MINUTE NO. 170

BANCOS Nos. 415 "SAN ANTONIO", 416 "ANGOSTURA", 417 "CASHIER" AND 418 "HUÍDOSA".

The Commission met at the offices of the United States Section in El Paso, Texas, at 3:00 P.M., February 18, 1941.

The Commission received the report of the Consulting Engineers dated January 14, 1941, with regard to Bancos Nos. 415 "San Antonio", 416 "Angostura", 417 "Cashier" and 418 "Huídosa" on the Rio Grande in the Presidio-Ojinaga Valley. The Commissioners considered and approved the report, which is attached to this Minute to form a part thereof.

The Commission adopted the following resolution:

"The tracts of land known as Bancos Nos. 415 'San Antonio' and 416 'Angostura' which were cut from Mexico and are now on the left or northerly bank of the Rio Grande, described in the report of the Consulting Engineers dated January 14, 1941, and shown on two (2) maps attached to this Minute, are hereby eliminated from the effects of Article II of the Convention of November 12, 1884, and the dominion and jurisdiction of these bancos shall pass to the United States of America in accordance with the provisions of the Convention of March 20, 1905, for the Elimination of Bancos, and the tracts of land known as Bancos Nos. 417 'Cashier' and 418 'Huídosa' which were cut from the United States and are now on the right or southerly bank of the Rio Grande, described in the report of the Consulting Engineers dated January 14, 1941, and shown on two (2) maps attached to this Minute, are hereby eliminated from the effects of Article II of the Convention of November 12, 1884, and the dominion and jurisdiction (Continued on sheet No. 2)
of these bancos shall pass to Mexico in accordance with the provisions of the Convention of March 20, 1905, for the Elimination of Bancos.

The Commissioners then signed the maps (scale 1:5,000), in duplicate, which delineate the above-described bancos and which maps are attached hereto and made a part hereof.

The meeting then adjourned.

L. M. Lawton
Commissioner of the United States.

Gustavo P. Lenas
Comisionado de México.

M. C. Moore
Secretary of the United States Section.

Alexander Atwood
Secretario de la Sección de México.

M. C. Moore
Secretary of the Mexican Section.

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surán a México, de acuerdo con las disposiciones de la Convención del 20 de Marzo de 1905 para la Eliminación de Bancos.

En seguida, los Comisionados firmaron, por duplicado, los planos a escala 1: 5 000, que muestran los bancos arriba descritos, los cuales planos se agregan a esta acta para que formen parte de ella.

Se levantó la sesión.

Gustavo P. Lenas
Comisionado de los Estados Unidos.

M. C. Moore
Secretario de los Estados Unidos.
INTERNATIONAL BOUNDARY COMMISSION
UNITED STATES AND MEXICO

El Paso, Texas,
January 14, 1941.

The Honorable Commissioners,
International Boundary Commission,
United States and Mexico,
El Paso, Texas, and Ciudad Juárez, Chih.

Sirs:

In accordance with your instructions, an inspection and survey of the four new bancos on the Rio Grande in the Presidio Valley was made during September and October 1940.

We submit the following statement and attach a map, scale 1:15,000, of each banco:

BANCO NO. 415 “SAN ANTONIO”

Located in Presidio County, Texas, 2.2 kilometers north of R. P. 5 which is situated in the town of Candelaria, Texas.

Cut from Mexico in 1938.
Claimant: Esteban Ochoa.
Area to river: 8.8 hectares (21.7 acres).
No houses, no inhabitants.

BANCO NO. 416 “ANGOSTURA”

Located in Presidio County, Texas, 1.3 kilometers southwest of R. P. 22 and 17 kilometers upstream from Presidio.
Cut from Mexico in 1938.
Claimant: Francisco Chávez.
Area to river: 7.7 hectares (19.0 acres).
No houses, no inhabitants.

BANCO NO. 417 “CASSHER”

Located in the Municipality of Ojinaga, Chihuahua, 37 kilometers northwest of Ojinaga and 1.0 kilometers west of R. P. 16.

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Cut from the United States in 1934.  
Claimant: Owners of the Casner Ranch.

Area to river: 10.9 hectares (26.9 acres).

No houses, no inhabitants.

BANCO NO. 418 "RUIDOSA"

Located in the Municipality of Ojinaga, Chihuahua, 54 kilometers northwest of Ojinaga, 1.5 kilometers downstream from Barrancos de Guadalupe, Chihuahua, and 1.5 kilometers southwest of R. F. 11.

Cut from the United States in 1932.  
Claimant: Francisco Prieto and R. Núñez Estate.

Area to river: 4.6 hectares (11.4 acres).

No houses, no inhabitants.

The abandoned channel of the river is very clearly defined around all four of the bancos. The bancos were cut off by avulsive movements of the river and meet all the requirements of the Convention of 1905 for the Elimination of Bancos.

Respectfully submitted,

[Signature]
Consulting Engineer, United States Section.

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Consulting Engineer, Mexican Section.

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Cortado de los Estados Unidos en 1934.  
Reclamantes: los propietarios del rancho Casner.

Area hasta el río: 10.9 hectáreas (26.9 acres).

No hay casas ni habitantes.

BANCO NO. 418 "RUIDOSA"

Situado en la Municipalidad de Ojinaga, Chihuahua, a 54 kilómetros al noroeste de Ojinaga, a 1.5 kilómetros aguas abajo de Barrancos de Guadalupe, Chihuahua y a 1.5 kilómetros al suroeste del P. R. 11.

Cortado de los Estados Unidos en 1932.  
Reclamantes: Francisco Prieto y la Testamentaria de R. Núñez.

Area hasta el río: 4.6 hectáreas (11.4 acres).

No hay casas ni habitantes.

El cauce abandonado del río está muy claramente definido alrededor de los cuatro bancos. Los bancos se cortaron por movimientos avulsivos del río, y satisfacen todos los requisitos de la Convención de 1905 para la Eliminación de Bancos.

Con todo respeto,

[Signature]
Ingeniero Consultor de la Sección de México.

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Ingeniero Consultor de la Sección de los Estados Unidos.