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Field Notes
of the
Subdivision Lines
in
Township No. 9. North.
of the base line
of
Range. No. 8. East.
of the
Sixth Principal Meridian
in the
Territory of Nebraska
By
A. Philo. Drake
Deputy Surveyor
Under his contract No. 217
bearing date, the 17 day of September 1857.

Subdivision Commenced
October 9th 1857.
Subdivision Compleated
October 14th 1857.

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List of Names.

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners described in the following field Notes of Township No. 9, North of the base line of Range No. 8 East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted;

A. E. Goold, Chainman ~~and Compassman~~.

Geo. H. McClelland, Chainman

Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker,

Henry E. Kingsbury, Flagman

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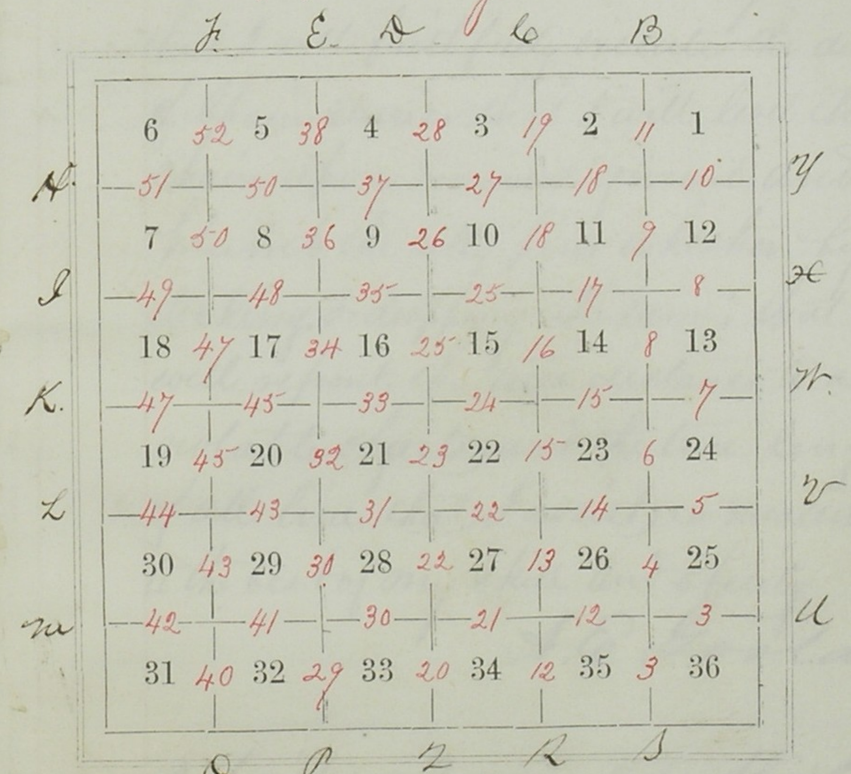
Township 9 N. Range 8 East



United States of America }
Territory of Nebraska } ss.
County of Otoe }

I. Alex E. Gould do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the duties of Chain carrier; that I will level the chain upon uneven ground and plumb the taller pins whether by sticking or dropping the same; that I will report the true distance to all notable objects and the true length of all line that I assist in measuring to the best of my skill and ability

A. E. Gould

Subscribed and sworn to by Alex E. Gould before me a Notary Public in the County of Otoe and Territory of Nebraska this third day of October A.D. 1857.

John H. Mason
Notary Public

NOTARY PUBLIC NEBRASKA CITY OTOE CO. NEBRASKA

United States of America
Territory of Nebraska } S.S.
County of Otoe }

I, Henry E Kingsbury do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman according to instructions given me and to the best of my skill and ability

Henry E. Kingsbury

Subscribed and sworn to by Henry E. Kingsbury before me a Notary Public in the county of Otoe and Territory of Nebraska this third day of October A.D. 1857.

John H Mason
Notary Public

United States of America
Territory of Nebraska } SS.
County of Otoe }

I, Dexter C. Sprague do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Axeman and marker according to instructions given me and to the best of my skill and ability

Dexter C. Sprague

Subscribed and sworn to by Dexter C. Sprague before me ~~this~~ a Notary Public in the county of Otoe and Territory of Nebraska this third day of October A.D. 1857.

John H. Mason
Notary Public

United States of America
Territory of Nebraska } SS.
County of Otoe

I Alexus E Gould do solemn swear that I will well and truly perform the duties Compassman according to instruction given me and to the best of my skill and ability

A. E. Gould

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of October 1857

J H Mason
Notary Public

United States of America
Territory of Nebraska } SS.
County of Otoe

I George McLellan do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the duties of chain carrier, that I will level the chain upon uneven ground, and plumbs the tally pins whether by sticking or dropping the same, that I will report the true distance to all notable objects and the true length of all lines that I assist in measuring to the best of my skill and ability

George H McLellan

Subscribed and sworn to by George McLellan before me a Notary Public in the County of Otoe and Territory of Nebraska this third day of October AD 1857 John H Mason
Notary Public

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Field Notes of the Subdivision lines in Township 9, N. Range 8, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian

chains	To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township, I commence at the corner to Townships 8 and 9 North R. 8 and 9, East, and run North, an a blank line along the East Boundary of section 36,
	Variation 11° 20' East
40,06	To a point 13 links West of the quarter section corner.
80,10	To a point 24 links West of the corner to sections 25 and 36, To retrace this line or run parallel thereto, my compass must be adjusted to a variation of 11° 16' East.
	Subdivision Commenced October 9th 1857.

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chains
From the corner to Sections 35 and 36 on the South Boundary of the Township, I run North, between sections 35 and 36
Variation 11° 10' East
40,00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 12 in wide and 4 in thick for quarter section corner
80,00 Set a lime stone 26 in. long 16 in wide and 4 in. thick for corner to section 25, 26, 35 and 36
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 25 and 36
Variation 11° East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
48,00 Spring rem 2 links wide

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chains
right bank runs S. E.
78,90 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 40 links North of the corner, to sections 25 and 36 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 25 and 36
Variation 10° 43
38,85 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
79,70 The corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil, 1st rate.

North between sections 25 and 26
Variation 11° 10' East
40,00 Set a lime stone 26, in long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

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Chains	
53,10	Spring run 2 links wide, rig. bank runs S. E.
59,00	Set a lime stone 24 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 24 and 25
Variation 11° East.

40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,42	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 6 links North of the corner to section 24 and 25 from which corner, I run

West on a true line

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Chains	
	between sections 24 and 25 Variation 10° 57' East
39,71	Set a lime stone 22 in. long 12 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner
79,42	The corner to sections 23, 24, 25, 26 Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 23 and 24
Variation 11° 20' East

40,00	Set a a lime stone 20 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.
46,00	Road, bears E and W.
80,00	Set a lime stone 30 in. long 8 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24. Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate.

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Chains	East on a random line between sections 13 and 24
	Variation 11° East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner,
78,72	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 34 links North of the corner to sections 13 and 24 from which corner 9 run
	West on a true line between sections 13 and 24
	Variation 10° 45' East
39,36	Set a limestone 25 in. long 10 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner,
79,72	The corner to sections 13, 14, 23, 24
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate.

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Chains	North between sections 13 and 14
	Variation 10° 15' East.
20,50	Springy run, 3 links wide right bank runs N.E.
40,00	Set a limestone 21 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a limestone 18 in. long 7 in. wide and 7 in. thick for corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate.

	East on a random line between section 12 and 13
	Variation 10° 40' East.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,54	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 70 links

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chains	
	South of the corner to sections 12 and 13 from which corner I run
	West on a true line between sections 12 and 13.
	Variation 11° 10' East
39,77	Set a lime stone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
78,54	The corner to sections 11, 12, 13, 14.
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 11 and 12
	Variation 11° 20' East
40,00	Set a lime stone 16 in. long 15 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00	Set a lime stone 24 in. long 6 in. wide and 5 in. thick for

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chains	
	corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12.
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate.

	East on a random line between sections 1 and 12
	Variation 10° 45' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,90	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 50 links South of the corner to sections 1 and 12 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 1 and 12
	Variation 11° 7' East
39,95	Set a lime stone 12 in. long 12 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
78,90	The corner to sections 1, 2, 11, 12.

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chains	
	Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.
	North on a random line between sections 1 and 2 Variation 11° 20' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
78,82	Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 26 links West of the corner to sections 1 and 2 from which corner, I run South on a true line between sections 1 and 2 Variation 11° 9' East.
39,82	Set a lime stone 14 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
79,82	The corner to sections 1, 11, 12. Land rolling prairie;

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chains	
	Soil 1st rate. October 9th 1857.
	North between sections 34 and 35 Variation 11° 20' East.
40,00	Set a lime stone, 24 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00	Set a lime stone 30 in. long 16 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.
	East on a random line between sections 26 and 35 Variation 10° 40' East.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,52	Intersected N. and S. line 40 links South of the corner to

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chains	
	sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 26 and 35
	Variation 10° 57' East
40,26	Set a limestone 25 in. long 16 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,52	The corner to sections 26, 27, 34, 35.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 26 and 27
	Variation 11° 10' East
40,00	Set a limestone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner,
80,00	Set a limestone 28 in. long 10 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27.

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chains	
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	East on a random line between sections 23 and 26
	Variation 10° 40' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
80,18	Intersected N. and S. line 30 links South of the corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 23 and 26
	Variation 10° 53' East
40,09	Set a limestone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,18	The corner to sections 22, 23, 26, 27.
	Land rolling prairie;

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Chains	
	Soil 1st rate.
	North between sections 22 and 23
	Variation 11° 10' East
40,00	Set a lime stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
47,50	Road, course N. E. and S. W.
80,00	Set a lime stone 18 in. long 16 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to section 14, 15, 22 and 23.
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate
	East on a random line between section 14 and 23
	Variation 10° 50' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,20	Intersected N. and S. line

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Chains	
	10 links South of the corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24 from which corner, Drum
	West on a true line between sections 14 and 23
	Variation 10° 54' East
40,10	Set a lime stone 18 in. long 16 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,20	The corner to sections 14, 15, 22, 23.
	Land rolling prairie
	Soil 1st rate.
	North between sections 14 and 15
	Variation 11° 10' East.
40,00	Set a lime stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a lime stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick

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chains for corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 11 and 14
Variation 10° 50' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
80,28 Intersected N. and S. line 6
links North of the corner to
sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 from
which corner, Drum
West on a true line
between sections 11 and 14
Variation 10° 47' East
40,14 Set a lime stone 18 in. long
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick
for quarter section corner
80,28 The corner to sections 10, 11, 14, 15;

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chains Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 10 and 11
Variation 11° 10' East
40,00 Set a lime stone 16 in. long
11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long
12 in. wide and 3 in. thick
for corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 2 and 11
Variation 10° 50' E
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
80,10 Intersected N. and S. line

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chains 4 links South of the corner to
sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 2 and 11
Variation 10° 52' East
40,65 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 10
in. wide and 3 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,10 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line
between sections 2 and 3
Variation 11° 10' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
75,68 Intersected the North Boundary
of the Township 40 links West

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chains of the corner, to sections 2 and 13
from which corner, I run
South on a true line between
sections 2 and 13
Variation 10° 53' East
38,68 Set a lime stone 17 in. long 13
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner
78,68 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
October 10th 1857

North between sections 33 and 34
Variation 11° East
40,00 Set a lime stone 22 in. long 10 in
wide and 3 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a lime stone 30 in. long 8 in.
wide and 4 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 27 and 34
Variation 10° 40' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
78,58 Intersected N. and S. line 6
links North of the corner to
sections 26, 27, 34 and 35 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line
between sections 27 and 34
Variation 10° 37' East.
38,79 Set a limestone 21 in. long
16 in. wide and 3 in. thick
for quarter section corner
78,58 The corner to sections 27, 28, 33, 34

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chains Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 27 and 28
Variation 11° East
35,00 Road, course N. E. and S. W.
40,00 Set a limestone 18 in. long 11
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a limestone 36 in. long
10 in. wide and 2 in. thick
for corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 22 and 27
Variation 10° 40' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

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chains

49,25 Road; course N.E and S.W

79,86 Intersected N. and S. line at the corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 22 and 27

Variation 10° 40' East

39,93 Set a limestone 24 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,86 The corner to sections 21, 22, 27, 28,

Land rolling prairie,

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 21 and 22

Variation 11° East

40,00 Set a limestone 20 in. long 17 in. wide and 2 in. thick for

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chains quarter section corner

80,00 Set a limestone 22 in. long 16 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22

Land rolling prairie,

Soil 1st rate,

East on a random line between sections 15 and 22

Variation 10° 40' East,

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

79,96 Intersected N and S line 18 links South of the corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 15 and 22

Variation 11° 48' East

39,98 Set a limestone 24 in. long 16

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chains

in wide and 3 in. thick for
quarter section corner

78,96 The corner to sections 15, 16, 21, 22
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate

North between sections 15 and 16
Variation 11° East

40,00 Set a lime stone 20 in. long 10
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 10
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

East on random line
between sections 10 and 15
Variation 10° 50' East

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chains

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.

80,22 Intersected N. and S. line 10
links South of the corner to
sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line
between sections 10 and 15
Variation 10° 54' East

40,11 Set a lime stone 15 in. long 12
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,22 The corner to sections 9, 10, 15, 16.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 9 and 10
Variation 11° East

40,00 Set a lime stone 11 in. long

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chains
7 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner
20,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 12
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10.
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 4th rate.

East on a random line
between sections 3 and 10
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
72,86 Intersected N. and S. line 8 links
North of the corner to section
2, 3, 10 and 11 from which corner,
I run
West on a true line
between section 3 and 10
Variation 11° 16' East

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chains
39,53 Set a lime stone 18 in. long
8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
78,86 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9, 10
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 4th rate

North on a random line
between sections 3 and 4
Variation 11° East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
79,70 Intersected the North Boundary
of the Township 18 link West
of the corner to section 3 and 4
from which corner, I run
South on a true line
between sections 3 and 4
Variation 10° 52' East

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chains

35,70 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

77,70 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9, 10
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.
October 18th 1857.

North between section 32 and 33
Variation 11° 10' East

40,00 Set a lime stone 21 in. long 12 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to section 28, 29, 32 and 33,
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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chains between sections 28 and 33
Variation 10° 40' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,44 Intersected N. and S. line 46 links South of the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which corner, I run
West on a true line between sections 28 and 33
Variation 11° East

40,22 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 13 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,44 The corner to sections 28, 29, 32, 33.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 28 and 29
Variation 11° East

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37,50 Road course E. and W.

40,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a lime stone 22 in. long 11 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29.

Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between sections 21 and 28
Variation 10° 50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,00 Intersected N. and S. line 60 links South of the corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 from which corner I run

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West on a true line between sections 21 and 28
Variation 11° 18' East

40,00 Set a lime stone 28 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 The corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29.

Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 20 and 21
Variation 11° 5' East

36,70 Spring run, 3 links wide, left bank runs N.W.

40,00 Set a lime stone 24 in. long 12 in. wide and 2 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a lime stone 20 in. long 12 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21

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Chains	
	Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.
	East on a random line between sections 16 and 21 Variation 11° East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,48	Intersected N. and S. line 40 links South of the corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 16 and 21 Variation 11° 17' East
39,74	Set a lime stone 12 in. long 11 in. wide and 9 in. thick for quarter section corner
79,48	The corner to sections 16, 17, 20, 21 Land rolling prairie

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Chains	
	Soil 1st rate.
	North between sections 16 and 17 Variation 11° 15' East
40,00	Set a lime stone 16 in. long, 9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner from which A Red Elm 10 in. in dia. beares N. 52¾ W. 55 links dist. A Red Elm 10 in. in dia beares N. 13½ E 118 links dist.
41,00	Center timber beares N. E. and S. W.
45,00	Creek; 8 links wide right bank runs N. E.
47,50	Same stream 8 links wide runs N. W.
48,75	Same stream 8 links wide runs N. E.
49,50	Least timber beares N. E. and S. W.
57,50	Center timber, beares N. W. and S. E.
58,50	Creek; 10 links wide N. W.

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chains

59,50 Leave timber bears N. W. and S. E.

80,00 Set a limestone 18 in. long, 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which
A Black Ash 8 in. in dia. bears N. 73¾ W. 64 links dist.
An Elm 24 in. in dia. bears N. 1° E. 132 links dist.
A Hackberry 16 in. in dia. bears S. 63 W. 110 links dist.
No other trees within three chains for bearings
A little timber to the N. and W. of corner
Land, rolling; Soil 1st rate;
Timber Elm Hackberry & ash

East on a random line between sections 9 and 16

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chains

Variation 11° 15' East.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,32 Intersected N. and S. line 10 links South of the corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 9 and 16

Variation 11° 18' East

39,66 Set a limestone 18 in. long 13 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

78,32 The corner to sections 8, 9, 16, 17.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 8 and 9

Variation 11° 20' East

8,00 Enter; timber, bears East W.

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Chains	
8,50	Creek 10 links wide right banks runs N.E.
15,00	Same stream runs N.W. 10 links wide and leave timber bears N.W. and S.E.
40,00	Set a line stone 22 in. long 8 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a line stone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9

Land level; Soil 1st rate
Timber Oak and Elm.

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9
Variation 11° 20' East

4,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

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Chains	
7,44	Intersected N. and S. line 40 links South of the corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10, from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 4 and 9

Variation 11° 30' East

38,72	Set a line stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
78,44	The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line between sections 4 and 5
Variation 11° 20' East

4,90	Creek, 10 links wide right bank runs N.E.

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9,50 Same stream 10 links wide runs N.W.

30,00 Enter timber, beares N.E. and S.W.

31,60 Creek, 10 links wide right bank runs N.E.

36,00 Same stream 10 links wide left bank runs N.W.

36,30 Leave timber beares N.W. and S.E.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

46,50 Enter timber, beares N.E. and S.W.

47,10 Creek, 10 links wide, right bank runs N.E.

50,00 Same stream left bank, 10 links wide runs N.W.

63,00 Leave timber, beares N.W. and S.E.

80,86 Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 20 links East

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Chains

of the corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner, I run South on a true line between sections 4 and 5

Variation 11° 28' East

40,86 Set a limestone 14 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,86 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9. Land level; Soil 1st rate Timber, Oak, Cottonwood and Elm

October 12th 1857.

North between sections 31 and 32

Variation 11° East

40,00 Set a limestone 18 in. long 14 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

70,55 Road; beares N.E. and S.W.

80,00 Set a limestone 22 in. long

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chains 12 in. wide and 3 in. thick
for corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32
Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate

East on a random line
between sections 29 and 32.
Variation 10° 40' East
31,00 Road, course N. E and S. W.
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
80,22 Intersected N. and S. line 50
links South of the corner to
sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 29 and 32
Variation 11° 2' East
46,11 Set a line stone 18 in. long
14 in. wide and 3 in. thick

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chains for quarter section corner
80,22 The corner to section 29, 30, 31, 32
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

West on a random line
between sections 30 and 31
Variation 11° 2' East
37,84 Intersected the West boundary
of the Township at the corner
to fractional Sections 30 and
31 from which corner, I run
East on a true line
between sections 30 and 31
Variation 11° 2' East
37,84 The corner to sections 29, 30
31 and 32
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate,

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chains North between sections 29 and 30
Variation 11° East
40,00 Set a limestone 30 in. long 9 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a limestone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 20 and 29
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,00 Intersected the N. and S. line at the corner to sections 20 21, 28, and 29 from which corner, I run

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chains West on a true line between sections 20 and 29
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a limestone 16 in. long 16 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29, 30,
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between section 19 and 30
Variation 11° 20' East
38,30 Intersected the West Boundary of the Township 4 links North of the corner to Sections 19 and 30 from which corner I run,
East on a true line between sections 19 and 30

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Variation 11° 23' East

38,30 The corner to sections 18, 19, 24, 30
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 19 and 20
Variation 11° 10' East

40,00 Set a lime stone, 20 in. long
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick
for quarter section corner

64,75 Spring run 3 links wide right
bank runs N.E.

80,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between section 17 and 20

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chains Variation 11° 20' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

64,80 Creek; left bank 6 links wide
runs N.

80,04 Intersected N. and S. line at
the corner to sections 16, 17, 20
and 21 from which corner
9 run
West on a true line
between sections 17 and 20
Variation 11° 20' East

40,02 Set a lime stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,04 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line

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chains between sections 18 and 19
Variation 11° 20' East
38,16 Intersected the West Boundary
of the Township at the corner
to fractional sections 18 and
19 from which corner, I run
East on a true line
between sections 18 and 19
Variation 11° 20' East
38,16 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 17 and 18
Variation 11° 10' East.
40,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 12
in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a lime stone 18 in. long 14
in. wide and 4 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18
Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 8 and 17
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
75,50 Enter timber, bears N. and S.
77,00 Creek 10 links wide left
bank runs N.
78,50 Leave timber, bears N. and S.
78,82 Intersected N. and S. line at
the corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and
17 from which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 8 and 17
Variation 11° 20' East
38,91 Set a lime stone 16 in. long

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chains	chains	
		12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
38,16	79,32	The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18, Land rolling; Soil 1st rate Timber Oak and Elm October 13th 1857.
		West on a random line between sections 7 and 18 Variation 11° 20' East
38,16	37,86	Intersected the West Boundary of the Township 10 links North of the corner to sections 7 and 18 from which corner, I run East on a true line between sections 7 and 18 Variation 11° 28' East
40,00		
	37,86	The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18; Land rolling prairie;
80,00		Soil 1st rate.

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chains	
	North between sections 7 and 8 Variation 11° 10' East
40,00	Set lime stone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a lime stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8 Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.
	East on a random line between sections 5 and 8 Variation 11° 30' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
77,00	Creek; 10 links wide; left bank runs N.
80,00	Intersect N and S line at the corner to sections 4, 5, 8

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chains	chains	
		and 9 from which corner, I run
		West on a true line between
38,16		sections 5 and 8
		Variation 11° 30' East
	4,00	Set a lime stone 16 in. long
		12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
		quarter section corner
	80,00	The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8,
		Land rolling prairie,
38,16		Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line
between sections 6 and 7
Variation 11° 30' East

	37,88	Intersected the West Boundary
	4,00	of the Township at the corner
		to sections 6 and 7 from
		which corner, I run
		East on a true line
		between sections 6 and 7.

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chains	
	Variation 11° 30' East
37,88	The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line
between sections 5 and 6.
Variation 11° 25' East

4,00	Set a post for a temporary
	quarter section corner
78,72	Intersected the North Bound-
	ary of the Township 4 links
	East of the corner to sections
	5 and 6 from which corner
	I run
	South on a true line
	between sections 5 and 6
	Variation 11° 42' East
39,72	Set a lime stone 14 in. long
	12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for

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chains	links	
		quarter section corner
	79,72	The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8.
38,16		Land rolling prairie,
		Soil 4th rate.
		October 14th 1837.
38,16		
40,00		
8		

General Description

This Township is high rolling prairie and the Soil is 4th rate for cultivation The Eastern part of the Township is nearly destitute of water; the Western part is well watered

The timber is poor and scattering

List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field Notes of Township No 9 North of the base line of Range No 8, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted:

A. E. Goold, Chainman ~~and~~ ~~Compassman~~

Geo. H. McLelland, Chainman.

Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker.

Henry E. Kingsbury, Flagman.

Exd Correct
Dec 29th 1857) Vanzandt

Compared by Jefferdorf & Tony

Field Notes of the Subdivision Lines in Township No. 10. North. of the base line on Range No. 8. East of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska

By A. Philo. Drake Deputy Surveyor

Under his contract No 217 bearing date of Sept 17th 1857.

Subdivision Commenced October 16th 1857.

Subdivision Compleated October 24th 1857

A. S. made & compared N. V. Ramsden

List of Names

Chains	
38,14	A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and Corners described in the following field notes of Township No. 10 North of the base line of Range No. 8. East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted:
38,12	A. E. Goold, Chainman ~~and Compassman~~.
0	Geo. H. McClelland, Chainman.
	Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker.
30,00	Henery E. Kingsbury, Flagman

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J. E. S. G. B.

	6	49	5	36	4	28	3	19	2	10	1	
N	48		47		35		27		18		9	Y
	7	46	8	34	9	26	10	18	11	9	12	
I	46		45		34		25		17		8	X
	18	44	17	33	16	24	15	16	14	7	13	
K	43		42		32		24		15		6	W
	19	42	20	31	21	23	22	14	23	6	24	
L	41		40		31		22		14		5	V
	30	39	29	30	28	22	27	13	26	4	25	
M	39		38		29		21		12		3	U
	31	37	32	28	33	20	34	11	35	3	36	

O. P. Q. R. S.

chains

38,16

38,16

40,00

Field Notes of the Subdivision lines
in Township 10, N. Range 8, E.
Sixth Principal Meridian

chains To determine the proper
adjustment of my compass
for subdividing this Town-
ship, I commence at the cor-
to Townships 9 and 10, N.
R. 8 and 9, E., and run
North, on a blank line
along the East Boundary
of section 36,

Variation 11° 20' East

40,00 To a point 12 links West of
the quarter section corner

80,00 To a point 25 links West of the
corner to sections 25 and 36,

To retace this line or run
parallel thereto my compass
must be adjusted to a
variation of 11° 18' East

Subdivision Commenced
October 16th 1857.

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chains	chains	
		From the corner to sections 1, 2,
		35 and 36 on the South Boundary
38,10		of the Township, I run,
		North, between sections 35 and 36
		Variation 11° 10' East
	40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
		9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
		quarter section corner,
	80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
38,10		8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
		corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36
		Land rolling prairie.
		Soil 1st rate.

		East on a random line
5,00		between sections 25 and 36
		Variation 10° 50' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary
	80,00	quarter section corner
	79,84	Intersected the East Boundary

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chains		of the Township 14 link South
		of the corner to section 25 and 36
		from which corner, I run
		West on a true line
		between sections 25 and 36
		Variation 11° 9' East.
	39,92	Set a red sand stone 24 in. long
		6 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
		quarter section corner
	78,54	The corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36,
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

		North between sections 25 and 26
		Variation 11° 15' East
	40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
		10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for
		quarter section corner
	80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
		10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for

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chains	chains	corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26
		Land rolling prairie
38,1		Soil 1st rate.

		East on a random line
		between sections 24 and 25
		Variation 11° 10' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary
		quarter section corner
38,1	77,88	Intersected the East Boundary
		of the Township 30 links South
		of the corner to sections 24 and
		25 from which corner I run
		West on a true line
		between sections 24 and 25
		Variation 11° 23' East
	39,94	Set a red sand stone 20 in. long
		9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
80,00		quarter section corner.
	78,88	The corner to sections 23, 24, 25, 26

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chains		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

		North between sections 23 and 24
		Variation 11° 15' East.
	40,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12
		in. wide and 5 in. thick for
		quarter section corner
	41,00	Road, course N.W. and S.E.
	80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
		9 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
		corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

		East on a random line
		between sections 13 and 24
		Variation 11° 20' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary
		quarter section corner

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chain	chains	
	80,00	Intersected the East Boundary
38,1		of the Township 20 links North
		of the corner to sections 13 and 24
		from which corner, I run
		West on a true line between
		sections 13 and 24
		Variation 11° 11' E
	40,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
38,1		10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
		quarter section corner
	80,00	The corner to sections 13, 14, 23, 24.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

		North between sections 13 and 14
		Variation 11° 15' East
	40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
80,00		8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
		quarter section corner

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	chains	
	80,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
		12 in. wide and 5 in. thick
		for corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

		East on a random line
		between sections 12 and 13
		Variation 11° 20' East.
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary
		quarter section corner
	78,88	Intersected the East Boundary
		of the Township 30 links South
		of the corner to sections 12 and
		13 from which corner, I run
		West on a true line
		between sections 12 and 13
		Variation 11° 33' East
	39,99	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long

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chains	
	10 in wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
79,98	The corner to section 11, 12, 13, 14, Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 11 and 12
Variation 11° 15' East

chains	
40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 14 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 1 and 12
Variation 11° 30' East

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chains	
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
80,36	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 30 links South of the corner, to sections 1 and 12 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 1 and 12. Variation 11° 45' East.
40,18	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 18 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,36	The corner to sections 1, 2, 11, 12. Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line between sections 1 and 2
Variation 11° 15' East.

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chains

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80,30 Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 50 links East of the corner to sections 1 and 2 from which corner, I run South on a true line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 11° 37' East

40,30 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,30 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11, 12.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

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North between sections 34 and 35

Variation 11° 20' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long

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chains 12 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 26 and 35

Variation 11° 10' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,10 Intersected N. and S. line 6 links North of the corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 26 and 35

Variation 11° 7' East

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Sixth Principal Meridian

Chains

40,05 Set a red sand stone 25 in. long 8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,10 The corner to sections 26, 27, 34, 35.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 26 and 27
Variation 11° 20' East.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 16 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner,

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 16 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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Chains

between sections 23 and 26
Variation 11° 10' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner,

80,32 Intersected N. and S. line 26 links South of the corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26 from which corner, I run
West on a true line between sections 23 and 26
Variation 11° 21' East

40,16 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 10 in. thick for quarter section corner,

80,32 The corner to sections 22, 23, 26, 27.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 22 and 23
Variation 11° 10' East

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Sixth Principal Meridian

Chains

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate

East on a random line between sections 14 and 23
Variation 11° 10' East

13,25 Road; course N. W. and S. E.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

79,94 Intersected N. and S. line 26 links South of the corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24 from which corner,

Firm

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Sixth Principal Meridian

Chains

West on a true line between sections 14 and 23
Variation 11° 21' East

35,97 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner.

78,84 The corner to sections 14, 15, 22 23.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 14 and 15
Variation 11° 15' East

12,00 Road, course N. W. and S. E.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 24 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15

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Sixth Principal Meridian

chains

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 11 and 14
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
79,78 Intersected N. and S. line 30
links North of the corner to
sections 11, 12, 14 and 15 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 11 and 14
Variation 11° 17' East
38,89 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for
quarter section corner
78,78 The corner to sections 10, 11, 14, 15;
Land rolling prairie;

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Sixth Principal Meridian

chains

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 10 and 11
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long
11 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11
Land: rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 2 and 11
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
78,76 Intersected N. and S. line
28 links South of the corner

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chains to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 11° 32' East

39,73 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 7 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,46 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11.

Land rolling prairie,

Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line between sections 2 and 3.

Variation 11° 20' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner,

79,80 Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 24 link East of the corner, to sections 2 and 3

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chains from which corner, I run

South on a true line between sections 2 and 3

Variation 11° 30' East

39,80 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,80 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate.

October 17th 1857.

North between sections 33 and 34

Variation 11° 30' East.

40,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 20 in. long 9 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34.

Land rolling prairie,

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Sixth Principal Meridian

chains Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 27 and 34
Variation 11° 10' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
80,00 Intersected N. and S. line 38 links South of the corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35 from which corner, I run
West on a true line between sections 27 and 34
Variation 11° 24' East
40,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00 The corner to sections 27, 28, 33, 34.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

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chains North between sections 27 and 28
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 9 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 22 and 27
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,80 Intersected N. and S. line at the corner to section 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner, I run
West on a true line

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Sixth Principal Meridian.

chains between sections 22 and 27

Variation 11° 30' East

39,95 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,90 The corner to sections 21, 22, 27, 28.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 21 and 22

Variation 11° 30' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 7 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

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chains East on a random line between sections 15 and 22

Variation 11° 30' East.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter quarter section

78,74 Intersected, N. and S. line 28 links North of the corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 15 and 22.

Variation 11° 18' East

39,87 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 9 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

78,74 The corner to sections 15, 16, 21, 22.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 15 and 16

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Chs.	Chains	
		Variation 11°30' East
	4,00	Set a red sand stone 12 in. long
39,[illegible]		12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
		quarter section corner.
	64,75	Road, course E and W
79,[illegible]	80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
		10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
		corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

		East on a random line
		between sections 10 and 15
		Variation 11°50' East
80,[illegible]	4,00	Set a post for a temporary
		quarter section corner
	80,16	Intersected N. and S. line 60
		links North of the corner to
		sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 from
		which corner, I run

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Chains	
	West on a true line between
	sections 10 and 15
	Variation 11°24' East
40,08	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
	10 in. wide and 9 in. thick for
	quarter section corner
80,16	The corner to sections 9, 10, 15, 16.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate

	North between sections 9 and 10
	Variation 11°25' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 24 in. long
	9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
	quarter section corner,
80,00	Set a red sand stone 20 in. long
	12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
	corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

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Chains		
		East on a random line between sections 3 and 10
39,[illegible]		Variation 11° 25' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,[illegible]	80,20	Intersected N. and S. line 36 links North of the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 from which corner, I run
		West on a true line between sections 3 and 10
[illegible]		Variation 11° 10' East
	40,10	Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,[illegible]		
	80,20	The corner to sections 3, 4, 9, 10. Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line

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Chains	
	between sections 3 and 4
	Variation 11° 25' East
14,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
18,46	Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 40 links West of the corner to sections 3 and 4 from which corner I run
	South on a true line between sections 3 and 4
	Variation 11° 8' East
39,46	Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 7 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
79,46	The corner to sections 3, 4, 9, 10. Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate.
	October 18th 1857.

North between sections 32 and 33
Variation 11° 50' East.

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chains

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 12 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33

Variation 11° 25' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,10 Intersected N. and S. line 18 links South of the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between

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chains sections 28 and 33

Variation 11° 35' East

40,05 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,10 The corner to sections 28, 29, 32, 33.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 28 and 29

Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner, to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

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	chains	
		East on a random line between sections 21 and 28
39,		Variation 11° 35' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,	80,64	Intersected N. and S. line 14 links North of the corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 from which corner, I run
		West on a true line between sections 21 and 28
40,		Variation 11° 29' East,
	40,32	Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 6 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,	80,64	The corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29.
		Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 20 and 21.

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	chains	
		Variation 11° 35' East
	40,00	Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 7 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
	80,00	Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 7 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21.
		Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

		East on a random line between sections 16 and 21
		Variation 11° 35' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
	80,40	Intersected N. and S. line 16 links North of the corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from which corner I run
		West on a true line between

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	chains	sections 16 and 21
		Variation 11° 28' East
39	40,20	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
79	80,40	The corner to sections 16, 17, 20, 21.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 16 and 17

Variation 11° 35 East

39	40,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80	68,00	Road, course E. and W.
	80,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

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	chains	East on a random line between sections 9 and 16
		Variation 11° 30' East
	40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
	80,34	Intersected N. and S. line 24 links North of the corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from which corner, Drum
		West on a true line between sections 9 and 16
		Variation 11° 20' East
	40,17	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner.
	80,34	The corner to sections 8, 9, 16, 17.
		Land rolling prairie;
		Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 8 and 9

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chains

Variation 11° 30' East.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 4, 5, 8, and 9

Land rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9

Variation 11° 20' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80,00 Intersected N. and S. line 22 links North of the corner to section 3, 4, 9 and 10 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between

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chains

sections 4 and 9

Variation 11° 11' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9.

Land rolling prairie,

Soil 1st rate,

North on a random line between sections 4 and 5

Variation 11° 25' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,64 Intersected, the North Boundary of the Township 50 links East of the corner to section 4 and 5 from which corner, I run

South on a true line between sections 4 and 5

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chains

Variation 11° 47' East

39,64 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 7 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.

78,64 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
October 19th 1857.

North between sections 31 and 32

Variation 11° 40' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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chains between sections 29 and 32

Variation 11° 35' East.

2,50 Spring run 2 links wide left bank runs N.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

46,10 Creek 10 links wide, left bank runs N.W.

78,82 Intersected N. and S. line 12 links North of the corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 from which corner, Drum

West on a true line between sections 29 and 32

Variation 11° 30' East

39,91 Set a red sandstone, 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.

79,82 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32.

Land rolling prairie;

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chains

Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line
between sections 30 and 31
Variation 11° 30' East

36,96 Intersect the West Boundary of
the Township at the corner to
fractional sections 30 and
31 from which corner, I run
East on a true line between
sections 30 and 31 East
Variation 11° 30' East

36,96 The corner to sections 28, 30, 31, 32.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 29 and 30
Variation 11° 40' East

4,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for

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chains

quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 18, 20, 29 and 30.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 20 and 29
Variation 11° 30' East

1,50 Creek, 10 links wide, left bank
runs N. W.

4,00 Set a post for temporary
quarter section corner

19,80 Intersected N. and S. line 50
links North of the corner to
sections 20, 21, 28 and 29 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 20 and 29

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Chains	
	Variation 11° 8' East
39,90	Set a red sand stone 30 in. long 6 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner,
79,80	The corner to sections 19, 20, 29, 30,
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate,

	West on a random line between fractional sections 18 and 130
	Variation 11° 25' East
36,12	Intersected the West Boundary of the Township at the corner to fractional sections 18 and 130 from which corner, I run
	East on a true line between fractional sections 18 and 130.
	Variation 11° 25' East
36,12	The corner to sections 18, 20, 28, 30
	Land rolling prairie

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Chains	
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 18 and 20
	Variation 11° 40' East
2,00	Creek 10 links wide left bank runs N.W.
4,00	Set a red sand stone 13 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner,
80,00	Set a red sand stone 24 in. long 6 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate,

	East on a random line between sections 18 and 20
	Variation 11° 30' East
4,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

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chains

79,86 Intersected N. and S. line 4 links North of the corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 17 and 20

Variation 11° 28' East

39,93 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 14 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,86 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between fractional sections 18 and 19

Variation 11° 30' East

36,34 Intersected the West Boundary of the Township at the corner to

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chains to fractional sections 18 and 19 from which corner, I run

East on a true line between fractional sections 18 and 19

Variation 11° 30' East

36,34 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 17 and 18

Variation 11° 50' East

33,00 Road, course E and W.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 10 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 21 in. long 10 in. wide and 3 in. thick for corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

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chains East on a random line between sections 8 and 17
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,00 Intersected N. and S. line 60 links North of the corner, to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which corner, Drum
West on a true line between sections 8 and 17
Variation 11° 4' East
4,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,
October 20th 1837.

West on a random line between

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chains fractional sections 7 and 18
Variation 11° 30' East
36,22 Intersected the West Boundary of the Township 28 links South of the corner to fractional sections 7 and 18 from which corner, Drum
East on a true line between fractional sections 7 and 18
Variation 11° 3' East
36,22 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between section 7 and 8
Variation 11° 35' East.
4,00 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long 8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long

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chains 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 5 and 8
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
78,60 Intersected N. and S. line 40
links South of the corner to
sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 from which
corner, Drum
West on a true line between
sections 5 and 8
Variation 11° 47' East
39,80 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner

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chains
79,60 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between
fractional sections 6 and 7
Variation 11° 55' East
36,78 Intersected the West Boundary of
the Township at the corner to
fractional sections 6 and 7 from
which corner, Drum
East on a true line between
fractional sections 6 and 7
Variation 11° 55' East
36,78 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line

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chains	
	between sections 5 and 6
	Variation 11° 30' East
38,00	Spring run, 3 links wide, left bank runs N.W.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,04	Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 46 links East of the corner to sections 5 and 6 from which corner, I run South on a true line between sections 5 and 6
	Variation 11° 50' East
39,04	Set a red sand stone 18 in long 11 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section corner
78,04	The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8. Land rolling prairie; Soil 4th rate

October 21st 1857.

General Description

This Township is high rolling prairie and nearly destitute of water;
The soil is 4th rate for agricultural purposes.
There is a few scatering trees along the Creeke that passes through the S.W. corner of the Township; Also a good quarry of red sand stone on section 1.

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A. List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field Notes of Township No 10. North of the base line of Range No. 8, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted;

A. E. Goald, Chainman ~~and Compassman~~.

Geo. H. McLelland, Chainman.

Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman, and Marker.

Henery E. Kingsbury, Flagman.

Exd. correct
Dec 29th 1857

Vanzandt

Compared by Duffendorf & Torry

Field Notes of the Contract No. 217

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Subdivision Lines in Township No. 11. North of the base line of Range No. 8, East of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska.

By

A. Philo. Drake.

Deputy Surveyor;

Undere his contract No. 217 bearing date September 17th 1857.

Subdivision Commenced October 25th 1857.

Subdivision Compleated October 30th 1857.

D. L. made & compared

C. P. Ramsdell

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List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners described in the following field notes of Township No. 11. North of the base line of Range No. 8. East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted:

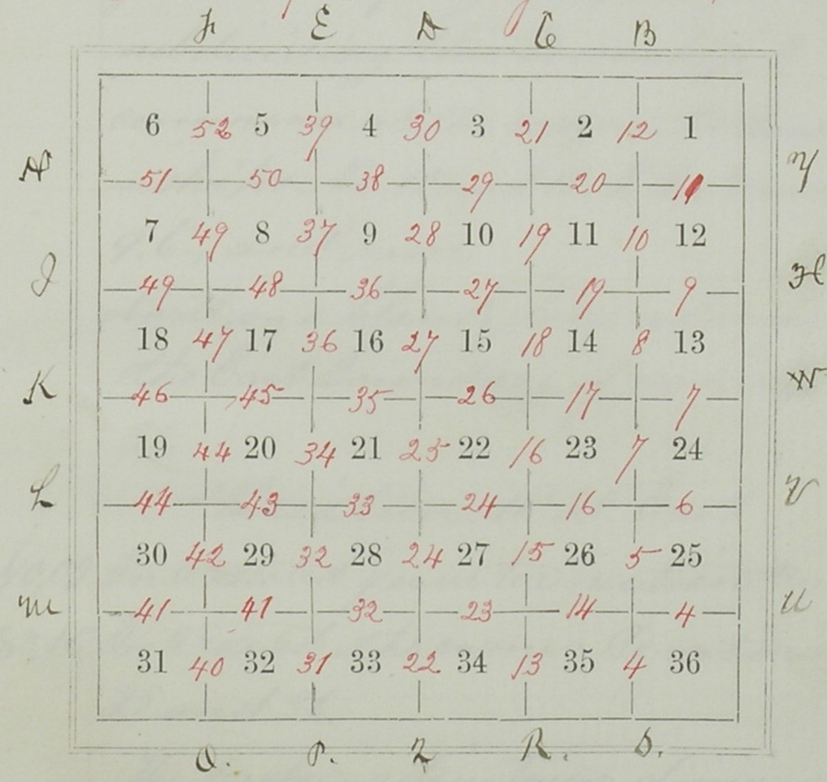
A. E. Goold, Chainman ~~and Compassman~~

Geo. H. McLelland, Chainman.

Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker

Henry E. Kingsbury, Flagman.

Township 11 N. Range 8 East



Field Notes of the Subdivision lines in Township 11 N. Range 8 E
Fifth Principal Meridian.

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township, I commence at the corner to Townships No 10 and 11 N. R. 8 and 9 E., and run,

North, on a blank line along the East Boundary of section 36,

Variation 11° 20' East

40,05 Intersected quarter section corner
80,10 Intersected the corner to sections 25 and 36,

The proper adjustment of my compass therefore being 11° 20' East

Subdivision Commenced
October 25th 1857.

From the corner to sections 1, 2, 35 and 36 on the North Boundary of the Township, I run.

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chains	
	North, between sections 35 and 36
	Variation 11° 20' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 12 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a red sand 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36,
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	East on a random line between sections 25 and 36.
	Variation 11° 20' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
52,00	Creek; 10 links wide, left bank runs N.W.
79,90	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 54 links South

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chains	
	of the corner to sections 25 and 36 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 25 and 36
	Variation 11° 43' East
39,95	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 9 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner,
79,90	The corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 25 and 26,
	Variation 11° 20' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 11 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner,
55,00	Old Government road to Fort Kearney course E and W.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long

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chains 11 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26.
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 24 and 25
Variation 11° 30' East
9,50 Creek; 20 links wide; left bank runs N.
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,60 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 50 links South of the corner to sections 24 and 25 from which corner, Run
West on a true line between sections 24 and 25
Variation 11° 52' East
39,50 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long

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chains 11 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner
79,60 The corner to sections 23, 24, 25, 26.
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 23 and 24
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 13 and 24
Variation 11° 50' East.

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chains

6,00 Creek; 15 links wide, left bank runs N.W.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,86 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 14 links South of the corner to sections 13 and 24 from which corner, I run West on a true line between section 13 and 24

Variation 11° 56' East.

39,98 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner,

78,86 The corner to sections 13, 14, 23, 24,

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 13 and 14

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Variation 11° 25' East

chains

8,80 Creek; 12 links wide left bank runs N.W.

11,40 Same stream; 12 links wide right bank runs N.E.

13,50 Same stream left bank runs N. thence N.W.

40,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner,

55,00 Creek, 12 links wide, right bank, runs N.E.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14,

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 12 and 13

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Chains	
	Variation 11° 55' East
23,60	Creek, 12 links wide, left bank runs N.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,48	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 20 links South of the corner to sections 12 and 13 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 12 and 13
	Variation 12° 4' East
39,74	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 7 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
78,48	The corner to sections 11, 12, 13, 14.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate,

North between sections 11 and 12

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Chains	
	Variation 11° 30' East
40,00	Set a red sandstone 15 in. long 11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
53,50	Creek; 15 links wide, left bank runs N.W.
80,00	Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12
	Land level prairie.
	Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 1 and 12

Chains	
	Variation 12° East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
79,30	Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 50 links South of the corner to sections 1 and 12

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chains

from which corner, I run
West on a true line
between sections 1 and 12
Variation 12° 22' East
39,65 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long
10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner
79,30 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11, 12
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line
between sections 1 and 2
Variation 11° 50' East
12,25 Creek; 15 links wide, right
bank runs N. E.
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
50,00 Salt Creek; 80 links wide
right bank, runs E.

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chains

30,50 Intersected North Boundary of the Township 70 links
West of the corner to sections
1 and 2 from which
corner, I run
South on a true line
between sections 1 and 2.
Variation 11° 20' East
40,50 Set a red sandstone 18 in
long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick
for quarter section corner
80,50 The corner to sections 1, 2, 11, 12.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
October 25th 1857.

North between sections 34 and 35
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
14 in. wide and 4 in. thick for

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chains
80,00 quarter section corner.
Set a red sand stone 30 in. long
8 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 26 and 35
Variation 11° 40' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
80,00 Intersected N. and S. line at
the corner to sections 25, 26, 35
and 36 from which corner,
9 rim
West on a true line between
sections 26 and 35.
Variation 11° 40' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long

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chains 8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 The corner to sections 26, 27, 34, 35
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 26 and 27
Variation 11° 20' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 24 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner
50,50 Old Government Road to Fort
Kearney, course E and W.
80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
9 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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chains	
	between sections 23 and 26
	Variation 11° 45' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,00	Intersected N. and S. line at the corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26, from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 23 and 26
	Variation 11° 45' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	The corner to sections 22, 23, 26, 27,
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate

North between sections 22 and 23
Variation 11° 30' East

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chains	
40,00	Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23,
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 14 and 23
Variation 11° 45' East

40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,40	Intersected N. and S. line 24 links South of the corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line

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chains between sections 14 and 23
Variation 11° 55' East

39,70 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner.

79,40 The corner to sections 14, 15, 22, 23.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 14 and 15
Variation 11° 35' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate;

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chains East on a random line between sections 11 and 14
Variation 12° East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

79,38 Intersected N. and S. line 18 links North of the corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14 from which corner, I run
West on a random line between sections 11 and 14
Variation 11° 52' East

39,69 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.

79,38 The corner to sections 10, 11, 14, 15.
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 10 and 11

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chains	
	Variation 11° 40' East.
40,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner,
80,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11,
	Land level prairie,
	Soil 1st rate,

East on a random line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 11° 50' East

40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
65,50	Creek 15 links wide, left bank runs N.
78,44	Intersected N. and S. line 56 links North of the corner to sections 1, 2, 11 and 12 from

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chains	
	which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 2 and 11
	Variation 11° 26' East
39,72	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner
78,44	The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11,
	Land rolling prairie,
	Soil 1st rate,

North on a random line between sections 2 and 3

Variation 11° 45' East

40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
46,40	Salt Creek right bank 90 links wide runs N.E.
79,20	Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 80 links

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chains West of the corner to sections 2 and 3 from which corner, I run

South on a true line between sections 2 and 3

Variation 11° 36' East

32,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner,

78,50 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 4th rate.

October 26th 1837.

North between sections 33, and 34.

Variation 11° 20' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 14 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34

Land rolling prairie

Soil 4th rate

East on a random line between sections 27 and 34

Variation 11° 40' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,82 Intersected N. and S. line 8 links North of the corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 27 and 34

Variation 11° 36' East

32,76 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner

78,82 The corner to sections 27, 28, 33, 34

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chains	
	Land rolling prairie.
	Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 27 and 28
Variation 11° 25' East

30,00	Old Government road to S.E.
	Kerney course E. and W.
40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to section 21, 22, 27 and 28.
	Land rolling prairie.
	Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 22 and 27
Variation 11° 45' East

40,00	Set a post for a temporary

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chains	
	quarter section corner.
78,88	Intersected N. and S. line 10 links South of the corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 22 and 27
	Variation 11° 49' East
38,94	Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
78,88	The corner to sections 21, 22, 27 & 28.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 21 and 22
Variation 11° 30' East

40,00	Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 12 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner

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chains

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 7 in. thick for corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 15 and 22
Variation 11° 55' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80,12 Intersected N. and S. line 34 links North of the corner to sections 14, 15, 22 and 23 from which corner, I run
West on a true line between sections 15 and 22
Variation 11° 41' East.

40,06 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long

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chains 8 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,12 The corner to sections 15, 16, 21, 22
Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 15 and 16
Variation 11° 30' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12° East

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chains	
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,36	Intersected N. and S. line 34 links North of the corner to sections 10, 11, 14 and 15 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 10 and 15
	Variation 11° 45' East
40,18	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,36	The corner to section 9, 10, 15, 16.
	Land level prairie; Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 9 and 10
Variation 11° 20' East

40,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long

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chains	
	9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner
65,70	Salt Creek; 60 links wide right bank runs N.E.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10.
	Land level prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between section 3 and 10
Variation 11° 40' East

5,80	Salt Creek, left bank 75 links wide runs N.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,10	Intersected N. and S. line 8 links South of the corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11 from which

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chains corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 3 and 10
Variation 11° 44' East
40,05 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,10 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line
between sections 3 and 4
Variation 11° 35' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
78,40 Intersected the North Boundary
of the Township 50 links West
of the corner to sections 3 and 4 from
which corner, I run

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chains South on a true line between
sections 3 and 4
Variation 11° 13' E
39,40 Set a red sandstone 12 in. long
12 in. wide and 8 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
79,40 The corner to section 3, 4, 9, 10.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
October 27th 1837.

North between sections 32 and 33.
Variation 11° 30' East
40,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long
11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

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chains

East on a random line
between sections 28 and 33
Variation 11° 35' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

80,00 Intersected N. and S. line
50 links South of the corner
to section 27, 28, 33 and 34 from
which corner, I run

West on a true line
between sections 28 and 33
Variation 11° 57' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long
10 in. wide and 7 in. wide for
quarter section corner,

80,00 The corner to sections 28, 29, 32, 33.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 28 and 29.

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chains

Variation 11° 35' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner

45,00 Old Government road to Ft.
Kearney course E. and W.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long
11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 21 and 28
Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

72,88 Intersected N. and S. line 6 links
South of the corner to sections
21, 22, 27 and 28 from which

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chains

corner, Drum
West on a true line between
sections 21 and 28
Variation 12° 16' East
38,54 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner
79,88 The corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 20 and 21
Variation 11° 45' East.
40,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21.
Land rolling prairie;

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chains

Soil 1st rate

East on a random line
between sections 16 and 21
Variation 11° 50' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
78,90 Intersected N. and S. line 46
links South of the corner to
sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from
which corner, Drum
West on a true line
between sections 16 and 21
Variation 12° 10' East
39,95 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long
11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner
79,90 The corner to sections 16, 17, 20, 21.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

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chains	
	North between sections 16 and 17
	Variation 11° 50' East
40,00	Set a red sandstone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 2 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17.
	Land level prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	East on a random line between sections 9 and 16
	Variation 11° 45' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,00	Intersected N. and S. line 8 links South of the corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from which corner, I run.

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chains	
	West on a true line between sections 9 and 16
	Variation 11° 49' East
40,00	Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	The corner to sections 8, 9, 16, 17.
	Land level prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 8 and 9
	Variation 11° 50' East.
40,00	Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 7 in. wide and 2 in. thick for quarter section corner
48,30	Salt Creek; right bank 50 links wide runs East
80,00	Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9

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Chains	Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9
Variation 11° 55' East

20,00	Salt Creek, 60 links wide left banks runs N.E.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
75,30	Salt Creek, 60 links wide right bank runs S.E.
80,20	Intersected N. and S. line 12 links South of the corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 4 and 9 Variation 12° East
4,10	Set a red sandstone 8 in. long

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Chains	8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,20	The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9 Land level; Soil 1st rate A few scattering Cottonwoods along the Creek

North on a random line between sections 4 and 5
Variation 11° 15' East

40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,74	Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 26 links West of the corner to sections 4 and 5 from which corner, I run South on a true line between sections 4 and 5 Variation 11° 4' East

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Chains

35,74 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

78,74 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
October 28th 1857.

North between section 31 and 32
Variation 11° 40' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 17 in. long 8 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to section 29, 30, 31 and 32.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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Chains between sections 29 and 32
Variation 12° East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,00 Intersected the N. and S. line 18 links North of the corner to Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 from which corner, I run
West on a true line between sections 29 and 32
Variation 11° 52' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between fractional sections 30 and 31

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Chains	
	Variation 11° 55' East
35,00	Intersected the West Boundary of the Township at the corner to fractional sections 30 and 31 from which corner, I run
	East on a true line between section 30 and 31
	Variation 11° 55' East
35,00	The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32.
	Land rolling prairie;
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 29 and 30
	Variation 11° 50' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 12 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
55,00	Old Government Road to Fort Kearney, course E and W.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long

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Chains	
	10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30
	Land level prairie
	Soil 1st rate.

	East on a random line between sections 20 and 29
	Variation 12° East.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
78,88	Intersected N and S. line 60 links North of the corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 20 and 29
	Variation 11° 34' East
38,94	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 10 in. thick for quarter section corner,

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chains

78,88 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29, 30.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate

West on a random line
between fractional sections 19 and 30
Variation 11° 40' East

34,80 Intersected the West Boundary
of the Township at the corner
to fractional sections 19 and 30
from which corner, I run
East on a true line between
fractional sections 19 and 30
Variation 11° 40' East

34,80 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29, 30.
Land level prairie;
Soil 2nd rate,

North between sections 19 and 120,

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Fifth Principal Meridian

chains

Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 120
Land level prairie
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 17 and 20
Variation 12° East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

78,60 Intersected N. and S. line 60
links North of the corner to
sections 16, 17, 20 and 21 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between

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chains sections 17 and 20

Variation 11° 34' East

39,50 Set a red sand stone 10 in. long 10 in. wide and 10 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,60 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.

Land level prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between fractional sections 18 and 19

Variation 11° 40' East.

18,00 Salt Creek; right bank 55 links wide runs N.E.

27,00 Same stream, left bank 50 links wide runs S.E.

34,50 Intersected the West boundary of the Township at the corner to fractional sections 18 and 19 from which corner, I run

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chains East on a true line between fractional sections 18 and 19

Variation 11° 40' East

34,50 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.

Land level prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 17 and 18

Variation 12° East

8,00 Salt Creek; right bank, 75 links wide runs N.E.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18.

Land level prairie:

Soil 1st rate.

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chains	
	East on a random line between section 8 and 17
	Variation 11° 50' East
37,40	Salt Creek; left bank; 65 link wide runs N.E.
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.
78,70	Intersected the N. and S. line 30 link North of the corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 8 and 17.
	Variation 11° 37' East
39,85	Set a red sand stone 15 in. long 12 in. wide 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
78,70	The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18
	Land level prairie.
	Soil 1st rate.

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chains	
	West on a random line between fractional sections 7 and 18
	Variation 11° 40' East
33,70	Intersected the West Boundary of the Township at the corner to fractional sections 7 and 18 from which corner, I run
	East on a true line between fractional sections 7 and 18
	Variation 11° 40' East
33,70	The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18
	Land level prairie
	Soil 1st rate.

	North between sections 7 and 8
	Variation 12° 10' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long

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chains
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 5 and 8
Variation 11° 55' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
80,18 Intersected N. and S. line 10
links North of the corner to
sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 5 and 8
Variation 11° 51' East
40,09 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner

Township 11 N. Range 8 E.
Fifth Principal Meridian

chains
80,18 The corner to section 5, 6, 7, 8.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line
between fractional sections 6 and 7
Variation 11° 50' East
33,00 Intersected the West Boundary
of the Township at the corner
to fractional sections 6 and 7
from which corner, I run
East on a true line between
fractional sections 6 and 7
Variation 11° 50' East
33,00 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8.
Land level prairie.
Soil 1st rate.

North on a random line

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Sixth Principal Meridian

Chains	
	between sections 5 and 6
	Variation 11° 30' East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary
	quarter section corner
78,80	Intersected the North Boundary
	of the Township 52 links West
	of the corner to sections 5 and 6
	from which corner, I run
	South on a true line between
	sections 5 and 6
	Variation 11° 8' E
38,80	Set a red sandstone 18 in. long
	6 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
	quarter section corner
78,80	The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8.
	Land level prairie;
	Soil 1st rate

October 30th 1857.

General Description

The quality of the land in this Township is first rate; That portion lying along Salt Creek from a mile to two miles on either side is high level prairie and well adapted for agricultural purposes The remainder of the Township is high rolling prairie;

There is but very little timber, and that scattered along Salt Creek; but sufficient to insure the settlement of that portion of the Township

List of Names:

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring or marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No. 11. North of the base line of Range No. 8. East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted;

A. E. Goold. Chainman and ~~Compassman~~

Geo. H. McLelland, Chainman

Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker.

Henry E. Kingsbury, Flagman

Exd - Correct
Dec 29th 1857 Vanzandt

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Field Notes
of the Contract No 217
Subdivision Lines
in
Township No. 12. North
of the base line
of
Range No. 8. East
of the
Sixth Principal Meridian
in the
Territory of Nebraska
By
A. Philo. Drake.
Deputy Surveyor
Under his contract No 217
bearing date the 17th day of September 1857.

Subdivision Commenced
November 9th 1857.
Subdivision Compleated
November 14th 1857.

D. G. made & compared C. B. Ramsdale

List of Names

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners described in the following field notes of Township No. 12 North of the base line of Range No. 8 East of the Sixth Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted!

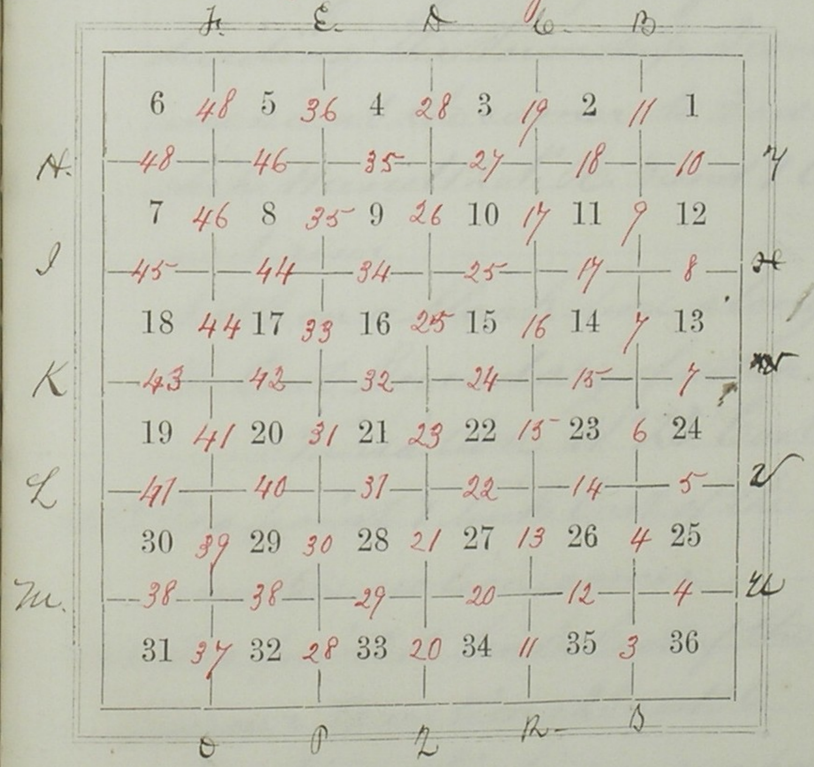
A. E. Goold, Chainman ~~and Compassman~~.

Geo. H. McLelland, Chainman.

Dexter P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker.

Henry E. Kingsbury Flagman.

Township 12 N. Range 8 East



Field Notes of the subdivision lines in Township No. 12 N. Range 8 E

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To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this Township, I commence at the corner to Township Nos. 11 & 12 N. R. 8 and 9 E, and run

North on a blank line along the East Boundary of section 36.

Variation 11° 25' East

40,03 To a point 7 links East of the quarter section corner

80,06 To a point 12 links East of the corner to sections 25 and 36.

To retrace this line or run parallel thereto, my compass must be adjusted to a variation of 11° 30' East.

I also chained West along the South Boundary of section 36.

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Chains

39,03 To quarter section corner

78,07 To the corner of sections 35 and 36
Subdivision Commenced
November 9th 1857.
From the corner to sections 1, 2,
35 and 36 on the South Boundary
of the Township, I run
North, between sections 35 and 36
Variation 12° 20' East

29,90 Pond 150 links wide beares
E and W

40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 12 in. long
9 in. wide and 8 in. thick for
corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36.
Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate.

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Chains East on a random line between
sections 25 and 36
Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

80,04 Intersected the East Boundary
of the Township 10 links South
of the corner to section 25 and 36
from which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 25 and 36
Variation 11° 54' East

40,02 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,04 The corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 25 and 26.

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chains

Variation 11°30' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for corner to sections 23, 24, 25 and 26.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

Carton a random line between sections 24 and 25

Variation 11°50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,78 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 40 links South of the corner to sections 24 and 25 from which corner, Drum West on a true line between

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chains

sections 24 and 25

Variation 12° 7' East

39,89 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner.

79,78 The corner to sections 23, 24, 25, 26

Land rolling prairie.

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 23 and 24

Variation 11°45' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for corner to sections 13, 14, 23 and 24.

Land rolling prairie;

Soil 1st rate.

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Chains

East on a random line between sections 13 and 24

Variation 12° 10' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,80 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 50 links North of the corner to sections 13 and 24 from which corner, I run West on a true line between sections 13 and 24

Variation 11° 48' East

38,95 Set a red sand-stone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

78,80 The corner to sections 13, 14, 23, 24.

Land rolling prairie,

Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 13 and 14

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Chains

Variation 11° 45'

40,00 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.

79,00 Set a red sandstone 18 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 11, 12, 13 and 14.

Land rolling prairie,

Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 12 and 13

Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

68,00 Spring run, right bank, 3 links wide runs S. E.

80,12 Intersected the East Boundary of the Township 20 links North of the corner to sections 12 and

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chains B from which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 12 and 13
Variation 11° 41' East.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long
8 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,12 The corner to sections 11, 12, 13, 14.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 11 and 12
Variation 11° 40' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick
for quarter section corner

57,00 Spring run, right bank, 3
links wide runs S.E.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long
12 in. wide and 6 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 2, 11 and 12.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between section 1 and 12.
Variation 11° 45' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.

80,08 Intersected the East Boundary
of the Township 10 links South
of the corner to sections 1 and 12
from which corner, I run
West on a true line
between sections 1 and 12
Variation 11° 48' East

40,04 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,08 The corner to sections 2, 11, 12

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chains

Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 1 and 2
Variation 11° 40' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,82 Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 20 links East of the corner to sections 35 and 36 Township 13 N. Range 8 E. where I set a red sand stone 12 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for closing corner to sections 1 and 2.

Land rolling prairie
Soil 1st rate

November 9th 1837.

North between sections 34 and 35
Variation 12° 20' East.

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chains

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner.

45,56 Creek; 40 links wide; right bank runs S. E.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 26 and 35.
Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

79,80 Intersected N. and S. line 86 links South of the corner to sections 25, 26, 35 and 36 from

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chains which corner, I run

West on a true line between
sections 26 and 35
Variation 12° 27' East

39,90 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

77,80 The corner to sections 26, 27, 34 & 35,
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 26 and 27
Variation 11° 40' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 15 in. long
9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long
12 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27.
Land rolling prairie.

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chains Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between section 23 and 26
Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

77,54 Intersected N. and S. line at
the corner to sections 23, 24, 25
and 26 from which corner, I run

West on a true line
between sections 23 and 26
Variation 11° 50' East

39,77 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long
15 in. wide and 3 in. thick for
quarter section corner

77,54 The corner to sections 26, 27, 23 & 22,
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

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Chains North between sections 22 and 23
Variation 11° 50' East,

40,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long 8 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner,

80,00 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long 12 in. wide and 9 in. thick for corner to section 14, 15, 22 and 23
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

East on a random line between section 14 and 23,
Variation 11° 55' East,

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,36 Intersected N. and S. line 28 links North of the corner to section 13, 14, 23 and 24 from which corner, I run

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Chains West on a true line between section 14 and 23
Variation 11° 43' East

39,68 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 12 in. wide and 3 in. thick for quarter section corner.

78,36 The corner to section 14, 15, 22, 23.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between section 14 and 15
Variation 11° 55' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 12 in. wide and 8 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 24 in. long 7 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to section 10, 11, 14 and 15.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

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chains East on a random line
between sections 11 and 14
Variation 11° 50' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner,
78,34 Intersected N. and S. line 14 links
South of the corner to sections
10, 12, 13 and 14 from which
corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 11 and 14
Variation 11° 56' East
38,67 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long
9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner,
79,34 The corner to sections 10, 11, 14, 15
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 10 and 11

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chains Variation 11° 55' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner,
80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
9 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 2, 3, 10 and 11.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 2 and 11
Variation 11° 56' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
62,50 Spring run, 3 links wide; right
bank runs S. E.
78,50 Intersected N. and S. line 52
links North of the corner to sections
1, 2, 11 and 12 from which

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chains corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 2 and 11.
Variation 11° 28' East.
37,75 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner
78,50 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11,
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between section 2 and 3
Variation 12° 10' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,80 Intersected the North Boundary
of the Township 27 links East of
the corner to section 34 and 35
in Township 13. N. Range 8. E.

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chains where I set a red sand stone
12 in. long, 12 in. wide and 4 in.
thick for closing corner to
sections 2 and 3.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
November 10th 1857.

North between sections 33 and 34
Variation 12° 30' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long
10 in. wide and 8 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 27 and 34

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chains Variation 11° 50' East

18,00 Creek; right bank, 20 links wide runs S.E.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,20 Intersected N. and S. line 86 links South of the corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 27 and 34

Variation 12° 27' East.

40,10 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,20 The corner to sections 27, 28, 33, 34. Land rolling prairie; Soil 4th rate.

North between sections 27 and 28

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chains Variation 11° 50' East.

40,00 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long 8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner

80,00 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28. Land rolling prairie; Soil 4th rate.

East on a random line between sections 22 and 27

Variation 11° 50' East

6,00 Creek; 20 links wide, right bank runs S.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

80,90 Intersected N. and S. line 46 links South of the corner to sections 22, 23, 26 and 27 from

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chains which corner, I run
West on a true line between
section 22 and 27
Variation 12° 10' East
40,45 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,90 The corner to section 21, 22, 27, 28.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil fair rate.

North between sections 21 and 22
Variation 11° 45' East
13,60 Creek; 20 links wide, right bank
runs S.E.
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22.
Land level prairie;
Soil fair rate.

East on a random line
between sections 15 and 22
Variation 11° 50' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
80,74 Intersected N. and S. line 80 links
South of the corner to sections 14
15, 22 and 23 from which
corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 15 and 22
Variation 12° 24' East
40,37 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
8 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,74 The corner to section 15, 16, 21, 22.

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chains Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

North, between sections 15 and 16
Variation 11° 45' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner,

80,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long,
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 9, 10, 15 and 16,
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12° East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

80,26 Intersected N. and S. line

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chains 10 links South of the corner to
sections 10, 17, 14 and 15 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line
between sections 10 and 15
Variation 12° 30' East

40,13 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner,

80,26 The corner to sections 9, 10, 15, 16.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

North between sections 9 and 10
Variation 11° 45' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 3, 4, 9 and 10.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between section 3 and 10
Variation 12° East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
79,90 Intersected N. and S. line 18 links
North of the corner to sections
2, 3, 10 and 11 from which corner,
I run
West on a true line
between sections 3 and 10
Variation 11°52' East
39,95 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long
8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
quarter section corner
79,90 The corner to sections 3, 4, 9, 10.

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chains Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 3 and 4
Variation 12° East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
81,56 Intersected the North Boundary
of the Township 23 links East
of the corner to sections 33 and
34 Township 13. N. Range 8. E.
where, I set a red sand stone
12 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in.
thick for closing corner to
sections 3 and 4.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.
November 14th 1857.

North between sections 32 and 33

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Chains	
	Variation 12° 20' East
40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
80,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 28, 29, 32 and 33. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33.

Variation 12° 10' East

40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
75,36	Intersected N and S line 48 links North of the corner to sections 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which corner I run West on a true line between sections 28 and 33

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Fifth Principal Meridian

Chains	
	Variation 11° 48' East
39,68	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner
78,36	The corner to sections 28, 29, 32 33. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 28 and 29

Variation 11° 40' East

40,00	Set a red sand stone 18 in. long 8 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 20 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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chains	
	between sections 21 and 28
	Variation 12° East
40,00	Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
79,60	Intersected N. and S. line 10 links South of the corner to sections 21, 22, 27 and 28 from which corner, I run
	West on a true line between sections 21 and 28
	Variation 12° 4' East
39,80	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.
79,60	The corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29. Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 20 and 21
Variation 11° 55' East.

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chains	
40,00	Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner.
80,00	Set a red sand stone 16 in. long 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 16, 17, 20 and 21, Land rolling prairie; Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 16 and 21
Variation 12° East
39,48 Creek, 15 links wide; right bank runs S.E.
40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner
80,20 Intersected N. and S. line 10 links North of the corner to sections 15, 16, 21 and 22 from

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Fifth Principal Meridian.

chains which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 16 and 21
Variation 11° 56' East
40,10 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,20 The corner to sections 16, 17, 20, 21.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 16 and 17
Variation 11° 55' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
65,00 Creek; 15 links wide, right bank
runs S.E.;
80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for

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chains corner to sections 8, 9, 16 and 17.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 9 and 16
Variation 12° East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner
80,28 Intersected N. and S. line 30
links South of the corner to
sections 9, 10, 15 and 16 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 9 and 16
Variation 12° 13' East
40,14 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long
8 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,28 The corner to sections 8, 9, 16, 17

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chains | Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate,

North between sections 8 and 9
Variation 11° 55' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 12 in. long
10 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sand stone 15 in. long
12 in. wide and 7 in. thick for
corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 4 and 9
Variation 12° 10' East

40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner

80,54 Intersected N. and S. line 8 links

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chains | South of the corner to sections 3, 4,
9 and 10 from which, corner, Drum
West on a true line between
sections 4 and 9
Variation 12° 14' East

40,27 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long
8 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner

80,54 The corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 4 and 15
Variation 12° East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 20 in. long
10 in. wide and 15 in. thick for
quarter section corner.

82,40 Intersected the North Boundary
of the Township 15 links East
of the corner to sections 32 and 33

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chains of Township 13. N. Range 8. E.
where I set a red sand stone
13 in. long 10 in. wide and 8
in. thick for closing corner
to sections 4 and 5.
Land rolling prairie,
Soil 1st rate.
November 12th 1857.

North between sections 31 and 32
Variation 12° 40' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 29, 30, 31 and 32.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line

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chains between sections 29 and 32
Variation 11° 50' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
80,00 Intersected Band I. line 50
links South of the corner to
sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 from
which corner, I run
West on a true line between
sections 29 and 32
Variation 12° 12' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between
fractional sections 30 and 31

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chains

Variation 12° East

30,20 Intersected the West Boundary of the Township at the corner to fractional sections 30 and 31 from which corner, I run East on a true line between fractional sections 30 and 31

Variation 12° East

30,20 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32.

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate

North between sections 29 and 30

Variation 11° 50' East

40,00 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long 11 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,00 Set a red sandstone 17 in. long 9 in. wide wide and 5 in. thick for corner to sections 19, 20, 29 and 30

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Sixth Principal Meridian.

chains

Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line between sections 20 and 29

Variation 12° East.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner.

80,06 Intersected the N. and S. line 80 links South of the corner to sections 20, 21, 28 and 29 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 20 and 29

Variation 12° 34' East.

40,03 Set a red sandstone 16 in. long 10 in. wide and 4 in. thick for quarter section corner.

80,06 The corner to section 19, 20, 29, 30.

Land rolling prairie;

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chains Soil 4th rate

West on a random line between
fractional sections 19 and 30
Variation 12° East
22,45 Intersected the West Boundary
of the Township at the corner to
fractional sections 19 and 30
from which corner, I run
East on a true line between
fractional sections 19 and 30
Variation 12° East
22,45 The corner to sections 19, 20, 29, 30.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 4th rate.

North between sections 19 and 20
Variation 11° 50' East.
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for

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chains quarter section corner
40,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
corner to sections 17, 18, 19 and 20.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 4th rate.

East on a random line
between sections 17 and 20
Variation 12° 10' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
80,00 Intersected the N. and S. line
40 links South of the corner to
sections 16, 17, 20 and 21 from which
corner, I ~~run~~
West on a true line between
sections 17 and 20
Variation 12° 27' East.
40,00 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long

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chains 12 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between
fractional sections 18 and 19
Variation 12° 5' East
24,30 Intersected the West Boundary of
the Township at the corner to
fractional sections 18 and 19
from which corner, I run
East on a true line between
fractional sections 18 and 19
Variation 12° 5' East
24,30 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

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chains North between sections 17 and 18
Variation 11° 50' East
40,00 Set a red sand stone 16 in. long
10 in. wide and 5 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 Set a red sand stone 18 in. long
11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 7, 8, 17 and 18.
Land rolling prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 8 and 17
Variation 11° 55' East
40,00 Set a post for a temporary
quarter section corner.
65,00 Creek; 15 links wide; right
bank, runs S. E.
80,00 Intersected N. and S. line at
the corner to sections 8, 9, 16.

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Fifth Principal Meridian

chains and 17 from which corner,
I run
West on a true line between
sections 8 and 17
Variation 11° 55' East
40,00 Set a red sandstone 14 in. long
11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
quarter section corner.
80,00 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18,
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate,
November 15th 1851,

West on a random line between
fractional sections 7 and 18
Variation 12° East
21,57 Intersected the West Boundary
of the Township at the corner to
fractional sections 7 and 18
from which corner, I run
East on a true line between

Township 12. N. Range 8. E.
Fifth Principal Meridian

chains fractional sections 7 and 18
Variation 12° East
21,57 The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North, between sections 7 and 8
Variation 11° 50' East
40,00 Set a red sandstone 12 in. long
9 in. wide and 6 in. thick for
quarter section corner
80,00 Set a red sandstone 19 in. long
11 in. wide and 4 in. thick for
corner to sections 5, 6, 7 and 8.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

East on a random line
between sections 5 and 8
Variation 11° 45' East

Township 12. N. Range 8. E.
Sixth Principal Meridian

chains

28,50 Creek; 15 links wide. right bank runs S. E.

40,00 Set a post for a temporary quarter section corner

78,86 Intersected N. and S. line 50 links South of the corner to sections 4, 5, 8 and 9 from which corner, I run

West on a true line between sections 5 and 8

Variation 12° 7' East

38,83 Set a red sand stone 14 in. long 10 in. wide and 6 in. thick for quarter section corner

79,86 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8.
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

West on a random line between

Township 12. N. Range 8. E.
Sixth Principal Meridian

chains fractional sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 10' East

18,74 Intersected the West Boundary of the Township at the corner to fractional sections 6 and 7 from which corner, I run

East on a true line between fractional sections 6 and 7

Variation 12° 10' East

18,74 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8,
Land level prairie;
Soil 1st rate.

North between sections 5 and 6

Variation 11° 55' East

40,00 Set a red sand stone 13 in. long 9 in. wide and 5 in. thick for quarter section corner.

58,50 Creek; 10 links wide, left bank runs S. E.

Township 12. N. Range 8. E
5th Principal Meridian.

chains

68,50 Spring run, 3 links wide right bank. runs S.E.

83,00 Intersected the North Boundary of the Township 20 links East of the corner to sections 31 and 32 of Township 13. N. Rang 8. E. where I set a red sandstone 15 in. long 9 in. wide and 7 in. thick for closing corner to sections 5 and 6.

Land level prairie,
Soil 1st rate.

November 14th 1837

General Description

The quality of the land in this Township is first rate prairie and well adapted to agricultural purpoies

The stream which runs from the N.W. to the S.E corner of the Township affords an abundance of water and is free from alkali

There is a plenty of Red Sandstone in the Southern part of the Township but a scarcity of timber there being only small groves of Oak in sections 27 and 35.

Dist of Names.

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running, measuring, or marking the lines and corners, described in the foregoing field Notes of Township No. 12. North of the base line of Rang No. 8. East of the Sixth Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted:

A. E. Goold, Chainman and ~~Compassman~~,

Geo. H. McLelland, Chainman

Dexter, P. Sprague, Axeman and Marker.

Henry E. Kingsbury Flagman.

Wild running but will pass
Dec 29th 1857 Vanzandt,

We hereby certify that we assisted A. P. Drake, Deputy Surveyor in surveying the subdivision lines of Township Number nine Ten Eleven and Twelve North of Range Eight East and part of Town. Twelve N of Range No Nine East of the 6th Pr Meridian and that said subdivision lines has been in all respects to the best of our knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

A. E. Goold Chainman
George H. McLelland Chainman
Dexter P. Sprague Axeman
~~A. E. Goold~~ ~~Compassman~~
Henry E. Kingsbury Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons before me a Notary Public in and for the County of Otoe and Territory of Nebraska this day of Nov. 30th 1857

John H Mason
Notary Public

I A. Philo. Drake, deputy surveyor, do solemnly swear that, in pursuance of a contract with John Calhoun surveyor of the public lands of the United States in the Territory of Nebraska, bearing date the Seventeenth day of September 1857, and instrict conformity to the laws of the United States and the instructions furnished by the said Surveyor General, I have faithfully surveyed the subdivision lines of Townships Number 9. 10. 11 and 12 North of the base line of ~~and a part of Towns~~

Range No 8 East of the Sixth Principal Meridian; and a part of Township No. 12 North of the base line of Range No. 9. East of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory aforesaid, and do further solemnly swear that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such Survey.

A. Philo. Drake
Deputy Surveyor.

Sworn to and subscribed before me L. McArthur Clerk of District Court of the United States in Second Judicial District of Kansas Territory. This 30 day of December A.D. 1857.

In testimony where of I have set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court. at office in Lecompton said District This 30 day of December A.D. 1857.

L McArthur clerk.

The following Ant is undoubtedly in Error
Should T. 9. 10. 11 & 12 R 8 E
and
that part of Tp 12 R 9 unfinished by
Wallace Barnum

Surveyor Generals Office
Lecompton K T March 4 1858

The foregoing field notes of the survey of the subdivisional lines of a portion of Township Twelve North of Range No ~~Eight~~ (nine) and of the entire of Townships Nine. Ten Eleven and Twelve of Range No ~~Nine~~ Eight East of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska executed by A. Philo Drake D.S. under his Contract No 217. dated Septem. 17 1857. during the Months of October and November 1857. having been critically examined. the necessary corrections and explanations made the said field notes and the surveys they describe are hereby approved

Surveyor General

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