



Beginning Point of the Louisiana Purchase Survey, Arkansas
The memorial marker at this site rests in an area essentially
unchanged since the survey in 1815. Photo by: William D. Baker,
Arkansas State Historic Preservation Office, 1991



THIS STONE MARKS
A SURVEY POINT ESTABLISHED IN 1862
FROM WHICH THE LARGEST OF THE
LOUISIANA RAILROAD NEWS SURVEYS
DEPARTED TO THE EAST. THE
FIRST SURVEY FROM THIS POINT WAS
MADE TO SATISFY THE CLAIMS OF
THE SOLDIERS OF THE WAR OF 1861
WHO HAD CLAIMED THE
LANDS AND QUARTERS
CREATED BY THE RAILROAD
DURING THE RECONSTRUCTION

LOUISIANA PURCHASE SURVEY MARKER

WABELL, ARKANSAS

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THIS STONE MARKS THE
BASE ESTABLISHED NOV. 10, 1815
FROM WHICH THE LANDS OF THE
LOUISIANA PURCHASE WERE SURVEYED
BY UNITED STATES ENGINEERS. THE
FIRST SURVEY FROM THIS POINT WAS
MADE TO SATISFY THE CLAIMS OF
THE SOLDIERS OF THE WAR OF 1812
WITH LAND BOUNTIES.
ERECTED BY THE ARKANSAS DAUGHTERS
OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.
SPONSORED BY THE LANGUILLE CHAPTER.

LOUISIANA PURCHASE SURVEY MARKER

MARVELL, ARKANSAS

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LOUISIANA PURCHASE SURVEY MARKER AND CROWN WALK

MARVELL, ARKANSAS

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