THE NAME WAS REAL PRESIDIO DE SAN SABA THE STONE BUILDING WAS COMPLETED IN 1761

Menard County





THE ALAMO

The purchase of the city block on which the Alamo is located restores, as nearly as possible, the entire original site occupied by the Mission San Antonio de Valero. Plaques in the sidewalks mark the exact original boundaries. A new roof, other repairs to the chapel, rock walks, and restoration of the old acequia were included.

Bexar County



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VEREINS KIRCHE Gillespie County

This pioneer memorial to the colonists who in 1846 settled Fredericksburg under the auspices of the Adlesverein is a reproduction of the first community church. In addition to its use as a place of worship, it also served as a protection against the Indians, and later as a community school house. This replica stands within two hundred feet of the original in the center of a park area in the heart of Fredericksburg. Constructed of limestone, the new building is supported with hand-hewn studs and rafters. The building contains the corner stone of the original and the same bell that called the colonists to service in pioneer days. The building is forty-three feet in diameter and is used as a museum. The Commission allocated \$1,450 to supplement the funds raised by the people of Fredericksburg and Gillespie County.



SAN JOSE MISSION Bexar County

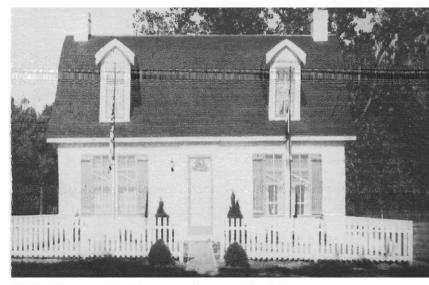
Portions of the original site of the mission are owned separately by the Catholic Church of the Diocese of San Antonio, the County of Bexar, and the San Antonio Conservation Society. Several restoration projects by the Civil Works Administration and the Public Works Administration approximating \$200,000 were sponsored by these organizations. The plans were drawn by Harvey P. Smith, architect. A \$20,000 allocation of federal funds completed the partially restored granary, prefecture, soldiers' quarters and the old mill, and completed the construction of a sunken garden with an open air theatre on the portion of the site owned by the San Antonio Conservation Society.



SAM HOUSTON STEAMBOAT HOUSE HUNTSVILLE

Sam Houston spent his last days and died in this home which was donated to the Board of Regents of the Sam Houston State Teachers College by J. E. Josey. A \$4,000 allocation by the Commission of Control was used to repair and move the building to its present location, the Sam Houston Shrine, on the campus of the Sam Houston State Teachers College. Repairs were supervised by Wilkinson & Nutter, architects. Furnishings and personal belongings of Sam Houston and a collection of paintings are displayed in the "Steamboat House."

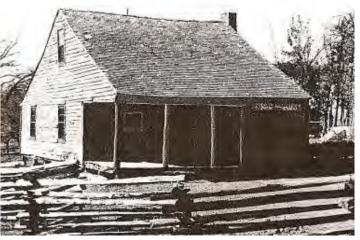
Walker County



MIRABEAU B. LAMAR HOME PARIS

The miniature replica of the Mirabeau B. Lamar home built about one-third actual size was designed by E. J. Revell, architect, and constructed with a \$1400 allocation on the site of the First Presbyterian Church. During the Centennial celebrations the home was authentically furnished in period style by the Chamber of Commerce for exhibition to thousands of visitors.

Lamar County



COLLIN MCKINNEY TEXAS PATRIOT AND STATESMAN ONE OF COMMITTEE OF FIVE THAT WROTE THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, ONE OF ITS FIFTY-NINE SIGNERS, MARCH 2, 1836. SERVED IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, REPUBLIC OF TEXAS. IN RECOGNITION OF HIS DISTINGUISHED SERVICE THE COUNTY AND COUNTY SEAT OF COLLIN COUNTY BEAR HIS NAME. BORN IN NEW JERSEY, APRIL 17, 1766.

DIED IN THIS HOUSE, SEPTEMBER 9, 1861.

Collin McKinney was one of the signers of the Texas Declaration of Independence. His original home, the gift of his heirs to the City of McKinney, was moved from its original location seventeen miles north of the city to its present site in Finch Park. An allocation of \$1000 served to move and repair the home.



Collin County

House burned; plaques saved



FINIS C. WILLS CABIN WILLS POINT

A replica of the pioneer cabin of Finis C. Wills, in whose honor the town of Wills Point was named, was built near the site of the original by the Wednesday Book Club of Wills Point at a cost of approximately \$500, of which \$200 was allocated by the Commission of Control. The cabin is used as a meeting place by the book club and by various other organizations of the town. 366





FORT RICHARDSON

AS PARTIALLY RECONSTRUCTED IN 1936 ESTABLISHED BY THE UNITED STATES WAR DEPARTMENT ON NOVEMBER 26, 1867 AS A PROJECTION OF THE FRONTIER AGAINST HOSTILE INDIANS NAMED IN HONOR OF GENERAL ISRAEL B. RICHARDSON, U. S. A., KILLED AT ANTIETAM. SEPTEMBER 17, 1862 ABANDONED MAY 23, 1878 AS THE LINE OF SETTLEMENT HAD PASSED WESTWARD

The Commission allocated \$12,800 and the City of Jacksboro donated \$300 for the purchase of the forty-one acre site near Jacksboro and the repair of the bakery, officers' quarters, morgue, and hospital building. The reconditioning of the buildings was supervised by Terrill Isbell, architect. The buildings are now occupied by a unit of the National Guard and the grounds maintained by the City of Jacksboro as a public park. A bronze plaque on a small granite stone recites the brief history of the fort. Jack County





FORT GRAHAM Hill County

A FRONTIER MILITARY POST ESTABLISHED ON THE SITE OF A WACO INDIAN VILLAGE BY BREVET MAJOR R. A. ARNOLD, SECOND UNITED STATES DRAGOONS, ON MARCH 27, 1849. NAMED IN HONOR OF LT. COL. WILLIAM M. GRAHAM WHO FELL AT MOLINA DEL REY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1847. ABANDONED NOVEMBER 9, 1853, AFTER SETTLE-MENTS HAD BEEN MADE FURTHER WEST.

The Commission allocated \$6,700 for the purchase of the fifty-acre site and the reconstruction of the barracks, partly from the original stone. The property is deeded to the Hill County Commissioners Court and is supervised by four trustees. The building and grounds are used for public gatherings and as a meeting place for civic organizations. A bronze plaque on a small granite monument briefly relates the history of the fort. J. O. Galbraith, architect, drew the plans for the reconstruction.

PARK IMPROVEMENTS





WASHINGTON ON THE BRAZOS STATE PARK Washington County The Commission allocated \$34,000 to enlarge and improve Washington State Park. The Anson Jones home was purchased, repaired, and moved to the park; the auditorium and caretaker's house were repaired and renovated; an amphitheatre, storage house, and rest rooms constructed; the park fence moved and reset to include the additional acreage; the water and lighting systems improved and extended; additional sidewalks, tables, benches, and a barbecue pit provided. The work was supervised by Travis Broesche and Giesecke & Harris, architects.

FANNIN PARK Goliad County



The addition of a shelter, and alterations to the existing structure containing a relic room, rest rooms and water system were made possible by an allocation by the Commission of \$5,000 in federal funds. The plans were drawn by Vosper & Stripling, architects.



STATUES



Bryant Baker sculpting the statue of Ben Milam 371







STEPHEN F. AUSTIN SAN FELIPE STATE PARK

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN - FATHER OF TEXAS NOVEMBER 3, 1793 ---- DECEMBER 27, 1836 HE PLANTED THE FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONY IN TEXAS "THE OLD THREE HUNDRED" - IN HIS SEVERAL COLONIES HE SETTLED MORE THAN A THOUSAND FAMILIES - HE WAS FROM 1823 UNTIL 1828 THE ACTUAL RULER OF TEXAS AND THEREAFTER ITS MOST INFLUENTIAL LEADER - HIS OWN WORDS ARE A FITTING EPITAPH . "THE PROSPERITY OF TEXAS HAS BEEN THE OBJECT OF MY LABORS - THE IDOL OF MY EXISTENCE - IT HAS ASSUMED THE CHARACTER OF A RELIGION - FOR THE GUIDANCE OF MY THOUGHTS AND ACTIONS"-AND HE DIED IN ITS SERVICE . . . NO OTHER STATE IN THE UNION OWES ITS EXISTENCE MORE COMPLETELY TO ONE MAN THAN TEXAS DOES TO AUSTIN

PETER HANSBROUGH BELL 1812 1898

FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO APRIL 21 - 1836 ASSISTANT INSPECTOR GENERAL AND INSPECTOR GENERAL OF THE TEXAS ARMY - 1837-1839 - CAPTAIN OF TEXAS RANGERS AND LIEUTENANT COLONEL OF MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS IN THE MEXICAN WAR - 1845-1846 - COLONEL OF A TEXAS VOLUNTEER REGIMENT - 1848-1849.

GOVERNOR OF TEXAS NOVEMBER 5 - 1849 TO NOVEMBER 23 - 1853 - - UNITED STATES CONGRESSMAN FROM TEXAS 1853-1857 HE FOUGHT BRAVELY TO ESTABLISH THE REPUBLIC AND WITH TACT AND SKILL HE HELPED TO STEER THE SHIP OF STATE THROUGH THE TROUBLED WATERS OF ITS EARLY YEARS







MOSES AUSTIN

BORN IN CONNECTICUT -OCTOBER FOURTH 1761 MOVED TO PHILADELPHIA IN 1783 THENCE TO VIRGINIA IN 1785 AND TO MISSOURI IN 1798 - ARRIVED IN SAN ANTONIO ON DECEMBER TWENTY-THIRD 1820 DIED IN MISSOURI JUNE TENTH 1821

MOSES AUSTIN HERE PETITIONED THE SPANISH AUTHORITIES FOR THE RIGHT TO BRING THREE HUNDRED FAMILIES TO TEXAS · AND RETURNED TO MISSOURI TO AWAIT THE ANSWER

EXPOSURE AND EXHAUSTION DURING HIS TEXAS JOURNEY CAUSED HIS DEATH A FEW DAYS AFTER RECEIVING NOTIFICATION THAT HIS PETITION HAD BEEN GRANTED HIS DYING REQUEST WAS THAT HIS SON STEPHEN SHOULD CARRY OUT HIS VISION

A MAN OF VISION E N T E R P R I S E INDUSTRY AND INDOMITABLE ENERGY · · HE MOST FITTINGLY BEQUEATHED THE REALIZATION OF HIS PLANS TO HIS MORE DELIBERATE PATIENT · TACTFUL AND DIPLOMATIC SON

BEN MILAM SAN ANTONIO

PREEMINENT HERO OF TEXAS A MAN OF RARE INITIATIVE AND COURAGE · OF A MODEST AND WILLING PERSONALITY A DEVOTED FRIEND · BORN IN FRANKFORT KENTUCKY IN 1788 A SOLDIER IN THE WAR OF 1812

TRADER WITH THE TEXAS COMANCHE INDIANS IN 1818 WAS A COLONEL IN THE LONG TRESPALACIOS EXPEDITION IN 1820 - TEXAS COLONIZER 1826 TO 1835 - FIRST NAVIGATOR OF THE UPPER RED RIVER IN 1831

ASSISTED IN THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD OCTOBER NINTH 1835. PLANNED THE ATTACK ON SAN ANTONIO AND WAS KILLED ON DECEMBER SEVENTH 1835 WHILE COMMANDING THE TEXAS FORCES WHICH LATER CAPTURED THE TOWN









JAMES BOWIE TEXARKANA

HERO OF THE ALAMO "THEY NEVER FAIL WHO DIE IN A JUST CAUSE." LOVE OF ADVENTURE BROUGHT THE YOUNG SOUTH CAROLINIAN TO TEXAS WITH JAMES LONG IN 1819. ROMANCE MADE OF HIM A MEXICAN CITIZEN AND WON FOR HIM IN SAN ANTONIO A SPANISH BRIDE, URSULA VERAMENDI.

DREAMS OF FABULOUS WEALTH LURED BOWIE TO THE SAN SABA REGION, WHERE HE MET AN UNEXPECTED INDIAN ATTACK WITH UNFLINCHING COURAGE. AGAINST THE POLITICAL AND MILITARY TYRANT WHO THREATENED THE FREEDOM OF TEXAS, HIS ARM WAS REPEATEDLY RAISED UNTIL HE FELL, AMONG THE LAST DEFENDERS OF THE ALAMO, MARCH 6, 1836.

HENRY SMITH BRAZORIA

HENRY SMITH WAS BORN IN KENTUCKY MAY TWENTIETH 1788 CAME TO TEXAS IN 1827 AND SETTLED IN WHAT IS NOW BRAZORIA COUNTY WHICH HE REGARDED AS HIS HOME UNTIL HIS DEATH . HE WAS SEVERELY WOUNDED IN THE BATTLE OF VELASCO JUNE 26 1832 + ALCALDE OF THE JURISDICTION OF BRAZORIA 1833 . DELEGATE TO THE SECOND CONVENTION OF TEXAS IN 1833 POLITICAL CHIEF OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE BRAZOS IN 1834 7836

HENRY SMITH WAS A MEMBER OF THE CONSULTATION AND WAS BY THAT BODY ELECTED GOVERNOR OF THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS NOVEMBER 12, 1835 . HE WAS THE FIRST SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1836 TO 1838 AND A MEMBER OF THE FIFTH CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1840 TO 1841 . HE DIED IN A MINING CAMP IN LOS ANGELES COUNTY CALIFORNIA MARCH FOURTH 1851 WHILE IN SEARCH OF GOLD 1936



RICHARD ELLIS

BY BIRTH AND EDUCATION, A VIRGINIAN; THROUGH RESIDENCE, 1813-1825, AN ALABAMAN JURIST IN THAT YEAR, TEXAS CLAIMED HIM

AS PRESIDENT OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION IN 1836 AND AS A MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE YOUNG REPUBLIC, HE STEERED THE HELM OF STATE THROUGH TROUBLED WATERS

> NURTURED IN THE CULTURE OF THE OLD SOUTH, PRACTICED IN THE APPLICATION OF THE LAW, HE EXERCISED, IN BEHALF OF TEXAS, COURAGE, VISION, AND LEADERSHIP

> > BORN FEBRUARY 14, 1781 DIED DECEMBER 20, 1846

"LEAVING THE OLD, BOTH WORLDS AT ONCE THEY VIEW, THAT STAND UPON THE THRESHOLD OF THE NEW."







JAMES B. BONHAM BONHAM

BORN FEBRUARY 20 · 1807 · IN SOUTH CAROLINA STUDIED AT SOUTH CAROLINA COLLEGE 1825-1827 ON THE STAFF OF THE GOVERNOR OF SOUTH CAROLINA AT THE TIME OF THE NULLIFICATION CONTROVERSY 1832 TO 1833 · PRACTICED LAW AT PENDLETON SOUTH CAROLINA AND MONTGOMERY ALABAMA

AT THE CALL OF HIS BOYHOOD FRIEND WILLIAM BARRETT TRAVIS HE CAME TO TEXAS IN 1835 AND ENGAGED IN THE WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE AS AIDE AND MESSENGER FOR TRAVIS . HE WAS FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH AT THE ALAMO MARCH THE SIXTH 1836

LAMAR

MIRABEAU B. LAMAR RICHMOND, FORT BEND COUNTY

MIRABEAU BUONAPARTE LAMAR - FATHER OF EDUCATION IN TEXAS - BORN IN GEORGIA AUGUST 16 - 1798 - FOUNDED THE COLUMBUS ENOUIRER - CAME TO TEXAS IN 1836 - HE COMMANDED THE CAVALRY AT THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO SERVED SUCCESSIVELY AS SECRETARY OF WAR - VICE-PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS SECURED A PUBLIC ENDOWMENT FOR SCHOOLS - ACADEMIES AND A UNIVERSITY - FOUGHT WITH DISTINCTION IN THE MEXICAN WAR - SERVED IN THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE AND AS MINISTER TO NICARAGUA - DIED IN RICHMOND TEXAS - ON THE NINETEENTH DAY OF DECEMBER 1851

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SIDNEY SHERMAN

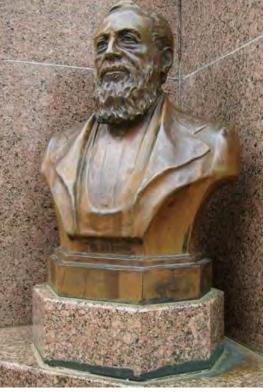
GALVESTON

BORN IN MASSACHUSETTS JULY 23 1805 CAME TO TEXAS FEBRUARY 1836 AS CAPTAIN OF A COMPANY OF VOLUNTEERS HE HAD RECRUITED IN KENTUCKY AND OHIO COMMANDED THE SECOND REGIMENT OF TEXAS VOLUNTEERS AT SAN JACINTO FIRST TO SOUND THE IMMORTAL WAR CRY OPENING THE BATTLE . REMEMBER THE ALAMO . REMEMBER GOLIAD . MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1842 1843 - MAJOR GENERAL OF THE MILITIA 1843 · 1846 · COMMANDANT · PORT OF GALVESTON C. S. A. 1861 1862 FATHER OF RAILROADS IN TEXAS HAVING BUILT THE FIRST ONE WEST OF THE SABINE RIVER . . DIED IN GALVESTON TEXAS ON THE FIRST DAY OF AUGUST 1873



.....Another intaglio, symbolic of the relationship of Texas and the United States, appears on the back of the die.....





IN MEMORY OF

OTFRID HANS FREIHERR von MEUSEBACH

BORN AT DILLENBURG, NASSAU, GERMANY MAY 26, 1812

COMMISSIONER GENERAL OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF GERMAN IMMIGRANTS IN TEXAS WHO BECAME A CITIZEN OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS UNDER THE NAME OF JOHN O. MELISEBACH

FOUNDER OF FREDERICKSBURG ON MAY 8, 1846

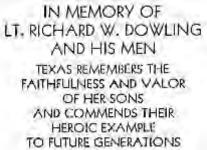
ON MARCH 1-2, 1847, HE NEGOTIATED WITH 20 COMANCHE CHIEFS A TREATY OF PEACE WHICH PROTECTED THE GERMAN FRONTIER SETTLEMENTS FROM INDIAN RAIDS

STATE SENATOR IN 1851

APPOINTED COMMISSIONER FOR THE "COLONY OF THE GERMAN EMIGRATION COMPANY" BY GOVERNOR PEASE TO DISTRIBUTE HEADRIGHTS TO THE COLONISTS OF THE GERMAN EMIGRATION COMPANY IN 1854

> FOUNDER OF THE TOWN OF LOYAL VALLEY WHERE HE DIED, MAY 27, 1897





THE MEN WHO FOUGHT

SECOND LT. N. H. SMITH DR. GEO. H. BAILEY & PATRICK ABBOTT MICHAEL CARR & ABNER R. CARTER PAT CLAIR & JAMES CORCORAN THOS. DAUGHERTY & HUGH DEAGAN MICHAEL DELANEY & DAN. DONOVAH JNO, DRUMMOND & MICHAEL EAGAN PAT FITZGERALD & JAMES FLEMING JOHN FLOOD & WILLIAM GLEASON TOM HAGERTY & WILLIAM HARDY JOHN HASSETT & JOHN HENNESSEY JAMES HIGGINS & TIM HUGGINS WITH LT. DOWLING WERE

TIM HURLEY + WILLIAM L. JETT PAT MALONE . ALEX MCCABE PAT MEDONNELL' . TIM MEDONOUGH JOHN MCGRATH + JOHN MCKEEVER MICHL MCKERNAN . DAN MCMURRAY JNO, MONEALIS & MICHL, MONOGHAN PETER O'HARA . LAWRENCE PLUNKETT MAURICE POWERS . EDW. PRITCHARD CHARLES RHEINS + MICHL. SULLIVAN PAT SULLIVAN & THOMAS SULLIVAN MATHEW WALSH . JOHN T. WESTLEY JOHN W. WHITE & JOSEPH WILSON THUS IT WILL BE SEEN THAT WE CAPTURED WITH FORTY-SEVEN MEN TWO GUNBOATS MOUNTING THIRTEEN GUNS OF THE HEAVIEST CALIBER AND ABOUT THREE HUNDRED AND FIFTY PRISONERS. ALL MY MEN BEHAVED LIKE HEROES, NOT A MAN FLINCHED FROM HIS POST. OUR MOTTO WAS VICTORY OR DEATH. OFFICIAL REPORT OF LT. RICHARD W. DOWLING

> AT THIS SITE ON SEPT. 8TH, 1863 DICK DOWLING AND FORTY-SEVEN MEN COMPRISING COMPANY F TEXAS HEAVY ARTILLERY JEFFERSON DAVIS GUARDS C S. A., FROM A MUD FORT REPULSED AN ATTACK MADE BY FOUR WARSHIPS AND TWELVE HUNDRED MEN OF THE FEDERAL ARMY THUS SAVING TEXAS FROM 383 INVASION BY THE ENEMY

PECOND LON HI SALEH BR. GEO HEMILEY, ERERICA ASBOT MICHAEL DARK ANNER COMPRE-PAT CLAIR, JANER CORDAN THOS PROCEEDED IN OUR DE JAN MICRAEL DEEANEY IND PONOUNN IND BRUMMOND INCHAEL UNN NO BRUMMOND INCHAEL UNN PAT FETZ CERAED. JAMES HEARING JEMMEROOD, WILLING CLAIDON TOM HAGELTY, WILLING CLAIDON DETRUMANELA TOM HIMOSOF LT RICHARD W DOWLAN AND HIS MEN S TEXAS RÉMEMBERS THE

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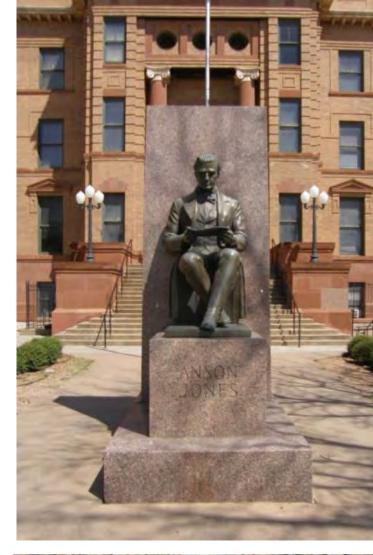
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THERE IS NO PARALLEL IN ANCIENT OR MODERN WARFARE TO THE VICTORY OF DOWLING AND HIS MEN AT SABINE PASS CONSIDERING THE GREAT ODDS AGAINST WHICH THEY HAD TO CONTEND. JEFFERSON DAVIS

ANSON JONES ANSON

ANSON	JONES
1798	1858

BORN IN MASSACHUSETTS JANUARY TWENTIETH 1798 WAS LICENSED TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN 1820 - CAME TO TEXAS IN 1833 - DOCTOR JONES PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO 1836 WHILE A SURGEON IN THE ARMY OF TEXAS . HE WAS A MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC 1837.41 MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES 1838 · SECRETARY OF STATE 1841-44 HE WAS THE LAST PRESIDENT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1844 1845 · DIED IN HOUSTON TEXAS JANUARY NINTH 1858









R. E. B. BAYLOR WACO

ROBERT EMMETT BLEDSOE BAYLOR 1791-1873

FOUNDER OF BAYLOR UNIVERSITY UNDER THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS 1845 DONOR OF THE FIRST THOUSAND DOLLARS TO THE INSTITUTION PRESIDENT OF THE FIRST BOARD OF TRUSTEES PROFESSOR IN THE FIRST LAW FACULTY HE EXEMPLIFIED IN HIS LIFE THE MOTTO OF BAYLOR UNIVERSITY PRO ECCLESIA PRO TEXANA

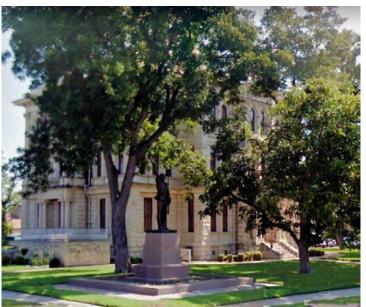
CONSTRUCTIVE STATESMAN

JUDGE BAYLOR WAS A MEMBER OF THE KENTUCKY LEGISLATURE CONGRESSMAN FROM KENTUCKY CONGRESSMAN FROM ALABAMA UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM ALABAMA · · HE SERVED FIVE YEARS AS ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS . TWENTY YEARS AS DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE STATE COURTS . AS COMMANDER OF A COMPANY IN THE WAR OF 1812 AND AS A SOLDIER IN THE CREEK AND INDIAN WAR . MEXICAN WAR AND THE TEXAS - INDIAN WAR

RELIGIOUS LEADER

JUDGE BAYLOR ORGANIZED THE UNION ASSOCIATION . THE FIRST BAPTIST ORGANIZATION IN TEXAS - PRESENTED THE FIRST REPORT IN BEHALF OF CHRISTIAN EDUCATION IN TEXAS . . HE WAS THE FIRST PRESIDENT OF THE TEXAS EDUCATIONAL SOCIETY SPONSOR OF A FREE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM . . . PREACHER AND LAWYER . HE PREACHED THE FIRST SERMON AND HELD THE FIRST COURT IN WACO GIVING DIRECTION AND DESTINY TO TEXAS BY UPHOLDING THE LAW AND PROCLAIMING THE GOSPEL





BEN MILAM CAMERON

BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM BORN IN KENTUCKY 1788 · SOLDIER IN THE WAR OF 1812 · TRADER WITH THE TEXAS COMANCHE INDIANS 1818 · COLONEL IN THE LONG EXPEDITION IN 1820 · EMPRESARIO FROM 1826 TO 1835

BENJAMIN RUSH MILAM PARTICIPATED IN THE CAPTURE OF GOLIAD OCTOBER NINTH, 1835 WAS KILLED IN SAN ANTONIO DECEMBER SEVENTH, 1835 WHILE COMMANDING THE TEXAS FORCES WHICH LATER CAPTURED THE TOWN

> WHO WILL FOLLOW OLD BEN MILAM INTO SAN ANTONIO





JOSE ANTONIO NAVARRO CORSICANA

LOVER OF LIBERTY . FOE OF DESPOTISM BORN IN SAN ANTONIO - TEXAS FEBRUARY 27 1795 · · · DIED JANUARY 13 · 1871 AND BURIED THERE . . MEMBER OF THE LEGISLATURE OF COAHUILA AND TEXAS 1821 . . LAND COMMISSIONER OF DE WITT'S COLONY 1831 AND OF BEXAR DISTRICT 1834 1835 - - SIGNER OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE 1836 . MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS . 1838 - 1839 A COMMISSIONER OF THE SANTA FE EXPEDITION - 1841 - MEMBER OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION OF 1845 SENATOR IN THE LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS - 1846 - 1849 - NAVARRO COUNTY GRATEFULLY BEARS HIS NAME + + CORSICANA WAS NAMED BY HIM FOR THE ISLE OF HIS FATHER'S BIRTH & CORSICA

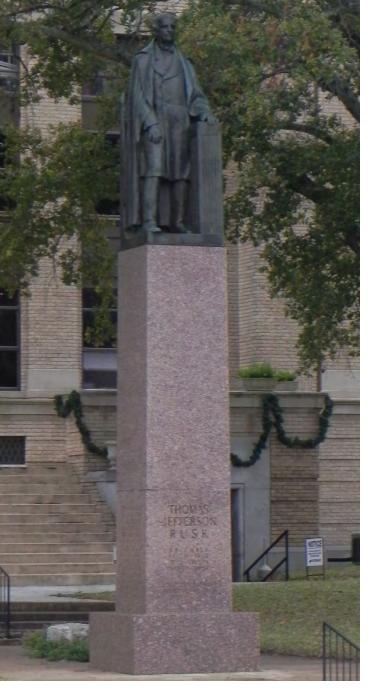




david Gouverneur Burnet

BORN APRIL 14 1788 IN NEWARK NEW JERSEY DIED IN GALVESTON TEXAS DECEMBER 5 - 1870 DELEGATE TO THE SECOND CONVENTION OF TEXAS 1833 - JUDGE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE BRAZOS 1834 DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION 1835

PRESIDENT - AD INTERIM OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS MARCH 16 TO OCTOBER 22 - 1836 VICE PRESIDENT NOVEMBER 10 - 1838 TO DECEMBER 13 - 1841 - PARTICIPATED IN THE BATTLE WITH THE CHEROKEES MAY 29 - 1839 - SECRETARY OF STATE - 1845





THOMAS JEFFERSON RUSK

DECEMBER FIFTH - 1803 JULY TWENTY-NINTH - 1857 SOLDIER - PATRIOT JURIST - STATESMAN

(Risht)

BOLD INTREPID AND DARING ON THE FIELD OF BATTLE HE IS YET MORE HONORED FOR WISE FORBEARANCE AND SOUND JUDGMENT -HIS ABLE COUNSEL AS SECRETARY OF WAR MATERIALLY ASSISTED IN THE WINNING OF FREEDOM FOR TEXAS

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HE SIGNED THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE HELPED DRAFT THE CONSTITUTION TO A LARGE DEGREE HE DEVISED THE COURT SYSTEM AND SERVED AS THE CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS

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STRONG ADVOGATE FOR ANNEXATION HE PRESIDED OVER THE CONVENTION OF 1845 WHICH FRAMED THE FIRST STATE CONSTITUTION AND AS UNITED STATES SENATOR HE WAS FOREMOST IN THE SETTLEMENT OF THE RIO GRANDE AS THE BOUNDARY OF TEXAS



JAMES PINCKNEY HENDERSON

BORN IN NORTH CAROLINA, MARCH 31, 1808; ARRIVED IN TEXAS JUNE 3, 1836 AT THE HEAD OF A COMPANY OF VOLUNTEERS; ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE REPUBLIC, 1836; SECRETARY OF STATE, 1836-1837, MINISTER TO ENGLAND AND FRANCE, 1837-1839; SPECIAL MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES, 1844; FIRST GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF TEXAS, 1846-1847; MAJOR GENERAL IN COMMAND OF TEXAS FORCES IN THE MEXICAN WAR, 1846-1847; RECEIVING A VOTE OF THANKS AND A SWORD FROM THE U. S. CONGRESS FOR GALLANTRY; UNITED STATES SENATOR FROM TEXAS, 1858. DIED IN WASHINGTON, D. C. JUNE 4, 1858

GEORGE C. CHILDRESS WASHINGTON STATE PARK

GEORGE CAMPBELL CHILDRESS

BORN IN NASHVILLE TENNESSEE JANUARY 8 . 1804 . DIED IN GALVESTON TEXAS OCTOBER 6 - 1841 BEFORE COMING TO TEXAS IN DECEMBER 1835 HE ASSISTED IN RAISING FUNDS AND SECURING VOLUNTEERS FOR THE ARMY OF TEXAS DELEGATE FROM THE MUNICIPALITY OF MILAM TO THE. CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION HELD HERE FROM MARCH 1 TO 17 - 1836 CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE OF FIVE WHICH DRAFTED THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE. APPOINTED BY PRESIDENT BURNET MARCH 19 · 1836 AGENT OF TEXAS AT WASHINGTON TO SECURE THE RECOGNITION OF THE SOVEREIGNTY AND INDEPENDENCE OF TEXAS BY THE UNITED STATES

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MONUMENTS





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The memorial proper of Georgia gray marble rests upon a slab base of Texas pink granite. The great shaft rises sixty feet from its base forty feet in length and twelve feet in width. The theme of the monument is the Spirit of Sacrifice represented on the south and main face of the shaft by a magnificent idealistic figure rising twenty-three feet from the long sloping capstone emblematic of the tomb. This monolithic slab twenty feet long bears appropriate ornamental tracery. The east and west ledges are decorated with background panels of eight figures in low relief glorifying all of the men who died in the Alâmo. Before the cast panel stand the heroic portrait statues of James Bowie and James Bonham; before the west panel, the heroic portrait statues of William Travis and David Crockett. On the north side appears a feminine figure symbolizing the State of Texas, holding the shields of Texas and the United States. The United States Texas Centennial Commission allocated \$100,000 for the construction of the monument. Pompeo Coppini conceived and executed the sculptural parts of the monument designed by Adams & Adams, atchitects, with Frank T. Drought as consulting engineer. Dr. Amelia Williams compiled for the inscription the list of the men who died in the Alâmo. Work on the project has been underway for two years; excavation at the site in a parkway opposite the Alamo will begin early in 1939, and completion of the project is expected by September.



RENE ROBERT CAVELIER

BORN IN ROUEN, FRANCE, NOVEMBER 22, 1643 CAME TO CANADA IN 1666 FOUNDED A FIRST SETTLEMENT NEAR MONTREAL LED SEVERAL EXPEDITIONS ON THE GREAT LAKES AND THE OHIO AND ILLINOIS RIVERS COMPLETED THE EXPLORATION OF THE MISSISSIPPI 1682 ON JULY 24, 1684 LA SALLE SAILED FROM FRANCE TO ESTABLISH A COLONY AT THE MOUTH OF THE MISSISSIPPI . LANDED AT MATAGORDA BAY FEBRUARY 15 1685 THERE ESTABLISHED FORT ST. LOUIS WHILE ON HIS WAY TO CANADA HE WAS MURDERED NEAR THE TRINITY BIVER MARCH 19, 1687

A GENTLEMAN BUT NOT A COURTIER A PROUD INDEPENDENT YET TIMID NATURE AN EXPLORER OF BOLD VISION AND UN-TIRING ENERGY

LA SALLE'S COLONY ON MATAGORDA BAY GAVE THE UNITED STATES ITS FIRST CLAIM TO TEXAS AS A PART OF THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE

"AMERICA OWES HIM AN ENDURING MEMORY, FOR, IN THIS MASCULINE FIGURE, SHE SEES THE PIONEER WHO GUIDED HER TO THE POSSESSION. OF HER RICHEST HERI-TAGE."

FRANCIS PARKMAN

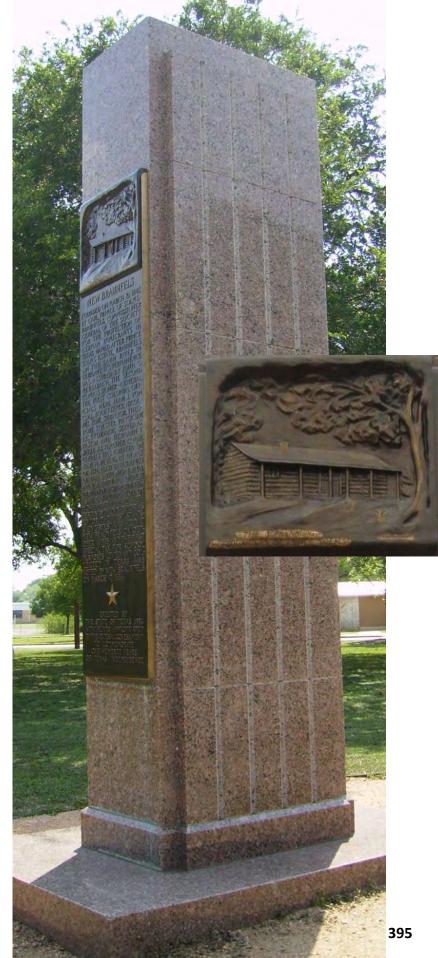
The entire memorial is erected on a pier, slab, and cap reinforced concrete foundation, designed as a rigid frame, supporting a rectangular base of granite upon which is erected a tapered wedge-shaped shaft of granite. The shaft is composed of four pieces, on which a combination of full-rounded and bas-relief sculpture is carved. The inscription appears on the lower block of the shaft. The entire memorial is of Kingsland pink granite, hand-hammered finish. The stylized portraiture of La Salle, sculptured by Raoul Josset and carved in granite by Ugo Lavaggi, is fourteen feet in height; the entire memorial rises twenty-two feet. The Commission allocated \$10,000 for the monument, designed by Donald Nelson, architect.

Calhoun County

NEW BRAUNFELS

FOUNDED ON MARCH 21, 1845, BY CARL, PRINCE OF SOLMS-BRAUNFELS, COMMISSIONER-GENERAL OF THE SOCIETY FOR THE PROTECTION OF GERMAN IMMIGRANTS IN TEXAS. NAMED AFTER PRINCE SOLMS' ESTATE, BRAUNFELS, ON THE LAHN RIVER IN GERMANY, ITS PERMANENCE WAS ASSURED BY JOHN O. MEUSEBACH, THE SECOND COMMISSIONER-GENERAL. THE FIRST COLONIAL OFF-ICIALS WERE JEAN J. VON COLL, BOOKKEEPER, NICHOL-AUS ZINK, SURVEYOR, THEO-DORE KOESTER, PHYSICIAN. L. C. EVENDBERG SERVED AS PASTOR AND HERMANN F. SEELE AS TEACHER, COMAL COUNTY WAS CREATED ON MARCH 24, 1846, BY AN ACT OF THE FIRST LEGISLATURE OF TEXAS, THE NEW BRAUN. FELSER ZEITUNG, OLDEST GERMAN NEWSPAPER IN TEX-AS, BEGAN PUBLICATION ON NOVEMBER 12, 1852, WITH FERDINAND LINDHEIMER AS EDITOR. THE FIRST STAATS-SAENGERFEST WAS HELD AT NEW BRAUNFELS ON OCT-OBER 16, 1853, AND THE FIRST SPECIAL TAX FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES LEVIED AND COL-LECTED IN TEXAS WAS VOTED BY NEW BRAUNFELS ON MARCH 17, 1856.

The polished shaft of Texas pink granite ornamented with vertical V-shaped grooves is eleven feet in height, two feet in width and three feet in depth. The bronze plaque bears the inscription and a bas-relief of Sophienburg, headquarters for Prince Solms, founder of New Braunfels, modelled by Charlotte A. Tremper. Page & Southerland were the architects. The Commission allocated \$1,800 in federal funds for the memorial.



DAVID CROCKETT

WAS BORN IN TENNESSEE ON AUGUST 17 1786 PARTICIPATED IN THE CREEK INDIAN CAMPAIGN 1813-1814 MEMBER OF THE TENNESSEE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 1821-1823 - UNITED STATES CONGRESSMAN FROM TENNESSEE 1827-1831 AND 1833-1835 ARRIVED IN TEXAS IN JANUARY 1836 DIED A HERO AT THE ALAMO MARCH THE SIXTH 1836



A monolithic base supports the shaft on which is carved a nine-foot bas-relief portraiture and the main inscription. The complete monument is constructed of pink granite from Marble Falls and is finished with a hand hammer. William M. McVey sculptured the figure which was carved by E. Leonarduzi. Donald Nelson, architect, designed the monument. The Commission allocated \$7,500 for the memorial, which stands in the city square. 396



THE PIONEER WOMAN DENTON

The entire memorial is constructed of Georgia white Cherokee marble and is axe-finished. Above the ring base stands a great horizontal twenty-two ton nonolithic die with bevelled top. The thirteen-foot sculpture was designed by Leo Friedlander and carved from a thirty-ton monolith by the Piccirilli brothers. The memorial was designed by Donald Nelson, architect. The Commission allocated \$25,000 in federal funds for the erection of the memorial on the campus of the Texas State College for Women.

MARKING A TRAIL IN A PATHLESS WILDERNESS PRESSING FORWARD WITH UNSWERVING COURAGE SHE MET EACH UNTRIED SITUATION WITH A RESOURCEFULNESS EQUAL TO THE NEED WITH A GLAD HEART SHE BROUGHT TO HER FRONTER FAMILY HER HOMELANDS CULTURAL HERITAGE WITH DELICATE SPIRITUAL SENSITIVENESS SHE ILLUMINED THE DULLNESS OF ROUTINE AND THE LONELINESS OF ISOLATION WITH BEAUTY AND WITH LIFE ABUNDANT AND WITHAL SHE EIVED WITH CASUAL UN-AWARENESS OF HER VALUE TO CIVILIZATION SUCH WAS THE

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VICTORIA

COUNTY

UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT VICTORIA WAS A DISTRICT IN 1832, A MUNICIPALITY IN 1835. UNDER THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS VICTORIA COUNTY WAS CREATED MARCH 17, 1836 WITH VICTORIA AS THE COUNTY SEAT. ITS TERRITORY HAS SINCE BEEN MATERIALLY REDUCED THROUGH THE CREATION OF OTHER COUNTIES. THE PRINCIPAL INDUSTRY OF THE PEOPLE OF THE REGION DURING THE 19TH CENTURY WAS CATTLE RAISING. HERE THAT INDUSTRY HAD ITS ORIGIN IN TEXAS, AND VICTORIA COUNTY CONTINUES TO THE PRESENT DAY TO BE THE LEADING CATTLE COUNTY OF THE STATE.

VICTORIA COUNTY EARLY HOME OF THE KARANKAWA INDIANS. REGION ROAMED BY ALVAR NUNEZ CABEZA DE VACA IN 1534 1535 THE FIRST WHITE MAN AND COMPANIONS TO TRAVEL FROM THE ATLANTIC TO THE PACIFIC OCEAN. SITE OF THE FIRST FRENCH SETTLEMENT IN TEXAS ATTEMPTED BY CAVELIER RENE ROBERT SIEUR DE LA SALLE AND COMPANIONS WHO BUILT FORT ST. LOUIS ON GARCITAS CREEK IN 1685. DEVASTATED BY THE KARANKAWA INDIANS BURNED BY MEMBERS OF THE ALONSO DE LEON EXPEDITION IN 1689. ON ITS REMAINS THE SPANIARDS CONSTRUCTED PRESIDIO DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LORETO DF LA BAHIA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO

AS A PROTECTION FOR THE MISSION DE NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL ESPIRITU SANTO DE ZUÑIGA BOTH ESTABLISHED BY JOSEPH DE AZLOR, MARQUIS OF AGUAYO AND FATHER FRAY AGUSTIN PATRON, O.F.M. IN 1722. BOTH MOVED TO MISSION VALLEY ON THE GUADALUPE RIVER IN 1726. MOVED FINALLY TO SANTA DOROTEA NOW GOLIAD NEAR THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1749. THE AREA EMBRACED BY THIS COUNTY SETTLED BY THE COLONY OF MARTIN DE LEON, EMPRESARIO IN 1824 THIS REGION WAS SETTLED BY MARTIN DE LEON, EMPRESARIO, IN 1824 WHO NAMED THE SEAT OF HIS COLONY GUADALUPE VICTORIA IN HONOR OF THE PRESIDENT OF MEXICO HERO OF ITS STRUGGLE FOR INDEPENDENCE

Victoria County

ERATH MEMORIAL ARCH STEPHENVILLE

IN MEMORY OF GEORGE BERNHARD ERATH PROTECTOR OF THE TEXAS FRONTIER. HERO

OF SAN JACINTO. MAJOR IN THE CONFEDERATE ARMY. MEMBER OF THE TEXAS CONGRESS AND LEGISLATURE. BORN AT VIENNA, AUSTRIA JANUARY 1, 1813. DIED AT WACO, TEXAS MAY 13, 1891. ERATH COUNTY WAS NAMED IN HIS HONOR.

HE SOUGHT IN TEXAS FREEDOM FROM TYRANNY. IN RETURN, HE CONTRIBUTED, THROUGH LIFE-LONG SERVICE, TO THE PROGRESS OF THE STATE AND THE DEVELOPMENT OF AN ENLIGHTENED PEOPLE.



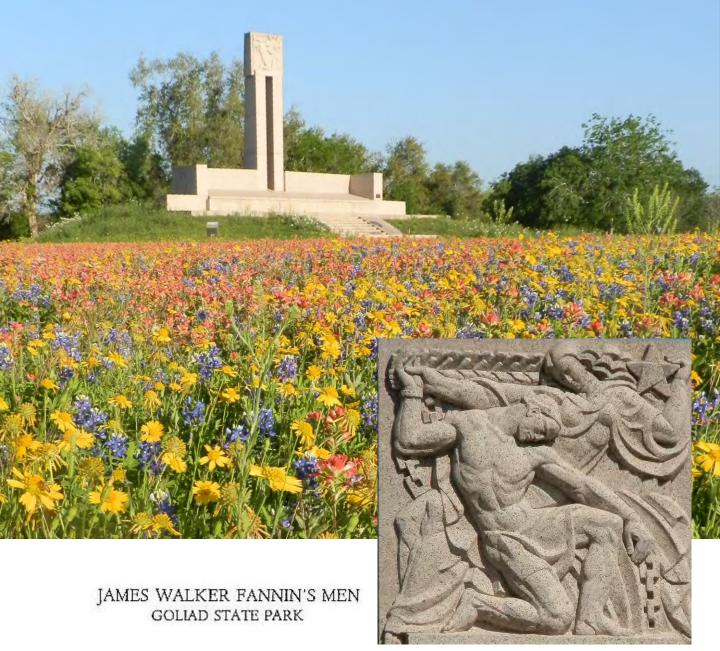
MIER EXPEDITION AND DAWSON'S MEN LA GRANGE

THIS MONUMENT WAS ERECTED IN 1936 BY THE STATE OF TEXAS

IN HONOR OF THE MEN OF THE MIER EXPEDITION, 1842, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE COMPANY ORGANIZED BY CAPTAIN NICHOLAS MOSBY DAWSON IN LA GRANGE SEPTEMBER 16, 1842 TO GO TO THE AID OF OTHER VOLUNTEERS RAISED TO EXPEL FROM TEXAS THE MEXICAN ARMY UNDER GENERAL ADRIAN WOLL WHICH HAD CAPTURED SAN ANTONIO

The forty-eight foot shaft of Texas quarry shellstone seven feet in depth and ten feet in width, rests on a terraced base of Indiana limestone, and is laid up in random ashlar design. Down the full length of the face a five-foot panel of sculptured colored plaster designed by Pierre Bourdelle depicts the drawing of the beans and various other incidents of the Mier Expedition. A bronze figure, ten feet six inches high, executed by Raoul Josset, stands at the base of the panel before a slab of polished Texas pink granite. On each side of the shaft are two bronze plaques, bearing the inscriptions. The State Legislature appropriated \$2,100 and the Commission allocated \$8,000 for the erection of the monument. The memorial, at the tomb of the members of the Mier Expedition killed in Mexico, was designed by Page &t Southerland, architects. Mr. Houston Wade furnished the names of the men in the Mier Expedition.





The memorial is erected on a continuous ring foundation circling the common grave. Cylindrical reinforced concrete piers support the upper monolithic offset slab. An approach of granite steps and cheeks lead to a fifty two foot platform in front of the capping. The grave slabs are elevated above a commemorative inscription sand blasted in the granite. At the back and ends of the grave slabs are four monoliths forming a niche upon which are carved the names of the heroes. At the center, behind the grave slabs, are two monolithic shafts which rise to a height of thirty feet above the approach. These two shafts support the monolithic block of granite upon which is carved the bas-relief symbolic of Texas honoring her heroes. The entire monument, designed by Donald Nelson, architect, is constructed of Marble Falls pink granite. Raoul Josset was the sculptor; Ugo Lavaggi, the carver. The Commission allocated \$25,000 in federal funds for the memorial. The inscription for this monument had not been completed at the time the book went to press. The names of the men in Fannin's command who were executed at Goliad on March 27, 1836, appear on the facing page. The list was compiled by Mr. Harbert Davenport and is to be engraved on the monument together with the inscription. 401

SITE OF THE FIRST SHOT OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION NEAR GONZALES

NEAR HERE ON OCTOBER 2, 1835 WAS FIRED THE FIRST SHOT OF THE TEXAS REVOLUTION OF 1835-36— THE SHOT HEARD ROUND THE WORLD. AT GONZALES THE TEXIANS DEFIED THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT AND REFUSED THEIR DEMAND FOR THE GONZALES CANNON WITH THE "COME AND TAKE IT" CHALLENGE UNTIL REINFORCEMENTS ARRIVED FROM OTHER PARTS OF DEWITT'S COLONY AND FROM THE COLONIES ON THE COLORADO AND BRAZOS. THEY THEN PURSUED THE MEXICANS FROM GONZALES TO NEAR THIS POINT AND FIRED UPON THEM WITH THIS CANNON, DRIVING THEM BACK TO BEXAR.

THIS SHOT STARTED THE REVOLUTION AND WAS DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ADDING MORE TERRITORY TO THE UNITED STATES THAN WAS ACQUIRED BY THE FREEING OF THE ORIGINAL THIRTEEN COLONIES FROM ENGLAND.



The monument, faced with Texas gray granite, sixteen feet two inches in width, thirteen feet six inches in height, and three feet ten and one-half inches in extreme depth, was designed by Phelps & Dewees, architects. The great bronze plaque and the decorative figures carved in granite were designed by Waldine Tauch. The Commission allocated \$10,000 for the memorial.



MACKENZIE TRAIL PLAINVIEW

THE OLD MACKENZIE TRAIL BY "LARRY" CHITTENDON

STRETCHING ONWARD TOWARD THE SUNSET, O'ER PRAIRIE, HILL AND VALE, FAR BEYOND THE DOUBLE MOUNTAINS WINDS THE OLD MACKENZIE TRAIL.

AH, WHAT THOUGHTS AND BORDER MEMORIES DOES THAT DREAMING TRAIL SUGGEST, THOUGHTS OF TRAVELERS GONE FOREVER TO THE TWILIGHT REALMS OF REST.

WHERE ARE NOW THE SCOUTS AND SOLDIERS, AND THOSE WAGON TRAINS OF CARE, THOSE GRIM MEN AND HAGGARD WOMEN AND THE ECHOES WHISPER-WHERE?

AH. WHAT TALES OF JOYS AND SORROWS COULD THAT SILENT TRAIL RELATE: TALES OF LOSS, AND WRECKED AMBITIONS, TALES OF HOPE, OF LOVE, AND HATE:

TALES OF HUNGER, THIRST, AND ANGUISH TALES OF SKULKING INDIAN BRAVES, TALES OF FEAR, AND DEATH, AND DANGER, TALES OF LONELY PRAIRIE GRAVES.

WHERE ARE NOW THAT TRAIL'S PROCESSIONS, WINDING WESTWARD SURE AND SLOW? LOST: AH, YES, DESTROYED BY PROGRESS, GONE TO REALMS OF LONG AGO.

NEVERMORE SHALL BOLD MACKENZIE, WITH HIS BRAVE AND DAUNTLESS BAND, GUIDE THE RESTLESS, ROVING SETTLERS THROUGH THE TEXAS BORDERLAND.

YES, THAT SOLDIER'S WORK IS OVER, AND THE DIM TRAIL RESTS AT LAST, BUT HIS NAME AND TRAIL STILL LEAD US THROUGH THE BORDERS OF THE PAST.

THE MACKENZIE TRAIL FIRST CROSSED BY GENERAL RANALD SLIDELL MACKENZIE, 4TH UNITED STATES CAVALRY, IN 1871 IN QUEST OF WARRING BANDS OF INDIANS

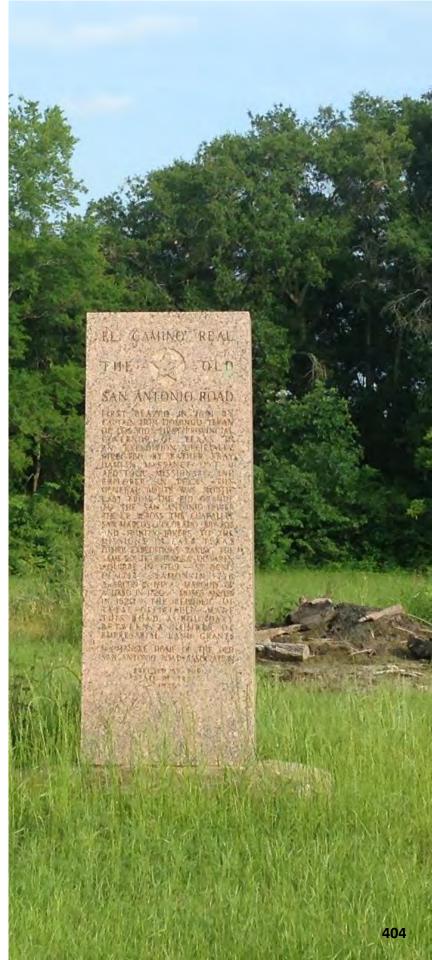


EL CAMINO REAL NORMANGEE

EL CAMINO REAL THE OLD SAN ANTONIO ROAD

FIRST BLAZED IN 1691 BY CAPTAIN DON DOMINGO TERAN DE LOS RIOS FIRST PROVINCIAL GOVERNOR OF TEXAS IN AN EXPEDITION OFFICIALLY DIRECTED BY FATHER FRAY DAMIAN MASSANET O.F.M APOSTOLIC MISSIONARY AND EXPLORER IN TEXAS . THE GENERAL ROUTE WAS NORTH-EAST FROM THE RIO GRANDE TO THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER THENCE ACROSS THE GUADALUPE SAN MARCOS · COLORADO · BRAZOS AND TRINITY RIVERS TO THE MISSIONS IN EAST TEXAS OTHER EXPEDITIONS TAKING THE SAME ROUTE: ESPINOSA · OLIVARES AGUIRRE IN 1709 . . ST. DENIS IN 1714 · · RAMON IN 1716 ALARCON IN 1718 · · MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1720 · · MOSES AUSTIN IN 1820 . THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS OFFICIALLY MADE THIS ROAD A BOUNDARY BETWEEN A NUMBER OF EMPRESARIAL LAND GRANTS

NORMANGEE . HOME OF THE OLD SAN ANTONIO ROAD ASSOCIATION



SPANISH FORT SPANISH FORT, MONTAGUE COUNTY

THE TOWN OF SPANISH FORT OCCUPIES THE SITE OF AN ANCIENT TAOVAYAS INDIAN VILLAGE.

SCENE OF FIRST SEVERE DEFEAT IN TEXAS OF SPANISH TROOPS BY INDIANS IN 1759.

NAMED FORT TEODORO IN 1778 BY DE MEZIERES IN HONOR OF TEODORO DE CROIX, COMMANDER OF THE INTERIOR PROVINCES OF MEXICO.

PERMANENT WHITE SETTLEMENTS BEGAN IN THIS VICINITY AFTER 1850.

"LET THE GRANDEUR OF THE PIONEER BE DISCERNED IN THE SAFETY HE HAS SECURED, IN THE GOOD HE HAS ACCOMPLISHED, IN THE CIVILIZATION HE HAS ESTABLISHED."





The Commission allocated \$1,500 for the monument erected near the site of the original fort. The shaft of Texas red granite rises eight feet above its triple-stepped base. The plaque, designed by Raoul Josset, symbolizes the Taovayas Indian and relates the early history of the region. The memorial was designed by Page & Southerland, architects.





SELF SACRIFICE OF PADRE FRAY JUAN DE PADILLA · 1544

BUILT TO THE GLORIOUS AND PERPETUAL MEMORY OF FATHER FRAY JUAN DE PADILLA, O. F. M. FRANCISCAN MISSIONARY, FIRST MARTYR FOR CHRISTIANITY IN THE UNITED STATES AND IN TEXAS

ACCOMPANIED THE CORONADO EXPEDITION TO PALO DURO CANYON. WENT WITH FRANCISCO VASQUEZ DE CORONADO AND HIS CHOSEN PARTY IN SEARCH OF LA GRAN QUIVIRA.

RETURNED SOON AND BEGAN HIS ZEALOUS LABORS FOR THE CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING OF THE WICHITA AND OTHER INDIAN NATIONS IN THE REGION OF THE TEXAS PANHANDLE

HIS MARTYRDOM OCCURRED IN 1544

Potter County

SAN JACINTO SAN JACINTO STATE PARK

ERECTED BY THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND THE STATE OF TEXAS A. D. 1936 DEDICATED TO THE HEROES OF THE BATTLE OF SAN JACINTO AND ALL OTHERS WHO CONTRIBUTED TOWARD THE INDEPENDENCE OF TEXAS APRIL 21, A. D. 1836







PRESIDIO DEL NORTE PRESIDIO

PROXIMATE SITE OF PRESIDIO DEL NORTE DE LA JUNTA ESTABLISHED BY CAPTAIN ALONSO RUBIN DE CELIS IN 1759-1760 - NAME OF POST RETAINED IN PART BY THE PRESENT TOWN AND COUNTY . . IN THIS VICINITY THE MISSIONS OF SAN ANTONIO DE LOS PULIQUES - SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS JULIMES + SANTA MARIA LA REDONDA · SAN PEDRO ALCANTARA - EL APOSTOL S'ANTIAGO - SAN CRISTOBAL . WERE FIRST ESTABLISHED IN 1683-1684 BY DON JUAN DOMINGUEZ DE MENDOZA AND PADRE FRAY NICOLAS LOPEZ O . F - M MAINTAINED BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES FOR THE CHRISTIANIZING AND THE CIVILIZING OF THE APACHE NATAGES + FARAONES - PULIQUES JULIMES · JUMANOS · ZUMAS AND OTHER INDIAN TRIBES ADMINISTERED AND CONTROLLED IN 1746 BY THE CUSTODIA OF - NEW - MEXICO

1836

1936

ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS IN MEMORY OF CAPTAIN AMON B. KING AND OTHER TEXAN SOLDIERS KILLED IN ACTION OR CAPTURED AND AFTERWARDS SLAIN AS A RESULT OF THE FIGHTING AT REFUGIO MARCH 14 - 15 - 16 - 1836

SAMUEL ANDERSON WILLIAM S. ARMSTRONG LESLIE G. H. BRADY JAMES HENRY CALLISON JOHN H. COLEGROVE THOMAS COOK FIELDS DAVIS JACKSON DAVIS HENRY EADOCK LEWIS C. GIBBS JAMES HENLEY JOEL F. HETH JESSE HUMPHRIES HARVEY H. KIRK WILLIAM R. JOHNSON SNEAD LEDBETTER JAMES B. MURPHY JAMES MURPHY J. B. RODGERS ANTOINE SAYLE WILLIAM SHELTON WILLIAM N. SIMPSON GAVIN H. SMITH JOHN C. STEWART ROBERT A. TOLER JOHN WARD CHRISTOPHER WINTERS SAMUEL WOOD



AMON B. KING'S MEN REFUGIO

IN THE EARLY MORNING OF MARCH 14, 1836 · TWENTY EIGHT TEXANS UNDER CAPTAIN AMON B. KING SEPARATED FROM COL. WILLIAM WARD'S COMMAND IN THE MISSION CHURCH . AND LATE THAT DAY IN A WOOD ON THE WEST BANK OF MISSION RIVER A HALF MILE BELOW THE TOWN FOUGHT DESPERATE BATTLE A WITH PART OF GENERAL URREA'S MEXICAN COMMAND . FIVE TEXANS WERE KILLED AND FIVE WOUNDED ONE OF WHOM JOINED COLONEL WARD IN THE CHURCH . THE OTHERS ESCAPED BUT WERE CAPTURED NEXT DAY

ON MARCH 14 · 1836 · LIEUTENANT COLONEL WILLIAM WARD WITH LESS THAN ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY MEN SUCCESSFULLY DEFENDED THE CHURCH OF THE REFUGIO MISSION AGAINST FOUR SUCCESSIVE ATTACKS BY GENERAL JOSE URREA'S COMMAND AND MADE HIS ESCAPE FROM THE CHURCH THAT NIGHT AFTER HAVING LOST ONLY THREE MEN WOUNDED . TWO LEFT TO CARE FOR THEM AND A FEW OTHERS COURIERS OR AS WHILE SEPARATED FROM HIS COMMAND

ON MARCH 16 1836 CAPTAIN KING AND FOURTEEN OF HIS MEN WHO HAD BEEN MADE PRISONERS BY GENERAL URREA'S CAVALRY THE DAY BEFORE WERE MARCHED TO THE SLOPE OF THE HILL ON THE GOLIAD ROAD ABOUT ONE MILE FROM THE REFUGIO CHURCH AND SHOT · · · THEIR BONES WERE LATER BURIED WHERE THEY FELL BY JOHN HYNES A TWELVE YEAR OLD LAD OF REFUGIO WHO HAD BEEN THEIR FRIEND · · JAMES MURPHY OF REFUGIO · COLONEL FANNIN'S COURIER KILLED NEARBY ON MARCH 14 · WAS BURIED IN THEIR COMMON GRAVE



FORT GRIFFIN SHACKELFORD COUNTY TEXAS

JULY 31, 1867 - MAY 31, 1881

ESTABLISHED BY BREVET COLONEL STURGIS ACTING UNDER ORDERS OF LIEUTENANT GENERAL CHARLES GRIFFIN, COMMANDER SIXTH U. S. CAVALRY AND COMMANDER FRONTIER AREA, FOR WHOM NAMED. HEADQUARTERS OF COMPANIES A, F, & G, 11TH INFANTRY AND TWO COMPANIES 4TH CAVALRY, U. S. ARMY DURING FINAL CONQUEST OF SAVAGE INDIAN TRIBES 1867-1876.

IN VALLEY BELOW LIES TOWN OF FORT GRIFFIN

SEAT OF WEST TEXAS CIVILIZATION. FAMOUS AS HEADQUARTERS FOR BUFFALO HUNTERS, GOVERNMENT SURVEYORS, AND PIONEERS. PRINCIPAL SUPPLY STATION FOR TRAIL DRIVERS ON FORT GRIFFIN-FORT DODGE CATTLE TRAIL, THE LONGEST ON THE CONTINENT.

ERECTED BY THE STATE OF TEXAS 1936 WITH FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO COMMEMORATE ONE HUNDRED YEARS OF TEXAS INDEPENDENCE

> IN HONOR OF THE TRUE WESTERN SPIRIT

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The fourteen-foot shaft of Texas pink granite, six feet in width, tapers from two feet nine inches to one foot in depth. The full length panel is faced with a great bronze plaque designed by Raoul Josset to bear the inscription and figures symbolic of the pioneers, buffalo hunters and surveyors who opened West Texas to Anglo-American settlement. Page & Southerland were the architects. The Commission allocated \$2,500 in federal funds to erect the memorial.



MR. AND MRS. ISAAC VAN ZANDT CANTON

1813-1847

MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF THE REPUBLIC-1841-1842 CHARGE D'AFFAIRES TO THE UNITED STATES - 1842 - 1844 IN - 1845 - MEMBER OF THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION

1816-1909

CHRISTIAN-PIONEER-WIFE AND MOTHER "HER LIFE WAS PURE BRAVE AND ACTIVE AND HER MEMORY IS FRAGRANT WITH THF INCENSE OF GOOD AND NOBLE DEEDS"

The pink granite monolith from Marble Falls is supported by the center of three granite bases resting on a paved granite platform. To the face of the monolith is attached the bronze bas-relief portraiture of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Van Zandt, modelled by Waldine Tauch. Donald Nelson was the architect. The Commission allocated \$7,500 in federal funds for the memorial.



JAMES GILLASPIE HUNTSVILLE

SECOND REGIMENT, TEXAS VOLUNTEERS, SIXTH COMPANY INFANTRY, TEXAS REVOLUTIONARY ARMY.

CAPTAIN JAMES GILLASPIE'S COMPANY, FIRST REGIMENT, TEXAS MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS, COLONEL J. C. HAYES COMMANDER, CALLED INTO THE SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES BY GOVERNOR J. PINCKNEY HENDERSON, JUNE 9, 1846, IN THE WAR WITH MEXICO.

CAPTAIN JAMES GILLASPIE'S COMPANY, FIRST REGIMENT, TEXAS MOUNTED VOLUNTEERS, COLONEL J. C. HAYES COMMANDER, CALLED INTO SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES APRIL 25, 1847, IN THE WAR WITH MEXICO.

CAPTAIN JAMES GILLASPIE'S COMPANY FIFTH REGIMENT, TEXAS INFANTRY VOLUNTEERS, COLONEL E. B. NICHOLS COMMANDER, CALLED INTO SERVICE OF THE CONFEDERATE STATES OF AMERICA OCTOBER 25, 1861.

The Texas gray granite shaft eight feet in height and two feet six inches square was erected with an allocation of \$200 by the Commission, and contributions of \$288.50 and \$40 by Mr. W. O. B. Gillaspie and the local centennial committee, respectively.



The eight-foot shaft of Fredericksburg red granite, four teet in width and eighteen inches in depth at the base, tapers slightly in width and breadth to its apex. The intaglio design by Pierre Bourdelle and part of the inscription is sand blown on the face of the shaft; a ten-inch carved star appears on the back of the shaft above the remaining inscription. Donald Nelson was the architect. The Commission allocated \$1,000 for the erection of the memorial.

LAREDO

ORIGINAL SITE OF VILLA DE LAREDQ FOUNDED BY TOMAS SANCHEZ MAY 15 1755 BY ORDER OF JOSE DE ESCANDON COLONIZER OF NUEVO SANTANDER

CHARTERED BY THE KING OF SPAIN AND ORGANIZED AS VILLA DE SAN AGUSTIN DE LAREDO IN 1767 INCORPORATED IN THE STATE OF TAMAULIPAS - MEXICO IN 1821 - CONCENTRATION POINT FOR THE MEXICAN ARMY UNDER GENERAL SANTA ANNA DURING THE TEXAS REVOLUTION CAPITAL OF THE REPUBLIC OF THE RIO GRANDE IN 1839 TEMPORARILY OCCUPIED FOR TEXAS BY GENERAL ALEXANDER SOMERVELL IN DECEMBER 1842 OCCUPIED NOVEMBER 8 . 1846 FOR THE UNITED STATES BY CAPTAIN MIRABEAU B. LAMAR UNDER GENERAL ZACHARY TAYLOR . . INCORPORATED AS THE CITY OF LAREDO BY THE TEXAS LEGISLATURE IN 1848 HEADQUARTERS OF COLONEL SANTOS BENAVIDES DURING THE CONFEDERACY EVER AFTER LOYAL TO OLD GLORY

15 Monuments

The Commission allocated \$15,000 to erect fifteen monuments consisting of a polished and chamfered Texas pink granite slab, eight feet in height, three feet nine inches in width at the base, tapering to two feet nine inches at the top, and one foot two inches in depth. The monument was designed by Page & Southerland, architects. The face of the monument holds a bronze plaque individually designed by Raoul Josset to conform with the inscription. Five bronze sunflowers in a horizontal line below the plaque complete the decoration.

ERECTED IN RECOGNITION OF THE DISTINGUISHED SERVICE TO TEXAS OF FELIPE ENRIQUE NERI, BARON DE BASTROP, 1770-1829.

PIONEER RED RIVER EMPRESARIO · · LAND COMMISSIONER OF AUSTIN'S COLONY, MEMBER OF THE CONGRESS OF COAHUILA AND TEXAS · · THROUGH HIS AID, MOSES AUSTIN SECURED FROM THE SPANISH GOVERNMENT IN 1821, THE FIRST CONTRACT FOR THE ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONIZATION OF TEXAS.

IN HIS HONOR, THE NAME OF THIS TOWN AND THAT OF THIS COUNTY, A PART OF AUSTIN'S 1821 GRANT, KNOWN AS THE MUNICI-PALITY OF MINA IN 1834 AND THE COUNTY OF MINA AFTER MARCH 17, 1836, WAS CHANGED ON DECEMBER 18, 1837 TO BASTROP + + + +

LET THIS NAME BRING TO MIND THE FRIEND AND ADVOCATE OF THE PIONEER IN A FOREIGN LAND

Bastrop County







WASHINGTON COUNTY

TO THE MEMORY OF THOSE COURAGEOUS SOULS, THE DELEGATES TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION HELD HERE MARCH 1-17, 1836 WHO DECLARED TEXAS FREE, ORGANIZED A REPUBLIC, AND FRAMED ITS CONSTITUTION

JESSIE B. BADGETT DR. GEORGE WASHINGTON BARNETT THOMAS BARNETT STEPHEN WILLIAM BLOUNT JOHN WHITE BOWER ASA BRIGHAM ANDREW BRISCOE JOHN WHEELER BUNTON JOHN S. D. BYROM MATHEW CALDWELL SAMUEL PRICE CARSON GEORGE CAMPBELL CHILDRESS WILLIAM CLARK, JR. ROBERT M. COLEMAN JAMES COLLINSWORTH EDWARD CONRAD WILLIAM CARROLL CRAWFORD RICHARD ELLIS DR. STEPHEN HENDRICKSON EVERITT JOHN FISHER SAMUEL RHOADES FISHER JAMES GAINES DR. THOMAS JEFFERSON GAZLEY BENJAMIN BRIGGS GOODRICH JESSE GRIMES ROBERT HAMILTON BAILEY HARDEMAN AUGUSTINE BLACKBURN HARDIN SAMUEL HOUSTON WILLIAM DEMETRIS LACEY ALBERT HAMILTON LATIMER EDWARD OSWALD LEGRAND SAMUEL AUGUSTUS MAVERICK COLLIN MC KINNEY MICHEL BRANAMOUR MENARD WILLIAM MENEFEE JOHN W. MOORE DR. JUNIUS WILLIAM MOTTLEY JOSE ANTONIO NAVARRO MARTIN PARMER SYDNEY OSWALD PENNINGTON ROBERT POTTER JAMES POWER JOHN S. ROBERTS STERLING CLACK ROBERTSON FRANCISCO RUIZ THOMAS JEFFERSON RUSK WILLIAM BENNETT SCATES GEORGE WASHINGTON SMYTH ELIJAH STAPP DR. CHARLES BELLINGER STEWART JAMES GIBSON SWISHER CHARLES STANDFIELD TAYLOR **DAVID THOMAS** JOHN TURNER EDWIN WALLER CLAIBORNE WEST JAMES B. WOODS DR. LORENZO DE ZAVALA MAY THESE NAMES BE ENGRAVED 415 ON THE HEARTS OF ALL TEXANS

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ARRENT ARREST AND IN COLUMN

SHELBY COUNTY

PART OF THE NEUTRAL GROUND, 1803-1819 SETTLED BY ANGLO-AMERICANS, 1824-1836 IN 1833 A DISTRICT OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF NACOGDOCHES, KNOWN AS TENEHAW, IN 1835 BECAME MUNICIPALITY OF TENEHAW WITH NASHVILLE AS THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

NAME CHANGED TO SHELBY IN 1836 IN HONOR OF ISAAC SHELBY, 1750-1826, A GALLANT OFFICER IN THE CONTINENTAL ARMY REVOLUTIONARY WAR.

CREATED A COUNTY MARCH 17, 1836, ORGANIZED IN 1837 WITH COUNTY SEAT AT SHELBYVILLE MOVED TO CENTER IN 1866.

IN MEMORY OF

WILLIAM ENGLISH, FREDERICK FOYE, GEORGE BUTLER, JOHN M. BRADLEY, JONAS HARRISON, DELEGATES TO THE FIRST CONVENTION OF TEXAS, 1832, FROM THE DISTRICT OF TENEHAW.

MARTIN PARMER, DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION FROM THE MUNICIPALITY OF TENEHAW.

SYDNEY O. PENNINGTON, WILLIAM C. CRAWFORD, SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE FROM SHELBY MUNICIPALITY.

THE SOLDIERS FROM SHELBY COUNTY WHO FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO AND ELSEWHERE FOR AND IN DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS.

IN THIS COUNTY WAS WAGED

THE REGULATOR-MODERATOR FEUD 1841-1844 DURING THIS TIME THE WARRING FACTIONS FOUGHT SEVERAL DRAWN BATTLES, ENTAILING LOSS OF LIFE AND PROPERTY. TROOPS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS COMMANDED BY GENERAL JAMES SMITH FINALLY RESTORED ORDER.





COLORADO COUNTY CITY OF COLUMBUS

SITE OF PROJECTED CAPITOL OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN'S COLONY, 1823.

FIRST SETTLEMENT AT THIS POINT SHOWN ON STEPHEN F, AUSTIN'S MAP OF 1835 AS MONTEZUMA.

THE MUNICIPALITY OF COLORADO WAS CREATED BY THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS JANUARY 11, 1836 AND THE TOWN OF COLUMBUS ORDERED LAID OUT AS THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT.

ON MARCH 17, 1836 THE COUNTY OF COLORADO WAS CREATED, IN 1837, IT WAS ORGANIZED.

COLUMBUS, THE COUNTY SEAT, WAS INCORPORATED JUNE 5, 1837

AS A RAILROAD TERMINAL, FROM 1869 TO 1973, COLUMBUS WAS AN IMPORTANT TRADING CENTER FOR A LARGE TERRITORY TO THE WEST.

IN MEMORY OF

THE PIONEER FAMILIES OF BURNAM, GILLELAND, CUMMINS, FISHER DEWEES, KUYKENDALL AND TUMLINSON.

J. W. E. WALLACE AND HIS COMPANY WHO DEFENDED GONZALES OCTOBER 2, 1835.

WILLIAM D. LACEY, WILLIAM MENEFEE,

SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

LEANDER BEASON, JOHN P. BORDEN, DAVID COLE, STEPHEN T. FOLEY, GEORGE W. GARDNER, S. JOSEPH GARWOOD, BASIL G. IJAMS, DR. JAMES D. JENNINGS, ALFRED KELSO, AMOS D. KENYON, DANIEL MILLER, JAMES NELSON, MITCHELL PUTNAM, DEMPSEY PACE, WILLIAM PACE, WASHING-TON H. SECREST, MAXWELL STEEL, ROBERT STEVENSON, SPENCER B. TOWNSEND, WILLIAM WATERS, LEROY WILKINSON, SAN JACINTO VETERANS WHO LIVED IN THIS COUNTY PRIOR TO OR AFTER THE TEXAS REVOLUTION.

COL. JOHN C. UPTON, MAJOR JOHN S. SHROPSHIRE, MAJOR J. S. WEST, CAPT. P. J. OAKES, CAPT. JAMES D. ROBERDEAU, CAPT. R. V. COOK CONFEDERATE OFFICERS.

THE FOLLOWING CITIZENS OF DISTINCTION HAVE RESIDED IN COLORADO COUNTY

JONES RIVERS, JURIST, DR. LAWRENCE WASHINGTON, GAIL BORDEN, MATTHEW STANLEY QUAY, SENATOR FOR PENNSYLVANIA, CHAS. NAGEL, CABINET MINISTER UNDER TAFT, WELLS THOMPSON, LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR OF TEXAS, GEORGE MC CORMICK, STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL AND CO-WRITER OF THE PRESENT STATE CONSTITUTION, GEO. W. SMITH, MEMBER OF SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS.

SABINE COUNTY

A BORDERLAND BETWEEN SPAIN AND THE UNITED STATES, 1803-1819 * * * ENTRY FOR MANY ANGLO-AMERICAN COLONISTS AND TRAVELERS AFTER 1820, FIRST INCLUDED IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF NACOGDOCHES, AFTER 1832 IN THE MUNICIPALITY OF SAN AUGUSTINE, ON DECEMBER 15, 1835, IT BECAME THE MUNICIPALITY OF SABINE, BORROWING ITS NAME FROM THE RIVER WHICH FORMS ITS EASTERN BOUNDARY, BECAME A COUNTY IN 1836, ORGANIZED IN 1837

> MILAM, COUNTY SEAT, 1837-1858, HEMPHILL, SINCE 1858.

IN THE HEART OF THE PINELANDS . .

IN MEMORY OF

SENJAMIN HOLT, ABSOLOM HIER, JESSE PARKER, MEMBERS OF THE CONVENTION OF 1832.

WILLIAM CLARK JR., JAMES GAINES, SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE, 1836.

CAPTAIN WILLIAM SCURLOCK, A PARTICIPANT IN THE BATTLE OF COLETO UNDER COLONEL JAMES W. FANNIN, JR. LIFE SPARED MARCH 27, 1836.

ISAAC W. BURTON, BENJAMIN F. BRYANT, JOHN C. HALE, WILLIAM PACE, ALFRED BENTON, DR. ROBERT K. GOODLOE, SAN JACINTO VETERANS AND THE OTHER FOUNDERS AND DEFENDERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS WHO LIVED IN THIS COUNTY, BEFORE OR AFTER THE REVOLUTION.

SOME OF THE DISTINGUISHED CITIZENS. CONTRIBUTED BY SABINE COUNTY

DAVIDS. KAUFMAN

FIRST U. S. CONGRESSMAN FROM TEXAS.

SAM D. MC MAHAN. PIONEER PATRIOT,

LITTLETON FOWLER EARLY MISSIONARY.

R. P. SIBLEY, J. C. CARAWAY CAPTAINS IN THE C. S. A.



CAMERON COUNTY

CREATED FEBRUARY 12, 1848

SINCE 1535 MEN OF ALL NATIONS OF THE EARTH SAILED THE BLUE WATERS OF THE GULF OF MEXICO TO THE GREEN VALLEY OF THE RIO GRANDE IN SEARCH OF HAPPINESS, AND EACH FOUND IT IN HIS OWN TIME AND IN HIS OWN WAY.

1535 ALVAR NUÑEZ CABEZA DE VACA 1686

ALONSO DE LEON, FR. DAMIAN MANZANET

JOSE DE ESCANDON 1771

JOSE SALVADOR DE LA GARZA

1787 JOSE GOSEASCOCHEA

> 1794 NICOLAS BALLI

1818

MANUEL YTURRIA, CRISTOBAL LONGORIA JOSE ANTONIO ESPARZA

1823

MARTIN DE LEON, RAMON LAFON 1828

CHARLES STILLMAN, JAMES MC GLOIN 1834

WILLIAM NEALE, REUBEN M. POTTER

ZACHARY TAYLOR 1846 GEORGE B. MC CLELLAN, ULYSSES S. GRANT MARIANO ARISTA, MIFFLIN KENNEDY JEFFERSON DAVIS 1847 WINFIELD SCOTT, THOMAS J. JACKSON STEPHEN POWERS, RICHARD KING JOHN S. FORD

1849

SIMON MUSSINA, JOHN YOUNG

JOHN R. BUTLER, FRANKLIN CUMMINGS JOSEPH KLEIBER, FRANCIS W. LATHAM JOSE SAN ROMAN, SIMON CELAYA 1855

EDMUND J. DAVIS 1856

ROBERT E. LEE 1859 SAMUEL P. HEINTZELMAN

1863 JOHN B. MAGRUDER, HAMILTON P. BEE

> 1864 RAPHAEL SEMMES

1865

PHILIP H. SHERIDAN, LEW WALLACE

1872 RICHARD HENRY SAVAGE, JOHN L. HAYNES

1875 LEE H. MC NELLY 1876 PORFIRIO DIAZ

1878 JAMES B. WELLS 1881

WILLIAM C. GORGAS, ENOCH H. CROWDER

[Courthouse Grounds, Brownsville]



· CROSBY COUNTY ·

IN MEMORY OF HENRY CLAY SMITH, 'UNCLE HANK' A A BORN IN GERMANY, AUGUST 15, 1836. DIED MAY 20, 1912 AND ELIZABETH BOYLE SMITH, 'AUNT HANK' A A BORN JULY 12, 1848. DIED JUNE 5, 1925 A A A PIONEERS OF THE PLAINS, BUILDERS OF THE ROCK HOUSE, 1877, A MONUMENT TO FRONTIER HOSPITALITY A A A A A A A

THEY SLEEP ABOVE THE CAP ROCK, AT OLD EMMA .



DE WITT COUNTY

INCLUDED IN THE COLONIAL GRANT IN 1825 TO GREEN DE WITT, TEXAS EMPRESARIO . SETTLED UNTIL 1840 LARGELY BY ANGLO-AMERICANS . . . CREATED A COUNTY OF THE STATE OF TEXAS MARCH 24, 1846. ITS AREA BEING TAKEN FROM GONZALES VICTORIA & GOLIAD COUNTIES + ORGANIZED JULY 13, 1846, WITH CAMERON AS THE COUNTY SEAT . . . NAMED IN HONOR OF ITS ORIGINAL GRANTEE GREEN DE WITT 1787-1835 BY 1860 HALF ITS POPULATION WAS OF GERMAN BIRTH CLINTON SERVED AS COUNTY SEAT, 1849-1877 * * * * * CUERO, INCORPO-RATED APRIL 23, 1873. WAS MADE COUNTY SEAT IN 1876 . . . IN MEMORY OF ARTHUR BURNS. FIRST SETTLER IN DE WITT COUNTY, 1826 . COLUMBUS BURNS, FIRST ANGLO-AMERICAN CHILD BORN IN THE COUNTY, 1829 . GEORGE WASHINGTON DAVIS, DELEGATE TO THE SECOND CONVENTION OF TEXAS, 1833 * * GEORGE W. DAVIS, PARTICI-PANT IN THE BATTLE OF GONZALES, 1835 . GEORGE W. DAVIS, DELEGA-TE TO THE CONSULTATION, 1835 . CAPTAIN JOHN YORK, CAPTAIN DAVID MURPHREE, JAMES M. BELL, ALBRECHT VON ROEDER, LOUIS VON ROEDER, SQUIRE BURNS, JOHN F. PETTUS, PARTICIPANTS IN THE CAPTURE OF SAN ANTONIO, 1835 . THOMAS R. MILLER, WILLIAM DEARDUFF, MARTYRS OF THE ALAMO, 1836 . J. L. ALLEN A MESSEN-GER FROM THE ALAMO, 1836 . . O. H. PERRY DAVIS OF FANNIN'S COMMAND WHO ESCAPED THE REFUGIO MASSACRE 1836 + CAPTAIN DAVID MURPHREE, JOHN F. PETTUS, JAMES BELL, JOSEPH KENT BERRY DOOLITTLE, ALLEN CARUTHERS, ROBERT J. KLEBERG, JOHN MC CRABB, JAMES J. TUMLINSON, LOUIS VON ROEDER, HEROES OF SAN JACINTO . . CREED TAYLOR, SQUIRE BURNS, JOSIAH TAYLOR, CHAS. A. OGSBURY, GEORGE W. DAVIS, SOLDIERS IN THE TEXAS ARMY 1836 JAMES NORMAN SMITH, FIRST SCHOOL TEACHER IN DE WITT COUNTY 1840 . CAPTAIN DANIEL B. FRIAR, MILES S. BENNET, JAMES J. TUMLINSON JOSIAH TAYLOR, CREED TAYLOR, PARTICIPANTS IN THE BATTLE OF SA-LADO CREEK, BEXAR COUNTY, 1842 . GEORGE LORD, ALFRED A. ALLEE MEMBERS OF THE MIER EXPEDITION 1842 * * * * * * * * AND ALL OTHER PIONEERS OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS WHO RESIDED IN DE WITT COUNTY PRIOR TO OR AFTER THE REVOLUTION . .



* JACKSON COUNTY *

HOME OF THE KARANKAWA INDIANS GRANTED IN PART TO STEPHEN. 1. AUSTIN AND TO MARTIN DE LEON + SETTLED 1824-1835 BY COLONISTS LARGELY FROM ALABAMA, LOUISIANA, KENTUCKY, TENNESSEE AND WEST OF THE LAVACA, MEXICO . ORGANIZED AS A MUNICIPALITY DECEMBER 5, 1835 + * NAMED IN HONOR OF ANDREW JACKSON, PRESI-DENT OF THE UNITED STATES . . CREATED & COUNTY MARCH 17, 1836 ORGANIZED IN 1836 WITH TEXANA, FORMERLY SANTA ANNA, COUNTY SEAT + EDNA, COUNTY SEATSINCE 1883 + IN MEMORY OF JOHN MC HENRY FRANCIS M. WHITE, JAMES KERR, F. F. WELLS, EARLY SETTLERS WILLIAM MENEFEE, ELIJAH STAPP, SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARA-TION OF INDEPENDENCE . . WILLIAM SUTHERLAND, MARYIR OF THE ALAMO . + GLORGE SUTHERLAND, JOHN S. MENEFEE, JAMES A. SYLVESTER HEROLS OF SAN JACINTO * * CLARK L. OWEN, COLONEL IN THE CON-FEDERATE ARMY, AND OTHER PIONEERS WHO RESIDED IN THIS COUNTY BEFORE OR DIRECTLY AFILE THE TEXAS REVOLUTION + + JACKSON COUNTY: AVERAGE ALTITUDE 75 FEET . . ANNUAL RAIN-FALL 37 INCHES . SOILS: BLACK HOGWALLOW, SANDY LOAMS, ALLUVIAL . . . CROPS AND PRODUCTS: COTTON, LIVESTOCK, CORN, DAIRYING, VEGETABLES, POULTRY, PECANS, OIL & GAS * * *





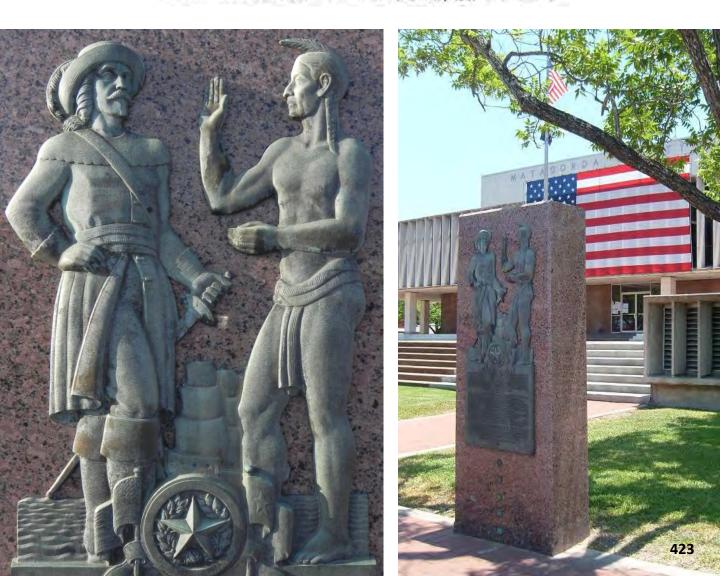
MATAGORDA COUNTY

EARLY HOME OF THE KARANKAWA INDIANS, LANDING PLACE OF LA SALLE IN 1685 * * * * SETTLED 1922-1836 BY COLONISTS OF STEPHEN F. AUSTIN * * * * THE MUNICIPALITY OF MATAGORDA, ORGANIZED UNDER THE MEXICAN GOVERNMENT ON MARCH 6, 1834, BECAME, ON MARCH 17, 1836, MATAGORDA COUNTY, WHICH WAS ORGANIZED IN JULY, 1837 * * * MATAGORDA, THE COUNTY SEAT, 1837-1894, BAY CITY, SINCE 1894 *

IN MEMORY OF

JAMES CUMMINS, HOSEA H. LEAGUE, ELIAS R. WIGHTMAN, SETH INGRAM HORATIO CHRIESMAN, WILLIAM SELKIRK, EARLY SETTLERS MARY S. WIGHTMAN HELMS, FIRST WOMAN TEACHER IN TEXAS IRA INGRAM, SILAS DINSMORE, MEMBERS OF THE CONVENTION OF 1832 R. R. ROYALL, IRA L. LEWIS, CHARLES WILSON, DELEGATES TO THE CONSULTATION BAILEY HARDEMAN, SAMUEL RHOADES FISHER, SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE HIM DURING THE STRUGGLE FOR TEXAS INDEPENDENCE A. C. HORTON, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF TEXAS THE CITIZENS OF EARLY MATAGORDA COUNTY WHO CONTRIBUTED TO ITS ECONOMIC, CULTURAL AND SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT

MATAGORDA COUNTY HAS CONTRIBUTED TO THE DEVELOPMENT OF TEXAS CULTURE THE PIONEER WOMAN TEACHER MARY S. WIGHTMAN HELMS, 1829, AN EARLY NEWSPAPER, 'THE MATAGORDA BULLETIN,' 1837, FIRST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, 1839, FIRST BEQUEST FOR PROMOTION OF FREE PUBLIC SCHOOLS THAT OF IRA INGRAM, 1837



IN MEMORY OF THE PIONEER SETTLERS OF BURNET COUNTY

SAMUEL E. HOLLAND, FIRST SETTLER, 1848. LOGAN VANDEVEER, PETER KERR, WILLIAM H. MAGILL, NOAH SMITHWICK, JESSE BURNAM, R. H. HALL, GENERAL ADAM R. JOHNSON, CAPTAIN CHRISTIAN DORBANDT AND TO THOSE PIONEERS WHO PUSHED INTO THIS WILDERNESS. AND ESTABLISHED HERE THE FIRST TRACES OF HUMAN HABITATION, UNKNOWN PLANTERS SOWING SEEDS FOR A NEW CIVILIZATION. THEY MARKED FOR US OUR CHANNELS OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY, BUILT THE FIRST SCHOOLS AND CHURCHES AND AFTER THE TUMULT OF INDIAN DEPREDATIONS AND THE TERRIBLE SCARS OF CIVIL WAR, RETURNED AND AGAIN TOOK UP THE AX AND PLOW AND BROUGHT NEW ACRES INTO CULTIVATION, MOST OF THEM DIED IN OBSCURITY AND WERE LAID TO REST IN THE COUNTY OF THEIR ADOPTION. AS THE RANK AND FILE OF OUR PIONEERS WE HONOR THEIR MEMORY FOR THE DEEDS THEY PERFROMED AND THE DOCTRINES THEY TAUGHT. FORT CROGHAN ESTABLISHED HERE MARCH 18, 1849 ABANDONED BY TROOPS IN DECEMBER, 1853 PERMANENTLY ABANDONED 1855.

BURNET COUNTY CREATED FEBRUARY 5, 1852 ORGANIZED AUGUST 28, 1852 BY LOGAN VANDEVEER, WILLIAM H. MAGILL, R. H. HALL, COMMISSIONERS.

LANDMARKS HOLLAND SPRINGS, FIRST SETTLEMENT IN 1848, FORT CROGHAN ESTABLISHED, 1849, MORMAN MILL BUILT, 1850, BLACK'S FORT BUILT, 1851, SMITHWICK MILL ESTABLISHED, 1855.









LIBERTY COUNTY

THE HOME OF THE ORCOQUISAC INDIANS AN EAST-WEST TRAIL ACROSS THE REGION TRAVELED BY ALONSO DE LEON IN 1690 BECAME THE "LA BAHIA" OR "LOWER ROAD" OF THE 18TH CENTURY AND

THE OPELOUSAS ROAD OF THE 19TH AT THE POINT THIS ROAD CROSSED THE TRINITY THE SPANIARDS MADE THE FIRST SETTLEMENT, ATASCOSITO, IN1757 NAPOLEONIC EXILES SOUGHT REFUGE HERE IN 1818. ANGLO-AMERICANS CAME, 1821-1830 THE TOWN, ESTABLISHED MAY 5, 1831, AS THE "VILLA DE LA SANTISIMATRINIDAD DE LA LIBERTAD" (CITY OF THE BLESSED TRINITY OF LIBERTY) GAVE ITS NAME TO THE MUNICIPALITY AND TO THE COUNTY CREATED IN 1836

LIBERTY COUNTY IN 1837 INCLUDED ALL OF TYLER AND PARTS OF HARDIN, CHAMBERS, SAN JIACINTO AND POLK COUNTIES THE TOWN OF LIBERTY, INCORPORATED JUNE 7, 1837, HAS REMAINED THE COUNTY SEAT

IN MEMORY OF

THE PIONEER SETTLERS OF THE REGION

PATRICK C. JACK, CLAIBORNE WEST, JAMES MORGAN DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION OF 1832

PATRICK C. JACK, SAMUEL WHITING, WILLIAM HARDIN, DAVID G. BURNET, DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION OF 1833

HENRY MILLARD, GEORGE M. PATRICK, A. B. HARDIN, JAMES B. WOODS

DELEGATES TO THE CONSULTATION IN 1835

- A. B. HARDIN, JAMES B. WOODS, M. B. MENARD SIGNERS OF THE
- TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

THE SOLDIERS FROM LIBERTY COUNTY WHO FOUGHT AT SAN JACINTO AND ELSEWHERE FOR AND IN DEFENSE OF THE REPUBLIC OF TEXAS.





MARION COUNTY

CITY OF JEFFERSON ESTABLISHED IN 1843 • • • NAMED IN HONOR OF THOMAS JEFFERSON 1743-1826

AUTHOR OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES

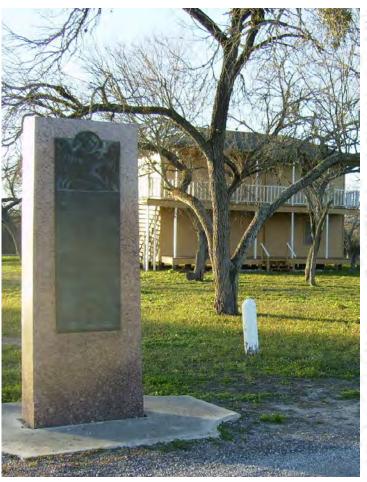
EARLY NAVIGATION HEADQUARTERS ON CYPRESS BAYOU. COUNTY SEAT OF MARION COUNTY SINCE 1860

BEFORE WATER TRANSPORTATION WAS SUPERSEDED BY RAILROADS DURING THE SEVENTIES THIS CITY, IN THE MIDST OF A PROSPEROUS PLANTATION AREA, WAS THE BUSINESS CENTER OF NORTHEAST TEXAS * *

[Jefferson]



<u>SAN PATRICIO DE HIBERNIA</u>





SAN PATRICIO DE HIBERNIA

FOUNDED IN 1830 BY JOHN MC MULLEN AND JAMES MC GLOIN AS THE SEAT OF THEIR IRISH COLONY UNDER AN EMPRESARIO CONTRACT DATED AUGUST 17, 1828 WHICH WAS FULFILLED BY THE EMPRESARIOS 1830-1835.

> NAMED IN HONOR OF SAINT PATRICK THE PATRON SAINT OF IRELAND.

AS THE FRONTIER OUTPOST OF TEXAS WHEN THE REVOLUTION BEGAN SAN PATRICIO 1835-1845 SUFFERED ALL THE MISERIES OF THAT CONFLICT WITH NO COMPENSATING RETURNS.

AT AND NEAR SAN PATRICIO, ON FEBRUARY 27, 1835 GENERAL JOSE URREA'S DIVISION OF SANTA ANNA'S ARMY SURPRISED AND OVERWHELMED JOHNSON'S TEXAN PARTY OF 35 MEN, 9 OR 10 TEXANS WERE KILLED, 6 OR 7 ESCAPED AND 20 WERE SENT TO MATAMOROS AS PRISONERS. AFTER SAN JACINTO THE TOWN WAS DESTROYED AND ITS INHABITANTS DRIVEN AWAY.

IN MEMORY OF

REV. HENRY DOYLE, REV. T. J. MOLLOY, WM. O'DOCHARTY, GEO. O'DOCHARTY, WALTER HENRY, PATRICK HENRY, JOHN HART, MICHAEL HALEY, MARK KILLALEA, WM. HEFFERMAN, OCEOLA ARCHER, LEWIS AYERS, CATHERINE HOYE, OWEN GAFFNEY, JOHN ROSS, WM. PUGH EARLY SETTLERS OF SAN PATRICIO.

JOHN MC MULLEN DELEGATE TO THE CONSULTATION, 1835.

JOHN TURNER, JOHN WHITE BOWER,

SIGNERS OF THE TEXAS DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

JOHN MC GLOIN, JOHN FADDEN, DENNIS MC GOWAN, ANDREW M. O'BOYLE, GEO. PETTUCK, MATHEW BYRNE, PATRICK NEVIN, EDWARD GARNER, EDWARD RYAN, DENNIS MAHONEY, MILES ANDROSS, WM, QUINN SOLDIERS IN TEXAS REVOLUTION.

SAN PATRICIO HAS CONTRIBUTED THE FOLLOWING DISTINGUISHED CITIZENS

PATRICK O'DOCHARTY, SUSANNA O'DOCHARTY, THOMAS O'CALLAGHAN, PATRICK MC GLOIN, CHRIS SULLIVAN, ROSE K. MAHONEY, JOHN RYAN, GEO. MC COWAN, CATHERINE RYAN, JAMES MC KEOWN, PATRICK MC MURRAY, THOMAS MAGOWAN, WM. P. ALLEN, MARY ANN COLLINS, HUBERT TIMON, DAVID ODEM, JOHN TIMON, ANDREW JACK-SON BROWN, JOHN DONAHUE, MARY E. MC CLOIN MURPHY, ROBERT DOUGHERTY, ALEXANDER MC CLOIN, MARGARET HART MC FALL, PATRICK BRENNAN, MARGARET BALDESCH-WILER, JOHN CORRIGAN, MARGARET O. JAMES, ANDREW GERHARDT, MATHEW KIVLIN, JAMES GROVER, ROBERT WEIR, EUZA A. SULLIVAN, J. CHRYS DOUGHERTY, STEVE J. LEWIS, JOE E. SULLIVAN, HUGH TOUHY, JOHN DEE.





JASPER COUNTY

INCLUDED IN THE EMPRESARIO GRANT TO LORENZO DE ZAVALA IN 1829

CREATED THE MUNICIPALITY OF BEVIL IN 1834 IN HONOR OF JOHN REVIL, EARLY SETTLER.

NAME CHANGED BY THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT OF TEXAS, DECEMBER 3, 1835 TO JASPER IN HONOR OF WILLIAM JASPER (1750-1779), A HERO OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

> CREATED A COUNTY MARCH 17, 1826 ORGANIZED DECEMBER 14, 1837 WITH JASPER AS ITS COUNTY SEAT.

FAMOUS FOR ITS LONG-LEAF PINE. IN MEMORY OF MARTIN PARMER, STEPHEN WILLIAMS, JOHN BEVIL, IHOMAS E. HULING, M. B. LEWIS, R. C. DOOM, EARLY SETTLERS.

WYATT HANKS, THOMAS HOLMES, JOFIN H. BLOUNT, MEMBERS OF THE CONSULTATION FROM BEVIL MUNICIPALITY. GEORGE WASHINGTON SMYTH, STEPHEN H. EVERITT, SIGNERS OF THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE.

COL. ANDERSON CRAWFORD, MAJ. BEN NORSWORTHY, MAJOR E. T. SEALE, LT. COL. C. R. BEATY, CAPT. E. I. KELLIE, CONFEDERATE HEROES.

ROBERT PERKINS, THOMAS SEALE MAJOR W. R. BLACKSHEAR, WHO FELL IN THE WORLD WAR.

9 Monuments

The Commission allocated \$4,500 for the erection of nine polished Texas pink granite monuments six feet in height, two feet three inches in width at the base tapering one and one-half inches to a slightly rounded top, and one foot in depth. The monument was designed by Page & Southerland, architects; the bronze plaque attached to its face was designed by Raoul Josset.



AT THE FORKS OF THE AGUA DULCE FIFTEEN MILES SOUTHWEST OF SAN PATRICIO FELL

DR. JAMES GRANT MAJOR ROBERT C. MORRIS CAPTAIN THOMAS LEWELLEN DR. CHARLES P. HEARTT STEPHEN DENNISON J. T. HOWARD JOSEPH SMITH JOHNSTON H. OBED MARSHALL JOHN C. MªLANGLIN J. W. WENTWORTH AND TWO OR THREE OTHER TEXAN VOLUNTEERS WHO WERE KILLED IN A RUNNING FIGHT WITH GENERAL JOSE URREA'S MEXICAN CAVALRY MARCH 2, 1836

[2 mi. SE Banquette, Nueces County]





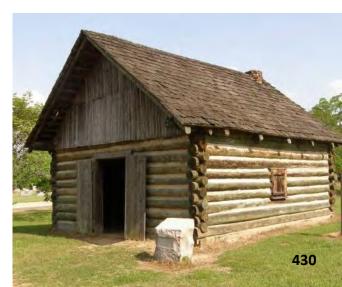
PILGRIM PREDESTINARIAN REGULAR BAPTIST CHURCH

ORGANIZED IN CRAWFORD COUNTY, ILLINOIS BY ELDER DANIEL PARKER IN 1833 WITH THE FOLLOWING CHARTER MEMBERS:

> DANIEL PARKER—PHEBY PARKER PATSEY PARKER—JULIOUS CHRISTY JOHN PARKER—RACHEL CHRISTY SALLEY BROWN

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH IN TEXAS FIRST MEETING HELD IN STEPHEN F. AUSTIN'S COLONY JANUARY 20, 1834 FIRST LOG CHURCH BUILT IN 1839

[Pilgrim Baptist Church grounds, 1.5 mi. S Elkhart]





TOWN OF SCOTTSVILLE

FOUNDED IN 1834 BY WILLIAM THOMAS SCOTT (1811-1887), PIONEER AND STATESMAN

THIS MARKER IS ERECTED JOINTLY BY THE STATE OF TEXAS AND RELATIVES AND FRIENDS IN THE YEAR 1936, CENTENNIAL OF TEXAS INDEPENDENCE [Scottsville, Harrison County]



APPROXIMATE LOCATION OF THE MISSIONS SAN FRANCISCO DE LOS NECHES NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION SAN JOSE DE LOS NAZONIS

ESTABLISHED IN EAST TEXAS BY FRANCISCAN MISSIGNARIES IN 1716 FOR THE CHRISTIANIZING AND CIVILIZING OF THE INDIANS OF THE REGION ABANDONED TEMPORARILY DUE TO THE FRENCH INCURSIONS FROM LOUISIANA IN 1719 RESTORED BY THE MARQUIS OF AGUAYO IN 1721 REMOVED TO THE COLORADO RIVER IN 1730 PERMANENTLY PLACED ON THE SAN ANTONIO RIVER IN 1731 AND THERE KNOWN RESPECTIVELY AS SAN FRANCISCO DE LA ESPADA NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA PURISIMA CONCEPCION DE ACUÑA SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO

Travis County



IN MEMORY OF ROBERT JONES RIVERS

PIONEER PATRIOT, LAWYER AND ORATOR. BORN IN VIRGINIA IN 1806. DIED IN GEORGETOWN, DECEMBER 14, 1854.

HIS ELOQUENCE PROTECTED THE HELPLESS, HIS WIT CHARMED ALL.

Williamson County





MCMAHAN'S CHAPEL

THE OLDEST METHODIST CHURCH HAVING A CONTINUOUS EXISTENCE IN TEXAS. ORGANIZED AS A "RELIGIOUS SOCIETY," SEPTEMBER 1833, AT THE HOME OF COLONEL SAMUEL MOMAHAN BY THE REV. JAMES P. STEVENSON (1808-1885) AS A METHODIST CHURCH, JULY 1834, BY THE REV. HENRY STEPHENSON, FIRST BUILDING WAS COMPLETED IN 1839 BY THE REV. LITTLETON FOWLER AND GIVEN THE NAME OF MEMAHAN'S CHAPEL. DISPLACED BY A NEW BUILDING IN 1872 AND AGAIN IN 1900

Sabine County

IN MEMORY OF

CAPTAIN THOMAS K. PEARSON LIEUTENANT HENRY COONEY DR. WILLIAM M. W. HOIT DR. GUSTAV BUNSEN JOSEPH CARPENTER BENJAMIN DALE WILLIAM WILLIAMS AND TWO OR THREE OTHER TEXAN VOLUNTEERS KILLED IN ACTION AT AND NEAR SAN PATRICIO FEBRUARY 27, 1836 WHO WERE BURIED HERE NEXT DAY BY REV. FATHER THOMAS J. MALLOY AND OF SERGEANT JOHN MCGLOIN MATHEW BYRNE JOHN FADDEN EDWARD GARNER DENNIS MCGOWAN PATRICK NIVEN EDWARD RYAN SONS OF SAN PATRICIO WHO PERISHED AT GOLIAD MARCH 27, 1836 AND OF SERGEANT GEORGE PETTUCK AND ANDREW M. O'BOYLE WHO WERE SPARED AT GOLIAD THROUGH THE INTERVENTION OF COLONEL FRANCISCO GARAY

San Patricio County





APPROXIMATE SITE OF THE MISSIONS SAN FRANCISCO XAVIER

DE LOS DOLORES, NUESTRA SEÑORA DE LA CANDELARIA, SAN ILDEFONSO

ORIGINALLY ESTABLISHED ON THE SAN GABRIEL RIVER BY FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES IN 1746-1749 WITH THE HOPE OF CIVILIZING AND CHRISTIANIZING THE COCO, MAYEYE, ORCOQUIZA AND OTHER INDIAN TRIBES. THE MARTYRDOM OF PADRE JOSE GANZABAL AND THE CIRCUMSTANCES CONNECTED THEREWITH CAUSED THE DEPARTURE OF THE INDIANS AND THE FRIARS AND THE REMOVAL OF THE MISSIONS TO THE SAN MARCOS RIVER IN 1755. REESTABLISHED ON THE BANKS OF THE SAN SABA, NUECES AND SABINAL RIVERS FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE LIPAN APACHES IN 1757-1769.

[Near San Marcos]



site of MISSION NUESTRA SEÑORA DEL REFUGIO

ORIGINALLY FOUNDED ON JANUARY 31, 1793, BY FATHERS JOSE FRANCISCO GARZA AND MARIANO VELASCO, FRANCISCAN MISSIONARIES, AT THE JUNCTURE OF THE GUADALUPE AND SAN ANTONIO RIVERS FOR THE CONVERSION OF THE KARANKAWA INDIANS. REMOVED TO THE PRESENT LOCATION, JANUARY 10, 1795.

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LOCATION OF TEXAS CENTENNIAL ITEMS BY COUNTY

These locations were recorded when we took photos of the markers between 2008 and 2012, before GPS were widely used. Maps are more interesting anyway. Contacts have been removed for markers on private property. Hopefully our locations are correct, but we suggest the CHC verify locations for typos as well as present conditions of markers, and property owners' information. There may be a few markers that have been relocated, so please let us know. Comments about neglect are included.

Anderson County - 12 Centennial items

Pilgrim Church - Elkhart - 2.5 mi S on FM 861 at the church (bronze needs cleaning)

McLean Massacre - Elkhart - about 4 mi. E on CR 185 (bronze needs cleaning)

Kickapoo Battlefield - 2 mi SE on FM 19 AT CR 320 (needs cleaning)

Fort Houston - Reagan home - Palestine - 2 mi. SW on Reagan Street at Knox Street

Bennett, Miles - Elkhart - Pilgrim Cemetery, behind the church, 2.5 mi S on FM 861

Parker, Dickinson - Elkhart - Pilgrim Cemetery, behind the church, 2.5 mi S on FM 861

Parker, Rev Daniel - Elkhart - Pilgrim Cemetery, behind the church, 2.5 mi S on FM 861

(Needs cleaning, remove epoxy above wreath where applied plaque stolen. Applied plaques not allowed) Kimbro, Capt William - Palestine - city cemetery on Market St., marker on west end (needs cleaning) Fields, Henry - Palestine - Magnolia Cemetery; 9 mi SW on SH 294, just W of FM 1990

Sadler, William T - Slocum - Sadler Cemetery, 2.5 mi SE on FM 2022; cross Sadler Creek, turn at 2nd road cut with No Trespassing sign on left (needs cleaning)

Anderson County - Palestine - Courthouse Annex; 700 block of Mallard St Pilgrim Predestination Baptist Church - Elkhart - 3/4 m W on SH 294, at FM 319 (star needs cleaning)

Andrews County - 1 Centennial item

Andrews County - Andrews - 15 miles northwest of Andrews on SH 176

Angelina County - 4 Centennial items

Marion - Lufkin - E 13 mi on SH 103, N on FM 1669/ Marion Ferry Rd; 1.8 mi to marker at entrance to Marion Ferry Park (clean; replace missing bronze wreath and star)
 Homer - Lufkin - SH 69 to CR 326; S to Pee Wee Smith Road
 Jonesville - Huntington – 1.5 mi SE on US 69
 Angelina County - Lufkin - Louis Bronaugh Park at 3rd & Charlton St.

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Aransas County - 4 Centennial items

G W Fulton home - Fulton - South Fulton Beach Road just N of Henderson Street Power home - Rockport - on SH35, just past FM 1781 on left, before causeway Lamar - Lamar - on SH 35, between Mills Wharf Road and West 1st Street Aransas County - Rockport - Median of Broadway St at Orleans St

Archer County - 1 Centennial item

Archer County - Archer City - 6 mi S, on US 79 in roadside park _(replaced damaged star)

Armstrong County - 2 Centennial items

Old Goodnight Ranch – Goodnight - 0.2 mi E of US-287/FM-284, S on CR-25_0_1 mi to Ranch House. Marker is inside fence, visible from the road

Town of Goodnight - Goodnight - On US-287 3/4 mi E of US294 intersection in roadside park (replace missing star & shield)

Atascosa County - 1 Centennial item

Atascosa County - Jourdanton - On Main St at Courthouse Circle

Austin County – 10 Centennial items

S F Austin - San -Stephen F. Austin Historical Park, FM 1458 Pilley, Michael -Bellville-Mechanic Street, Bellville Cemetery (marker is leaning) Reamos, Sherwood -Buckhorn - Buckhorn Cemetery, Ham Kendrick Road off FM 1456 Shelby, David -Shelby- private Property at 6006 FM 1457 County - Bellville - west side of Bellville at junction of SH 36 and SH 159 in median Cat Spring-Cat Spring-.5 miles west of intersection of FM 1094 and FM 949 at Ag Society Hall Industry - Industry - .3 miles off FM 109 (in Lions Club Park) off Ernst Memorial Park Industry (marker is surrounded by hedge that should be trimmed back) New Ulm - New Ulm - FM 109 at Missouri St. NW Corner

Town Hall - San Felipe - Stephen F. Austin Historical Park, FM 1458

SF Austin home - San Felipe - private property; west on Luntz Road 1.7 mi; N on Weaver Rd to end; right 1/4 mi to cabins; between cabins (move to Weaver Road)

Bailey County - 1 Centennial Item

Bailey County - Muleshoe - from Muleshoe take U.S. 84/70, 1/2 mi NW to roadside park on S side of hiway

Bandera County - 3 Centennial Items

Bandera Pass - Bandera - 173rd Brigade Memorial Highway (SH 173), south of Bandera-Kerr County line Bandera County - Bandera - On SH 16, 1/2 mi NE of Main St. (just past Old SA Rd/ Old Hwy 16) Highsmith, Benjamin F. - Utopia - Jones Cemetery, Highway 187, near county line

Bastrop County - 13 Centennial Items

F Neri Bastrop - Courthouse grounds, Bastrop (clean bronze and granite)

Coleman Home - Bastrop - 12 mi NW on FM969, 0.3 miles w of Upper Elgin Rd on S side of pavement. Baron de Bastrop - Bastrop - 2 mi. E on Loop 150 in Bastrop State Park - Park Rd. 1A in front of Refectory (remove algae)

Confederate Arms Factory - Bastrop - corner of Government and Water St (remove water stains at bottom) Bastrop Military Institute - Bastrop - corner of Buttonwood and Church St.

Reding, Robert Love - Bastrop - Fairview Cemetery, on the hill (remove copper stains)

Dunbar, William - Bastrop - Fairview Cemetery, low area to south of hill

Bastrop County - Bastrop - Loop 150 and SH 21 - island between roads, near entrance to Bastrop State Park (remove trash on concrete)

Burleson, James - Bastrop - 804 Pecan in front of County Commissioners Court (remove copper stains; was his grave marker moved to this location from the family cemetery?)

Standifer, William B. - Elgin - private property; Hidden Oaks farm on Monkey Road (hwy 75), off 1704; access thru neighboring Walter Spangler's farm

(discuss access and maintenance with CHC)

Fry, Benjamin - Jeddo - Jeddo Cemetery; 8 mi N of Waelder on 1296, left on 713, quick right on 297

Mordoff ,Henry - Smithville - private property; S on Jones Rd CR315 (Old Cemetery Rd) 0.8 mi; at T post, no sign, on west side of road, walk into trees 50-75'

Hunt, John Campbell - Smithville - Hunt Cemetery, 2 mi. W on SH 71, N on Powell Cemetery Rd. (CR 176) (neglected cemetery, family plot damaged)

Baylor County - 1 Centennial Item

Baylor County – Seymour - about 9 miles NE at US 183 and US 82 (patch damaged granite base)

Bee County - 1 Centennial Item

Bee County - Beeville – in pasture across from TxDoT yard at 662 N. US 181 Bypass. (Move to Courthouse, replace missing bronze plaque)

Bell County - 13 Centennial Items

Peter Bell - Belton - SW corner of Courthouse grounds Fort Griffin - Belton - 6 miles SE on FM 436 at Hattrick Bluff Road (replace missing bronze star) Barton Home - Salado - N. Main Street at Rock Creek Road (stabilize base) Tyler Home - Salado - N. Main St at Pace Park Rd Robertson Home - Salado - Just South of Salado Creek on west side of I-35 Bird Creek Indian Battle - Temple - 2000 Blk of Nugent ,W of I-35 and E of Bird Creek (move to less trashy, cluttered location) Davis Mill - Salado - At S. Main and Salado Creek Childers-Shanklin Mill - Belton - 3 mi SW off Tahuaya Rd on Lampasas River, at Boy Scout camp near rifle range Caddell, Andrew - Belton - Caddel Cemetery (private), 3 mi.SE at 4631 FM 1123 - behind house (neglected cemetery: clean marker)

Hardin-Kelton, Sarah Ann - Belton - South Cemetery, corner of Penelope and Ave E

Isbell, James - Belton - Bell - South Cemetery, corner of Penelope and Ave E Bell County – Belton - 3.5 mi S in closed Roadside Park. N of Lampasas River, W of I-35 (move to less trashy, cluttered location) Bird Creek Battlefield - Temple - S I-35 and Adams across from Church of Christ Bexar County - 28 Centennial Items B Milam - San Antonio - In Milam Park bounded by W. Commerce, San Saba, W. Houston, San Rosa Moses Austin - San Antonio - Between City Hall & Governor's Mansion; Military Plaza: Cenotaph - San Antonio - Alamo Plaza, between East Commerce and Houston Alamo Museum - San Antonio - in the Alamo Complex, just north of the Alamo (no longer museum, now gift shop) Sunken Garden Amphitheatre - San Antonio – 3875 North St. Mary's, north of Mulberry Street, on left side Pioneers-Rangers Museum - San Antonio - 3805 Broadway, by Witte Museum; renamed South Texas Heritage Center The Alamo - San Antonio - Alamo San Jose Mission - San Antonio - San Jose Drive, off Roosevelt Avenue, 1/4 mi north of SE Military Drive Battle of the Medina - Losova - SE corner of the intersection of US highway 281 and FM 2537 (wreath and star gone, granite defaced) Battle of Rosillo (Rosalis) San Antonio - moved to Republic Golf Club, 4226 SE Military Drive (granite defaced) S F Austin camp - San Antonio - at Comanche Park entrance on Rigsby (US 87) Battle of Salado - San Antonio - Holbrook Rd N of Rittiman Rd; access to Holbrook from Alna Lane off Rittiman Mission San Francisco Xavier de Najera - San Antonio Mission Rd. S of Hansford, at golf course (needs cleaning) Moses Lapham - San Antonio - Hwy 90 access road at Leon Creek, W of S Callaghan Road, across freeway from Camargo Park (neglected location, move to Camargo Park) Dawson Massacre - San Antonio - Austin Hwy and Corinne Street, on west side of Austin Hwy Paialache Acequia - San Antonio - On Presa behind old library at Riverwalk entrance Pajalache Aceguia Mill - San Antonio - Private property by appointment – call Conservation Society; inside Edmundo Yturri Property, Mission Road at Yellowstone Alsbury, Young Perry - San Antonio - NE side of Salado Creek, just east of I-10/Barlow Ave/Badger St. From IH 10 E, turn S on E. Houston Street, drive W along S side of the highway (no access road). Olivarri, Placido - San Antonio - San Fernando Cemetery No. 1, Block 3-6-52, Colorado & Vera Cruz St. (base above ground; install properly) Menchaca, Jose Antonio - San Antonio - San Fernando Cemetery No. 1, Block 8-V-3, Colorado & Vera Cruz St. (clean copper stain) Navarro, Jose Antonio - San Antonio - San Fernando Cemetery No. 1, Colorado & Vera Cruz St. (base above ground; install properly; clean copper stain) Ruiz, Jose Francisco - San Antonio - San Fernando Cemetery No.1, Ruiz Family plot, Colorado & Vera Cruz St. (clean copper stain) Smith, Samuel S. - San Antonio - City Cemetery #1, E. Commerce St. King, Charles F. - San Antonio - City Cemetery no. 1, E Commerce St. Fisk, James N. - San Antonio - Alamo Masonic Cemetery, E. Commerce St. Fisk, Simona Smith - San Antonio - Alamo Masonic Cemetery, E. Commerce St. Arnold, Hendrick - San Antonio – Medina Ranch Cemetery; 2.5 miles south of Highway 90 on W.T. Montgomery Road, left on Strauss Medina Ranch Road. 1.15 miles gate. Cemetery is on north bank of the Medina River, about 0.14 mi. Baylor, George Wythe - San Antonio - Confederate Cemetery (next to City Cemetery #4) -E. Commerce St.& Palmetto

Blanco County - 2 Centennial Items

Blanco County - Johnson City - Courthouse lawn

Price, Robert - Round Mountain – Blanco - Round Mountain Cemetery; FM 962 west to Round Mountain Cemetery Road, thru 2nd entrance at rear of cemetery

Borden County - 1 Centennial Item

Borden County - Gail - On north side of courthouse square

Bosque County - 1 Centennial Item

Bosque County - Meridian - 3/4 mi SW on SH 22, at SH 6

Bowie County - 5 Centennial Items

Bowie, Jim – Texarkana - on State Line Avenue between Walnut and 10th Streets, in the courtyard Epperson's Ferry – Maud - 1 mi. NE on US 67 (clean granite; replace missing bronze star; remove applied plaque) Richard Ellis home - New Boston - 6 mi. N on SH8 roadside park (clean granite; replace missing wreath and star) Hardin Runnels home - New Boston - 6 mi E on US 82, Red River Army Depot grounds. See Public Affairs Office. Bowie County - New Boston - Courthouse Grounds

Brazoria County – 23 Centennial items

Smith, Henry -Brazoria - corner of Brooks and Smith Smith, Henry home -Anchor - near Anchor, property owned by RS Stanger 979/798-2929 (marker down) John Austin home - Brazoria -intersection of Velasco and Marion Fannin home - Brazoria -(1936) 4 mi sw of Brazoria (needs cleaning) Eagle Island Plantation - Clute - Restwood Cemetery on Plantation Rd J H Bell home - W Columbia - SH 36, .5 mi, south of West Columbia, on property that was Loggins Vet Clinic Orozimbo - W Columbia - CR255 off CR25 via SH35 n of W Columbia; private; contact CHC (suggest move to CR255) McKinstry home - Austin deathplace - W Columbia - SH 36 N to CR 467, turn right & follow to end. (needs cleaning) Lively - Surfside - Monument Drive & Jetty View at City Hall; plaque on granite boulder Douglass, Freeman - Angleton - Belk Place Cemetery, 3 mi w of Angleton on SH 35 and Ovster Creek, (needs cleaning) Wharton, William Harris - Clute - Restwood Cemetery on Plantation Rd Archer, Branch Tanner - Clute - Restwood Cemetery on Plantation Rd Darst, Edmund C. - Damon - old Damon Cemetery on Stockwell Road Darst, Abraham - Damon - old Damon Cemetery on Stockwell Road Callihan, Thomas J. - Liverpool - in Liverpool Cemetery at the end of St. Anne St. (CR 171) Barrett, Don Carlos - Brazoria - Old Brazoria Cemetery, corner of China and Travis Sweeny, Thomas - Brazoria - FM 524 north of West Ashley Wilson Road Bell, Thaddus - W Columbia - Old Columbia Cemetery, Jackson at 16th St. (needs cleaning) Byrom, John - W Columbia - Old Columbia Cemetery, Jackson at 16th St Hazen, Nathaniel - W Columbia - Old Columbia Cemetery, Jackson at 16th Phelps, Dr James -W Columbia - CR 255 off CR 25 via SH 35 north of West Columbia; private - contact CHC Velasco - Freeport - Skinner and N. Ave B at Community Center (sinking) Peach Point - Jones Creek - SH 36 and CR 304 (Peach Point Rd.)

Brazos County - 2 Centennial Items

Boonville – Bryan - Boonville Cemetery, SH6 E to FM 158, 0.3 mi on FM 158; right in front Brazos County – Bryan – County Courthouse, 300 E. 26th St.

Brewster County - 6 Centennial Items

Museum of the Big Bend – Alpine - Sul Ross State University, Avenue B and North Harrison Burgess' Water hole – Alpine - From US 90 N on SH 223 0.9 mi. At Masonic Lodge parking lot--Fort Pena Colorada – Marathon – SW on Post Road 5 mi to Park Comanche Trail – Marathon – S on US 385 41 mi to Big Bend Ranger Station Leoncita Springs – Marathon – private property; 15 mi. N, east of SH 118 (cannot locate) Brewster County – Alpine – 8 mi E on US 90 at US 67

Briscoe County - 1 Centennial Items

Briscoe County - Silverton -At Courthouse Square, SH 207

Brooks County - 1 Centennial Items

Brooks County - Falfurrias - 10 mi S on US 281 in rest area between divided highway

Brown County - 1 Centennial Item

Brown County - Brownwood - Ben Lidnicky park, US 67/84 west of Pecan Bayou Bridge (replace missing bronze star)

Burleson County - 3 Centennial Items

Fort Tenoxtitlan – Caldwell - E on SH21 6 mi, N on FM1362 8 mi, NE on CR338 1.5 mi E to gate - 0.5 mi S across creek Chiles, Lewis L. - Caldwell – Old City Cemetery on Buffalo at Thomas (clean algae) Burleson County - Caldwell - in traffic island at intersection of SH21 and SH36 (repair base)

Burnet County – 6 Centennial items

Burnet County pioneers - Burnet - Courthouse Square

Black's Fort-Bertram-8 mi. N on FM 1174, then 2 mi. E on CR 210A.

Mormon Settlement - Marble Falls - 1/2 way between Marble Falls & Burnet on CR340/ Mormon Mill Rd, dirt road on right to marker behind house; No trespassing (damaged base, move to Mormon Mill Road) Fort Croghan - Burnet - in front of the museum, 703 Buchanan Dr. County - Burnet -1.7 miles north on US 281 (Courthouse) Granite Mountain-Marble Falls - missing

Caldwell County - 2 Centennial items

Fentress, James - Fentress - Masonic Cemetery; SE on SH 80 1.7 mi, NE on CR 112 0.6 mi, pass Prairie Lea Cemetery Caldwell County - Lockhart - SW corner of Courthouse Square

Calhoun County - 7 Centennial items

LaSalle - Indianola - Beach Rd. SH 316 Terminal

Indianola - Indianola -SH 316 South to Ocean Dr. 1 mile (place star properly)

Linnville - Port Lavaca - FM 1090, 1.7 mi from intersection of FM1090 and IH35, N side of road across from Lodge. Cox's Point - Port Lavaca - NE end of causeway, on SH 35, near western city limit, Point Comfort Hatch, Sylvanus - Port Lavaca - Hatch Cemetery, 6 mi sw on SH 35 in Hatch Bend Country Club. (clean granite) Beaumont, Jefferson - Port Lavaca - Port Lavaca Cemetery, S end of S Nueces St., Port Lavaca (clean stain on granite) Calhoun County - Port Lavaca - replaced with metal marker 1966, NW on US 87 6 mi (replace with original style)

Callahan County – 4 Centennial items

Belle Plain – From I-20, S on US 283 5.5 mi, W then S on CR 483 2.1 mi and E on CR 470 0.4mi. (You will pass the ruins of the former Callahan County Courthouse on your right.) (secure marker, remove pipe frame, clean granite)
 Military Telegraph Line – Baird - IH20 east to Finely exit, take Finley Road east 3.2 miles (replace missing bronze star)
 Berry, Andrew Jackson – Baird -Ross Cemetery, n of IH 20 on US 283;Cemetery divided by highway. Grave in west side Callahan County – Baird - front lawn of County Courthouse, 100 West 4th

Cameron County – 13 Centennial items

Cameron County - Brownsville - Courthouse Grounds, corner of 11th and E. Madison Street

C Stillman home – Brownsville - 305 E. Washington Street (clean granite)

Fort Brown – Brownsville – On In'l in lawn of UT-Brownsville, across from Valero Station (clean granite, remove graffiti) Battle of Resaca de la Palma – Brownsville - 328 Paredes Line Road, 0.2 mile north of Price Road

Boca Chica Crossing – Brownsville - Rte 4 (Boca Chica Rd) about 20.3 mi E to Boca Ricia Beach (repair granite, replace bronze wreath and star)

Santa Rita - Brownsville - West from US 77/83 4.7 mi, SW on Villa Nueva ¼ mi (clean granite, stabilize base, remove marker leaning against it)

Thornton Skirmish – Las Rucias - US 281 west 2 miles to roadside park (repair granite, replace bronze wreath and star) Rancho Viejo – Brownsville - Exit US 77 at Stillman/Old Alice. South on Frontage ¼ mi. Just past Sybil St. Battle of Palmito Hill – Brownsville - missing, replaced with metal marker (replace new marker with original style marker) Battle of Palo Alto – Brownsville - FM 1847 north about 5.5 miles to intersection of FM 1847 and FM 511. Las Rucias - Las Rucias - US 281 at Las Rucias. at Sacred Heart Catholic Church (marker leaning, straighten) Point Isabel Lighthouse - Port Isabel - Port Isabel Lighthouse State Historic Site, 421 E Queen Isabella Blvd (SH 100) Cameron County – Brownsville - Brownsville Tourist Center, SW corner of FM 802 and U.S. Highway 77

Camp County – 1 Centennial items

Camp County - Pittsburg - about 3.5 mi. N on US 271

Carson County – 1 Centennial items

Carson County - Panhandle - Main and Fourth Street, on library grounds

Cass County – 2 Centennial items

Stephenson's Ferry – Bassett – 7 mi SW on US 67, just past CR 2514 Cass County – Linden – 7 mi NE on US 59, in roadside park, updated plaque 1971

Castro County – 1 Centennial items

Castro County - Dimmit - at Roadside Park at US 385 and SH 194, se side of Dimmit

Chambers County – 6 Centennial items

Perry's Point – Anahuac - Fort Anahuac Park, South Main Street; overlooks bay Chambers home – Anahuac - Washington Ave.(SH 61) and Cummings St. Houston home – Baytown – In Sam Houston Estates at Cedar Point; 1405 to Tri City Beach Road to Cedar Point Road to Ravenmoor; near gazebo in park

Mission Nuestra - Wallisville - in front of post office on eastbound side of IH-10

Taylor White Ranch – Wallisville - about 8 mi E on IH 10; exit for rest stop 2 mi past SH 61; pull off to locked gate at frontage road; walk S on dirt road about 200 yards. Marker is just beyond house on left, before cemetery. (neglected cemetery;clean granite)

Chambers County – Anahuac - on SH 61 between Texas and Kansas Streets

Cherokee County – 12 Centennial items

Hasinai Indians-Alto- from Alto, US 29 1.6 mi SE, then CR 2603 0.9 mi N; marker at end of road. Mission San FranciscoTejas -Alto- private property, entry gate is 5.4 mi SW of Alto on SH 21. (move to Highway 21) Neches Indian Village-Alto- Still in "temporary" storage at Caddo Mounds State Park, 6 mi W of Alto on SH21. Chief Bowles-Alto- On ground covered in dirt! 3.2 mi NW of Alto on McLain Road; west side near power line pylon. Private

property. (down, move to McLain Road)

Delaware Indian Village-Alto-1.5 miles SW of Alto on SH 21

Lacy's Fort-Alto-1.7 miles SW of Alto on SH 21

Old Larissa College-Mount Selman-From Mount Selman, FM 855 W 2.7 mi; CR 3405 south 0.2 mi. Marker is on east behind vacated trailer house. Watch for dogs. (needs cleaning; move to road)

Cook's Fort-Rusk-3.3 miles south of Rusk on FM 241; on south side at curve

Mountain Home-Rusk- east of Rusk off US 84 on Park Road 50 in state park

Confederate Gun Factory - Rusk -1/4 mi w of courthouse on 6th (US 84), off road in front of house

Bean, Candace Midkiff - Linwood - Selman-Roark Cemetery on State Hwy. 21 in Linwood

Bowman, James H.- Wells - Old Mount Hope Cemetery, near Wells

Childress County -2 Centennial items

Buck Creek Stage Stand - Childress - private property; TV Ranch (replace missing star and wreath; move to Highway) County - Childress - Courthouse grounds

Clay County - 2 Centennial items

Buffalo Springs - Buffalo Springs - Junction of FM 174 and FM 3077 Clay County – Henrietta - junction of US 82 and Spur 510 at east city limits

Cochran County - 1 Centennial item

Cochran County - Morton - grounds of county courthouse

Coke County – 4 Centennial items

Fort Chadbourne – Bronte - 11.75 N on US 277 at entrance to Fort Chadbourne Hayrick - Robert Lee - Hayrick Cemetery; SH 158 E 5 mi, NE on Hayrick Road 4 mi (replace star with official bronze star) Coke County - Robert Lee - SH 158 E about 2 miles, in roadside park Southern Overland Mail – Bronte - US 277 north about 11 miles to roadside park (replace star)

Coleman County – 4 Centennial items

Camp Colorado – Coleman - City Park on SH206, north side of Coleman Camp Colorado – Coleman - NE on 206 to FM 2302; east 2 mi to FM1176 junction, CR 140 4-1/4 mi to marker. Coleman County – Coleman - 2.4 miles NW on US 84 to roadside park on north side of road. (missing plaque) Coleman County #2 - Santa Anna - 1 mi east on US84 in front of Texas Rangers Motel (why are there two?)

Collin County -3 Centennial items

McKinney home – McKinney – Finch Park Standier and Church Streets Collin County – McKinney – courthouse grounds Throckmorton, Wm – Melissa – Remote location on private property

Collingsworth County – 1 Centennial item

Collingsworth County - Wellington - US 83/ SH 203 junction 2 miles N

Colorado County – 8 Centennial items

Colorado County - Columbus - Courthouse Grounds (clean stains on granite; polish bronze)

Alleyton – Alleyton - intersection of Center & Alleyton Road, at southern edge of town, in fence (clean stains on granite; remove from fence)

Borden plant – private property; Borden - NE on CR 217 1 mi; NE on Private Road 0.2mi. Marker to south. May be hidden in tall grass. (move to public road)

Camp of General Sesma – Columbus - West on Hwy. 90, access road at Milentz St

Beasons Crossing - Columbus - Beason's Park, south side of Hwy 90 just E. of the E River Bridge

Frelsburg – Frelsburg – on FM 109 just south of FM 1291 (remove graffiti and stains on granite) Columbus Oak - East side of Courthouse Square in street (polish bronze) Colorado County - on Business 71 at FM 109 turnoff, 1/2 mile N. of Colorado River

Comal County – 7 Centennial items

New Braunfels - New Braunfels - Landa Park Drive between Monument Dr & Ed Nowotony Dr

J F Torrey mill - New Braunfels - at end of Mill St via Market Street (south side of river across from Prince Solms Park) (relocate for public access; replace missing bronze wreath and star)

Ferdinand Lindheimer home - New Braunfels - 489 Comal Avenue (remove applied plaque)

Mission Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe - New Braunfels - On SH 46 N, 1/10 mile N. of Loop 337

Kendall home - New Braunfels - private property; 357 Hueco Springs Rd (between Hwy 46 & River Rd.) (relocate to road) Ferdinand Lindheimer - New Braunfels - Comal Cemetery, Area 6A (clean granite - remove algae)

Comal County - Business IH 35, just N of intersection with SH 46 (relocate to courthouse, remove stairstep base)

Comanche County – 1 Centennial item

Comanche County - NE corner of intersection of TX36 and US 67/377*

Concho County – 3 Centennial items

Pictograph - Paint Rock - from Paint Rock, take US 83 N 1 mi, turn W just N of Concho Bridge, gravel road 1.5 mi; Private – (move to US 83)

Mission San Clemente – Concho – Millersview N to FM2134 to FM1929. At VFD, N to 128 San Clemente Rd; right to boat dock; marker on left

County - Paint Rock - Courthouse square (corner of US 83 and FM 380)

Cooke County – 2 Centennial items

Butterfield Overland Stageline – Gainesville - Grand Avenue and Star Cooke County - Moffett Park, East of Elm Fork Bridge on SH 51 (bronze plaque missing)

Coryell County – 2 Centennial items

Fort Gates – Gatesville - 1.6 mi E of Hwy 36 on Old Ft Gates Rd. behind house on N side (move to Old Fort Gates Road) County - Gatesville - From Gatesville, take SH 84 east about 8.5 mi in picnic area

Cottle County – 1 Centennial item

Cottle County - Paducah - US 70 7 mi E to roadside park (missing bronze plaque and star)

Crane County – 2 Centennial items

Crane County – Crane – 5 mi N on US 385 in roadside park (bronze needs cleaning) Horsehead Crossing – Crane - (1936 location) 8 mi S, State Hwy 51

Crockett County – 4 Centennial items

David Crockett – Ozona - Courthouse grounds, corner of 11th and Avenue D Fort Lancaster – Ozona - I-10/ US 290 36 mi W to Fort Lancaster ruins Ozona County – Ozona - Courthouse grounds, corner of 11th and Avenue D Fort Lancaster – Ozona - I-10/ US 290 36 mi W to Fort Lancaster ruins (missing)

Crosby County – 3 Centennial items

Crosby County – Crosbyton - grounds of Pioneer Memorial Museum, US 82 and FM 651 Crosby County - Pioneer Memorial Building, FM 651 S and US 82 Estacado – Lorenzo - FM 378 N about 8 mi to FM 1527, follow FM 1527 W about 2 miles (leaning)

Culberson County – 3 Centennial items

Pinery - Pine Spring – Guadalupe Mountains National Park; US Hwy 62/180 Van Horn Wells - Van Horn – East on US, about 3 mi S of RR underpass; climb fence to dirt road at metal historical marker for Van Horn Wells; marker 1/2 mi down road

Culberson County - Van Horn - 4 miles W on IH 10 at scenic overlook on westbound lane (missing bronze star)

Dallam County – 2 Centennial items

Buffalo Springs - Buffalo Springs – private property; NW on US 87 17 mi, N on FM 1879 13 mi, N on FM 296 4 mi, N on Felt Road 1.2 mi, E on Buffalo Springs Rd 2 mi.; N on dirt road 1 mi; marker on W side of house (move to FM 1879) County - Dalhart - from Dalhart take U.S. 87, 1 mile north of marker (bronze star bent loose)

Dallas County – 6 Centennial items

Exposition Building -State of Texas Bldg – Dallas - Grand Avenue; Texas State Fair grounds Cedar Springs - Dallas - Lemmon Ave between Hawthorne & Loma Alto Dr. in Craddock Park Cooke Army camp – Dallas - intersection of Ewing Ave. and Clarendon Ave. (in traffic triangle) Texian Land & Emigration Co - Farmers Branch –corner of Pepperwood & Wm Dodson Parkway Confederate Arms Factory – Lancaster – in front of Veterans Memorial Library, 220 W Main Dallas County – Dallas - Historical Plaza at Elm, Market and Main

Dawson County – 1 Centennial item

Dawson County - Lamesa - in rest area at intersection of US 180 and US 87 (replace missing bronze star)

Deaf Smith County - 1 Centennial item

Deaf Smith County - Hereford - at southwest corner of Courthouse Square

Delta County – 1 Centennial item

Delta County - Cooper - SH 154 at FM 1529

Denton County – 4 Centennial items

Chisum home – Bolivar - from FM 455, N on FM 2450 3 mi.; W on Chisum 0.6 mi.; 0.4 mi W on private dirt rd (Jingle Bob Trail) to gate. Marker is 0.5 mi past gate to top of hill next to house; (in rock fence; move to Chisum Road)

The Pioneer Women – Denton - Texas Women's University, Oakland Ave & Sawyer Street

John Denton – Denton - Courthouse Square, corner of Elm and Hickory

Denton County - Denton - courthouse lawn, corner of Elm and Oak

DeWitt County – 7 Centennial Items

DeWitt County - Cuero - US 87 (E Broadway) between Park Heights and E Courthouse St., across from high school parking lot entrance

Trail Drivers - Yoakum - Alt 77 & W Gonzales Street / BR77

York Home - Yorktown - FM 237 SE 7.7 mi, then 1/3 mi. SW on CR447 (York Cemetery Road) (clean granite)

Kleberg home – Cuero – private property; 183 S 10.5 mi to Mueller Lang Rd., W .5 mile to 3rd cattle guard. (set marker upright)

Caruthers, Allen – Clinton - SW on US 183 3mi, SW on FM 2718 6.7 mi. NW on road 0.4mi. Park at turn. Follow trail S about 200 yards to the cemetery. (neglected cemetery)

York & Bell- Yorktown - FM 237 SE 7.7 mi, then 1/3 mi. SW on CR447 (York Cemetery Road) through gate across from Capt York Marker. Cemetery is ¼ mile N in trees, with the cows. (neglected cemetery)

DeWitt County- Yorktown - US72 (E Main) and E Main on the curve next to Vietnam Memorial

Dickens County – 3 Centennial items

Comanche battle – Spur - Spur Cemetery, .25 mi E on Hwy 70, local road Andersons Fort – Spur - Highway 70 north, about 6 miles (install bronze star correctly) Dickens County - Dickens City - Courthouse Square, Highway 82

Dimmit County – 2 Centennial items

Espantosa Lake - Carrizo Springs - FM 1433 at Dam, south end of lake (replace broken granite, missing star and plaque) Dimmit County - Carrizo Springs - US 83, 0.6 mi NW of SH 85 (replace missing star and plaque, move to courthouse)

Donley County - 2 Centennial items

Donley County – Clarendon – west side in roadside park, at juction of U.S. 287 & S.H. 70 Old Clarendon Colony - Old Clarendon - Citizens' Cemetery; SH 70 about 1 mi S

Duval County – 1 Centennial item

Duval County - San Diego - on steps of courthouse

Eastland county - 2 Centennial items

Eastland County – Eastland - 6/10 mi on U.S. 80 - TxDoT unable to locate First Oil Well – Ranger - Main Street at Loop 254, across tracks from train station

Ector County – 1 Centennial item

Ector County – Odessa –Bus IH20, East of loop 338 near entrance to Sunset Memorial Gardens Main Street at Loop 254, across tracks from train station Edwards County – 1 Centennial item Edwards County - Rock Springs - On west side of US 377, 1.5 mi N of intersection with SH 55

El Paso County – 13 Centennial items El Paso Memorial Museum - El Paso – UTEP (University of Texas at El Paso) Campus on University Street at Wiggins Fort Bliss - El Paso - El Paso - 2100 Magoffin Ave., southeast corner El Paso del Rio - El Paso - 1720 W. Paisano El Camino Real - El Paso - San Jacinto Plaza, sw corner; Mills and Oregon Mission San Lorenzo - El Paso - El Paso - in traffic island at Alameda and Buena Vista Streets Mission San Antonio de Senecu - El Paso - intersection of Finita and Alameda on island Stage Station - El Paso – on south El Paso Street at junction with Overland Hueco Tanks - Hueco Tanks State Park - 28 miles NE on Hwy 180/62; turn on 2775 Salt War - San Elizario - intersection of Finita and Alameda on island San Elizario - Socorro - 328 South Nevarez; one block n of FM 258 Jones, Captain Frank - El Paso - intersection of Finita and Alameda on island Corpus Christi de la Ysleta - Ysleta - SH 20 to Old Pueblo Drive behind the Mission in the NW corner of the church yard

Ellis County – 10 Centennial items

Frederick Rankin – Ennis - Myrtle Cemetery, Glasscock and W. Knox St. John Hardeman – Italy - Italy Cemetery, 300 block of N Couch St., near Hwy 77;at south entrance. Gen. Edward Tarrant - Italy - SH 34 (West Main) and North Couch St., in traffic circle James McDaniel – Milford - Milford Cemetery, E. Water St. off US Hwy 77 (needs cleaning) Thomas Jordan – Milford - Milford Cemetery, E. Water St. off US Hwy 77 E H Tarrant home – Forreston –yard of private property off Lumkins Rd, 3 mi. SE of Forreston (move to Lumkins Road) Chambers Creek – Forreston - from Forreston take US 77 S 1 mi to picnic area on W. side of Rd. (leaning, missing star) Confederate Powder Mill – Waxahachie - 300 block of N. Rogers St. (1/2 block from RR tracks) County – Sterrett - US Hwy 77 about 5 mi. N of Waxahachie on w side of road in Roadside Park R Ellis – Waxahachie - Courthouse Square on Main Street (needs cleaning)

Erath County – 2 Centennial items

Erath Memorial Arch – Stephenville – Washington St. and Erath

Pate, William H. - De Leon - Victor Cemetery; N on SH16 6 mi to CR496, N to FM2146, SE to CR357

Falls County – 5 Centennial Items

Fort Milam - Marlin – private property; take FM 712 about 4 mi SW to FM 2027, then S 2 mi. to local road. (move to public road, clean granite)

Indian Battlefield - Perry - 2 mi. S on SH 6

Morgan home – Marlin - FM 2117 about 4.8 mi to CR105, nw on CR105 1/4 mi. Marker on right.

Marlin home – Marlin - SH 6 SW about 2.5 mi., then take local road west about .5 mi. (move to public road) Falls County – Marlin - SH 6 about 4.5 mi S to roadside park.

Fannin County – 3 Centennial Items

Fort Inglish – Bonham - US 82/ Sam Rayburn Drive, directly west of the Sam Rayburn Library J Bonham – Bonham - SE corner of courthouse square Fannin County – Bonham - SH 56 east 4 miles to roadside park (Replace missing bronze plague and star)

Fayette County – 16 Centennial items

Mier Expedition & Dawson's men - La Grange – US 77 to FM 155; left about ¼ mi to brewery parking lot, walk NW.
Dawson and men - La Grange - Courthouse square, inscription added to front of Dawson monument
Round Top – Fayetteville - City Square, Washington St., Round Top
Fayetteville – Fayetteville - Public Square, Main & Washington, Fayetteville
Czech Settlement – Hostyn - from La Grange, take Hwy. 77 4.5 mile south (needs cleaning)
Burnam's Ferry - La Grange – in storage
Moore Home - La Grange - Hwy. 77 to FM 2145, then 6 mi NW to Oak Meadows Ranch house; private property (move to FM2145)
Twin Blockhouse - La Grange - 385 N. Main St. (needs cleaning)
Rutersville College- Rutersville - from Rutersville, take County Round (Old College Rd.) east 1 mile
Wood's Fort - West Point - about 1 mi w of intersection of SH 71 and FM 154; west end of RoadSide Park
First Rural Mail Route - La Grange - Colorado and Jefferson streets.
Jones, John Rice – Fayetteville - 3107 FM 954 behind house; private property

Moore, John Henry - La Grange - Moore Cemetery; Hwy. 77 1 mi to FM 2145. 6 mi NW to Oak Meadows Ranch house; private property (neglected cemetery, marker needs cleaning)

Wertzner, Christian G. - La Grange - Gay Hill Cemetery; SH71, 7 mi E of LaGrange. Heading east, it is on hill across highway from Power Plant Rd. (remove applied medallion)

Robinson, Joseph – Westpoint - Woods Prairie Cemetery, from West Point go west on Hwy. 71 about 1.5 mile to Woods Prairie Cemetery Rd. or County Road 417- follow north about .4 mile

Fayette County - La Grange - Corner of N. College & E. Travis St., (US 77 - SH 71)

Fisher County – 2 Centennial items Lyon, Henry – Roby - Roby Cemetery, 1.3 miles NE on CR 203 Fisher County – Roby - SW corner of courthouse lawn; plaque replaced with 1969 date

Floyd County – 2 Centennial items Floyd County - Floydada - US 62 South about 6 miles Quitaque Ranch – Quitaque - Gray Mule Cemetery 6 mi SW on CR 293

Foard County – 4 Centennial items

Margaret – Margaret - North & East on FM 98 2mi, N on CR 246. At CR 231 (repair base) Pease River Battlefield – Margaret - North & East 3 mi. N on CR 231 1 mi. At turn (move away from tree) Foard County – Crowell - Route 6 (Hwy 283) north about 2 miles Pease River Battlefield – Crowell - In city park, Highway 6

Fort Bend County - 11 Centennial items

M B Lamar – Richmond - Lamar County Courthouse, Hwy 90A (trim hedge covering lettering on granite) Powell Home - Beasley - (1936) 5 mi SW Beasley Thompson's Ferry - Richmond – Private Property; Collins Road n to George Ave to Pultar Rd; left on Lake Dr to 2113 Riverview Dr (relocate to road) Jones Home - Richmond - Park between the bridges on the west bank of the Brazos River Long home - Richmond - in storage Lamar home - Richmond - relocated Fort Bend - Richmond - Park between the bridges on the west bank of the Brazos River Barnett home - Rosenberg - 5mi. N of Rosenberg Wyly Martin - Richmond - 10 Dyer Cemetery on Austin Street between Front & 2nd Street Andrew Jackson Beard - Richmond - 20 mi. south of Richmond on FM 762, east on Cummings Rd. (Big Creek Cemetery) John McNabb - Rosenberg - 300 block of 2nd St. (marker is in north part of cemetery)

Franklin County – 1 Centennial item

Franklin County - Mt. Vernon - junction of US 67 and SH 37, in traffic triangle

Freestone County – 3 Centennial items

Fairfield Female Collage – Fairfield - in front of Fairview Manor, on Reunion St. at Ray St. Woodland College – Kirvin - 2 mi. NW on FM 1449 at entrance to Woodland Cemetery (remove pipe barrier) Freestone County – Fairfield - Commerce St. between Mount and Keechi St.

Frio County – 6 Centennial items

William Wallace - Bigfoot - on SH 472, across from Bigfoot Museum, by SH 462

Texas Ranger camp - Frio - private property; 3 mi. SW of Frio town in woods (needs cleaning)

Frio Town - Frio Town - Private Property; 15 mi NW of Pearsall on Highway 140. Roof barely visible from Highway 140. (missing star and wreath)

Winters, James – Bigfoot - Longview Cemetery, SH 462 west 1.5 mi, then N on Longview Lane to end. (star slipped) Winters, William Carvin – Bigfoot - Brommett Cemetery; SH 472 N to 172, then S 1-2 mi to Cemetery Road, E to cemetery Frio County – Pearsall – 3 mi N on Bus I-35/ Oak St

Gaines County – 2 Centennial items

Cedar Lake - Seminole - 25 mi NE on FM 1066 to junction with FM 1067 (clean granite, replace missing star and wreath) Gaines County – Seminole - county courthouse lawn (restored 1964)

Galveston County - 13 Centennial items

Sidney Sherman – Galveston – Broadway at 7th (sword missing, bronze needs cleaning) Thomas Henry Borden Home – Galveston - 1903 39th St (granite needs cleaning) Lafitte's Grove – Galveston - Stewart Road between 11 Mile Road and 12 Mile Road (granite needs cleaning)

First Navy – Galveston –grassy area west of Ocean Star Offshore Drilling Rig and Museum; Wharf Road and 20th Street (granite needs cleaning)

Wharf – Galveston - IN STORAGE after wharf destroyed, pending placement in park (was at 29th St and Grain elevator) (cannot locate)

Gail Borden Home - 3410 Bernardo de Galvez Ave

Menard Home – Galveston - 1605 33rd St (granite needs cleaning)

Point Bolivar – Point Bolivar - private property; At lighthouse off Hwy 87, just past ferry landing (move to public road)
 Wilbur Cherry – Galveston - Old City Cemetery, bounded by Broadway,43rd, 40th, and Ave L (granite needs cleaning)
 Henry Journeay – Galveston - Old City Cemetery, bounded by Broadway,43rd, 40th, and Ave L (granite needs cleaning)
 William Fisher – Galveston - Old City Cemetery, bounded by Broadway,43rd, 40th, and Ave L (granite needs cleaning)
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 Catherine Sherman – Galveston - Old City Cemetery, bounded by Broadway,43rd, 40th, and Ave L (granite needs cleaning)
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John Allen - Galveston - Old City Cemetery, bounded by Broadway, 43rd, 40th, and Ave L (granite needs cleaning)

Garza County - 1 Centennial item

Garza County - Post - US 84 south about .1 mi to TxDot Building. Marker is in parking lot.

Gillespie County – 8 Centennial items

Vereins Kirche - Fredericksburg - 300 block of West Main in center of Marktplatz

J Meusebach - Fredericksburg - walkway leading to Vereins Kirche

Langes Mill - Castell - Keyserville Road S 5 mi to Post Oak Road, turn left, go SE 1 mi (clean granite)

Fort Martin Scott - Fredericksburg - about one mile SE of Fredericksburg on US290

Zodiac - Fredericksburg - private property; take US 90 E approx. 4 miles to Schmidtzinsky Rd.; then E 1.4 miles; Stop at Schmidzinsky House to ask permission and directions to marker (move to Schmidtzinsky Rd)

Fredericksburg County - Fredericksburg - SH 16 S approx. 5.5 miles to roadside park

Enchanted Rock State Park - 20 mi N of Fredericksburg on RR 965; in display case in building at park entrance Dedmon, William - Harper - Cemetery 15 mi, NW Kerrville; L.S. Stevens Ranch, Kerrville Road; (needs cleaning)

Goliad County - 6 Centennial items

Fannin State Park - Goliad - Fannin State Park 9 mi east of Goliad.

J W Fannin's men - Goliad - Highway 183/77A south past Mission La Bahia, turn left to monument

Memorial Auditorium & Stadium - Goliad - Highway 183/77A south about 1 mile, across highway from Goliad State Park Mission Nuestra Senora del Espiritu Santo de Zuniga – Goliad - Highway 183/77A south 1 mile to Goliad State Park, at Mission entrance

Mission Nuestra Senora del Rosario - Goliad - US 59 W 4 mi to roadside park. Marker is across highway.

Goliad County - US 59 W about 4 mi to roadside park (replace bronze star, clean trashy area)

Gonzales County - 16 Centennial items

Gonzales Memorial Museum - Gonzales - Smith Street between St. Lawrence & St. Louis

First Shot of Texas Revolution - Gonzales - SH 97 SW about 7 miles, at Tx 95 Loop, before Cost

Santa Anna Mound - Gonzales - US 183 South just before junction with SH 97, on right

Sam Houston Oak – Gonzales - US 90A East about 10 mi, cross Peach Creek, marker at junction of 361; continue N on 361 to see Oak & home

Old Eighteen - Gonzales - US 183 South, across San Marcos River, right on CR197 just past bridge; down to markers; continue past markers for roadside park at rivers edge

- Come & Take it Gonzales US 183 South, across San Marcos River, right on CR197 just past bridge; down to markers; continue past markers for roadside park at rivers edge
- Gonzales Cannon Gonzales St. Louis St. between St. John & St. James

Ponton Andrew - Gonzales - Masonic Cemetery, US 183 (Water St) (clean granite)

Davis, Jesse Kencheloe – Gonzales - Masonic Cemetery, US.183 (Water St.) (clean granite, remove added emblem) Barnett, George W. – Gonzales - Old City Cemetery, N College St

Zumwalt Andrew – Gonzales - Denton Creek Cemetery; Hwy 97N 5 mi to CR228, SE 1 mi on right. (replace wreath and star)

DeWitt, Sarah Seely – Gonzales – DeWitt Cemetery; US 183 South to US 97; right on 97 to CR197, 700 ft and turn right, cemetery 500 ft ahead.

Lee, Theodore - Harwood - Harwood Cemetery, Stella St. at N. Second St. (clean granite)

Coe, Philip – Monthalia - Coe Valley Cemetery; 466 West 1 mile, on private property on south side of road. (neglected cemetery)

Cunningham, Leander C. - Waelder - Community Cemetery, north city limits, (Ave D) FM 1296 at big curve in road.

First Shot - Gonzales - SH 97 SW about 7 mi, in front of First Shot Monument

Gray County – 3 Centennial items Indian Battlefield – Pampa - 19 mi S on SH 70, then SE on FM 2477 7 mi to marker at entrance to Lake McClellan. Baldwin Troops – Lefors - 1000 Block of North Main in park (clean granite) Gray County – Pampa - 2 miles east on U.S. 60; north side of road

Grayson County - 5 Centennial items

Holland Coffee Trading Post – Pottsboro - Preston Bend cemetery; N on SH 289 9 mi., E on Preston Bend Road 1 mi to Cemetery on south. (clean granite)
Fort Johnson – Pottsboro – FM120 to Georgetown Rd, 1.3 mi W
Wilmouth, Louis – Sadler - Christian Chapel Cemetery, 2 mi E on Spalding Road (clean granite)
Sherman – In traffic triangle at Travis & Crockett Streets
Colbert's Ferry – Denison - Texas visitor's center at US 75/69 Red River Bridge
Gregg County – US 80, just east of N. High St. (relocate to courthouse grounds)

Grimes County – 7 Centennial items

Republic Pioneers – Anderson - East side of Courthouse grounds Fanthorp Inn – Anderson - 579 S. Main; Fanthorp Inn State Historic Park Munition Factory – Anderson - SH 90 N approx. 1.5 mi to FM 244; FM 244 NW 1 mi Grimes home – Navasota - private property; 11mi. SE on Hwy 105; Groce home – Navasota - S on SH 6 8 mi, EAST on FM 2 2.5 mi. S on CR 323 1 mile. Kennard, Anthony – Anderson - Kennard Cemetery; FM 149 E 5 mi. to FM 2562; N 1.6 mi. to cemetery

Guadalupe County – 7 Centennial items

Battleground Prairie - Seguin - US 90A East five mi

Hardscramble- Seguin - private property; US 90 W 3 miles, left on Tschoepe Road to locked gate; (move marker to road) Dale, Elijah Valentine - Seguin - Geronimo Cemetery; Walnut Street, (one block N of 90A & 123 intersection, turn East on Walnut). Marker in SE corner near entrance #6.

Benton, Nathaniel – Seguin cemetery - US 90A to Prexy Drive, then 1/4 mi N to marker (clean granite) Neill, James Clinton – Seguin - Not in Riverside Cemetery; cannot locate Smith, Ezekiel – Seguin - Riverside Cemetery, Garcia and Crockett Streets; SE section. Guadalupe County – Seguin - at intersection of US 90 and US 90A, west side of Seguin (move to – courthouse)

Hale County – 2 Centennial items

Mackenzie Trail – Plainview - Courthouse Grounds, Columbia Street and US 70 Hale County – Plainview - 1 mile south on BR US87 and 20th Street at park

Hall County – 1 Centennial item Hall County – Memphis - Main & 6th Streets at Heritage Hall; on Courthouse Square

Hamilton County – 1 Centennial item Hamilton County – Hamilton - US 281 north one mile (on west side of 281 at city limits)

Hansford County - 2 Centennial items

Cator Buffalo Camp – Spearman - from Gruver take SH 136 south about 9 miles to rest stop Hansford County - 3mi. NE of Spearman, on SH15

Hardeman County – 1 Centennial Items Hardeman County - Quanah Garden Club Park, On US 287, 1/2 mile west of SH 6

Hardin County – 1 Centennial item Hardin County – Kountze - In front of courthouse on SH 326 between Redwood and Dogwood

Harris County - 47 Centennial items

San Jacinto Monument - Houston - San Jacinto State Park, SH 134 (Battleground Road) Duncan, Peter Houston - DeZavala Plaza area across from SJ monument Wilkinson, Freeman - Houston - DeZavala Plaza area across from SJ monument Jaques, Isaac - Houston - DeZavala Plaza area across from SJ monument (clean granite) Lynch's Ferry – Lynchburg - US 90 & Crosby-Lynchburg Road, 22 miles NE of Houston Burnet, Hannah Este – Lynchburg - 412 Burnet Drive, in front yard; near Lakewood & South Burnet (leaning) Gray, Edwin - Houston - Glenwood Cemetery, 2525 Washington; section E-2 (remove applied plaque)

Patrick Home - La Porte - Independence Pkwy to Tidal Rd; 1 mi W on Tidal Rd past 2nd RR crossing; marker in parking lot on north side (clean granite) McCormick Home - LaPorte - Independence Pkwy to Miller Cut-off Rd. E on Miller Cut-Off then left after 2nd RR crossing. (clean granite) Oakland - Lynchburg - on IH10 feeder road (7400 Decker) between Oakland and Mable (sinking: clean granite) Houston crossed Buffalo Bayou - Pasadena - 12000 block of Lawndale: 1/2 mi E of Allen-Genoa Rd New Kentucky - Tomball - about 8 mi W on FM 2920: New Kentucky Park, just E of Roberts Cemetery Rd (replace missing bronze star: clean granite) Lorenzo de Zavala homesite - Channelview - 16530 DeZavala Road, Zavala Point Sidney Sherman homesite - Houston - Glendale Cemetery, 2 blks E of Broadway, end of Magnolia Street: Plague - First White House - Houston - 405 Main St, to the left of the main entrance of Scanlan Building Battle markers - San Jacinto State Park, SH 134 (Battleground Road) #1 Army drawn up...2.5 mi just past INEOS plant entrance #4 #2 Four divisions...3 mi #3 Mexican Cavalry...2.5 mi just past INEOS plant entrance #4 #4 Come to the bower...2 mi - at Juan Seguin Fork (out of seguence) #5 Battle over - by Mobile Fleet, across from oil tanks (sinking) Founders Memorial Park . Houston [Please remove all concrete scalloped edging, many knocked over by mowers and all look unsightly, are unnecessary and detract from markers. Recently several of the markers were cleaned by our volunteer. Jim Walker] Allen, John Kirby Bancroft, Jethro Barr. Robert Brigham, Moses Cheevers, John Collinsworth, James Durham, William Edson, Amos Ehlinger, Joseph Gammell, William Grieves, David Homan, Harvey Lamar, Mrs Rebecca Lewis, Archibald Maybee, Jacob Montgomery, Robert - remove mulch at base Moore, John W. Moreland, Isaac Noland, Eli Reid, John Richardson, David Richardson, John Secrest, Fielding Stilwell, William Swearingen, William Thompson, Henry Viven, John Harrison County - 7 Centennial items Wyalucing - Marshall - In storage for new County Museum Walter Lane – Marshall - In storage for new County Museum Whetstones – Marshall - outside wall of the County Museum, formerly Courthouse Marshall University – Marshall - 700 Blk. of W. Houston at Adkins St. Mills, John T. - Marshall - Marshall Cemetery, US 80 at Columbus St; NW corner Harrison County – Marshall – 7 mi E on US 80 in roadside park

Scottsville - Scottsville - FM 1998 just east of the intersection with FM 2199

Hartley County – 1 Centennial item Hartley County – Hartley - U.S. 87 E about 1.5 miles east of US 385 Overpass Haskell County – 1 Centennial item Haskell County – Haskell - US 277, Courthouse Square

Hays County – 3 Centennial items
 Missions - San Marcos - Aquarena Springs Park (SWTSU)
 San Marcos - San Marcos - IH-35 to RR621 se 2.6 mi to Old Bastrop Rd.(CR 266); ne on CR266 1.3 mi (replace bronze star, clean granite, remove graffiti)
 Hays County - San Marcos - 1903 N. IH-35, southbound access road, exit 206

Hemphill County – 1 Centennial item Hemphill County – Canadian US 60/83, ¼ mi N at Historical Wagon Bridge roadside park

Henderson County – 1 Centennial item Henderson County – Athens - 700 block South Palestine St (SH 19) between Bryson and Clinton

Hidalgo County – 4 Centennial items

Hidalgo – Hidalgo - McAllen Park, El Texano Drive & First (remove graffiti from granite) Mission San Joaquin – Hildago - McAllen Park, El Texano Drive at First Street (repair granite and base) William Jennings Bryan Home – Mission - Mile 2 North Rd and Bryan Rd, nw corner (locate missing marker) Hidalgo County – Edinburg - Courthouse Lawn, Cano & US 281 Bus.

Hill County – 4 Centennial items

Hill County - Hillsboro - East side of Courthouse, Waco Street and Franklin

Addison, Nathaniel - Irene - Salem Cemetery; FM 1946 2 mi SE to cemetery

Fort Smith – Itasca - FM 934 8 mi E to FM 4319; marker is across road on trail, NW of intersection, behind fence Fort Graham - Hillsboro - Fort Graham State Park - Whitney take FM 933 n 5.3 mi; SW on FM 2604; N on Tobacco Rd; dead ends at fort. (replacement marker does not match original)

Hockley County - 2 Centennial items

Casa Amarillas - Levelland - 21 mi. NW on 131 at XIT ranch headquarters; Hockley County - Levelland; 4.7 miles north on US 385 in roadside park

Hood County – 3 Centennial items

Crockett home - Granbury – private property; take 377 to M&M Ranch Road, turn N, follow to end about 2 mi to house. (move to M&M Ranch Road)

Add-Ran Christian College - Thorp Spring - on the corner of Carraway Street at Thorp Street Highway Marker 3 mi to Elizabeth Crockett grave - Granbury - 6 miles NE of Granbury on US377 just west of FM167

Hopkins County – 1 Centennial marker

Hopkins County - Sulphur Springs 9 mi E on N side of I-30 at 134 Mile Marker, near cemetery

Houston County - 18 Centennial items

Stage Coach Inn- Crockett- SH 21 4.5 miles east of Crockett

Alabama - Crockett - private property; 18 mi. SW of Crockett, FM 132 near Trinity River (relocate to FM 132; set straight) Madden Massacre - Grapeland - private property; 6 mi east on FM 2022 at 10323 FM 2022; marker 2 mi NE of entrance. (relocate to FM 2022)

English, John - Berea - English Cemetery; SH 7,8 mi E; go 0.3 mile north on CR 1030. Cemetery is in pasture 650' SE of intersection with CR1035.

English, Joshua - Berea - Hicks Cemetery; SH 7 8 mi E; CR 1030 1.5 mi N; CR 1040 .6 mi E; CR 1055 to Cemetery Rd English, George - Berea - Hicks Cemetery; SH 7 8 mi E; CR 1030 1.5 mi N; CR 1040 .6 mi E; CR 1055 to Cemetery Rd Wortham, John - Crockett - Wortham Family Cemetery; 3 mi N on U.S. Hwy 287;2.3 mi SW on FM2160 (clean)

Gossett, Elijah - Crockett - Glenwood Cemetery, East Pease Street; south section (clean)

Clapp, Capt. Elisha - Crockett - Clapp Family Cemetery;SW 9 mi on SH 21, NW 1.5 mi on FM 2967. NE on CR 3057 0.3 mi; 200 yd hike to Cemetery.

Box, Nelson - Crockett - Box-Bessum Cemetery; 2.6 miles south of Crockett on SH 19 (clean)

Box, John Andrew - Crockett - Box-Bessum Cemetery; 2.6 miles south of Crockett on SH 19 (clean)

Box, Thomas Griffin - Crockett - Box-Bessum Cemetery; 2.6 miles south of Crockett on SH 19 (clean)

Hallmark, William Calvert - Crockett - Bynum Cemetery: 9 mi S of Crockett on FM 2110, .5 mi on CR 3370, then 1 mi W on CR 3390 (clean)

Burton, Isaac Watts - Crockett - Glenwood Cemetery, East Pease Street; south section (clean)

Aldrich, Collin - Crockett - SH 21 west 8.5 miles (clean)
 Wingate, Isabella - Grapeland - Davis Family Cemetery, 6.8 miles NW of Grapeland off FM 1272 on CR 2312 to end; turn left for .4 mi. to locked gate. Marker is ½ mi. in woods; (clean)
 David Crockett Memorial Bldg - Davy Crockett Memorial Park, South 5th and Anson Jones Ave (demolished, now basketball court; plaques in storage)
 Houston County - Crockett - 24th Street/SH 19 at Patterson

Howard County - 2 Centennial items Moss Spring - Big Spring - private property; 9 miles SE on south side of Moss Lake; (relocate to public road) Howard County - Big Spring - 5 miles S on US 87 @ FM 33 in roadside park

Hudspeth County – 3 Centennial items Eagle Springs - Hot Wells - private property; IH10 about 8 mi west of Van Horn to Guest Ranch Road, SW to Rincon Canyon Road, NW to Green Gap Road, N to gate El Paso Salt War - Salt Flats - US 62/180 about 4 1/2 mile E. of Salt Flat Hudspeth County - Sierra Blanca - intersection of Business IH-10 and FM 1111

Hunt County – 1 Centennial item Hunt County – Greenville - Courthouse grounds

Hutchinson County – 2 Centennial items

Battle of Adobe Walls – Borger - at picnic area 6 miles north of Borger Adobe Walls Battle – Stinnett - SH 207, N 11.2 miles; E on county road 17 mi to battle site, several monuments on site

Irion County – 3 Centennial items

Dove Creek Battlefield - Mertzon - private property; on Dove Creek Ranch, 8 mi. SE of Mertzon via FM 915 and CR 113 (move to CR 113)

Coughlins Stage stand - Mertzon - private property; FM 2469 W about 22 mi. to FM 163, go N 10.5 mi. to private road. Irion County - Mertzon - 2 mi. N on US 67, just past FM 72 (missing bronze star)

Jack County – 3 Centennial items

Fort Richardson – Jacksboro - Fort Richardson State Historical Park, at interpretive center on main parking lot Butterfield Stage – Jacksboro - US 281 (South Main St), on north bank of Lost Creek, across street from depot Fort Richardson – Jacksboro – at restored depot on South Main Street

Jackson County – 11 Centennial items

Jackson County - Edna - Courthouse Grounds, 115 W. Main St. (polish bronze)

Camp Independence – Edna - From US 59 Bus, S on FM 1822 2.8 mi, SW on CR 306 34 mi. Marker at end of pavement. (repair base)

Johnston Huston Duel – Edna – private property; SW on US 59 4 mi, SE on FM 234 3.4 mi to 3413 FM 234, NE 0.4 mi. (relocate to FM 234)

Texana – Edna - SE on SH 111 2.2 mi, S on FM 3131, E at LaVaca-Navidad River Authority LNRA offices. In parking lot. Nuestra Nuestra Senora del Espiritu Santo de Zuniga – Edna - St. Agnes Church vard. 201 Cedar Street

Millican's Gin House - Edna - private property; FM 530 NE 4 mi, go E through gate 1 mi;

(relocate to FM 530)

White, Francis Menefee – Edna - Wells Family Cemetery, FM 1822 SE of Edna 6.5 mi, then S on private road 7 mi in pasture. (clean granite)

Menefee, John Sutherland - Edna - Menefee Family Cemetery, on LNRA property.(remove plaque; clean cemetery)

Stapp, Elijah – Edna - Russell Ward Cemetery; from US 59, NW on FM 822 4.8 mi (0.3 mi S of CR 124) SW across cattleguard ¼ mi. Marker is straight ahead as road turns SW (remove added plaque)

Rogers, Samuel C. – Ganado - Rogers Cemetery, US59 N to next access Road exit about 1/3 mi past CR250 exit, then 1/2 mi on access road to private road; continue about 1/3 mi to cemetery on right. (remove added plaque) Jackson County – Edna - 3mi. NE Edna, US Hwy 96 (missing)

Jasper County – 6 Centennial items

Jasper County - Jasper - Courthouse Square

Bevilport - Bevilport - From Jasper, take Hwy 63 W to CR 2799, follow all the way to river

Everitt home - Jasper - US 190 W 10 mi., then N 3.5 mi. on FM 1747 (replace bronze star)

Zavala – Jasper - SH 63 11 mi. NW, then CR 73 NE, then CR74 N 1 mi.

Smyth home – Jasper - FM 777 SW, CR 317 S, CR 321 2mi. W; marker in clearing on right. (replace bronze star) Williams, Stephen – Jasper - US Hwy 96 3 mi S at CR 301; (replace bronze star) Jeff Davis County – 5 Centennial items Musquiz home - Fort Davis - 6 miles SE on SH118 on the south side of the roadway. Wild Rose Pass - Fort Davis - SH17 N 12 miles to ROW Fort Davis - Fort Davis - Fort Davis National Historic Site, SH 17/118 intersection Indian Em'ly - Fort Davis - in storage Fort Davis County - Fort Davis - in triangle median at SH118 and SH17 (near County Courthouse)

Jefferson County – 5 Centennial items Richard Dowling - Sabine Pass - Battleground State Park, 1.5 miles S of City on Dick Dowling Rd; or 15 mi S of Port Arthur via State Highway 87. Spindle Top Hill CSA Camp – Beaumont - 2050 Spindletop Road in front of Humane Society Tevis home – Beaumont - Main at Crockett Lucas Gusher – Beaumont - Gladys City - Boomtown Museum on University Dr at US 287 Beaumont – Beaumont - Eastbound US 90W, at intersection with Keith St

Jim Hogg County – 1 Centennial item Jim Hogg County – Hebbronville - Courthouse Square, N. Smith and E. Santa Clara

Jim Wells County – 1 Centennial item Jim Wells County - Alice - Junction of US 281 and SH 44 on South side of bridge

Johnson County – 1 Centennial item Johnson County – Cleburne - 2nd and Hillsboro Street, Hulen City Park

Jones County – 4 Centennial items

Anson Jones – Anson - Courthouse square, 1/2 mile N of intersection of US 277 and 180 Jones County – Anson - Courthouse square, 1/2 mile N of intersection of US 277 and 180 Phantom Hill location – Anson - 14 miles east on US-180 at CR 219, south side highway.(replace bronze star and plaque) Fort Phantom Hill – Hawley - from Anson, take US 180 E 10 mi to FM 600, then FM 600 S about 8.5 miles to fort ruins

Karnes County 2 Centennial items

Karnes County - Karnes City - Courthouse grounds, US 181 and FM 99 History Marker - Panna Maria - Panna Maria - Highway 81, Main Street

Kendall County – 2 Centennial items Kendall County – Boerne - San Antonio and Watts, E of Main Street Kendall home – Boerne - Post Oak Springs Ranch, on 46 east of Boerne

Kenedy County – 2 Centennial items

Kenedy – County – Sarita - US 77 N about 3 miles (original marker missing, new marker incorrect design) General Zachary Taylor – Sarita - US 77 S about 7.5 miles (replace missing bronze wreath and star, remove plaque)

Kent County – 1 Centennial item Kent County – Jayton - Courthouse on SH 70

Kimble County – 1 Centennial item Kimble County - Junction City - Courthouse grounds (corner of 5th and Main)

King County – 1 Centennial item King County – Guthrie - US 82, NW about 2.4 miles to roadside park (replace missing bronze star)

Kinney County – 1 Centennial item Kinney County – Bracketville - (1936) 3.6mi. E Brackettville(reported missing; replacement needed)

Kleberg County – 1 Centennial item Kleberg County – Kingsville - Northwest on SH 141 at Santa Gertudis St

Knox County – 1 Centennial item Knox County – Benjamin - Courthouse grounds, Highway 82

LaSalle County – 3 Centennial items

Fort Ewell – Cotulla - 25mi. SE Cotulla on S bank of Nueces River where it was crossed by old San Antonio-Laredo Rd Nueces River – Cotulla – Business 81, south of Bridge

LaSalle County - Cotulla - County Courthouse grounds (plaque should be on top; replace missing bronze star)

Lamar County - 5 Centennial items

Mirabeau B. Lamar home - Paris - Gone, but was at Presbyterian church; SE corner of S. Main St and W. Sherman St. Fulton's Trading Post – Arthur City -West on FM197 1/5 mi to CR36990, 1/2 mi to end; at tornado shelter, marker is 300-

400' W in brush; shelter on Burgin property; marker on John Brunson property; (clean marker, move to CR 36990) Lafayette - Paris - Lamar Take 19th St NW from town, just past Loop 286 follow FM 79 NW 1/4 mile, right on Yoder Road. Mount Vernon - Paris - Loop 286 take FM1497 s for 5 mi, right on CR 12600, marker about 1 mi. near road behind tree Lamar County - Paris - West on SH 82, in roadside park between Loop 286 and 41st St.

Lamb County – 4 Centennial items

Sod House Springs – Earth - 5 mi. S on FM 1055, 1 mi. E on CR 172 (position star with point at top) Spring Lake – Earth - US 70 5 miles west to marker (position star with point at top) Littlefield – Littlefield - On City Hall Grounds at 100 W 6th St (cover concrete base) Lamb County – Olton - 1.5 miles east on US-70. (replace missing bronze star)

Lampasas County – 2 Centennial items Hughes' Springs – Lampasas - 190 East, Just east of city limits Lampasas County – Lampasas - County Courthouse grounds

Lavaca County - 3 Centennial items

Petersburg - Hallettsville - private property; 4 mi SE at 3200 FM 2616. West on private road 1/2 mile. Marker in front of house; (move to FM 2616)

Texas Army Camp - Moulton - 145 SH 95 at Bobkat St.

Hallettsville County - Hallettsville - 196 Memorial Park Cemetery at Margaret Hallett's grave

Lee County – 3 Centennial items

Serbin – Serbin - FM 448 5.5 mi SW, FM 2239 W, 211 or 212 S. Marker at church. (clean granite) Goucher, James – Giddings - South on US77 2.8 mi and SW on CR217 2.3 miles (clean granite) Lee County – Giddings - County Courthouse lawn

Leon County – 7 Centennial items

El Camino Real - Normangee - just W of the junction of FM 39 and Old Spanish Road

Fort Boggy – Centerville - SH 75 about 4.5 mi. S, marker is to the west, off road, just N of Boggy Creek bridge, in area being developed for future state park (clean granite)

Courthouse - Leona - behind Post Office at intersection of SH 75 and FM 977

King, R. Baxter - Centerville - King Family Cemetery, south of Centerville on FM1119 at FM 811 (clean granite)

Durst John – Leona - Durst Family Cemetery; FM 977 about 2 mi. E to CR 142 (Durst Rd.), go N 0.5 mi. to gate on left, go W down dirt road 0.3 mi. to cemetery (clean neglected cemetery, clean granite)

Middleton Wm B & Jane – Leona - Makamson Cemetery; SH 75 to FM 977; W on FM 977 0.8 of mi. to dirt road on S side of road at 1174, S on dirt road (clean neglected cemetery, clean granite)

Leon County - Leona - 1 mi. N on SH 75 (replace missing bronze star)

Liberty County – 17 Centennial items

Liberty County - Liberty - Courthouse lawn, Main and Sam Houston St

French Settlers - Liberty - US 90 just east of Trinity River Bridge on the south side of the street

Mexican Hill - Liberty - Gone (provide new Centennial granite marker)

Atascosito – Liberty - 3mi. NE Liberty, SH 146 at FM 1011

Grand Cane - Moss Hill - SH 146 7.3 mi north of Moss Hill/ SH 105. east side of road. (replace bronze wreath and star)

Logan, William – Liberty - Courthouse lawn, Main and Sam Houston St

Concord Baptist Church - Moss Hill - (1936) 13mi. N Moss Hill, Hwy 146

Pryor Bryan – Liberty - Bryan-Neyland Cemetery, Edgewood at Bowie St. (clean granite, trim tree, repair next grave next) Bryan, Luke – Liberty - Bryan-Neyland Cemetery, Edgewood at Bowie St. (clean granite)

Hardin, William - Liberty - Hardin Family Cemetery; 3 miles N on FM 1011; locked gate

Hardin, Augustine - Liberty - Hardin Family Cemetery; 3 miles N on FM 1011; locked gate

Hardin, Benjamin - Liberty - Hardin Family Cemetery; 3 miles N on FM 1011; locked gate

Hardin, Franklin - Liberty - Liberty City Cemetery, Bowie St & Grand

de Vore, Cornelius – Liberty - Liberty City Cemetery, Bowie St & Grand Johnston, Hugh B.- Liberty - Johnston Family Cemetery, private property;2 mi. N off SH 146; (replace wreath and star) Woods, James B. – Liberty - Waelder Ranch Cemetery, 3 mi. E on FM 160 (clean granite) Liberty County – Liberty - on the N shoulder of US 90 about 2 mi. E of Liberty

Limestone County – 3 Centennial items

Fort Parker - Fort Parker - Entrance 4.5 miles north of Groesbeck on SH14 Limestone County – Groesbeck - (1936) 2.5mi. S, Hwy 14 (missing, removed by one of the family) Trinity University – Tehuacana (teh-wah'-cna) - 0.5 miles south on Main St/ CR234/ Loop442.

Lipscomb County – 1 Centennial item Lipscomb County – Higgins – on US 60, east of Higgins near state line

Live Oak County – 4 Centennial items Fort Merrill – Dinero - Off FM 534, 3.5 northwest of Dinero Fort Ramirez - George West – private property; 23mi. S George West; Oakville – Oakville - I-37 N, access road and FM 1358 (return metal marker to proper location) Live Oak County - George West - US 281 S 1.4 miles, on east side of highway

Llano County – 3 Centennial items Enchanted Rock – Fredericksburg - intersection of SH 16 and FM 965. Packsaddle Mountain – Kingsland - SH 71 near CR 309 (replace bronze star) Llano County – Llano – SH16, 3.1 miles north of the Llano County Courthouse (replace bronze star and plaque)

Loving County – 2 Centennial items Loving County – Mentone - SH 302, at Courthouse Goodnight-Loving Trail – Mentone - 0.5 mi W on SH 302 in roadside park

Lubbock County – 3 Centennial items West Texas Museum – Lubbock - campus of Texas tech Yellowhouse Canyon – Lubbock - MacKenzie State Park in NE Lubbock LubbockCounty – Shallowater - Depot/Museum fenced yard, off loop 388 on Avenue G (move to courthouse)

Lynn County – 1 Centennial item Lynn County – Tahoka - U.S 87 about 3 miles N (secure bronze star)

Madison County – 3 Centennial items

Trinidad – Madisonville - from Midway, take SH 21 about 3.5 mi. east to marker on south side of road Robbins Ferry – Madisonville - from Midway, take SH 21 4 mi E to marker on N side of road, just W of Trinity Bridge (replace missing bronze star) Madison County – Madisonville - 901 N. May St. (SH 75) at TxDoT Maintenance Center (relocate to Courthouse)

Marion County – 4 Centennial items

Marion County – Jefferson - Courthouse (clean bronze) First Ice Factory – Jefferson - SH 49, 1 mi. west of US 59 (cover exposed concrete base) Early Bell Foundry – Kellyville - SH 49 and FM 729, 4 mi. from Jefferson Kellyville – Kellyville - SH 49 about 4 mi. W of Jefferson, between Kellyville Rd and Kelly Park Rd

Martin County – 2 Centennial items Mustang Spring – Stanton - 8.2 miles WNW on FM 1212, on the south side of the road Martin County – Stanton - On Front Street, I-20 Bus, 0.5 mi W of junction with SH 137

Mason County – 2 Centennial items Fort Mason – Mason - on Spruce, near the corner of Post Hill St. Mason County – Mason - US Hwy 87 S 2 mi to rest stop (across from Ft. Mason City Park)

Matagorda County – 11 Centennial items

Matagorda County - Bay City - Courthouse Square, North end Caney Post Office – Caney - from Bay City, FM 457 5 mi E to FM 2540; then 200 yd N on 457 Matagorda – Matagorda - SE corner of Cypress and Lewis, in front of Christ Episcopal Church. (clean granite) 458 Christ Church – Matagorda - SE corner of Cypress and Lewis, in front of Church. (clean granite) Battle Island – Matagorda - Wightman Road/ northeast approximately 3 miles (replace small bronze star) Ira Ingram – Matagorda - Matagorda Cemetery, SH 60 approximately one mile NE Seth Ingram - Matagorda - Matagorda Cemetery, SH 60 approximately one mile NE Richard Royall - Matagorda - Matagorda Cemetery, SH 60 approximately one mile NE George Collinsworth - Matagorda - Matagorda Cemetery, SH 60 approximately one mile NE John Duncan – Bay City - Duncan Family Cemetery, SH60 N to Runnels Pierce Rd, E to Chalmers Rd, N to ranch HQ, E on Chalmers Rd about 2.5

mi to curve, S about 0.5 mi to cattleguard; marker 100-200 yd past cattleguard on right. (clean granite) Matagorda County - Bay City - Courthouse Square, North end

Maverick County – 2 Centennial items

Fort Duncan - Eagle Pass - (1936) Garrison and Adams St. Maverick County - Eagle Pass – County Courthouse grounds

McCulloch County – 3 Centennial items

Camp San Saba – Brady - about 10 miles SE on US 87/377 Indian Battle-Jim Bowie - Calf Creek - from Brady, US190 W 10.9 mi to FM 1311, S 4.3 mi to marker McCulloch County – Brady - Courthouse Square, US 87/377 at US 190

McClennan County - 7 Centennial items

R Baylor - Waco - In front of Pat Neff Hall on Speight Ave., Baylor Campus Torrey's Trading Post - Waco - private property, SH 6 8 mi. E to Trading Post Road. (move to Trading Post Road) Waco Indians - Waco - behind Taylor Museum of Waco History, between 6th and 7th on Waco Dr Kornegay, David Smith - Bosqueville - Bosqueville Cemetery; N. 9th St. 1 mi. to Rock Creek Rd., turn east Burleson, Rufus - Waco - Oakwood Cemetery near the intersection of Williams and Ross. McLennan, Neil - Waco - McLennan - Oakwood Cemetery, east portion, section B-3 McClennan County - Waco - 6mi N on US77 in Veteran's Park.

Medina County – 5 Centennial items

Fort Lincoln - D'Hanis – private property; about 2 miles northwest on FM 1796, left on 4204 across creek and up hill; marker about 150 ft NW of sharp

curve in road. (relocate to FM 1796)

D'Hanis - D'Hanis - SE of US 90 at CR 5226 and CR5231 (clean granite)

Quihi - Hondo - T intersection of CR 4520 and FM 4517 (clean granite, correct lean)

Medina County - Hondo - 2304 Ave E, TxDoT Office (relocate to County Courthouse)

Mountain Valley - Mico - private property, on Medina River Dam; CR1283 to 261; (relocate to 261, new granite base)

Menard County – 5 Centennial items

Real Presidio de San Saba - Menard - 1.5 mi W off US 190 about 0.5 mile (on grounds of Menard Country Club) Fort McKavett - Fort McKavett - from Menard take US 190 17 miles W to FM 864, then FM 864 6 mi SW to entrance Mission Santa Cruz – Menard - on FM 2092 about 3 miles E Real Presidio de San Saba – Menard - 1.5 mi W off US 190 about 0.5 mile (on grounds of Menard Country Club) Menard Country - about 3.5 miles N on US 83 in roadside park (replace missing bronze star)

Midland County - 1 Centennial item

Midland County - Midland - 6 mi SE on south side of I-20 in roadside park at MP 142.

Milam County – 10 Centennial items

Ben Milam – Cameron - Courthouse, S. Central Ave. and E. Main St Bryant Station – Buckholtz - US 190 at picnic area, approx. 6 mi. W (remove attached plaque) Steamboat Washington – Cameron - 2 mi. SE on US 190/77 (replace broken bronze star) Nashville – Gause - 4 mi. NE on US 79 at road side pull-off on west side of highway, just before Brazos River Bridge (replace chipped granite) Port Sullivan - Port Sullivan – starting where FM485 crosses the Brazos, west 0.5 mi, then 1.3 mi. N on CR 260 (replace missing star and wreath) Mission San Francisco Xavier de lus Dolores – Rockdale - NW on FM 908 7.8 miles. (level marker) Mission San Ildefonso – Rockdale - NW on FM908 6.4 miles. Marker is just past CR429. (clean granite) Mission Nuestra Senora de la Candelaria - San Gabriel NW on FM908 9 mi and N on CR428 1.1 mi. (replace star) Farley, Massillon – Cameron - old section of Oak Hill Cemetery (clean granite) Milam County – Cameron - 2 mi. N on US 77 across from Cameron Municipal Airpark (relocate to County Courthouse) Mills County – 1 Centennial item Mills County – Goldthwaite - east side of Mills County Courthouse

Mitchell County – 3 Centennial items

Seven Wells – Colorado City - 4 mi S on SH 208 in roadside park on W side of road. Mitchell County – Colorado City – Courthouse, east side - Oak and Third Col Moore +Indian Raid - Colorado City - Ruddick Park, Houston St just north of 7th

Montague County - 6 Centennial items

Spanish Fort - Spanish Fort - From Nocona take FM 103 17 miles to Spanish fort. Marker on square across from old store

Queen's Peak - Bowie - 5 mi north on US 81, east 0.5 mi on E Rc Rd. Visible on top of Queen's Peak. (need contact for access)

Brushy Mound - Bowie; private property; 3 miles NW on US 287 at Jerry Walker Road; 400 yards to NE (move to Jerry Walker Road; replace wreath and star; patch granite)

Forestburg - Forestburg - FM 455 to FM 922 (main intersection downtown), then about 1/4 mile south on FM922 Montague County - Bowie - FM 174 and SH 81 in the island at NW edge of Bowie Butterfield Overland Stage - Forestburg - about 5 miles south on FM 455; new marker (remove old pad)

Montgomery County – 6 Centennial items

C B Stewart home – Montgomery - East on SH 105 to FM 2854, then 1/4 mi south (trim shrubbery away from marker) Montgomery – Montgomery - SH 149 and Clepper St. in front of Community Building Cartwright, Matthew W. – Keenan - Cartwright Family Cemetery; 10.5 mi W on CR2854; 1 mi. e on Rabon Chapel Rd. Cartwright, William – Keenan - Cartwright Family Cemetery; 10.5 mi W on CR2854; 1 mi. e on Rabon Chapel Rd. Taylor, William – Montgomery - Methodist Cemetery, SH 105 and Pond St Montgomery County – Conroe - 4 mi N on SH 75 in roadside park

Moore County – 1 Centennial item

Moore County - Dumas - Located 7.1 miles S of courthouse on US 87 (W side of road)

Motley County - 3 Centennial items

Roaring Spring - Roaring Springs - Private property; 3 miles south off FM-3203. Requires permission; (move to FM 3203) Teepee City - Matador - Roadside Park, 10 mi. E on 62/70 Motley County - Matador - 1/2 mile south on US 70 in roadside park (missing star)

Nacogdoches County - 37 Centennial items

Mission San Jose...Nazonis - Cushing - private property; north of Cushing and east of FM 225 near the county line; (clean marker, replace star;

move to FM 225)

Mission Nuestra...Concepcion - Douglass - From Douglass, 6.2 mi S on FM 225, S on CR789; 1.3 mi E of Goodman bridge;30 yd N of road in thick

vegetation (straighten star; clean marker, move to FM CR789)

Mount Sterling - Douglass - From Douglass, 6 mi S on CR 789; .2 mi E of Goodman Bridge (clean marker)

Presidio Nuestro...Dolores - Douglass - about 6 mi. S on FM 225 at junction w/CR 789 (Goodman Road) (clean marker, replace star)

Rusk Home - Nacogdoches - North and Rusk St, NW corner (clean marker)

Old North Church - Nacogdoches - N of Nacogdoches via Business 59 to Old North Church Road, 4 mi. (clean marker) Mission Nuestra...Guadalupe - Nacogdoches - North and Muller St, near SW corner (clean marker)

Taylor Home - Nacogdoches - North & Mimms, NE corner (clean marker)

Bean Home - Nacogdoches - East of town, junction of CR 305 and 302, south side at the white fence. (clean marker, move out of fence to road)

Dill Home - Nacogdoches - North and Hospital, SE corner

Old Red House - Nacogdoches - Pilar & South; NE corner (trim branches way from marker)

La Calle Real del Norte - Nacogdoches - North and Powers, SW corner (clean marker, relocate)

Sterne Home - Nacogdoches - Pilar St and Lantana; 211 Lanana; SE corner (cover exposed base)

Nacogdoches University - Nacogdoches - Park St. between N. Mound & Logansport; on SE corner of bldg Barbo home - Nacogdoches - 317 E. Main St

Roberts home - Nacogdoches - 200 block Pilar St. - on fire station

Sam Houston Home - Nacogdoches - E. Pilar and S. Pecan St

Old Soledad - Nacogdoches - 407 E. Main

McKinney home - Nacogdoches - 115 E. Main

Padilla home - Nacoodoches - North and Mullen on Presbyterian Church Clark home - Nacogdoches - North and Main Streets; south side of the front of the convenience store Old Spanish Cemetery - Nacogdoches - North & Main - Courthouse lawn (missing) Old Stone Fort - Nacogdoches - S. F. Austin State University, Clark Dr & Griffith Blvd; on front of replica Old Stone Fort - Nacogdoches Stephen F. Austin State University, Clark Dr & Griffith Blvd Brewer Cemetery - Douglass - From Douglass, take FM 225 north, turn right on FM 343 near Looneyville; 2 mi S on right. Clute, John R. - Douglass - Douglass Cemetery: on FM 225 just north of Hwy 21 Govens William - Nacogdoches - North & Main on Courthouse grounds. Main St side: moved from gravesite Douglass, Kelsey Harris - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. Taylor, Charles Standfield - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. (clean marker) Roberts, John S. - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. (clean marker) Clark, William - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. Hamilton, Elias - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. Arnold, Havden - Nacoodoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. Buford, Thomas Young - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. Edwards, Haden - Nacogdoches - Oak Grove Cemetery, Lanana and Hospital St. Balch, John - Nacogdoches - Cove Springs Cemetery, SH 21 9 mi. E to Melrose Blackjack Rd, to Cemetary Rd. Nacogdoches County - Nacogdoches - North St. (Hwy 59); grassy area in front of Wal-Mart between Loop 224 and Roselake Drive

Navarro County – 4 Centennial items

Jose Antonio Navarro – Corsicana - 300 W. Third Ave., Courthouse grounds Petroleum Industry Birthplace – Corsicana - 400 block of 12th Street Navarro County – Corsicana - 2.2 mi. N on Business IH-45; east side in roadside park Hill, George Washington – Dawson - Spring Hill Cemetery; 2.5 mi NE off CR 3150;climb around gate; walk 1/2 mile along dirt road (clean granite)

Newton County – 4 Centennial items

Belgrade – Sandjack – 1.3 mi SE of Sandjack near Sabine River (clean granite) Court House – Burkeville - on SH 87, 1/4 mi SE of SH 63. Stephenson, Henry – Burkeville - McMahon Cemetery; E on CR 2088/Water Mill Rd 0.5 mi, E on CR 2080 2.2 mi Newton County – Newton - about 3 mi SE on US 190 in roadside park

Nolan County – 1 Centennial item

Nolan County - Sweetwater (1936) 1.8 mi. E Sweetwater, US84 (replace missing marker)

Nueces County – 5 Centennial items

Corpus Christi Memorial Museum - Corpus Christi - South Bluff Park on Park Avenue between 5th and 6th Streets (not used as a museum)

Fort Lipantitlan site – Banquette - FM 666 7 mi N, then NW on FM 3088 05.3 mi; then NE on FM 70 about 0.7 mi (replace bronze wreath and star)

Fort Lipantitlan 1 mile NE – Banquette - FM 666 7 mi N, then NW on FM 3088 05.3 mi; at FM 70 (replace wreath, star) Nueces County - Corpus Christi under US 181 high bridge at Port of Corpus Christi; North Chaparral St to N Mesquite St to parking lot (relocate to County Courthouse)

Fight with Urrea's Army - Banquette - private property; SH 44 about 12 mi. W; CR 91 1.8 mi.; CR 42A 1 mi. W; CR 93 0.2 mi. N; house on left. arker near creek about 1 mi. W. (relocate to CR92)

Ochiltree County - 3 Centennial items

Buried City - Perryton – private property; US 83, S 10 mi; E to Fryer Lake Road; marker on ranch on S side of road; Trading Post – Perryton - US 83 10 miles S; turn E onto Fryer Lake Road and go 1.6 mi to marker

Ochiltree County – Perryton - US 83 about 2 mi N; in TxDot yard (bronze star removed and installed on Maintenance office wall. Return to marker and relocate to County Courthouse grounds)

Oldham County – 3 Centennial items

Tascosa – Tascosa - From Vega take US 385 N 24 mi to Boys Ranch. Marker in front of Blivins Museum. (clean granite) Boot Hill Cemetery - Tascosa - From Vega take US 385 N 24 mi to Boy's Ranch, in cemetery near entrance. Oldham County – Vega - US 385 N about 21 mi to cross Canadian River; marker in roadside park on east side of road

Orange County – 1 Centennial item Orange County - County Courthouse, 801 West Division Palo Pinto County - 2 Centennial items

Loving home - Mineral Wells - US 281 N about 7.5 mi; W on Loving Road, 1/4 mi to marker (replace wreath, fix star) Palo Pinto County - Palo Pinto -1.25 miles west on Hwy 180

Panola County 5 Centennial Items Bethany - Carthage - on US 79, 24 mi. NE of Carthage Pulaski - Deberry - private property ;S about 5 mi on SH 31, W on CR 319; (clean, move to CR 319) Church Bethel - Clayton - At SH 315 & FM1970, go SW on 315, right on 152;quick left on CR1521. Marker in front of church (clean) Reed, Isaac - Clayton - At SH 315 & FM1970, go SW on 315, right on 152;quick left on CR1521;follow road past church to cemetery Panola County - Carthage - on Town Square, Anderson Park, Bus. US 59 Bus. US 79

Parker County 6 Centennial Items

Parker, Isaac - Weatherford - FM 730 5 mi NE, turn S onto Ragle Road, then 2 mi to intersection with White Settlement. Marker in yard.

Double Log Cabin - Weatherford - Just SE of Weatherford on Lake Holland Drive Veal's Station - Weatherford - From Weatherford, take FM 51 13 mi, head east on Veal Station Road, about 2 mi to markers District Court - Weatherford - 6mi. N Weatherford; (clean, move to public road) Cooper, Alfred - Weatherford - From Weatherford, take FM 51 8 mi S to Spring Creek Cemetery. Marker is in NW corner Redgate, Samuel J. - Weatherford - Greenwood Cemetery - North Mill and Front Streets

Parmer County - 2 Centennial items

Farwell – Farwell - on west lawn of courthouse square (water is staining bronze and granite) Parmer County – Farwell - County Courthouse Grounds

Pecos County – 3 Centennial items

Fort Stockton - Fort Stockton - Courthouse Grounds, corner of Main and James St. (water is staining bronze and granite) Pecos County - Fort Stockton - US-385 (9th St) 0.7 miles west of intersection with I-10 Horse Head Crossing – Girvin - about 11.5 mi NW on FM 11 to Horsehead Road, then about 4 miles N to marker and dead-end at Pecos River. (correct placement of new wreath and star)

Polk County – 5 Centennial items

Indian Village - Livingston - 16 mi east on Hwy 190E at P56, entrance to Village (clean granite)

Swartwout – Livingston - FM 1988, approx 1/4 mi N of Lake Livingston Dam; in front of Pleasant Hill United Methodist Church (clean granite)

Moscow Academy – Moscow - Built into rock fence on Loop 177, south of Sambo Road; Building no longer exists (remove from rock fence)

Burch, James – Moscow - Burch Cemetery, private property, locked gate. About 5 miles from Hwy 177 off Hardin Hideout Rd. (clean granite)

Polk County - Livingston - Hwy 59; east frontage road north of overpass at Hwy 190

Potter – 2 Centennial items

Juan de Padilla – Amarillo - west end of Elwood Park in 1100 Block of S Washington St (across from St Mary's Academy). Potter County – Amarillo - courtyard of new Potter County Annex across from Courthouse

Presidio County - 8 Centennial Items

Presidio del Norte - Presidio - 4 mile E. of Presidio on FM 170 at Fort Leaton

Paisano Pass - Marfa - From Marfa, take US 67/90 East about 13 mi.

Mission San Francisco - Presidio - From Presidio, take FM 170 West about 10.75 mi to Ochoa Cemetery.

Mission Santiago Apostos el Presidio - Presidio - 4 mile E. of Presidio on FM 170 at Fort Leaton (clean; replace star) Leaton Home - Presidio - 4 mile E of Presidio on FM 170 (clean; replace star)

Faver Ranch - Shafter - In front of Ghost Town, Shafter

Apaches - Valentine - private property; 11 mi SW of Valentine at old Fort Hondo;Roosevelt Ranch; (move to US90 and Chilicote Ranch Road)

Presidio County - Marfa - 1/2 mi E. of Marfa on US 67/90

Rains County – 1 Centennial item

Rains County - Emory - McKeown Park on Quitman street (old 69) a few blocks N of courthouse

Randall County – 2 Centennial items Panhandle Plains Museum – Canyon - West Texas A&M University, 2503 Fourth Avenue Randall County – Canyon – Courthouse grounds

Reagan County – 3 Centennial items

Grierson Spring - Mertzon - private property; (bronze replaced by owner at his expense.) Courthouse - Stiles - from Big Lake, take 67 west to 137 north, go about 15 miles on 137 (ghost town) Reagan County - Big Lake - US 67, 3 mi west in Roadside Park (replacement bronze ordered)

Real County – 3 Centennial items

Camp Wood - Camp Wood - SR 55 0.5 miles north of Ranch Road 337, near San Lorenzo marker Mission San Lorenzo de la Santa Cruz - Camp Wood - SR 55 0.5 mi N of Ranch Road 337; near Camp Wood marker Real County – Leakey - SW corner of Courthouse grounds

Red River County – 11 Centennial items

D G Burnet – Clarksville - Clarksville High School, 1000 Block of W Main St McKenzie College – Clarksville - 3 mi SW on county road loop at/near the intersection of FM 2825 and SH 73. C Demorse home – Clarksville - 115 E Comanche Northern Standard – Clarksville - 313 N. Locust St. Jonesboro Crossing - Sam Houston on Texas soil – Albion – W on FM 195 2.5 mi, NW on FM 410 6.5 mi. In small park on east side. Shiloh Church – Clarksville - N on FM 1159 3.5 mi, pass Free Hope Cemetery, then South on CR 3202 1.2 mi to Shiloh Cemetery Garner Home – Detroit - West of FM 410 to CR1230. (set marker upright, check for condition of bronze) Anglo Settlement – Novice - FM 906 NE 4 mi;CR47400 NE 3.4 mi;CR2330 N 1.7 mi; CR2375 E 0.6 mi; marker on left where roads ends (replace bronze wreath and star) Hamilton, Robert – Clarksville - On private property 13 mi NE off CR 3240.

Clark, James – Clarksville - Baptist Cemetery; on Washington St. near NE corner (clean granite)

Clarksville - Clarksville - intersection of US 82 and SH 37 Business

Reeves County – 2 Centennial items

History Marker - Pope's Crossing - Orla – 10 mi NW on US 285 at CR453 (replace broken bronze wreath and star) Reeves County – Pecos - courtyard of the West of the Pecos Museum

Refugio County – 10 Centennial items

Amon B King's Men - Refugio - Kings Park, corner of Osage and Purisima Mission Nuestra Senora del Refugio - Refugio - Our Lady Refuge Church, 1008 South Alamo Street Copano - Bayside - Bayside public park, Copano Bay Street Westover Home - Refugio - 608 Commerce Street New Inscriptions - old Captain Amon King monument - Refugio - Mt. Calvary Cemetery at west end of Santiago Street Captain Amon King & his Men – Refugio - Mt. Calvary Cemetery at west end of Santiago Street Bower home - Vidaurri - private property; US 77 NE 14.5 mi to Vidauri. W on private rd 1.5 mi. (missing) Bower, John White - Vidaurri - Bower Cemetery; private property. US 77 NE 14.5 mi to Vidauri. W on private rd 1.5 mi. Teal, Peter - Tivoli -Fagan Memorial Cemetery; private property; 8 mi NW on SH 239; 1/2 mi on left; Refugio County - Refugio - Courthouse grounds, Commerce and Empresario St

Roberts County – 1 Centennial item Roberts County – Miami - US 60, 4 mi NE in rest area

Robertson County - 5 Centennial items

Wheelock – Wheelock – on FM 391 at FM 46 (clean granite) Crawford, Robert – Calvert - Mount Vernon Cemetery; NE on FM979 N 5.5 mi, SE on CR133 1 mi to cemetery Reed, Henry – Calvert - Private Property; 6 mi. NE off FM 979; in pasture 1/2 mi south of road (clean granite) McMillan, Edward - Franklin - Camp Creek Cemetery; NE on US 79 3.5 mi, SE on FM 1940 4.5 mi, S on Camp Creek Cemetery Rd 1.3 mi (clean granite) Robertson County – Franklin - 1.3mi. E on Hwy 79 (replace missing bronze star)

Rockwall County – 1 Centennial item Rockwall County – Rockwall – 0.8 mile NE on SH 66, past Caruth Lane, near school Runnels County – 2 Centennial items Runnels –1st County Seat – Ballinger - 5 mi N on hwy 2887, west side of road Runnels County – Ballinger - Front of courthouse

Rusk County - 5 Centennial items

T Rusk - Henderson - Courthouse lawn, 200 Block of N Main

Shawnee Town - Henderson - 8.5 mi SW on US79, 2300 blk, in front of Citizen's National Bank

Bowles Indian Village - Henderson - private property, gate locked; SW on US79 13.6mi. N; W on CR 4193D 0.4 mi.; (clean granite; replace star; move to CR4193)

Discovery Well - Joinerville - 1.3 mi N on CR 4105; .4 mi N on CR4136; on left

(clean granite; replace bad quality wreath; replace missing star)

Trammel's Trace - Chapman - E on FM 79 3.4 mi to intersection of FM 1798/323; SW corner

Sabine County – 7 Centennial items

Sabine County - Hemphill - County courthouse grounds

McMahan's Chapel - Geneva - 3.5 mi west on SH 21 to Spur 35, then S 2 mi, at park

Milam - Milam - SH 21 in front of Milam Post Office (clean granite)

Lowe, Barney C. – Brookeland - Lowe Family Cemetery, NE on Mill Creek Vista Rd to Brookeland Cemetery Drive; in a trailer park.

McMahan's Chapel - Milam - 3.5 mi west on SH 21 at the intersection with Spur 35

Sabinetown – Sabinetown - from Hemphill, E on FM 83 8 mi; N on FM 3382 2.2 mi. at intersection with Monument Drive. Gaines Memorial Bridge - Toledo Bend - 6.5 mi NE on SH 21 in roadside park before Sabine River

San Augustine County – 14 Centennial items

J P Henderson - San Augustine - Courthouse, Columbia St between Harrison and Broadway

San Augustine University - San Augustine - north side of Market St between Ayish St and Main St. (clean granite) Presbyterian Church - San Augustine - NW corner of Livingstone and Congress St

Wesleyan College - San Augustine - Main & Clark, east side of San Augustine near elementary school (clean granite) J P Henderson homesite - San Augustine - east side of Liberty St (FM2213), 0.4 mi south of Main St.

Nuestra Senora de los Dolores de los ais - San Augustine - 701 S Broadway, west of Vistors' Center (straighten bronze star)

McFarland Home - San Augustine - SH 21, 500 ft W of FM 3409. Top of stairway (clean granite)

Blount Home - San Augustine - 503 Columbia (clean granite)

Cartwright Home - San Augustine - 503 Columbia (clean granite)

Methodist Church - San Augustine - in a yard on N side of Main St between Liberty St and Ayish St. (clean granite) Roberts Home - San Augustine - north side of SH 21, 4 mi east of Liberty St. (clean granite)

Sublett, Philip A. - San Augustine - Sublett Family Cemetery, on SH 21 3 mi east of Liberty St., behind modular home. Roberts, Elisha - San Augustine – private property; E on SH 21 about 2.5 miles (1/2 mi before FM3153); 200 yards S of highway in a clump of trees.

(badly neglected, clean granite and restore gravesite)

Legrand, Edward Oswald - San Augustine - Macune (Graham) Cemetery;10 mi. S on SH 147 (re-move applied plaque)

San Jacinto County – 4 Centennial items

Council Hill - Coldspring - Private Property; 2.5 NE at 1701 FM 3128; (move to FM 3128)

Raven Hill - Oakhurst - private property; S on FM 946 1 mi, S on FM 3018/ Kittrell Road 4 miles. Marker is west under tree. (move to 946)

Wood home - Pointblank - private property; E on 156, north on Pinemont Way 100 yd.; past brick entry gate; marker 100 ft to east in park;

(down; move to Pinemont Way)

San Jacinto County - SH 150 between Smith and Grape Streets

San Patricio County – 4 Centennial items

San Patricio de Hibernia - San Patricio - Old Courthouse site; FM 666 (clean bronze and granite) Sons of San Patricio at Goliad - San Patricio - Old San Patricio Cemetery, E Fitzgerald Street (CR21) (clean bronze) McGloin Home - San Patricio - NW on CR 60 1.5 mi, N on Nopal 0.4 mi to locked gate. (trim shrubbery) San Patricio County – Sinton - Old courthouse site, FM 666, across from San Patricio monument (repair bent bronze star)

San Saba County - 2 Centennial items

Meusebach & Comanches - San Saba - 190 W 3 mi, S on FM 2732 10 mi (.25 mile N of New Hope Chapel) San Saba County - San Saba - 190 E 0.2 mile Schleicher County – 1 Centennial item

Schleicher County - Eldorado on US 277 2.5 Mi N. in picnic area (replace missing bronze plaque and star)

Scurry County – 1 Centennial item Scurry County – Snyder - Courthouse (set marker upright, replace missing star)

Shackleford County – 2 Centennial items

Fort Griffin – Albany - US 283, Fort Griffin State Park, at Tourist Center Shackleford County – Albany - Center of city park at intersection 180 & 283

Shelby County - 5 Centennial items

Shelby County – Center - Old Courthouse Square SH87 (Clean granite and bronze) Battle - Regulators & Moderators – Shelbyville – W side of SH87, just south of FM 414 (Clean granite) Last Battle – Regulators – Shelbyville - 1 mi S on US, just South of intersection with CR 2100 (Clean granite) Pennington, Sydney – Shelbyville - Shelbyville Cemetery just north on SH87; in the center Shelby County – Shelbyville - NW on TX 87, 1 mi N of FM 417, in parking lot.

Sherman County – 1 Centennial item Sherman County – Stratford - 2 mi S on US 287 (replace missing bronze star)

Smith County - 9 Centennial items

James Smith Memorial Bldg – Tyler – Fair Park, W. Front Street and Fair Park Drive (demolished, create marker for site) Camp before Bowles killed – Flint - SW on FM 346, about 1/4 mile north of FM 344. (replace missing bronze wreath and star)

Vial-Fragoso Trail – Lindale - NW on CR 431/ Old Mineola Rd at CR 452 (replace missing bronze wreath and star) Camp after Bowles fight – Tyler – Private Property; N on Hwy 69 to CR455, NW on CR455 to Live Oak Dr., right on Live Oak Dr. 0.8 mi to Burleson

Wetlands Preserve. (move to CR455, clean granite)

Harris Place – Winona - SW on CR 336/ Harris Creek Church Rd; 1/4 mi S of CR 313/ Sand Flat Rd. (clean granite) Confederate Arms Factory – Tyler - Mockingbird Lane and S. Robinson St. (clean bronze)

Camp Ford – Tyler - NE on US 271 at intersection with Loop 323 Donley, Stockton P. – Tyler - Oakwood Cemetery; West Oakwood Street and North Palace Avenue (clean granite)

Smith County - Tyler - West on SH 64, between Dixie and Airway Streets, north side

Somervell County - 1 Centennial item

Somervell County - Glen Rose - County Courthouse, S.W. Barnard St and E. Elm St.

Starr County – 7 Centennial items

Fort Ringgold - Rio Grande City - US 83, Fort Ringgold, main entrance (clean granite) Jose de Escandon - Rio Grande City - Courthouse Grounds, E. 4th Street Mission San Augustin - Rio Grande City - 2.5 mi. W on US 83 (replace missing bronze star) Old Rancho Davis - Rio Grande City - Britton Avenue, Town Plaza Mier Expedition – Roma – W 1 mi on US 83 (Remove from storage, replace bronze wreath) Mission Mier a Vista – Roma - W 3.5 mi on US 83 (replace missing bronze star) Starr County - Rio Grande City - Courthouse Grounds, US 83 West

Stephens County – 1 Centennial item Stephens County – Breckenridge - US 180A and SH 67 (gone, replace with reproduction)

Sterling County – 1 Centennial item Camp Elizabeth - Sterling City - Highway 87 NW about 10 miles

Stonewall County – 2 Centennial items Rayner – Aspermont - East 8 mi on US-380; marker is about 0.4 mi S of Hwy on old courthouse grounds Stonewall County – Aspermont – NE corner of courthouse, US 83

Sutton County – 2 Centennial items Fort Terrett – Sonora - Exit MP 429 from I-10 to FM3130. NE on River Road (CR307) 1 mi. Sutton County – Sonora - 4 miles east on SH 467 (replace missing star) Swisher County - 2 Centennial items

Palo Duro Canyon – Tulia - SH 86 E 17 mi to marker near county line on south side of highway (replace missing bronze wreath and star)

Swisher County - Tulia - SE corner of Courthouse Square, Austin & 2nd Street

Tarrant County – 5 Centennial items

Will Rogers Tower - Fort Worth - 3401 W. Lancaster Ave., between University Dr and Montgomery St Casa Manana – Fort Worth - 3401 W. Lancaster Ave., between University Dr and Montgomery St (original torn down) Bird's Fort – Arlington – Private Property, marker stored; (move to public road; clean granite and replace bronze wreath and star) General Tarrant – Handley - Spur 303, Arlington (NW side of road, 1/10 mi west of Green Oaks) Johnson, Middleton – Arlington - 621 W. Arkansas St. (remove plague)

Taylor County - 1 Centennial item Taylor County - Abilene - 5.5 miles west on old US 84/ First Street

Terrell County – 1 Centennial item Terrell County – Sanderson – 1 mi W on US 90

Terry County – 1 Centennial item Terry County – Brownfield – 10 mi E on US 380/82 in roadside park

Throckmorton County - 3 Centennial items

Camp Cooper - Throckmorton – private property; US 283 South to CR 2584, then CR 292, then west on private road. (move to CR 292) Comanche Indian Reserve - Throckmorton – private property; US 283 South to CR 288, then CR 289, then south to field. (move to CR 289) Throckmorton County - Throckmorton - Just north of the intersection of US 283 & SH 79

Titus County – 1 Centennial item Titus County - Mount Pleasant - From US 271, E on US 67 8.5 mi in roadside park

Tom Green County - 4 Centennial items

Fort Concho - San Angelo – 630 South Oakes Street; National Historic Landmark Ben Ficklin - San Angelo – Private Property; Ben Ficklin Road S of Loop 306 about 1/4 mi, at landscaping business Ingram, John - San Angelo - Fairmount Cemetery, 116 West Ave North; Block 50, SE corner Tom Green County - San Angelo - on N access rd Loop 306, just E of intersection of Ben Ficklin Road; next to Cemetery

Travis County – 18 Centennial items Texas Memorial Museum - University of Texas Missions – Austin - Zilker Park Hornsby Home – Austin - 8mi. E Austin (clean granite) Andersons Mill – Leander - 13974 FM-2769, on the west side of road, across from Cypress Creek Marina Fort Colorado (Coleman's Fort) - Austin - 5300 block of MLK, FM 979. South side of the road. (clean granite) US Army HQ – Austin - E. 1st and Red River Sts on lake (in storage) General Land Office- DRT Austin - in storage E. 11th Street (place in proper location) Lamar home – Austin - Brazos & 7th Streets (replaced with metal plaque, locate original) First Capitol – Austin – entrance to City Hall garage on 8th Street Indian Attack – Austin – At base of Wilbarger marker, Bartholomew Park at NE corner of 51st and Berkman Streets. Travis County – Austin - 1st St. and MOPAC (under the bridge) at pedestrian crossing Espinosa-Oliveras-Aquirre - Austin - 2900 block S. Congress, E side of road, in front of St. Edward's University Baker, Joseph – Austin – Oakwood Cemetery (clean granite) Duval, John Crittenden – Austin – Oakwood Cemetery (clean granite) Terrell, George – Austin – Oakwood Cemetery (clean granite) Williams, Haggett, Atkinson - Hornsby Bend - Adjacent to Hornsby Cemetery on FM 969. 3.3 mi SE of US 183. Hornsby, Josephus - Hornsby Bend - Hornsby Cemetery on FM 969. 3.3 mi SE of US 183 Self, George – Webberville - Manor Cemetery; FM 969 E to Webberwood Way; NW to Sandy Brown; (clean granite) Travis County (40 Centennial markers) Austin State Cemetery, 909 Navasota Street Avery, Willis (clean granite) Baker, Moseley (clean granite) Billingsley, Jesse Briscoe, Andrew (clean granite) Cooke, William Collard, William Crane. Dr Criswell, William Vanoy (clean granite) Crudup Robert, (added to monument) Dallas, James Darden, Stephen Heard Ellis, Richard (clean granite) Gazley, Thomas Jefferson Grimes, Jesse (added to monument) Hardeman, Bailey Hardeman, Thomas J. Ireland, John Johnson, Chauncey (clean granite) Lewis, John Edward Lincecum, Gideon (clean granite) Lipscomb, Abner Litton, John Special McCulloch, Frances McHorse, John W Parmer, Martin Patrick, George Moffit Plaster, Thomas Pliney Rankin, Robert (remove applied plaque) Runnels, Hardin Richard Shipman, Daniel (remove applied plaque) Singleton, John Hawkins Special Terrell, Alexander W Tom, William Turner, Winslow Walker, Philip Waller, Edwin Weedon, George Wilkinson, James G Williams, Stephen (marker left at gravesite in Jackson County) York, James Allison

Trinity County – 3 Centennial items

Sumpter – Groveton - SE on US 287 4.5mi., N on Cemetery Road about 1/4 mi; marker 200 yd South of road (straighten star)

Steele's Academy – Pennington - junction of FM 2781 and US Hwy 287

Sebastopol - Trinity - intersection of FM 356 and FM 355; 8.2 mi SE (replace missing bronze star)

Tyler County – 3 Centennial items

Fort Teran – Chester - E on 1745 to CR2845, N to river; fort site destroyed (replacement bronze wreath and star) Wheat, Josiah - Dies - Pilgrim Rest Cemetery; FM 2575 about 2 mi NW; Dies is on 256, NW of Woodville (clean granite)

Burch, Valentine - Peach Tree Village - Cauble-Burch Cemetery 2 mi N of Chester on FM 2097; 0.5 mi E of Kirby Chapel

Upshur County – 4 Centennial items

Indian Village – Gilmer - Butler St. in Roosevelt Park (clean granite, trim shrubbery in front of marker)
Indian Rock Village – Gilmer - SE on SH154; SE on FM1650; S on Cardinal Rd 0.25 mi; E on unmarked road after private road 4089, .025 mi, in trees. (clean granite, replace missing bronze star)
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Sand Hill – Gilmer - E on SH 154 to FM 555; straight on FM 1649 when FM 555 turns; left on Gardenia, #3515 Upshur County – Gilmer - 12 mi. SW on SH 155; S of FM 1002 intersection, roadside park Upton County – 1 Centennial item Upshur County – Rankin - 6 mi. E at roadside park

Uvalde County - 6 Centennial items

Mission Nuestra Senora de la Candelaria – Montell - On US 55 just inside city limits (past churches) Camp Sabinal – Sabinal - SH90 W 1 mi to W side of Sabinal River. S side of road. Hays Rangers – Utopia - on SH 187 South about 9 mi (clean site, replace missing bronze star) Fort Inge – Uvalde - SH140 SE 1.25 mi to Fort Inge Historical Park entrance, follow drive 0.2 mile Ware, William – Utopia - 1 mi. S on SH 187 Uvalde County – Uvalde - Courthouse Grounds, Uvalde Town Plaza, corner of Main and Getty

Val Verde County – 3 Centennial items

Camp Hudson – Comstock – 20 mi N on SH 163 on left (replace missing wreath and star) Val Verde County - Del Rio - In Moore Park, On US 90 just east of Bedell Ave. San Felipe Springs - Del Rio - (1936) Del Rio, Hwy 90 (cannot locate, reproduce new marker)

Van Zandt County – 4 Centennial items

Mr & Mrs Isaac Van Zandt – Canton - County courthouse, corner of Dallas and Buffalo (clean water stains) Finis C. Wills Cabin - Wills Point - On Commerce Street at 3rd Street Chief Bowles – Redland - from Hwy 64 turn N on FM 4923; 2.4 mi to property (clean bronze) Van Zandt County – Canton - About 3/4 mi SE of court house on Hwy 64 in front of police station

Victoria County – 14 Centennial items

Victoria County - Victoria - Memorial Square, Power Ave between Wheeler & De Leon (polish bronze) Fort St. Louis – Inez - SW Corner of intersection of FM 444 & US 59 (consider move to a nicer location) Mission Nuestra Senora del Esperitu Santo de Zuniga – Victoria - private property; Lower Mission Valley Rd N 10.5 mi,

then E on Private Rd 1 mi. to site at River. (clean granite) First Church – Victoria - Market Square, NE corner E Santa Rosa & S Main (clean granite) Linn Home – Victoria - Market Square, SE corner of Bridge and Juan Linn St (clean granite) Round Top House - Victoria - Market Square, NW Corner of S. Main and Juan Linn St (clean granite) Martin de Leon home – Victoria - Market Square, corner of Church & Bridge St. (clean granite) Guadalupe River – Victoria - US 59 (SW Moody St) between 3rd and W South St, on NE side of bridge (clean site) Victoria Advocate – Victoria - At Advocate, 311 Constitution St. (place on building) Rose, Victor Martin- Victoria - Evergreen Cemetery, N.Vine & W.Red River St Linn, John J. – Victoria - Evergreen Cemetery, N.Vine & W.Red River St DeLeon, Don Martin – Victoria - Evergreen Cemetery, N.Vine & W.Red River St Conrad, Edward – Victoria - City Square, Church St near corner Church & Main (clean granite) Victoria County- US 77/US59 junction - inside loop on East access road

Walker County - 11 Centennial items

Sam Houston Memorial Museum - Huntsville - Sam Houston Avenue in Sam Houston State Park Sam Houston Steamboat House - Huntsville - 19th Street in Sam Houston State Park James Gillaspie - Huntsville - Sam Houston Drive at 9th St across the street from Sam Houston's grave Cincinnati - Huntsville - 12mi NE Huntsville; on private property owned by Smiths, (upright and clean) location) Andrew Female College - Huntsville - on 8th St., 100 ft. E of intersection of 8th St. and University Ave. Yoakum home - Huntsville - Walker- 4 mi SE on FM 2929 to railroad crossing just past FM 2296. Walk parallel with the RR about 200 yards (284 RR ties), then into woods 50-75 feet from the RR clearing. Watch for barbed wire fence.

(needs cleaning;replace damaged bronze wreath and star) Newport - Riverside - Newport Cemetery; private property; SE 4 mi on FM 980, N 1.5 mi on Thomas Lake Rd/FM 3454. W on Old Newport Rd 1/2 mi. to locked gate on N, then private road about 1/4 mile to cemetery. (marker leaning, needs to be re-set)

Austin Hall - Huntsville - Sam Houston State University, 1741 University Avenue (clean bronze plaque) Walker County - Huntsville - in front of Courthouse, 1301 Sam Houston Ave

John F Winters - Hawthorne - Winters Memorial Park Cemetery; take SH 150 E 5 mi; FM 2693 NE 4.6 mi (clean granite) Christopher Edinburgh - Huntsville - Falba Cemetery; FM 247 N approx. 13 miles; W on FM 29891 mi

Waller County – 9 Centennial items Brookshire, Nathen - Brookshire - corner of 5th & Velasco Wyly, Alfred H. - Hempstead - Hempstead Cemetery at 1st and Donoho Streets, near NW corner Cooke, Francis - Howth - Salem Cemetery, FM 1736, 1.5 mi.W of SH 6, 5 mi. N. of Hempstead (algae, needs cleaning) Donoho Plantation – Hempstead - S on FM 359 1.6 mi to entry gate to H5 Ranch. (down, move to 359) Edwin Waller Plantation - Hempstead - Business 290E at driveway; Waller Co Road Dept (algae, needs cleaning) Liendo - Hempstead - private property; NE on FM 1488 2.5 mi; SE on Wyatt Chapel Rd 0.3 mi to Liendo Plantation

Entrance; marker 1 mi to plantation home; (algae, needs cleaning; move to Wycliff Chapel Road) Groce's Ferry - Hempstead - FM 1887, 3 miles south of Hempstead County - Hempstead – County Courthouse east lawn, 836 Austin Street Army camp; Steamboat Yellowstone - Hempstead - 13th St/SH 159 at Hamilton

Ward County – 2 Centennial items Butterfield Overland Stageline - Grand Falls - 2 miles SW on SH 18 Ward County – Pyote - 3 miles east on I-20 in roadside park

Washington County – 24 Centennial items

Childress - Washington-on-the-Brazos State Park - In front of Star of the Republic Museum,
Constitutional Convention - Washington-on-the-Brazos State Park - In front of Visitor Services Complex (needs cleaning)
Auditorium, Amphitheater, Anson Jones home - Brenham - Washington-on-the Brazos State Park
Chappel Hill College - Chappel Hill - On Church St. in front of Public School (needs cleaning)
Soule University - Chappel Hill - intersection of US 290 and FM 1155, NW corner
Old Baptist Church - Independence - intersection of FM 50 and FM 390
Baylor University for Boys - Independence - On FM 50, 1 block S of FM 390 due E of intersection with Sam Houston Rd.
Seward Home - Independence - 3/4 mile E of FM 50/FM 390 intersection, on N side of FM 390
Houston Home - Independence - 3/10 mi. W of FM 50/FM 390 intersection, on S side of FM 390
Holly Oaks - Independence - 2505 FM 390; rock house (marker was broken in half, check stability of repair)
Hoxey Home - Independence - FM 390 W 1.3 mi. to Asa Hoxey Rd., N 6/10 mi.;1st house on left (needs cleaning, house in very poor condition, trash in yard)

Gen. Robertson home - Independence - 1/10 mi. E off FM 50 (10200 block) on Local Rd. (needs cleaning)

Sam Houston baptized - Independence - On FM 50 at Sam Houston Rd.

Baylor University State Park - Independence (cannot locate)

Baylor Univ Female Department - Independence - FM 390, 3 blocks W of FM 50

Replica of Convention Hall - Washington-on-the-Brazos State Park – plaque missing

Petty, George W. - Brenham - Prairie Lea Cemetery, Prairie Lea & 6th Sts., (needs cleaning)

Howth, William Edward - Chappel Hill - Masonic Cemetery, off 2447 on Cemetery Rd., 3/4 mi. NW of Chappel Hill (needs cleaning)

Willie, James - Independence - Old Independence Cemetery (needs cleaning)

Kraatz, Lewis - Independence – private property; 9445E FM 390, 2 blocks E FM 50 intersection at Fieldstone Farm (needs cleaning; clear vines)

Gates, Amos & William - Brenham - Gates-Perry Cemetery; 105E, S on FM2193, W on FM2726, N on Egypt. Turn into Large stone entry past Brown College Lane; keep left to top of hill (neglected cemetery)

Smith, John William - Washington - Washington Cemetery; FM 1115 N about 1 mi. to Cemetery Rd., W about 1/2 mi.; SW corner next to Brigham (neglected cemetery; original grave location lost)

Brigham, Asa - Washington - Washington Cemetery; FM 1115 N about 1 mi. to Washington Cemetery Rd., W about 1/2 mi.; SW corner next to Smith (neglected cemetery; original grave location lost)

City of Brenham - Brenham - Market at E. Stone St. in traffic triangle

Webb County – 3 Centennial items

Laredo - Laredo - San Augustine Plaza

Deaf Smith – Laredo – At the entry building to the Lake Casa Blanca International Park

Webb County - Laredo - In front of the Courthouse

Wharton County – 3 Centennial items

Shanghai Pierce Ranch – Pierce – SE 1 mi past railroad tracks on FM 526 to Ranch entrance (clean granite) Williamson Home – Wharton - Courthouse Square (remove plaque, clean granite) Wharton County – Wharton - Courthouse Square, 101 Burleson

Wheeler County - 2 Centennial items

Fort Elliott – Mobeetie - 12 mi NW SH152 in roadside rest area (clean granite) Wheeler County – Wheeler – County Courthouse, Alan Bean Avenue

Wichita County – 1 Centennial item

Wichita County - Wichita Falls - 1.7 mi S on US 281 at Rathgeber Road (clean weeds at base)

Wilbarger County - 2 Centennial items

Doan's Crossing – Vernon - US 283 N 13 mi. then FM 2916 E 3 mi to Doan's Community Wilbarger County – Vernon - US 70 at Red River Museum, one block S of US 287

Willacy County - 2 Centennial items

Great Salt Lake – Raymondville - SH 186 W about 7 mi (clean granite) Willacy County – Raymondville - Corner of 3rd and Hidalgo Streets (replace with original style)

Williamson County – 9 Centennial items

R J Rivers – Georgetown - Courthouse Grounds Manuel Flores – Georgetown - 2.5 mi. SE on SH 29, past US 183, 0.1 mi. N on CR 260 Block House – Leander - On US 183 2.5 mi S of FM 2243 at Block House Drive (clean granite) Kenney's Fort - Round Rock - East from I-35 2.6 mi on US 79; south side of hwy. (clean granite) Pioneer Builders - Round Rock - SE of intersection of US 79 @ Mayes St. in small park George Glasscock – Georgetown - Courthouse, south entrance, east steps Webster Massacre – Leander - Davis Cemetery; 2 mi East on FM 2243 Webster Massacre – Leander – US 183 (marker sinking, verify present location) Williamson County – Georgetown - Temporarily at TxDOT maintenance office in Georgetown

Wilson County – 3 Centennial items

Casa Blanca - Casa Blanca - from Floresville take Loop 181 three mi NW. Marker near Seguin Branch Bridge. (clean area of litter, clean granite) Mission Las Cabreras – Floresville – SH 97 Wilson County – Floresville – County Courthouse, 1420 Third Street

Winkler County – 1 Centennial item

Winkler County - Kermit - in storage at County Road Barn at 701 N Pine; relocating to City Park (missing bronze star)

Wise County – 1 centennial item

Butterfield Overland Stage – Decatur - Bus 287 (Washburn), 200+ yds south of 380 overpass, E side of rd; just N of Washburn & Mulberry (replace missing star, clean area)

Wood County – 1 Centennial item

Wood County - Quitman - 1.7 mi. S on SH 37; 6 mi. N of Mineola

Yoakum County – 1 Centennial item

Yoakum County - Plains - Courthouse lawn, Cowboy Way at Avenue F

Young County – 8 Centennial Items

Fort Belknap - Newcastle - Fort Belknap, 3 mi s. of Newscastle on SH 251

Military Road to El Paso - Graham - Fort Belknap, 3 mi s. of Newscastle on SH 251;outside perimeter wall on W side, Military Road to San Antonio - Graham - Fort Belknap; 3 mi S. of Newcastle on SH 251, Right of Way outside wall Military Road to Fort Worth – Graham -Fort Belknap; 3 mi S. of Newcastle on SH 251, Right of Way outside perimeter wall Butterfield Stage - Graham - Fort Belknap; 3 mi S. of Newcastle on SH 251, Right of Way outside perimeter wall Cattle Raisers Oak - Graham - 408 4th St.(Under Oak Tree) (sinking, raise & clean) Camp Van Camp - Newcastle - 200 yards south of the Newcastle water tower, private road. In clearing behind buildings. Teamsters 7 Men - Loving - private property 15 mi E Newcastle; (reevaluate pipe surround with THC)

Zapata County- 3 Centennial items

Poblacion De Dolores – Dolores – Private property, near fork of Dolores Creek and Rio Grand River, near US83 4.3 miles south of Zapata County Line (replace bronze wreath and star)

Mission Revilla – Revilla - Courthouse Plaza, US 83

Zapata County – Zapata - US 83 about 5 miles NW in roadside park

Zavala County – 1 Centennial item

Zavala County - Crystal City - US 83 about 6 miles north in a roadside park at FM 1025