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Township No 27 N
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Commenced Feby 23rd 1858
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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 accompanying field notes of Township No 27 North Range 9 East 6th Principal Meridian, showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

Joseph Bell, chainman
Joseph A Marr Chainman
Christopher McDonald Axeman
Myron Jeffries Flagman

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Township 27 N. Range 9 East

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Toownship No 27 N. Range 9 E.

Chains	To determine the proper adjustment of my Compass for subdividing this Township I commenced at the Corner to Sec. 19 and 30 on West Boundary of Township. and run South on Blank line along West side of Sec. 30.
	Variation 11° 30' E
39.95	To 1/4 Sec. corner
79.91	To Corner of Sec 30. and 31
	Subdivision Commenced Feby 23rd 1858
	From Corner to Sec 30 and 31 I run East on true line between Sec. 30 and 31
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long, 10 in wide 4 in. thick for Corner to Sec. 29

Chains	
	30, 31 and 32 Land broken. 2nd rate
	South on true line between Sec. 31 and 32 Variation 11° 30' E
5.00	Set Sand Stone 14 in long, 13 in wide, 3 in. thick for corner to fractional Sec 31 and 32 for North Boundary of the Omaha Reservation
	~~Nor~~ From Corner to Sec. 29 30, 31 and 32 - from North on true line between Sec. 29 and 30 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 16 in long, 14 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 14 in long, 12 in wide 4 in. thick for Corner to Sec. 19, 20, 29 and 30 Land broken. 2nd rate

Chs.	
	West on Random line between Sec. 19 and 30 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec Corner
80.00	Intersect West Boundary 21 links North of Corner to Sec 19 and 30 from which Corner Iron
	East on true line between Sec 19 and 30 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 15 in long 6 in Square for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Corner to Sec. 19, 20, 29 and 30 Land broken prairie. 2nd rate
	North between Sec. 19 and 20 Variation 11° 40' E
7.00	Military road bears NW
8.00	Enter scattering timber bears NW
40.00	Marked a Burr Oak 4 in. in diam for 1/4 Sec. corner from which A Burr Oak 12 in. in diam, bears

Chs	Township No 27 N Range 9 East
	N. 43½° E. 143 links
	A Burr oak 10 in in diam
	bears S 83½° W 200 links
72.00	Leave timber and broken
	ground, and enter low bottom
	At this point, Sand Stone abundant
	at the base of the Bluff.
79.50	Set Sand Stone 15 in long, 12 in
	wide, 3 in thick for A witness
	corner to Sec. 17, 18, 19 and 20
	on South west bank of old
	Channel of Omaha Creek
	Land except the Bottom, broken
	soil 1st rate, Timber Burr oak
	Hickory and Elm, Undergrowth
	Prickly ash and Greenbrier
	West on Random line between
	Sec. 18 and 19
	Variation 11° 50' E
20.00	Leave Bottom for High Bluffs
40.00	Set post for temporary ¼ Sec. corner
40.70	Spring runs North

Chs	Township No 27 N. Range 9 East
55.00	Leave timber bearing N and S
80.60	Intersect West Boundary
	84 links South of Corner to
	Sec. 18 and 19 from which
	Corner I saw
	East on true line between
	Sec 19 and 18
	Variation 11° 14' E
40.30	Set Marked Black Walnut Tree
	5 in. in diam for ¼ Sec. corner
	from which
	A Black Walnut 8 in. in diam
	bears N. 19° W 18 links
	A Black Walnut 5 in. in diam
	bears S 36½° W 24 links
80.00	Corner to Sec 17, 18, 19 and 20
	Land broken except bottom
	Soil 2nd rate. Timber Oak
	Black Walnut and Elm

Township No 27 N. Range 9 East

Chains	
6	North between Sec. 17 and 18
	Variation 11° 50' E
1.00	North west bank of Old Channel of Omaha Creek
4.50	Old Channel of Omaha Creek 50 links wide, bears N W.
40.00	Set Sand Stone 14 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 20 in. long 12 in wide, 3 in. thick for Corner to Sec 7, 8, 17 and 18
	Land level, thickly set with Willows, subject to inundation to 2 feet, Unfit for Cultivation
	Feby 23rd
	West on Random line between Sec 7 and 18
	Variation 11° 30' E
8 13.00	Old Channel of Omaha Creek bears N and S
30.00	Left low willow marsh and entered high level Bottom

Chs	Township No 27 N. Range 9 East
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
52.00	Wagon road bears E and S
79.94	Intersect West Boundary 6 links north of Corner to Sec 7 and 18 from which corner I run
	Eastern true line between Sec 7 and 18
	Variation 11° 33' E
39.97	Set Sand Stone 15 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
79.94	Corner to Sec. 7, 8, 17 and 18
	Land. 30 chains on East end of this line, low willow marsh subject to inundation, 2 feet Unfit for Cultivation - the balance dry Bottom Land
	North between Sec. 7 and 8
	Variation 11° 10' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 13 in long, 14 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner

80.00	Set Sand Stone 16 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sec 5, 6, 7 and 8 Land level, soil 3rd rate sandy, subject to inundation unfit for Cultivation
	West on Random line between Sec. 6 and 7 Variation 11° 45' E
15.00	Old Channel of Omaha Creek and leave willow marsh
23.00	Wagon Road bears N and S
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
79.96	Intersect West Boundary 70 links North of Corner to Sec. 6 and 7 from which corner 5 runs
	East on true line between Sec. 6 and 7 Variation 12° 45' E
39.98	Set Sand Stone 18 in long, 10 in

Chains 79.96	wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner Corner to Sec. 5, 6, 7 and 8. Land level, 1st rate 15 Chains on East end low willow swamp, subject to inundation 2 feet, Unfit for Cultivation
	North on Random line between Sec. 5 and 6 Variation 11°. 30 E
22.20	Old channel of Omaha Creek 130 links wide bears N E.
34.00	Wagon road bears N E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
51.30	Omaha Creek 100 links wide, runs East, low mud Banks, gentle current
76.90	Intersect North Boundary of Township 78 links East of Corner to Sec 5 and 6 from which corner 6 runs

chs	South on true line between Sec 5 and 6
	Variation 10° 57' E
36.90	Set Sand Stone 14 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
5 76.90	Set Corner to Sec. 5, 6, 7 and 8
	Land level, 1st rate except 22 chains on South end of line, which is Willow swamp, subject to inundation, unfit for Cultivation
	Feby 21st 1858
	From Corner to Sec 29, 30, 31 and 32 I run
	East on true line between Sec 29 and 32
	Variation 11° 30' E
8 40.00	Set Sand Stone 17 in long, 13 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to

chains	Sec. 28, 29, 32 and 33
	Land broken 2nd rate
	South between Sec. 32 and 33
	Variation 11° 30' E
5.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sec 32 and 33 on North Boundary of Omaha Reservation
×	From Corner to Sec 28, 29, 32 and 33 I run North on true line between Sec. 28 and 29
	Variation 11° 30' E
20.00	Enter Timber bears NW
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner from which
	A White Oak 24 in in diam bears N 74° E. 57 links
	A Burr Oak 14 in in diam bears S 42° W 136 links

80.00	Marked a Burr Oak Tree 20 in. in diam for corner to Sec 20, 21, 28 and 29 from which an Elm 6 in in diam bears N 19° E 37 links
	A Burr Oak 12 in in diam bears N 67° W. 94 links
	A Burr Oak 20 in in diam bears S 70° W 109 links
	A White Oak 30 in in diam bears South 41½° E 81 links
	Land Broken, 2nd rate Timber White and Burr Oak, Hickory and Elm
	West on Random line between Sec 20 and 29
	Variation 11° 30' E
32.20	Spring Brook 3 links wide runs N
40.00	Set post for temporary ¼ Sec. corn
72.00	Leave timber
80.00	Intersect N and S line at

Chains	corner to Sec 19 and 20, 29 and 30 from which corner I run
	East on true line between Sec 20 and 29
	Variation 11° 30' E.
40.00	Set a post for ¼ Sec. Corner from which
	A Burr Oak 10 in in diam bears N 14° W 77 links
	A White Oak 12 in in diam bears S 48° E 165 links
80.00	Corner to Sec 20, 21, 28 and 29
	Land broken 2nd rate Timber Burr and White Oak, Hickory and Elm
	North between Sec. 20 and 21
	Variation 11° 10' E
21.50	Leave Bluffs for low Bottom
36.50	Old channel of Omaha Creek 200 links wide

Chains	Township No 27 N. Range 9 East
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner from which A Willow 18 in in diam bears N 40 1/2° E 143 links A Willow 12 in in diam bears N 88 1/2° W 200 links
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 16 17. 20 and 21 from which A Cottonwood 6 in in diam bears N 19 1/4° E 54 links A Willow 6 in. in diam bears N 43 3/4° W 183 links A Cottonwood 4 in. in diam bears S 30 1/2° W 24 links A Willow 8 in. in diam bears S 35 1/2° E 213 links Land except Bluffs subject to inundation 2 feet Unfit for Cultivation

Chains	Township No 27 N. Range 9 East
	West on Random line between Sec 17 and 20 Variation 11° 30' E
15.00	Left low Willow swamp for low Bottom
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
79.25	Old Channel of Omaha Creek
80.00	Intersect N and S line at Corner to Sec 17 and 18, 19 and 20 from which I run East on True line between Sec. 17 and 20 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner from which A Burr Oak 22 in. in diam bears N 34 3/4° W 96 links A Burr Oak 14 in. in diam bears S 84 1/2° E 55 links
80.00	Corner to Sec 16, 17, 20 and 21 Land subject to inundation from 2 to 4 feet, Unfit for Cultivation

Chains	
	North between Sec 16 and 17
	Variation 11° 30' E
21.00	Leave willow swamp for low Bottom
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner from which
	A Cottonwood 16 in in diam bears N 52 1/2° E 358 links
	A Cottonwood 24 in in diam bears N 67 1/4° W 495 links
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 8, 9 16 and 17 from which
	A Willow 6 in in diam bears N 44 1/2° E 197 links
	A Cottonwood 12 in, in diam bears N 59° W 277 links
	A Willow 8 in. in diam bears S 59° W 52 links
	A Willow 9 in in diam bears S 55° E 90 links
	Land, Subject to inundation 1 to 4 feet Unfit for Cultivation

	West on Random line between Sec. 8 and 17
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.20	Intersect N and S line 55 links South of Corner to Sec 7, 8, 17 and 18 from which Corner I run
	East on true line between Sec. 8 and 17
	Variation 11° 06' E
40.10	Set Sand Stone 15 in long, 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.20	Corner to Sec 8, 9, 16 and 17
	Land, subject to inundation 2 feet, Unfit for Cultivation
+	North between Sec. 8 and 9
	Variation 11° 40' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long, 10 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 4.5

Chains	
	8 and 9 from which
	A Cottonwood 30 in, in diam
	bears N 56½° E 132 links
	A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam
	bears N 13° W 442 links
	A Cottonwood 18 in in diam
	bears S 27¾° E 82 links
	No tree in Sec. 8 to mark
	Land, South ½ subject to
	inundation, Unfit for Cultivation
	N ½ 1st rate, and Level
	West on Random line between
	Sec 5 and 8
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary ¼ Sec. corner
80.00	Intersect N and S line at
	Corner to Sec 5, 6, 7 and 8
	from which corner True
	East on true line between
	Sec 5 and 8
	Variation 11° 30' E

Chs	
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec corner
	from which
	A Cottonwood 12 in. in diam
	bears S 31½° W 422 links
	A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam
	bears N 82½° E 295 links
80.00	Corner to Sec 4, 5, 8 and 9
	Land East ½ dry 1st rate
	W ½ subject to inundation
	Unfit for Cultivation
	North between Sec. 4 and 5
	Variation 11° 45' E
7.55	Cottonwood Tree 18 in in diam
	and enter Timber bears N W
26.50	Intersect right bank of
	Missouri River where set
	a post for Corner to fractional
	Sec. 4 and 5, from which
	A Cottonwood 12 in, in diam
	bears S 9° E. 169 links
	A Cottonwood 16 in in diam
	bears S 42½° W. 92 links

Ch.	Land level 1st rate Timber Cottonwood Feby 25th 1858
	From Corner to Sec 28, 29 32 and 33 2 rods East on true line between Sec. 28 and 33 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 17 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long, 13 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sec. 27, 28, 33 and 34 Land broken 2nd rate
	North between Sec 33 and 34 Variation 11° 30' E
5.00	Set Sand Stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for corner to fractional Sec 33 and 34

Chains	on the North Boundary of Omaha Reservation
+	From Corner to Sec 27 and 28 33 and 34 2 rods E North true line between Sec. 27 and 28 Variation 11° 30' E
10.00	Enter Scattering Timber
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec Corner from which A Burr Oak 20 in. in diam bears N 52 1/2° W 56 links A Burr Oak 24 in. in diam bears N 84 1/2° E 175 links
62.00	enter Bottom
67.00	Old channel of Omaha Creek 50 links wide bears NW
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 21 22, 27 and 28 from which A Burr oak 20 in in diam bears N 1° E. 112 links

chs	A Burr Oak 26 in in diam bears N 71½° W 39 links	
	A Burr oak 24 in in diam bears South 54° W. 43 links	
	An Elm 18 in in diam bears S 21° E 268 links	
	Land South ½ very Broken North ½ Level 1st rate Timber Oak and Elm	
	West on Random line between Sec. 21 and 28	
	Variation 11° 30' E	
23.00	Old Channel of Omaha Creek 30 links, wide bears N W	
32.00	Leave bottom for High Bluffs	
40.00	Set post for temporary ¼ Sec. corner	
80.00	Intersect N. and S. line at Corner to Sec 20, 21, 28 and 29 from which corner I run East on true line between Sec. 21 and 28	
	Variation 11° 30' E	

40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec Corner from which
	A Lynn 12 in in diam bears N. 74° W 25 links
	A Lynn 10 in in diam bears S 43½° W 13 links
80.00	Corner to Sec 21, 22, 28 and 29
	Land West ½ broken East Level, 2nd rate Timber Oak, Lynn and Elm
	North between Sec. 21 and 22
	Variation 11° 10' E
20.00	Intersect South Bank of Old Channel of Missouri River, called by Settlers Horse Shoe ~~Lake~~ Bend, where set a Post for corner to fractional Sec 21 and 22 from which An Elm 12 in in diam bears S 40° W 10 links

Chains

A White Ash 10 in. in diam bears S 10° E 20 links

Note. The lake being frozen over, I proceeded across to the opposite Bank of the Lake which I found to be 20.00 chs. distant, I then set a Post on the South bank of what I discover to be an Island, from which

A Cottonwood 6 in in diam bears N 43° W 56 Links

A Cottonwood 8 in in diam. bears N 35½° E. 56 link,

I then continue my line North between Sec 21 and 22 and at 21 chains I set a post on North bank of Island, being 61 chains from Sec. corner from which

A Cottonwood 8 in. in diam bears S 57½° W 7 links

Chains

A Cottonwood 9 in, in diam bears S 44¾° E. 21 links, Land South of Lake, level and 1st rate.

Having established the line between Sec 21 and 22 across the Island, I now proceed to Meander said Island from the corner just last established and run as follows. viz:

Variation 11°16' E

Courses	Dist.	
S 74¼° W	18.00	In Sec. 21.
S 59° W	11.00	
S 52½° W	5.00	
S 44½° W	5.00	
S 26° W	10.00	
S 31½° E	4.00	to S.W Corner of Island
N 78° E	25.00	
N. 74° E	13.05	To post on line between Sec 21 and 22 on South bank of the Island.

Courses	Dist.	
		Thence In Sec. 22.
N. 67° E	41.00	
N. 79° E	39.00	to N. E Corner of Island.
N 51° W	23.00	
West	5.00	
S 73° W	55.50	To post on line between Sec 21 and 22 on North Bank of Island, and the place of beginning. This Island is well timbered and is good dry land Timber Cottonwood, the Banks are high and Sandy

Feby 26th 1858

Chains	
	From Corner to Sec. 16, 17, 20 and 21. I run East on true line between Sec. 16 and 21 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Intersect west bank of Lake where set post for Corner to fractional Sec 16 and 21 from which A Cottonwood 10 in, in diam bears N. 13½° E. 228 links A Cottonwood 12 in, in diam bears N 83¼° W. 252 links No tree in Sec. 21 to mark Land, low thickly set with willows, subject to inundation, Unfit for Cultivation
	From Corner to Sec 8, 9, 16 and 17 I run East on true line between Sec 9 and 16 Variation 11° 30' E.

Chains	
40.00	Set Sand Stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sec 9. 10. 15 and 16 Land Level, West 1/2 thickly set with Willows 2nd rate East 1/2 dry prairie.
	South between Sec. 15 and 16 Variation 11° 30' E
20.00	Enter Low Willow Bottom
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner from which A Willow 5 in. in diam bears N. 73° E. 10 links A Willow 8 in. in diam bears N 67° W 24 links
63.50	Intersect north bank of Lake when set a post for Corner to fractional Sec 15 and 16 from which A Cottonwood 12 in. in diam

Chains	
	bears N 67° E. 900 links A Cottonwood 6 in. in diam bears N 56° W. 578 links Land level, low Bottom set with Willows, subject to inundation to 2 feet, unfit for Cultivation, balance good & dry
	From Corner to Sec. 9. 10 15 & 16. I run North true line between Sec. 9 and 10 Variation 11° 45' E
24.00	Enter Timber bear E and W
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner from which An Elm 12 in. in diam bears N 66 1/2° E 72 links An Elm 8 in. in diam bears S 59 1/2° W 30 links
45.00	Leave timber
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 3. 4. 9 and 10 from which

Chains	
30	A Cottonwood 30 in. in diam bears N 35° E 385 links A Willow 6 in. in diam bears N 64½° W 248 links A Willow 6 in. in diam bears S 62½° W 205 links A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam bears S 21¾° E. 324 links Land level, good and dry Timber Cottonwood, Willow, Elm
	West on Random line between Sec 4 and 9 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary ¼ Sec. corner
80.00	Intersected N and S line at Corner to Sec 4. 5. 8. and 9 from which Corner I run East on true line between Sec 4 and 9 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. corner from which

Chains	
	A Cottonwood 30 in. in diam bears S 34° E 112 links An Elm 8 in diam bears N 15½° W 147 links
80.00	Corner to Sec. 3. 4. 9 and 10 Land level 1st rate
	North between Sec 3 and 4 Variation 11° 30' E
10.60	Intersect right bank of Missouri river where set post for corner to fractional Sec. 3 and 4. from which A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam bears S 59½° E. 188 links A Soft Maple 14 in. in diam bears S 60¾° W 16 links
	From Corner to Sec 3. 4. 9 and 10 I run East on true line between Sec. 3 and 10 Variation 11° 30' E.

Chains	
19.00	Intersect right bank of Missouri River where set a post for fractional Sec. 3 and 10 from which A Cottonwood 12 in in diam bears N 67½° W 39 links A Willow 8 in in diam bears S 80° W 42 links Land Level 1st rate
	From Corner to Sec 9, 10 15 and 16 I run East on true line between Sec 10 and 15
	Variation 11° 30' E
.50	Enter Field bears N and S
12.50	Leave Field
26.61	Cottonwood Tree 10 in in diam and Enter Timber bears N and S
40.00	Set a post for ¼ Sec. corner from which
+	A Cottonwood 6 in in diam bears N 18½° W. 93 links

Chains	
	A Cottonwood 10 in. in diam bears S 24° W 53 links
74.80	Intersect right bank of Missouri River where set a post for Corner to fractional Sec 10 and 15 from which A Cottonwood 12 in. in diam bears N 20° W 286 links A Cottonwood 14 in. in diam bears S 74½° W 410 links Land level 1st rate Timber Cottonwood
	South from corner to fractional Sec 10 and 15 on right bank of Missouri river I run on Blank line 8 chains thence East 5.20 ch. on right bank of Missouri River where set post for Corner to fractional Sec 14 and 15 from which
+	A Cottonwood 12 in in diam bears S 54° W 90 links

Chains	A Cottonwood 8 in. in diam. bears S 20¾° E 43 links
	Thence South on true line between Sec. 14 and 15
	Variation 11° 30' E
32.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. corner from which
	A Cottonwood 10 in. in diam. bears S 81° W 135 links
	A Cottonwood 9 in. in diam bears ~~S~~ N 72° E. 250 lks
68.00	Intersect right bank of Missouri River where set a post for corner to fractional Sec 14 and 15 from which
	A Cottonwood 6 in. in diam bears N 30° W 110 links
	A Cottonwood 5 in. in diam bears N. 17¾° E 68 links
	Land level 2nd rate
	Timber Cottonwood
	Feby 27th 1858.

Chains	From corner to Sec 27, 28 33 and 34 Thence East on true line between Sec. 27 and 34.
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set Sand Stone 17 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for ¼ Sec. corner
80.00	Set Sand Stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sec. 26, 27, 34 and 35 from which
	A Burr Oak 12 in. in diam bears N 21¾° E 146 links
	A Burr Oak 12 in in diam bears S 27° E. 70 links
	Land very broken, 2nd rate
+	South on true line between Sec 34 and 35
	Variation 11° 30' E
5.00	Set a post for corner to fractional Sec. 34 and 35 for North Boundary of the Omaha Reservation

Chains	
	from which
	A Burr Oak 10 in. in diam
	bears N 74° E. 50 links
	A Burr Oak 30 in in diam
	bears N 44° W 105 links
*	
	From Corner to Sec 26, 27
	34 and 35 I run
	North true line between
	Sec. 26 and 27
	Variation 11° 30' E
10.00	Enter low Bottom
25.00	Old channel of Omaha Creek
	50 links wide, bears N W
40.00	Marked a Burr Oak Tree
	10 in, in diam for 1/4 Sec Corner
	from which
	A Burr Oak 14 in, in diam
	bears S 21 1/2° W 135 links
	A Burr Oak 10 in in diam
	bears N. 67° W 59 links
	No tree on East side of line to mark
+	

Chains	
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec
	22, 23, 26 and 27 from which
	A Willow 8 in in diam
	bears N. 56 1/2° E 370 links
	A Willow 10 in in diam
	bears N 10° W 300 links
	A Willow 6 in in diam
	bears S 27 1/2° W 266 links
	No tree in Sec 26 to mark
	Land Level Prairie
	West on Random line between
	Sec 22 and 27
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Intersect N and S line at
	Corner to Sec 21, 22, 27 and 28
	from which corner I run
	East on true line between
	Sec. 22 and 27
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Corner
	from which
+	

Chains	
	An Elm 7 in. in diam bears S 20° W 77 links
	A White Ash 6 in. in diam bears N 43° W 53 links
80.00	Corner to Sec. 22. 23. 26 and 27 Land level 2nd rate
	North between Sec 22 and 23 Variation 11° 30' E
22.26	Cottonwood Tree 10 in in diam
30.50	Intersect South Bank of Lake and Marked a Cottonwood Tree 6 in in diam for Corner to fractional Sec 22 and 23 from which
	A Cottonwood 7 in. in diam. bears S 36° E 35 links
	A Cottonwood 10 in. in diam bears S 73½° W 5 links
	Land level 2nd rate

Chains	
	From Corner to Sec 26. 27 34 & 35 Run East on true line between Sec. 26 and 35 Variation 11°. 30' E
8.00	Enter Bottom and Timber
22.00	Old channel of Omaha Creek 80 links wide bears S E.
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. corner from which
	An Elm 10 in. in diam bears N 76¼° E. 44 links
	An Elm 12 in. in diam bears S 21½° E 11 links
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 25. 26. 35 and 36 from which
	An Elm 18 in. in diam bears N 80½° E 87 links
	An Elm 16 in. in diam bears N. 3¼° W 190 links
	An Elm 20 in. in diam bears S 87° W 715 links

As	An Elm 14 in. in diam bears S 48° E 118 links Land level 1st rate Timber Burr Oak and Elm
X	South on true line between Sec 35 and 36 Variation 11° 30' E.
5.00	Set post for corner to fractional Sec. 35 and 36 for North Boundary of the Omaha Reservation. from which An Elm 20 in. in diam. bears N 86½° E. 170 links An Elm 14 in. in diam. bears N 70¼° W 272 links
X	From Corner to Sec. 25, 26 35 and 36. Run North on true line between Sec. 25 and 26

Chains	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. Corner from which A Willow 8 in. in diam bears S 48° E 112 links A Willow 6 in. in diam bears S 58° W 42 links
80.00	Marked a B on Elder Tree 5 in. in diam for Corner to Sec. 23. 24. 25 and 26 from which A Cottonwood 20 in. in diam bears N. 73½° E 19 links A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam bears N. 19½° W. 36 links An Elm 10 in. in diam. bears S 17½° W 56 links. A Cottonwood 20 in. in diam bears S 55° E 49 links. Land level 3rd rate Timber Cottonwood and Elm

chains	
	West on Random line between Sec. 23 and 26
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec cor
80.00	Intersect N and S line at Corner to Sec 22.23.26 and 27 from which Corner I run
	East on true line between Sec 23 and 26
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec corner from which
	A Cottonwood 10 in in diam bears N 12 1/2° E 58 links
	A Cottonwood 8 in. in diam bears S 27 1/4° W 15 links
80.00	Corner to Sec 23.24.25 and 26
	Land, thickly set with Willows, subject to inundation Unfit for Cultivation

chains	
	North on true line between Sec. 23 and 24
	Variation 11° 30' E
.21	Cottonwood Tree 24 in. in diam
21.00	Intersect right bank of Missouri River, where set a post for corner to fractional Sec. 23 and 24 from which
	A Willow 8 in in diam bears N. 68 1/4° W 32 links
	A Cottonwood 6 in in diam bears S 31 1/2° E 74 links
	Land, subject to inundation 2 feet, Unfit for Cultivation
	From Corner to Sec 25, 26 35 and 36 I run East on true line between Sec 25 and 36
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. corner

Chains	
	from which
	A Willow 7 in. in diam
	bears N. 72° E 167 links
	A Willow 8 in. in diam
	bears S 87° E. 277 links
58.00	Intersect right bank of
	Missouri River where set
	a post for corner to frac
	tional Sec. 25 and 36
	from which
	A Cottonwood 24 in in diam
	bears N 28¾° W 450 links
	A Cottonwood 28 in in diam
	bears S 88° W 312 links
	Land level 2nd rate
	Timber Elm & Willow
	From Corner to fractional
	Sec 25 and 36 - I run
	west on bank line 4.50 chains
	thence South 5.00 chains and
	Intersect right bank of the

Chains	
	Missouri River where set
	a post for corner to Sec 36
	and for North East corner
	of Omaha Reservation
	from which
	A Cottonwood 28 in in diam
	bears N 15¾ E. 516 Links
	A Willow 6 in in diam
	bears S. 59° W. 82 links
	From Corner to Sec 23, 24
	25 and 26 I run
	East on a true line between
	Sec. 24 and 25
	Variation 11° 30' E
46.00	Marked North side of Cotton
	wood tree for ¼ Sec. corner
	from which
	A Cottonwood 14 in. in diam
	bears S 79½° W 77 links
	A Cottonwood 20 in in diam
	bears N 63¾° W 48 links

Chains	
51.33	Cottonwood Tree 36 in in diam
80.00	finding that no Range line had ever been established at this point, between Range 9 and 10 East. Township 27 North, I set post for Corner to Sections 24 and 25 from which
	A Willow 7 in in diam bears N 7° E. 15 links
	A Willow 5 in. in diam bears N 33¾° W 27 links
	A Willow 6 in in diam bears S 18° W 14 links
	A Willow 5 in in diam bears S 34¼° E 47 links
	Land level 2nd rate
	Timber Cottonwood and Willow
	In order to established the east Boundary of this Township I run as follows

Chains	
	From Corner to Sec 19, 24 25 and 30 in Township 27 North Ranges 9 and 10 East. I run South on true line
	Variation 11° 30 E
80.00	Set post for ¼ Sec Corner from which
	A Cottonwood Tree 24 in in diam bears N. 88½° W. 250 lks
	A Cottonwood 30 in in diam bears S 86½° W 244 links
	No tree to mark on East side
62.00	Intersect right bank of Missouri River when set a post for Corner to frac Sec. 25. from which a Willow 10 in in diam bears N. 11° E 22 links
	A Willow 12 in, in diam bears N. 14° W 34 links
	Land level 2nd rate

Chains	
	From Corner to Sec 24 and 25 on East Boundary of Township I run North on true line.
	Variation 11° 30'
25.00	Intersect right bank of Missouri River to Line set a post for corner to fractional Sec 24 from which a Box Elder 8 in, in diam bears S 44¼ W 32 links a Cottonwood 12 in, in diam bears S 29¾ E 134 links Land level 2nd rate Timber Cottonwood & Willow and thereby established the East Boundary of this Township.
	Feby 28th 1858.

Chains		Courses	Dist	
	Field Notes of the Meander of the Right Bank of the Missouri River Beginning at South East corner of fractional Sec. 36, the South Boundary of the Township and North Boundary of the Omaha Reservation I run			
	In Section 36			
	Variation 11° 30' E			
	To corner of fractional Sec 25 and 36	S 40° E	6.85	
	In Section 25			
		N 45° E	15.00	
	To Corner of Sec 25 on East Boundary of Township	N. 56½° E	13.40	
	From North East corner of fractional Sec. 24 on East Boundary of Township, I run			

Courses	Dist	
		In Section 24
		Variation 11° 30' E
S 60½° W	29.00	
N 83¾° W	37.00	
N 66½° W	4.00	
N. 74½° W	15.75	To corner of fractional Sec 23 and 24. Banks low and Sandy
		In Section 23.
		Variation 11° 30' E
N 80° W	35.00	Leave bank of Missouri River for the bank of Lake
N 86° W	45.80	To corner of fractional Sec 22 and 23 Banks low and Sandy thickly set with willows
		In Section 22.
		Variation 11° 30' E
S 80° W	39.00	
S 85° W	41.90	To corner of fractional Sec.

Courses	Dist	
		21 and 22 Banks high and Sandy
		In Section 21.
		Variation 11° 30' E
S 81½° W	30.00	
N. 67° W	30.00	~~To Corner of~~ At 5 chains on this Course I cross old channel of Omaha Creek 80 links wide
N 46° W	7.00	At 1 chain in this course I cross old channel of Omaha Creek 160 links wide
N 5° E	40.50	
N. 69° E	20.15	To corner of fractional Sec. 16 and 21. Banks high and Sandy
		In Section 16
		Variation 11° 30' E
N 69° E	25.00	
N 65° E	18.25	To corner of fractional Sec.

Course	Dist	
		15 and 16. Land subject to inundation to the depth of 2 feet unfit for Cultivation
		In Sec. 15 Variation 11° 30' E
East	40.00	
S 84° E	40.50	To Corner of fractional Sec 14 and 15 Banks Low and Sandy Unfit for Cultivation March 1st 1858
		In Sec. 14 Variation 11° 30 E
N 82½° E	14.00	Leave bank of Lake for Bank of Missouri River
N 10½° E	12.00	
N 4½° E	18.00	
N 30° W	15.00	
N 33° W	18.10	To Corner of fractional Sec 14 and 15 Banks Low and Sandy

Course	Dist	
		In Sec. 15 Variation 11° 30' E
N. 32° W	9.50	Corner to fractional Sec. 10 and 15
		In Section 10 Variation 11° 30' E
N 10¾° W	30.00	
N 24½° W	18.00	
N 46° W	15.00 ~~18.00~~	
N 65° W	37.00	
N 9° E	8.00	To corner to fractional Sec 3 and 10 Banks high and Sandy Skirted with Cottonwood
		In Section 3 Variation 11° 30' E
N 54° W	10.00	
N 69° W	12.10	To corner of fractional Sec. 3 and 4 Banks High and Sandy

Township No 27 N Range 9 East

Course	Dist chs	
		In Section 4
		Variation 11° 30' E
N. 66° W	44.00	
S. 64° W	23.00	
N. 69° W	21.00	To Corner to fractional Sec. 4 and 5. Banks high and Sandy
		In Section 5
		Variation 11° 30' E
N. 58½° W	32.00	
N 42° W	34.00	At 3.50 chs mouth of Omaha Creek 100 links wide, high banks, swift current
N 11½° W	8.50	Ferry Landing
~~North~~	~~14.10~~	To Corner of fractional Sec. 5 and 32 on North Boundary of Township Banks high and Sandy

March 2nd 1858.

General Description

The South West portion of this Township is very broken, thinly timbered, the balance is mostly low wet land, unfit for Cultivation and in many places thickly set with willows. A small portion of the land around the town of Omaha is dry farming land. The town of Omaha is situated in the North ~~East~~ West corner of this Township, on the Bank of the Missouri River. The Timber is Cottonwood, Oak, Hickory and Elm and willow.

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We hereby certify that we assis-
-ed John K Cook, deputy survey
in surveying and subdividing
Township No 27 North Range
No 9 East, 6th Principal Meridian
and that said Township has
been in all respects, to the best
of our knowledge and belief,
well and faithfully surveyed
according to the instructions
furnished by the Surveyor General

Joseph Bell Chainman
Joseph A. Marr Chainman
C McDowell Axe man
Myron Jeffers Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the
above named persons before me
a Notary Public for the County
of Dacotah, Territory of Nebraska
this 7th Day of May A.D. 1858.

Samuel F Watts
Notary Public

I, John K Cook, Deputy
Surveyor, do solemnly swear, that
in pursuance of a Contract, with
John Calhoun, Surveyor of public
lands of the United States in the
Territory of Nebraska, bearing date
the 23rd Day of July 1857 and in
strict conformity to the laws of
the United States and the instructions
furnished by the said Surveyor General
I have faithfully surveyed the
Subdivisions and Meanders of
Township No 27 North Range No
9 East of 6th Principal Meridian
in the Territory of Nebraska
aforesaid, and do further solemnly
swear that the forgoing are the
true and original field notes
of such survey

John K Cook
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by said John K
Cook deputy surveyor and

Sworn to before me this 13th
Day of May A D 1858 at my
Office in Sioux City, Iowa

Robt Means
Mayor

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Township No 28 N.
Range No 9 East
6th Prin Mer.
In
Dacotah County
Nebraska Territory
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Surveyed by
John K Cook
Deputy Surveyor
Commenced
March 10th 1858
Completed
March 13th 1858

Compd by Irony Mason
Sept 28. 1858.

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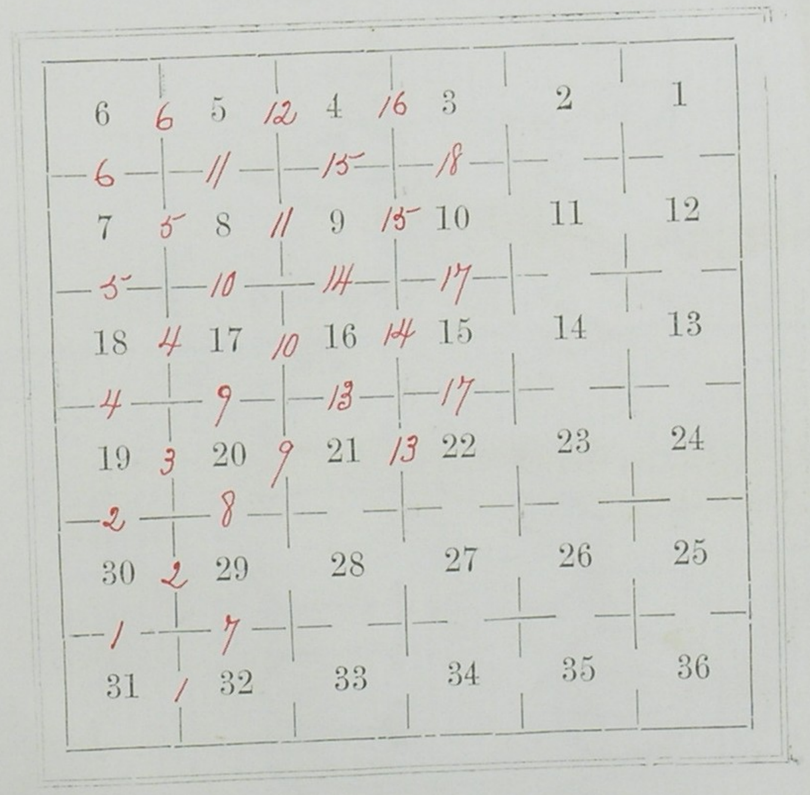
List of Names.

A list of the names of the individuals employed to assist in running measuring or marking the lines and corners described in the accompanying field notes of Township No 28 North, Range 9 East of 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted

Joseph Bell chainman
Joseph Amarr Chainman
Christopher McDonald axeman
Myron Jeffries Flagman

Township 28 N. Range 9 East



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Township No 28 N. Range 9 E.

Chains	
	To subdivide this Township I commence at Corner to Sec 31 and 32 on South Boundary of Township and run North between Sec 31 and 32 Variation 12° 05' E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 15 in wide 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sec 29, 30, 31 and 32 Level Land, 1st rate
	West on Random line between Sec. 30 and 31 Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
50.00	Wagon Road bears N.W. & S.E
80.00	Intersected West Boundary of Township 54 links South of Corner to Sec 30 and 31 from which corner I run East on true line, between

Chains	
	Sec 30 and 31
	Variation 11° 0' East
40.00	Set Lime Stone 13 in long, 6 in wide, 6 in thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Corner to Sec. 29, 30, 31 and 32
	Land level 1st rate
	North between Sec. 29 and 30
	Variation 12° E
35.00	Enter scattering Timber
40.00	Set Lime Stone 13 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sec 19 20, 29 and 30
	Land level 1st rate
	West on random line between Sec. 19 and 30
	Variation 11° E.
29.00	Leave scattering timber
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Intersect West Boundary of

Chains	
	links north of Corner to Sec 19 and 30 from which Corner I run
	East on true line between Sec 19 and 30
	Variation 11° 17' E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 14 in long, 12 in wide 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Corner to Sec 19, 20, 29 and 30
	Land level 1st rate
	North between Sec. 19 and 20
	Variation 12° E
30.00	Left scattering timber
40.00	Set Lime Stone 13 in long. 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Lime Stone 14 in long. 12 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sec 17, 18, 19 & 20.
	Land level, 1st rate

Chains	
	West on Random line between Sec 18 and 19
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Intersected West Boundary of Comer to Sec 18 and 19 from which corner I run
	East on true line between Sec. 18 and 19
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set Stone 16 in long, 12 in wide, 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Corner to Sec 17, 18, 19, and 20
	Land level, 1st rate
	North between Sec 17 and 18
	Variation 11° 40' E
40.00	Set Stone 14 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sec 7, 8 17 and 18.
	Land level 1st rate

Chains	
	West on Random line between Sec 7 and 18
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Intersected West Boundary of Comer to Sec 7 and 18 from which corner I run
	East on true line between Sec. 7 and 18
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set Stone 14 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Corner to Sec 7, 8, 17 and 18
	Land level, 1st rate
	North between Sec. 7 and 8
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set Stone 14 in long, 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sec 5, 6, 7 and 8.
	Land level, 1st rate

Chains	
	West on random line between Sec. 6 and 7
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Intersected West Boundary 4 links North of corner to Sec 6 and 7 from which corner I run
	East on true line between Sec. 6 and 7
	Variation 11° 02' E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 14 in long 14 in wide 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Corner to Sec. 5, 6, 7 and 8, Land level 1st rate
	North on true line between Sec 5 and 6
	Variation 11° East
2.00	Wagon road
40.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide 2 1/2 in thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
41.00	Wagon road

Chs	
52.00	Set Lime Stone 16 in long, 12 in wide 3 in. thick for corner to fractional Sec. 5 and 6 on right Bank of Missouri River Land level, 1st rate March 10th 1858
	From corner to Sec. 29, 30 31 and 32 I run East on true line between Sec 29 and 32
	Variation 11° 45' E
18.50	Set Post for corner to fractional Sec 29 and 32 on right bank of Missouri River from which
	A Cottonwood Tree 12 in. in diam. bears N. 7° W. 29 links
	A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam. bears S 49 1/2° W 415 links. Land level, 1st rate

Chains	
	From corner to Sec 19, 20, 29 and 30 I run East on true line between Sec. 20 and 29
	Variation 11° 45' E
40.00	Set Line Stone 16 in long, 11 in. wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set post for Corner to Sec 20 also fractional Sec. 21 and 29 and for meander post on Right Bank of Missouri River from which An Elm 12 in. in diam bears N. 10 1/2° E 75 links A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam bears N. 75° W 304 links An Elm 14 in. in diam, bears S 43 3/4° W. 148 links Land level, 1st rate Timber scattering cottonwood and Elm.

Chains	
	North between Sec. 20 and 21
	Variation 12° E
40.00	Set Line Stone 14 in long, 10 in wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Line Stone 15 in. long, 12 in wide 3 in. thick for Corner to Sec. 16, 17, 20 and 21 Land level, 1st rate covered with dry land willows
	West on Random line between Sec. 17 and 20
	Variation 11° E.
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
79.48	Intersection N and S line at Corner to Sec 17, 18, 19 and 20 from which corner I run East on true line between Sec. 17 and 20
	Variation 11° E
39.74	Set Line Stone 14 in. long, 12 in. wide 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner

Chains	
79.48	Corner to Sec 16, 17, 20 and 21 Land level, 1st rate March 11th
	North between Sec 16 and 17 Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set Line Stone 14 in long, 10 in wide, 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Set Line Stone 15 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sec 8, 9, 16 and 17 Land level 1st rate Covered with dry land willows
	West on Random line between Sec 8 and 17 Variation 11° E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
79.54	Intersected N and S line 40 links South of Corner to Sec. 8 and 17 from which Corner I saw

Chains	
	East on true line between Sec 8 and 17 Variation 10° 43' E
39.77	Set Line Stone 15 in long, 6 in wide 6 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
79.54	Corner to Sec 8, 9, 16 and 17 Land level 1st rate
	North between Sec. 8 and 9 Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set Line Stone 14 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Set Line Stone 12 in long, 12 in wide 3 1/2 in thick for Corner to Sec. 4, 5, 8 and 9 Land level 1st rate
	West on Random line between Sec. 5 and 8 Variation 11° E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00	Intersect N and S line at Corner to Sec 5, 6, 7 and 8

Chains	
	from which Corner I run East on true line between Sec 5 and 8
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 14 in long, 6 in Square
80.00	Corner to Sec 4, 5, 8 and 9
	Land level, 1st rate
	North on True line between Sec 4 and 5
	Variation 11° E
40.00	Set post for ~~temporary~~ 1/4 Sec. corner
80.90	Intersect 7th Standard Parallel North ~~North Boundary~~ 12 links East of Standard Corner to Sec 4 and 5 ~~from which Corner I run South on true line between Sec. 4 and 5~~
	~~Variation 11° 05' E~~
~~40.90~~	~~Set Lime Stone 15 in long, 11 in wide, 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner~~
~~80.90~~	~~Corner to Sec. 4, 5, 8 and 9~~
	~~Land 1st rate, (March 11th)~~

Chs.	
	From Corner to Sec. 16, 17, 20 and 21 I run East on true line between Sec 16 and 21
	Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 16 in long, 12 in. wide, 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00	Set Lime Stone 16 in long 6 in. Square for Corner to Sec 16 and fractional Sec 15, 21 and 22
	Land level, 1st rate
	South on true line between fractional Sec. 21 and 22
	Variation 11° 20 E
6.50	Set post for corner to fractional Sec. 21 and 22 on right bank of Missouri River from which A Cottonwood 15 in. in diam, bears N. 7° E. 67 links
X	A Cottonwood 20 in. in diam bears N. 45 1/2° W. 46 links

Chains	
	North between Sec. 15 and 16
	Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 12 in long 8 in wide
	6 in thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Corner to Set Lime Stone
	15 in long, 12 in wide 3 in thick
	for Corner to Sec. 9, 10, 15 and 16
	Land level, 1st rate
	Covered with dry land Willows
	West on Random line between
	Sec 9 and 16
	Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.22	Intersect N and S line 14
	links south of Corner to Sec
	8, 9, 16 and 17 from which
	corner I run
	East on true line between
	Sec. 9 and 16
	Variation 11° 14' E
40.11	Set Lime Stone 12 in long, 12 in
	wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner

Chs	
80.22	Corner to Sec 9, 10, 15 and 16
	Land level 1st rate
	North between Sec. 9 and 10
	Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set Lime Stone 15 in long 6 in
	Square for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Set Lime Stone, 15 in long, 12 in
	wide 3 in thick for Corner to
	Sec. 3, 4, 9 and 10
	Land level 1st rate
	West on Random line between
	Sec. 4 and 9
	Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
79.94	Intersected N and S line 3 links
	South of Corner to Sec. 4, 5, 8 and 9
	from which corner I run
	East on true line between
	Sec. 4 and 9
	Variation 11° 19' E
39.97	Set Lime Stone 16 in long, 10 in

chs.	
79.94	wide, 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner Corner to Sec. 3, 4, 9 and 10 Land level, 1st rate
	North on True line between Sec. 3 and 4 Variation 11° 40' E
40.00	Set post for ~~temporary~~ 1/4 Sec. corner
81.17	Intersect ~~North boundary of~~ 7th Standard Parallel 28 links East of Standard Corner to Sec. 3 and 4 ~~from which Corner True South on true line between Sec. 3 and 4 Variation 11° 52' E~~
~~41.17~~	~~Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide, 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner~~
~~81.17~~	~~Corner to Sec 3, 4, 9 and 10~~ Land level 1st rate

chs	
	From Corner to Sec. 15, 16, 21 and 22 True East on true line between Sec. 15 and 22 Variation 11°, 20' E
5.50	Set post on right bank of Missouri River for Corner to fractional Sec. 15 and 22 from which A Cottonwood 24 in. in diam. bears N. 60 1/2° W. 267 links A Cottonwood 20 in. in diam bears S. 51° W 169 links Land level 1st rate
	From Corner to Sec 9, 10, 15 and 16 True East on true line between Sec. 10 and 15 Variation 11° 20' E
40.00	Set Lime 15 in long. 12 in wide 3 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
46.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 11 in wide

Chains	3 in thick on Right Bank of Missouri River for corner to fractional Sec 10 and 15
	Land level 1st rate
	From Corner to Sec 3. 4. 9 and 10
	True East on true line between Sec. 3 and 10
	Variation 11° 20' E
40,00	Set Line Stone 15 in. long, 12 in wide 3 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
50.37	Set post on right Bank of Missouri River for corner to fractional Sec. 3 and 10
	from which
	a Cottonwood 40 in. in diam. bears N. 57½° W. 60 links
	An Elm 12 in. in diam. bears S. 70° W. 24 links.
	Land level 1st rate
	March 12th

Course	Dist.	
		Field Notes of the Meanders of the right Bank of Missouri River in Township No 28 North. Range 9 East.
		Meanders of Missouri River
		Begin at the Corner to fractional Sec. 5 and 32 in South Boundary of the Township, on Right bank of Missouri River, and run thence up stream with the meanders of the right bank of said river in fractional Sec. 32. as follows
		Variation 12° E.
N. 24½° W	34 00	
N. 2½° W	23 00	
N. 11° E	26 82	To the Corner to fractional Sec. 29 and 32.
		Banks Sandy

Course	Dist.	In Section 29
		Variation 12° E
N. 27° E	25.00	✓
N. 56° E	18.00	Enter Cottonwood Timber
N. 30° E	12.00	✓
N. 50° E	10.00	✓
N. ~~34~~ 34° E	~~37.50~~ 37.50	To Corner to fractional Sec. 21 and 29 and Sec 20s
	✓	Banks Sandy, Undergrowth Willows
		In Section 21
		Variation 11° 20' E
N. 48° E	55.00	✓
N. 47° E	~~61.00~~ 53.50	To Corner to fractional Sec. 21 and 22
	✓	Land level, Timber Cottonwood and Willows
		In Section 22
		Variation 11° 20 E
N. 40° E	8.55	To Corner to fractional Sec 15 and 22.
	✓	

Courses	Dist.	In Section 15.
		Variation 11° 20' E
N. 34° E	51.00	✓
N. 18° E	39.75	To Corner to fractional Sec. 10 and 15
	✓	Banks Sandy with thick Willows
		In Section 10.
		Variation 11° 20' E
North	44.00	✓ at 20.00 Ferry Landing
N 6½° E	~~26~~ 36.30	(see original plat) To Corner to fractional Sec 3 and 10
	✓	Banks Sandy.
		In Section 3
		Variation 11° 20' E
N 6° E	13.00	✓
N 4¾° E	33.00	✓
N 16° E	24.00	✓
N ~~12~~ 20° E	~~12.75~~ 13.50	To Corner to fractional Sec 3 and 34 on North Boundary Line
		Banks Sandy with Willows

		Courses.	Dist.	
chs	In Section 5 Variation 11° 20' E All traces of Corner to fractional Sec. 5 and 32 in the North Boundary of the Township on the right bank of the Missouri River having disappeared I restore and re-establish (in absence of Field Notes) said Corner in following manner Begin at Corner to Sec. 4, 5, 32 and 33. on Township line and run West between fractional Sec. 5 and 32 Variation 11° 30' E	S. 50° W S 60° W S 70° W N 86¼° W	20.00 20 00 20 00 15 90	 To Corner to fractional Sec. 5 and 6 Land level prairie.
13.00	Set Limie Stone 18 in long, 14 in wide, 3 in. thick from which A Cottonwood 12 in. in diam. bears N. 20° E. 46 Links A Cottonwood 10 in. in diam. bears S 14° E 27 links from which Corner Trees			

			In Section 6 Variation 11° 20' E.
	S 84¼° W	17 80	
	N 85° W	20 00	
	N 75½° W	24 00	
	N 62° W	22 00	To Corner of fractional Sec 1 and 6 on Range line. Land level prairie
			March 13th 1856

General Description
See page 25/87

We hereby certify that we assisted John K Cook, Deputy Surveyor in surveying and subdividing Township No 28 North Range No 9 East of 6th Principal Meridian, and that said Township has been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General.

Joseph Bell Chainman
Joseph A. Marr Chainman
C. McC. Mellly Axeman
Myson, Jeffers Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons, before me a Notary Public for the County of Dacotah, Nebraska Territory this 7th day of May A.D. 1858
Samuel H Watts. Notary Public

General Description

This Township is all lead bottom land, and fit for Cultivation, Very little timber in the Township, which is all Cottonwood and Willow. The town of Dacotah is located on Sec. 9 and parts of Sec 8 and 10. It contains 25 or 30 houses and the U. S. Land is located there. The original site of the town of Logan is in the North west corner of this Township, in Sec. 6. It contains 30 Houses and immediately on the Bank of the Missouri River

I John R Cook
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 23d
Day of July 1857, and in strict
Conformity to the laws of the
United States, and the instructions
furnished by the said Surveyor
General, I have faithfully
surveyed the subdivisions
and meanders of Township No
28 North Range No 9 East of
6th Principal Meridian in the
Territory aforesaid and do furthe
solemnly swear that the
foregoing are the true and
original field notes of such
Survey

John R Cook
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by said John R Cook

deputy surveyor and sworn
to before me this 13th Day
of May A D 1858 at my
office in Sioux City, Iowa

R W Jones
Mayor

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Platted
J Compd.

Compd by Jerry Mason
Sept 28 1858

Township No 29 North
Range No 9 East
6th Prin Mer
In
Dacotah County
Nebraska Territory
Contract 211

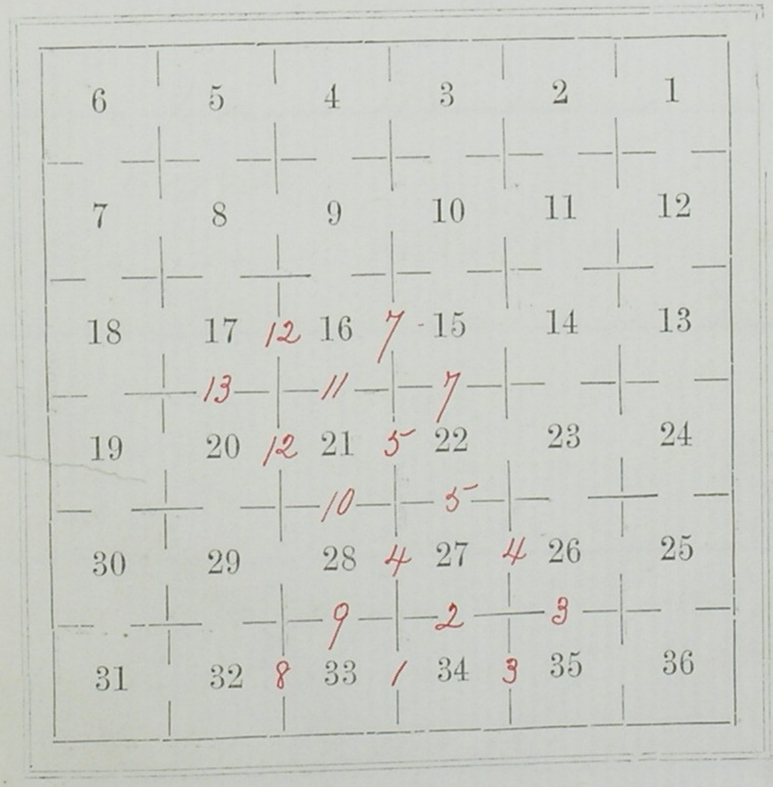
Surveyed by
John K Cook
No 211 Deputy Surveyor
Commenced
April 15th 1858
Completed
April 18th 1858
D. L. made & compared
[illegible]

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 accompanying field notes of Township No. 29 North Range 9 East of 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted

Joseph Bell Chainman
Joseph A. Marr Chainman
Christopher McDonald Axeman
Myron Jeffries Flagman

Township 29 N. Range 9 East



Lains To ascertain the true variation of the South Boundary of this Township I begin at Corner to Sections 32 and 33 on South Boundary and run East on Blank line between Sec 4 and 33.

Variation 11° 40' E

39.98
39.95
39.98. To a point 11 links North of 1/4 Sec. Corner

39.95 To a point 23 links north of Corner to Sec 3. 4. 33 and 34 - to retrace this line my compass must be adjusted to a variation of 11° 30' E

Subdivision Commenced April 13th 1858

From the corner of Sec. 3. 4. 33 and 34 on South Boundary of Township I run North between Sec. 33 and 34

Variation 11°. 30' E.

40.00 Set Lime Stone 16 in. long, 14 in wide 4 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner

Chains	
61.00	Enter Willow Grove
80.00	Set Lime Stone 24 in long, 14 in wide and 3 in thick for corner to Sec. 27, 28, 33 and 34 from which a Cottonwood 10 in. in diameter bears N. 36 3/4° E. 46 links
	Land Level. 1st rate
	East on true line between Sec 27 and 34.
	Variation 11° 30' E
20.00	Left Willow Grove
40.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in. wide 4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. Corner
80.00	Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide 4 in thick for corner to Sec 26, 27, 34 and 35 from which a Cottonwood 24 in. in diameter bears S 73 3/4° E 160 links
	Land level, 1st rate

Chs	
	South between sections 34 and 35
	Variation 11° 30' E
17.50	Intersected the right bank of the Missouri river where set a post for corner to fractional sections 34 and 35 from which a Cottonwood 20 in. in diam. bears N. 3° E. 157 links
	a Cottonwood 24 in. in diam. bears N 53° W. 40 links.
	Land level, 1st rate
	From corner to Sec. 26, 27, 34 and 35
	Run East on true line between Sec. 26 and 35
	Variation 11° 30' E
1.70	Intersected right bank of Missouri river and set post for corner to fractional sections, 26 and 35 from which
	a Cottonwood 30 in. in diam. bears S 54 1/2 W. 27 links.
	Cottonwood 20 in. in diam, bears N. 11° West. 111 links.

chains

From corner to Sec. 26, 27, 34 and 35
I run North
North between sections 26 and 27
Variation 11° 30' E
40.00 Set Lime Stone 16 in long, 14 in wide
4 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00 Marked a Cottonwood Tree on
right Bank of Missouri River
30 in. in diam. for corner to
fractional sections 22, 26 and
Sec. 27 from which
A Cottonwood 26 in. in diam.
bears N. 88 1/4° W. 10 lks. 48 lks.
A Cottonwood 22 in. in diam bears
S. 63° W. 446 links
Land level, 1st rate

From corner to Sec 27, 28, 33 and 34
I run
North between Sec 27 and 28
Variation 11° 30' E
5.00 Left Willow Grove
40.00 Set Lime Stone 17 in long, 13 in

chains

wide 4 in thick, for 1/4 Sec corner
80.00 Set Lime Stone 24 in long, 16 in.
wide 3 in thick for corner to Secs
21, 22, 27 and 28
Land level 1st rate

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East on a random line between
Secs 22 and 27.
Variation 11° 30' E
40.00 Set post for temporary 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00 Intersected N and S line at corner
22, 26 and 27 for which corner
I run
West on true line, between Sec. 22 & 27
Variation 11° 30' E
40.00 Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in
wide 4 in. thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
80.00 The corner of Sec. 21, 22, 27 and 28
Land level 1st rate

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North between Sec. 21 and 22
Variation 11° 30' E
28.00 Enter Timber bearing E. and W.

chs
40.00 Set a post for 1/4 Sec corner
from which
an Elm 14 in. in diam. bears S
89° E. 180 links
an Elm 10 in. in diam. bears S
44 3/4° W. 220 links
80.00 Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 14 in wide
3 in thick for Corner to Sec 15,
16, 21 and 22 from which
a Cottonwood 36 in diam, bears
N. 20° E 53 links
a Cottonwood 30 in in diam bears
N. 18 3/4° W. 50 links
a Cottonwood 30 in. diam, bears
S. 64 1/4° W. 38 links
a Cottonwood 30 in. in diam
bears S. 12° E 60 links
Land level, 1st rate
Timber cottonwood and
Elm.

chs East on true line between 100
Sec 15 and 22
Variation 11° 30' E
5.00 a Cottonwood Tree 24 in in diam
32.00 Intersected the right bank of
Missouri River, where set a
post for corner to fractional
Sec. 15 and 22. from which
a Cottonwood 24 in. in diam. bears
N. 67° W. 260 links
a Cottonwood 12 in. in diam bears
S. 27° W. 86 Links
Land level - 1st rate
Timber Cottonwood

From Corner to Sec 15, 16, 21 & 22
I run
North between Sec. 15 and 16
Variation 11° 30' E
22.40 Intersected right bank of Missouri
River where marked a Cottonwood
Tree 10 in. in diam for corner to
fractional Sec. 15 and 16. from

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which a Cottonwood 12 in in diam
bears S 60° E 54 links
A Cottonwood 10 in in diam
bears S 89° W. 28 links
Land level, 1st rate
Timber Cottonwood

April 15th

From Corner to Sec 32 and 33
on South Boundary of Township
Town
North between Sec 32 and 33
Variation 11° 30' E
10.25 Intersected right bank of
Missouri river where set a post
for corner to fractional Sec
32 and 33. from which
A Cottonwood 10 in. in diam, bears
S. 78 3/4° E 233 links
A Cottonwood 14 in. in diam, bears
S. 48 1/2° W. 110 links
Land level 1st rate

From corner to Sec. 27, 28, 33 and 34
Town
West on Town line between
Sec. 28 & 33
Variation 11° 30' E
5.00 Leave willow Grove
10.00 Set Lime Stone 18 in. long, 14 in wide
4 in. thick for 1/4 Sec corner
51.50 Wagon road, Sioux City to Logan
58.00 Center Timber bears N. and S
73.00 Intersected right bank of
Missouri river where set a
post for corner to fractional
Sec. 28 and 33 from which
A Cottonwood 10 in. in diam, bears
S. 45 1/2° E. 110 links
A Cottonwood 12 in, in diam bears
N. 27 3/4° E 130 links
Land level 1st rate
Cottonwood Timber

Township No 29 N. Range 9 East

Chs

From Corner to Sec 21, 22, 27 and 28
I run
West on true line between
Sec 21 and 28
Variation 11° 30' E
40.00 Set Lime Stone 18 in long, 12 in wide
4 in thick for 1/4 Sec. corner
48.50 Wagon road, Sioux City to Logan
53.00 Enter Timber bears N and S
64.25 Intersected right bank of
Missouri River to have marked
a Cottonwood Tree 11 in in diam
for corner to fractional Sec.
21 and 28 from which
a Willow 10 in. in diam, bears
S 64° E. 27 links
a Cottonwood 8 in, in diam bears
N. 12° E 103 links
Land level 1st rate
Timber Cottonwood

Township No 29 N. Range 9 East

Chains

From Corner to Sec 15, 16, 21
and 22 I run
West on true line between
Sec. 16 and 21
Variation 11° 30' E
11.55 Cottonwood Tree 20 in in diam
20.00 Cottonwood Tree 22 in in diam
35.00 Wagon road, Sioux City to Logan
40.00 Set post for 1/4 Sec Corner
from which
a Cottonwood 30 in in diam
bears N 65 1/4 E. 102 links
a Cottonwood 18 in. in diam
bears S. 45° E. 157 links
48.15 Cottonwood Tree 14 in in diam
80.00 Set a post for corner to Sec
16, 17, 20 and 21 from which
a Cottonwood 24 in. in diam, bears
N 15 1/2° E. 64 links
a White Ash 10 in in diam bears
N. 66° W. 33 links
Cottonwood 12 in in diam, bears
S. 61 1/2 W. 109 links

Chains	
	A Cottonwood 12 in. in diam bears S 31¼° E 55 links
	Land level, 1st rate
✓	Timber Cottonwood
	South between Sec. 20 and 21
	Variation 11° 30' E.
17.70	Cottonwood Tree 40 in in diam
21.30	Intersected right bank of Missouri River where set a post for corner to fractional Sec. 20 and 21
	from which
	A Cottonwood 30 in in diam bears N. 27° E. 187 links
	A Cottonwood 30 in in diam. bears S 14¼° W. 85 links
	Land level 1st rate
✓	Timber Cottonwood
	From Corner to Sections 16 17, 20 and 21. I run
✓	North on true line between Sec. 16 and 17

Chains	
	Variation 11° 30' E
40.00	Set post for ¼ Sec. corner
	from which
	A Cottonwood 22 in. in diam bears S. 25¼° W. 77 links
	A Cottonwood 12 in. in diam bears ~~E 3~~ N. 32¼° E. 109 links
48.00	Intersected right bank of Missouri River where set a post for corner to fractional Sec 16 and 17
	from which
	A Cottonwood 14 in. in diam bears S 63¼ W. 124 links
	An Elm 11 in in diam bears S. 39° 20' E. 480 links
	Land level, 1st rate
✓	Timber Cottonwood
	From Corner to Sec 16, 17 20 and 21 I run
	West on true line between
✓	Sec. 17 and 20
	Variation 11° 30' E

Chs	
40.00	Set post for 1/4 Sec. Corner from which An Ash 12 in. in diam bears N. 60 1/2° E. 10 links An Elm 10 in. in diam bears S. 60 1/4 E 24 links
47.70	Intersected right bank of Missouri river where set a post for corner to fractional Sec. 17 and 20 from which An Ash 10 in. in diam bears S. 28 1/2° E. 26 links A Cottonwood 14 in. in diam bears N. 21° E. 99 links Sand Level, 1st rate Timber, Cottonwood, Elm and Ash
	April 16th

Courses	chs.	Field Notes of the Meanders of the right Bank of Missouri River Beginning at Corner to fractional sections 3 and 34 on Township line between Towns 28 and 29 – Town in Sec. 34. Var. 11° 30' E.
N. 12° E	31.00	
N. 13° E	20.00	
N. 14° E	13.25	To Corner to fract. Sec 34 and 35 Sand Level, Banks, Sandy
		In Sec. 35. Variation 11° 30' E
N. 6° E	17.75	To corner of fractional Sec 26 and 35 Sand Level, Banks Sandy scattering cottonwood timber

courses	chs	In Sec. 26. Variation 11° 30' E
N. 8° E	42.00	√
North	20.00	√
N. ~~15~~ 22° W	~~15~~ 19.50	√ To corner of fractional Sec. 22. 26 and Sec 27 Land level, Banks sandy thickly set with willows
√		
	√	In Sec. 22 Variation 11° 30' E
N. 14° W	20.00	√
N. 26° W	20.00	√
N. 36° W	30.00	√
N. 42° W	25.10	√ To Corner of Sec. (fractional) 15 and 22 Land level, Banks sandy
√		
		In Sec. 15 Variation 11° 30' E
N. 47° W	16.00	√
N. 61° W	23.00	√ To corner of frac^l Sec. 15 & 16. Land level, Cottonwood Timber
√		

Courses	Chs	In Sec. 16 Variation 11° 30' E
N. 66° W	15.00	√ Ferry Landing
N. 55° W	30.00	√
N. ~~S~~ 85° W	13.00	√ Old Ferry Landing
N. ~~S~~ 86° W	9.00	√
N. ~~S~~ 88½° W	20.14	√ To Corner of fractional Sec. 16 and 17 Land Level, Banks Sandy Cotton Timber
√		April ~~March~~ 17th 1858
		In Sec. 17 Variation 11° 30' E.
S. 79° W	41.00	√
S. 40° W	8.00	√
S 4° W	34.15	√ To Corner of fractional Sec. 17. and 20 Land level Banks sandy Cottonwood Timber
√		
√		In Sec. 20 Variation 11° 30' E
S 3° E	21.00	√

Township No 29 N. Range 9 East

Courses	Chs	
N. 77° E	31.00	Steam Mill 3 chs. North
S. 65° E	18.12	To Corner of fractional Sections 20 and 21 Land level, Banks sandy Timber Cottonwood
		In Sec. 21 Variation 11° 30' E
S. 36° E	20.00	
S. 4° E	20.00	
S 6° E	23.14	To corner of fractional Sec. 21 and 28 Land level, 1st rate Good Prairie
		In Sec 28 Variation 11° 30' E
S 8° W	40.00	
S. 6° W	41.20	To corner of frac^l Sec. 28 and 33 Land level, Scattering Timber

Township No 29 N. Range 9 East

Courses.	Dist.	
		In Sec. 33 Variation 11° 30' E
S 4° W.	42.00	
S. 26° E	13.00	
South	8.00	
S 47° W	12.10	To Corner of fractional Sections 32 and 33. Timber scattering Cottonwood Banks thick with willows
		In Sec 32 Variation 11° 30' E
S 52¼° W	16.75	To south Boundary line of Township. Banks low and Sandy thickly set with willows
		April 18th 1858

General Description

This Township is all level land the North part on the Missouri River is Cottonwood Timber the balance prairie, a small portion which is low & wet and covered with willows. On Sec. 16 and a portion of Sec 17 The town of Harney City is laid off on which town site there are some 20 Houses and from 75 to 100 inhabitants. A portion of Sec. 21 and 28, have been staked off into Town Lots and called Pacific City. A portion of Sec. 22 has been staked off in Lots and called Vernona but not knowing the Boundaries of the two last named, could not describe them on the plats.

We hereby certify that we assisted John K Cook, Deputy Surveyor, in surveying and subdividing Township No 29 North, Range No 9 East of 6th Principal Meridian, and that said Township has been in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

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Joseph A. Marr	Chainman
C McDonald	Axeman
Myron Jeffers	Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons, before me a Notary Public for Dacotah County Territory of Nebraska this 7th day of May 1858

Samuel H. Watts
Notary Public

I John R Cook, Deputy Surveyor, do solemnly swear, that in pursuance of a Contract with John Calhoun Surveyor of public lands of the United States in the Territory of Nebraska, bearing date the 23rd day of July 1857 and in strict conformity to the laws of the United States, and the instructions furnished by the said Surveyor General, I have faithfully surveyed the subdivisions and meanders of Township No 82 North Range No 9 East of the 6th Principal Meridian in the Territory aforesaid, and do further solemnly swear that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such Survey,

John R Cook
Deputy Surveyor

Subscribed by said John R Cook, deputy Surveyor, and sworn

to before me, this 13th day of May A.D. 1858 at my office in Sioux City, Iowa

R W Jones
Mayor

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