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# Field Notes

of the

Subdivision Lines and meanders of Missouri river in Township No 9 North of the Base Line Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska. By Thomas Patterson. Deputy Surv.r Under his contract bearing date the 31st day of Oct 1855 No 67

Subdivision commenced Nov 26th 1855

Subdivision completed Dec 10th 1855

Examined & found correct November 19th 1856

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Names and duties of Assistants

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| Talbrand Pool | Chainman |
| Stephen Wilkinson | Chainman |
| Stephen Lyon | Flagman |
| Thomas Pierce | Axeman |

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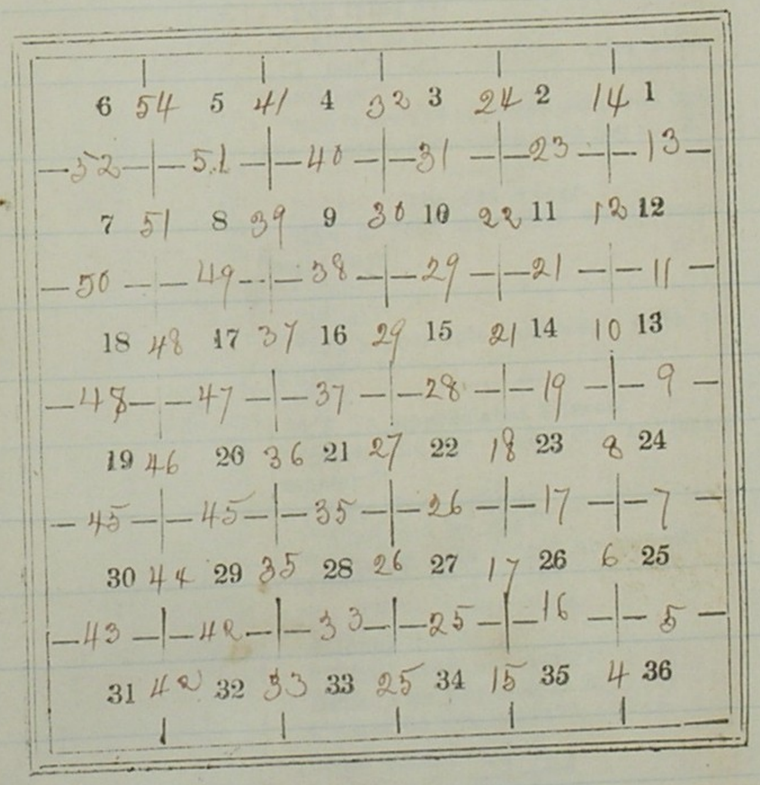
Township 9 North Range 13 East 6th P. M.




Swan and Wilson

# FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, William Vogler do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of April, 1856. William Vogler

Benjamin Williams Justice of the Peace

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of April, 1856 Sebastian Vogler

Benjamin Williams Justice of the peace

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I, Thomas Pierce do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of November, 1855 thomas pierce

M W Rider

## FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Sebastian Vogler 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 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 ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of April 1856 Sebastian Vogler.

Benjamin Williams Justice of the peace

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Sebastian Vogler do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of flag man or axe man, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of April, 1856 Sebastian Vogler

Benjamin Williams Justice of the peace

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I, Thomas Pierce do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of November, 1855 Thomas Pierce

A. W. Biden

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Coral W. Holcomb do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 28 day of April, 1856. Coral W Holcomb

Benjamin Williams Justice of the Peace

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Thomas Pierce do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of November, 1855 Thomas Pierce

M W Ridenour

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Moses Patterson do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of flagman or axe man, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 21st day of June, 1856. Moses Patterson

Joseph Lousignout County Clerk

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Thomas Pierce do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of November, 1855 thomas pierce

M W Ryder

## FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Thomas Pierce 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 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 ability.

Thomas Pierce

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of November 1855.

M. W. Riden,
C. D. C. 2nd Jud. Dist. N. P.

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Thomas Pierce do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Thomas Pierce

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of November, 1855

M. W. Riden

## FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Jesse A. Cox 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 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 ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 13 day of Dec 1855 J. A. Cox

Wm B. Hall
Probate Judge
of Otoe County

## FOR FLAGMAN OR AXEMAN.

I, Jesse A. Cox do solemnly swear that I will well and truly perform the duties of Flagman or axeman, according to instructions given me, and to the best of my skill and ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 13 day of Dec 1855 J. A. Cox

Wm B. Hall
Probate Judge
of Otoe County

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# FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Stephen Lyon 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 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 ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 22d day of Nov. 1855. Stephen Lyon

Austin W. Riden
C. D. C. 2nd Jud. Dist, N. J.

# FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Cyrus R. Ingraham 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 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 ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 2nd day of April 1856 — Cyrus R. Ingraham

Benjamin Williams Justice of the peace

# FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Stephen Wilkinson 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 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 ability.

Stephen Wilkinson

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 20th day of Nov. 1865.

N. W. Riden,

# FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Talorand F. Pool 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 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 ability.

Talorand F. Pool

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 22d day of November 1855.

M. W. Riden,
C. D. C. 2nd Jud. Dist. N. P.

Joseph Lousignont County Clerk

# FOR CHAINMAN.

I, Levinus W. Patterson 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 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 ability.

Sworn and subscribed before me, this 21st day of June 1856. Levinus W. Patterson

Joseph Lousignont County Clerk

# Field Notes of the

Subdivision line and meanders of the Missouri river in Township 9 N. Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Meridian

To determine the proper adjustment of my compass for subdividing this township. I commence at the corner to Townships 8 and 9 N. R 13 E. and run North on a blank line along the East boundary of Section 36

Va 11° 15' East

40.10 To a point 15 links West of quar. Sec. Cor.

79.19 To a point 31 links West of corner to Sects. 25 and 36. I remeasure the north half mile which is nigh meandered land to measure over. To retrace this line or run parallel thereto my compass must be adjusted to a Variation of 11° 02' East

Township 9 N. Range 13 East

From the S.E. corner of the Township I run west along the second standard parallel along the south side of Section 36.

Variation 11° East

40.00 To quarter Sec. Cor — Exact

80.02 To Cor. to Sects. 35 and 36

True Variation 11° East

Subdivision commenced Nov. 26th 1855

North between Sections 35 and 36

Variation 11° East

9.80 Nebraska City Road. bears E and W

40.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 8 in wide 4 in thick for quar. sec. Cor.

69.20 Walnut creek 10 links wide runs East

71.15 A Bur Oak 10 in. diam. ~~on left bank of creek.~~

80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 8 in wide 4½ in thick for Corner to Sections



Township 9 N. Range 13 East

25, 26, 35, and 36

P. K. Kingsley's house bears S 58½° W about 10.00 chains dist.

A little scattering Walnut & Oak timber along the creek

Gd rate undulating prairie

East on a random line between Sections 25 and 36

Variation 11° East

33.00 Enter Small point of timber 10 links wide bearing N & S.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section corner

42.00 Road from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth bears S.E. and N.W.

69.50 A branch 3 links wide runs South

79.96 Intersect the East boundary of the township 85 links north of the corner to Section 25 and 36. from which

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I run West on true line between Sections 25 and 36

Variation 10° 24' East

39.98 Set a granite stone 16 in long 12 in wide 8 in thick for quarter section corner, from which a Burr Oak 6 in diam bears S 7½° E 32 links dist.

79.96 The corner to Sections 25, 26, 35 and 36

Land, 1st rate undulating prairie

D. M. Martin has a cabin and breaking on the N. W quarter of Section 36.

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North between Sections 25 and ~~35~~ 26.

Variation 11° East

10.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

11.50 Road to Plattsmouth bears N. W and S E.

67.50 Enter Geo Hansens corn field bearing N E and S W.



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77.00 Leave corn field bearing N W and S E.

80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 23, 24, 25 and 26

Land high rolling prairie

Soil 1st rate

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Knowing that the line between Sections 24 and 25 will strike the Missouri River in less than 80 chains, I therefore run East on a true line between Sections 24 & 25

Variation 10° 24' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long 14 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

59.50 Road from Nebraska City to Wyoming on top of Missouri river bluff. bears N and S.

65.00 Enter timber bearing N and S.

77.00 Set a post in the right bank of the Missouri river in a cove

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opposite a large sand bar for corner to fractional Sections 24 and 25, from which

3 A black Oak 20 in diam bears S 19½° E 70 lks dist
A cottonwood 30 in diam bears S 53° W 53 lks dist
A Black Oak 10 in diam bears N 57½° W 89 lks dist

7 Land rolling. River bluff 2nd rate
Balance 1st rate.
Timber Oak. Elm and cottonwood

November 26th 1855

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North between Sections 23 and 24

Variation 11° East

30.00 Enter a point of hazel brush at the head of a ravine. Runs North

40.00 Set a lime stone 11 in long 9 in wide 6 in thick for quarter Section corner, in a bushy place 150 links west of the ravine

44.00 Enter timber bearing NE and SW



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

56.00 Leave timber and brush bearing SE and NW.

80.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 7 in wide 6 in thick for corner to Sections 13. 14. 23. 24

Land. the South 30 chains high undulating prairie 1st rate
The balance broken and brushy 2d rate. Timber Oak. Elm. Linden and Hickory.

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East on a random line between Sections 13 and 24

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Sec. Cor.

43.00 ~~Flagg~~ slough 75 links wide runs N.E.

66.00 ~~Flagg~~ slough 50 links wide runs north

79.15 Wyoming road bears N E and South

79.90 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 7 links South of the corner to Sections 13 and 24. from

Township 9 N. Range 11 E 6th P. Md.

which I pass West on a true line between Sections 13 and 24

Variation 11° 03' East

39.95 Set a line stone 11 in long 9 in wide 5½ in thick for quarter section corner

79.90 The corner to Sections 13, 14, 23 and 24.

Land uneven. Soil 1st rate

Timber scattering scrub Oak

North between Sections 13 and 14

Variation 11° 05' East

5.80 Geo Cales spring branch 2 links wide, runs N.E.

40.00 Set a line stone 13 in long 9 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner in hazel brush.

78.75 Enter small point of timber, 1 chain wide, in a deep ravine bearing S E and N W.



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80.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 13 in wide 7 in thick for corner to Sections 11, 12, 13, 14. in the bottom of the ravine. Notches convenient to mark. Land broken, some brushy. Soil 1st rate. Timber Oak

East on a random line between Sections 13 and 13

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

48.00 A fine spring just north of the line

43.50 Spring branch 2 links wide. runs S E.

80.10 Intersect the East boundary of the township 26 links North of the corner to sections 12 and 13. from which corner I pass West on a true line between Sections 12 and 13

Variation 10° 49' East

40.05 Set a line stone 13 in long 9 in wide

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| Chains | |
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| | 1½ thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.10 | The corner to sections 11.12.13.14 West part smooth prairie, 1st rate East part broken. deep hollows 2d rate |
| | November 27th 1855 |

North between Sections 11 and 12

Variation 11° 05' East

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| 22.40 | Prairie road from Nebraska City to Wyoming bears N E and S W |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 13 in long 13 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 18 in long 13 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 1.2.11.12 Land high undulating smooth prairie Soil 1st rate |



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

| Chains | |
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| | East on a random line between Sections 1 and 12 |

Variation 11° East

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| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter Section corner |
| 80.36 | Intersect the East boundary of the Township 48 links North of the corner to sections 1 and 12 |
| 5 | From which corner I run West on a true line between Sections 1 and 12 |

Variation 10° 39' East

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| 40.18 | Set a limestone 15 in long 10 in wide 5½ in thick for quarter Section corner |
| 80.36 | The corner to sections 1.2.11.12 Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate Section 12 has a number of improvements on it |

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
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| | North on a random line between Sections 1 and 2 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 77.53 | Intersect the North Boundary of the Township 41 links west of the stone, corner to Sections 1, 2, 35, 36, from which corner I |
| + | run South on a true line between Sections 1 and 2 |
| | Variation 10° 42' East |
| 39.83 | Set a lime stone 16 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.83 | The corner to Sections 1, 2, 11, 12 |
| | Land very rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

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| | North between Sections 34 & 35 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 10.60 | A branch 6 links wide runs N.E. |
| 11.60 | Same branch 6 links wide runs N.W. |
| 12.50 | Same branch 6 links wide runs N.E. |
| 20.75 | Enter William Williamson's cornfield bears N.E. and S.W. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 18 in long 7 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner, in corn field |
| 53.60 | Leave the corn field at the N.W. corner bears S.E. and S.W. |
| 74.50 | A dry ravine with timber and brush in it bears E. and W. 2 chs wide |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 7 in wide 4½ in thick for corner to sections 26, 27, 34 and 35 |
| | Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate |
| | Timber Elm |

Township 9 N Range 13 East

East on a random line between Sections 26 and 35

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

65.00 North branch of Walnut creek bears S W then S E. 10 lks wide

79.82 Intersect the N and S line at the corner to Sections 25.26.35.36 from which corner 3 miles West on a true line between Sections 26 and 35

Variation 11° East

39.91 Set a line stone 14 in long 9 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

79.82 The corner to sections 26.27.34.35

Land broken and very brushy

Soil 1st class

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Chains North between Sections 26 & 27

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a line stone 14 in long 9 in wide 4½ in thick for quarter section corner

45.25 The north branch of Walnut Creek, at a wide place, 25 lks wide Runs S E.

80.00 Set a line stone 16 in long 8 in wide, 6 in thick for corner to sections 22.23.26.27.

Land rolling prairie, Soil 1st rate

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East on a random line between Sections 23 and 26

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

65.00 Road from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth, bears N W & S E.

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79.70 Intersect the N and S line 9 links North of corner to Sects 23, 24, 25, 26. from which corner I run West on a true line between Sections 23 & 26

Variation 10° 56' East

39.85 Set a lime stone 13 in long 9 in wide 7 in thick for quarter section corner

79.70 The corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27. Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

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North between Sections 22 and 23

Variation 11° 05' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 13 in long 8 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

70.00 A small pond in a ravine bears East then turns North

80.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 9 in



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wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 14, 15, 22, 23

Land undulating beautiful prairie 1st rate,

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East on a random line between Sections 14 and 23

Variation 11° East

12.00 Spring branch runs N then turns N. E.

13.00 Road leading from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth bears N W and S E.

32.00 Road leading from Nebraska City to Wyoming bears N E and S W.

36.00 Enter timber at a small point bearing N E and S E

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

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58.00 Leave timber bearing N and S.

58.00 Geo Cowles house bears North 100 links distant

63.50 Geo Cowles Spring branch 2 links wide runs S.E.

66.50 Four large springs about 100 links South.

71.00 Same branch 3 links wide runs N.E.

72.00 A spring branch 1 link wide Runs N

80.16 Intersect the N and S line 29 links North of the corner to sections 13.14.23. and 24 from which I run

West on a true line between Sections 14 and 23

Variation 10° 48' East

40.08 Set a lime stone 15 in long 13 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

No Tree convenient for bearing trees

80.16 The corner to Sections 14.15.22.23

West half, beautiful undulating prairie 1st rate. East half very broken and brushy 2d rate. Timber Oak Elm and Linden



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

North between Sections 14 and 15

Variation 11° 05' East

1.50 Enter Charles Cowles breaking bears E and W

30.00 Leave breaking bears E and W

40.00 Set a limestone 13 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Set a limestone 21 in long 10½ in wide 4 in thick for Corner to Sections 10.11.14.15.

Land undulating prairie 1st rate

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East, on a random line between Sections 11 and 14

Variation 11° East

37.00 A spring branch at a small pond 15 links wide Runs N E then turns S E

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter Section corner

49.00 Same branch, at a short bend, 3 links

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| chains | wide. Runs S E to line then N E |
| 80,12 | Intersect N and S line 11 links |
| | North of the corner to sections 11, 12 |
| | 13 and 14. from which corner I run |
| | West on a true line between Sections |
| | 11 and 14 |
| | Variation 10° 55' East |
| 40,06 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 12 in wide |
| | 3½ in thick for quarter section |
| | corner |
| 80,12 | The corner to Sections 10, 11, 14, 15 |
| | Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |
| | North between Sections 10 and 11 |
| | Variation 11° 05' East |
| 33,00 | A prairie varine pools of water |
| | in it. Runs N E. |
| 40,00 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 9 in wide |
| | 6½ in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80,00 | Set a lime stone 18 in long 9 in wide |



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| chains | 5 in thick for corner to sections 2, 3, |
| | 10, 11. |
| | Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |
| | East on a random line between sections |
| | 2 and 11 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 13,00 | A prairie varine runs N E. pools |
| | of water in it |
| 40,00 | Set a post, for temporary quarter section corner |
| 80,08 | Intersect the N and S line 6 links |
| | north of 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° 57' East |
| 40,04 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 8 in wide 6 |
| | in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80,08 | The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11 |
| | Land, very rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |

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North on a random line between Sections 2 and 3

Variation 11° 05' East

13.00 A spring branch 2 links wide runs East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

48.25 Enter plowed land bearing E and W

51.17 Leave plowed land bearing E and W

79.66 Intersect the North Boundary of the Township 38 links west of the corner to sections 2 and 3 from which corner I run South on a true line between Sections 2 & 3

Variation 10° 49' East

39.66 Set a line stone 19 in long 6 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

79.66 The corner to Sections 2.3.10.11

Land, rolling prairie Soil 1st rate.

November 29th 1853



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North between Sections 33 and 34

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a line stone 14 in long 7 in wide 5½ in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a line stone 14 in long 8 in wide 6 in thick for corner to Sections 27. 28. 33. 34.

Land. prairie. very rolling 1st rate

East on a random line between Sections 27 and 34

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.72 Intersect the N and S line 12 links South of the corner to sections 26. 27. 34. 35. from which corner I run West on true line between Sections 27 and 34

Variation 11° 05' East

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| 39.86 | Set a limestone 13 in long 13 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.72 | The corner to Sections 27, 28, 33, 34 |
| | Land, prairie, very rolling Soil 1st rate |
| | North between Sections 27 and 28 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a limestone 15 in long 11 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a limestone 24 in long 9½ in wide 6½ in thick for corner to sections 21, 22, 27, 28 |
| | Land, prairie, very rolling Soil 1st rate |
| | East on a random line between Sections 22 and 27 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| 79.90 | Intersect the N and S line 4 links North of the corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27 from which Iron Wash on a true line between Sections 22 and 27 |
| | Variation 10°58' East |
| 39.95 | Set a limestone 20 in long 10 in wide 6 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° East |
| 40.00 | Set a limestone 16 in long 12 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a limestone 14 in long 13 in wide 8 in thick for corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22. Land, 1st rate rolling prairie |

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
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| | East on a random line between Sections 15 and 22. Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79.78 | Intersect the N and S line 3 links North of the corner to sections 14, 15, 22, 23. from which corner I run West, on a true line between Sections 15 and 22. Variation 10° 59' East |
| 39.89 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.78 | The corner to sections 15, 16, 21, 22. Land. West half rolling. East half beautiful high rolling prairie 1st rate. |

November 30th 1855.



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 15 and 16. Variation 11° East |
| 37.50 | Road leading from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth, bears N W and S E. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 19 in long 10½ in wide 6 in thick for corner to sections 9, 10, 15, 16. |
| | Land rolling prairie soil 1st rate |

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| | East on a random line between Sections 10 and 15. Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter ~~quarter~~ section corner |
| 114.50 | Road leading from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth. bears N W and S E |
| 79.70 | Intersect the N and S line 20 links North of the corner to Sections |

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10.11.14.15 from which corner Bears West on a true line between Sections 10 and 15

Variation 10° 51' East

39.85 Set a limestone 17 in long 7 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

79.70 The corner to sections 9.10.15 and 16 Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

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North between section 9 and 10

Variation 11° East

2.00 A creek 20 links wide flows N E to line thence N W.

8.50 I strike same creek which follows the course of the line. At 8.00 chains I offset East 3. chains. thence North 22.00 chains to a point, thence West 3.00 chains to a point on the true line between sections 9 and 10 70 links in advance of the Right



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Chains

30.00 bank of the creek and North of the corner to Section 9.10.15.16. Banks of the creek 8 feet high water deep. no appearances of an overflow.

40.00 Set a line stone 19 in long 15 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a line stone 22 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 3.4.9.10. Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate. Narrow skirt of bottom, and a few Elm trees along the Creek.

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East on a random line between Sections 3 and 10

Variation 11° East

35.00 Road leading from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth bears N W and S E.

40.00 Set a temporary quarter section corner

79.90 Intersect the N and S line 61 links North of the corner to Sections 2.3.10.11

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. Me.

from which corner I run
West on true line between Sections 3 and 10
Variation 10° 34' East
39.95 Set a lime stone 17 in long 14 in
wide 4 in thick for quarter Section corner
79.90 The corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10,
Land 1st rate rolling prairie

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North on a random line between
Sections 3 and 4
Variation 11° East
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
79.58 Intersect the North Boundary
of the Township 49 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 10° 39' East
39.58 Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide



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4 chains 7 in thick for quarter section corner
79.58 The corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10
Land North half broken 2nd rate.
South half rolling 1st rate, prairie
Saturday December 1st 1855

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North between Sections 32 and 33
Variation 11° East
14.00 Road leading from Nebraska City to
to Fort Kearny bears N of W & S of E
40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12½ in wide
5 in thick for quarter section corner
80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 13 in wide
8 in thick for corner to sections
28, 29, 32 and 33.
Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate

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East on a random line between
Sections 28 and 33

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

| Chains | |
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| | Variation 11° East |
| 17.00 | A Branch 10 links wide runs North |
| 36.00 | A prairie swale runs N then turns N W. pools of water in it |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner, on a stony point |
| 79.98 | Intersect the N and S line 13 links South of the corner to Sections 27, 28, 33 and 34, from which corner Bears West on a true line between Sections 28 and 33 |
| | Variation 11° 06' East |
| 39.99 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 7½ in wide 6½ in thick for quarter section corner, put a pile of stone around the corner stone. |
| 79.98 | The corner to sections 28, 29, 32, 33. Land, prairie very rolling. Soil 1st class. Except stony point at quarter section corner |



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| | North between Sections 28 and 29 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 8.40 | Branch 10 links wide flows N E to line then N W. |
| 10.10 | Same branch 50 links wide and 8 or 10 feet deep runs East then turns N E. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 18 in long 17 in wide 7 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 30 in long 11 in wide 4½ in thick for corner to sections 20, 21, 28, 29. |
| | Land, 1st Rate, rolling prairie |

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| | East on a random line between Sections 21 and 28 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 34.00 | Branch 10 links wide runs North |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

79.86 Intersect the N and S line 4 links North of the corner to sections 21.22.27.28 from which I run west on true line between sections 21 and 28

Variation 10° 08' East

39.93 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in wide 4½ in thick for quarter section corner

79.86 The corner to sections 20.21.28 and 29
Land, 1st rate rolling prairie

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North between Sections 20 and 21

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a lime stone 10 in long 9 in wide 8 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 22 in long 9 in wide 7½ in thick for corner to sections 16.17.20.21
Land, 1st rate rolling prairie



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

East on a random line between Sections 16 and 21

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

63.00 Pool Creek 50 links wide runs North

79.82 Intersect N and S line 14 links north of the corner to sections 15.16.20.21 from which corner I run West on true line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 10° 54' East

39.91 Set a lime stone 16½ in long 14 in wide 4½ in thick for quarter section corner.

79.82 The corner to sections 16.17.20.21
Land, rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate.

Monday December 3rd 1855

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North between sections 16 and 17

Variation 11° East

23.40 A branch 3 links wide runs East
General course N E.

Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| 40.00 | Set a line stone 13 in long 10 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 72.50 | A branch 10 links wide Runs N.E. |
| 80.00 | Set a line stone 15 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 8. 9. 16 and 17 |
| | Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st class |

East on a random line between Sections 9 and 16

Variation 11° East

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|---|---|
| 4.50 | Branch 10 links wide Runs N.E. |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 43.80 | A Wagon road leading from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth bears N.W. & S.E. |
| 71.50 | Pool creek 25 links wide runs North |
| 79.90 | Intersect the N and S line 29 links North of corner to sections 9, 10, 15. 16. from which corner I run Weston's line between sections 9 and 16 |



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

Variation 10°48' East

| Chains | |
|---|---|
| 39.95 | Set a rough unshapely lime stone 17 in long 6 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.90 | The corner to sections 8. 9. 16 and 17 |
| | Land 1st rate undulating prairie |

North between Sections 8 and 9

Variation 11° East

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|---|---|
| 40.00 | Set a Lime stone 16 in long 16 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 13 in long 11 in wide 8 in thick for corner to Sections 4. 5. 8. 9 on the west side of a prairie ravine |
| | Land. 1st rate rolling prairie |

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

East on a random line between
Sections 4 and 9
Variation 11° East

0.50 A prairie drain bearing N E.
5.50 A wagon road bears N W and S E
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
68.75 Fowl Creek 6 links wide runs N W
general course North. high banks
79.96 Intersect the N and S line 51 links
North of the corner to Section 3.4
9 and 10 from which corner I run
West on true line between sections
4 and 9
Variation 10° 38' East
39.98 Set a lime stone 17 in long 14 in
wide 5 in thick for quarter
section corner
79.96 The corner to sections 4.5.8.9
Land. 1st rate rolling prairie
narrow skirts of bottom. a few Elm trees
along creek



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M. Cont

lehains North on a random line between
sections 4 and 5
Variation 11° East
7.00 Wagon road bears N W and S E.
40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter
section corner
79.34 Intersect the north boundary
of the township 2 links West
of stone corner to sections 4 and 5
from which corner I run
South on a true line between
sections 4 and 5
Variation 10° 48' East
39.34 Set a lime stone 14 in long 12 in
wide 6 in thick for quarter section
corner
79.34 The corner to sections 4.5.8.9.
Land. beautiful undulating
prairie Soil 1st rate
Thursday December 6th 1855

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

North between sections 31 and 32

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a limestone 18 in long 11 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a limestone ~~[illegible]~~ 18 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick ~~[illegible]~~ for corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32 in a ravine

Land 1st rate rolling prairie

East on a random line between sections 29 and 32

Variation 11° East

5.50 Road leading from Nebraska City to Fort Kearny bearing N W and S E

33.25 A prairie ravine pools of water in it bears N E.

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

79.98 Intersect the N and S line 4 links South of the corner to section 28, 29, 32, 33 from which corner I run West on a true line between sections 29 & 32

Variation 11° 02' East

39.99 Set a limestone 20 in long 10½ in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner.

79.98 The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32 Land, rolling prairie, Some gravely points with boulders, 2° rate

West on a random line between sections 30 and 31

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

64.00 Enter marsh bearing N and S

73.00 Leave marsh bearing N and S.

79.86 Intersect the West Boundary of the township at the corner

Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
|---|---|
| | to Sections 30 and 31 from which corner I run East on a true line between section 30 and 31 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 39.86 | Set a lime stone 13½ in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.86 | The corner to sections 29. 30. 31. 32 Land 1st rate rolling prairie |

North between Sections 29 and 30

Variation 11° 00' East

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| 1.00 | Road leading from Nebraska City to Fort Kearny. bears N W and S E. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 20 in long 14 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 33 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 19. 20. 29. 30 Land 1st rate rolling prairie |



Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
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| | East on a random line between Sections 20 and 29 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79.90 | I intersect the N and S line 9 links North of the corner to sections 20. 21. 28. 29. from which corner I run West on a true line between Sections 20 and 29. |
| | Variation 10° 56' East |
| 39.93 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 6½ in wide 6½ in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.90 | The corner to sections 19. 20. 29. 30 Land 1st rate rolling prairie |

West on a random line between Sections 19 and 30

Variation 11° East

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| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |

Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P. M.

70.90 A prairie varied pools of water in it. Runs North then N E

79.89 Intersect the West boundary of the Township 2 links North of the corner to Section 19 and 30 from which corner I run East on a true line between between Section 19 and 30

Variation 11° 01' East

39.89 Set a line stone 21 in long 6½ in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

79.89 The corner to sections 19.20.29.30

Land, rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

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North between sections 19 and 20

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 12 in wide 9 in thick for quarter section corner

41.00 Branch 2 links wide Runs West



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

80.00 Set a line stone 24 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 17.18.19.20

Land 1st rate rolling prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 17 and 20

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.84 Intersect N and S line 16 links north of the corner to sections 16.17.20.21. from which corner I run West on a true line between sections 17 and 20

Variation 10° 55' East

39.92 Set a line stone 18 in long 8 in wide 4½ in thick for quarter section corner

79.84 The corner to sections 17.18.19.20

1st rate rolling prairie

Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P. M.

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| 6 chains | West on a random line between Sections 18 and 19 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 20.25 | A branch 6 links wide runs North |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79.48 | Intersect the west boundary of the Township 56 links South of the corner to sections 18 and 19, from which corner I run East on a true line between sections 18 and 19 |
| | Variation 10° 36' East |
| 39.48 | Set a limestone 21 in long 16 in wide 2½ in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.48 | The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20 |
| | Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate |
| | December 5th 1855 |

North between Sections 17 and 8

Variation 10° 30' East



Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P. M.

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| 40.00 | Set a limestone 13 in long 11 in wide 7 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 76.26 | Branch 3 links wide runs West |
| 80.00 | Set a limestone 14 in long 8 in wide 8 in thick for corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18. |
| | Land rolling prairie. Soil 1st rate |

East on a random line between sections 8 and 17

Variation 11 80° East

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| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79.76 | Intersect the N and S line 52 links North of the corner to sections 8, 9, 16, 17, from which corner I run West on true line between sections 8 and 17 |
| | Variation 10° 38' East |
| 39.88 | Set a limestone 17 in long 10 in wide 3½ in thick for quarter Sec. Cor. |

Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| 79.76 | The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18 Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |
| | West on a random line between sections 7 and 18 Variation 10° 15' East |
| 14.00 | A Branch 6 links wide runs N.W. |
| 16.50 | A Branch 4 links wide runs North |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 70.50 | A timbered ravine 1.50 chains wide bears N.W and S.E. |
| 79.56 | Intersect the West boundary of the Township 13 links North of the stone corner to sections 7 and 18 from which corner I run East on a true line between Sections 7 and 18 Variation 10° 31' East |
| 39.56 | Set a line stone 14½ in long |



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| 6 chains | 10 in wide 3½ in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.56 | The corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18 Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |
| | Friday December 7th 1855 |
| | North between sections 7 and 8 Variation 10° 30' East |
| 12.00 | A small point of brush at head of ravine bears N.W and S.E. |
| 30.30 | A ravine fools of water in it runs West |
| 40.00 | I set a line stone 21 in long 17 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a limestone 22 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 5. 6. 7. 8. Land rolling, soil 1st rate |
| | East on a random line between sections 5 and 8 Variation 10° 30' East |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |

Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| 80.02 | Intersect the Rand S. line 22 links north of the corner to sections 4.5.8.9 from which corner I run West on a true line between Sections 5 and 8 |
| | Variation 10° 20' East |
| 40.01 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 10 in wide 8 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.02 | The corner to sections 5.6.7.8 |
| | Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate |
| | West on a random line between Sections 6 and 7 |
| | Variation 10° 30' East |
| 21.25 | A spring branch 2 links wide Runs N W |
| 40.00 | Set a post for temporary quarter section corner |
| 55.50 | Enter timber bearing N. E & S. W |
| 57.00 | A Branch 6 links wide Runs N W |
| 59.00 | South branch of Weeping water creek 20 links wide Runs N E. |
| 62.00 | Right bank of Weeping water 20 links |



Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M.

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| 66 chains | wide flows S E to line thence N E. |
| 63.00 | Leave timber bearing N and S. |
| 67.00 | Right bank of Weeping water 20 links wide. Flows S E to line thence N E |
| 70.40 | Right bank of weeping water Flows S E to line thence N E. 20 links wide. |
| 71.70 | Right bank of Weeping water 20 links wide Flows N E. |
| 78.65 | Intersect the West boundary of the Township 24 links North of the corner to sections 6 and 7 from which corner I run East on true line between Sections 6 and 7. |
| | Variation 10° 40' East |
| 38.65 | Set a lime stone 19 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 78.65 | The corner to sections 5.6.7.8. |
| | Land very rolling. Soil 1st rate. A strip of Oak Elm Linn. Black Walnut and Locust timbered land along the creek. Balance prairie |

Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M.

North on a sundry line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 10° 30' East

40.00 Set a post for temporary quarter section corner

79.30 Intersect the North boundary of the township 36 links West of corner to sections 5, 6, 31, 32 from which I run South on a true line between Sections 5 and 6

Variation 10° 15' East

89.30 Set a lime stone 16 in long 13 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

79.30 The corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8

Land rolling prairie Soil 1st rate

Monday December 10th 1855



Township 9 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M.

Meanders of the Right bank of the Missouri River in Sections 24 and 25

Begin at the corner to fractional sections 25 and 30 in the East Boundary of the Township and on the right and S W bank of the river. And run thence upstream with the meanders of the right bank of said river in fractional section 25 as follows

Variation 11° East

| Courses | Distance | Remarks |
|---|---|---|
| 1 N 12° W | 3.50 | |
| 2 N 21° W | 3.00 | |
| 3 N 13 W | 4.80 | To the corner to fractional sections 24 and 25. Thence in Section 24 |
| 1 N 9° W | 12.00 | high clay bank |
| 2 North | 10.00 | |
| 3 N 7½° E | 22.00 | |
| 4 N 15° E | 8.50 | To the corner to fractional sections 19 and 24 on the Range |

Township 9 N Range 13 E. 6th P.M.

line and 2.9.10 chains South
of the corner to Sections 18.19.13.24
Land high rolling Soil 1st rate
Scattering Oak timber
Apr 5th 1856



Township 9 N Range 13 E 6th P.M. Ind

General Description

This Township is one of good soil
and well adapted for either farm
ing or graging, being well watered
although it does not have much
good timber in it yet there are
several small groves of timber
suitable for fuel.
There are a few boulders and gravely
points along the large streams
Walnut Creek runs through the S
E. corner of the township. Cowles
has a sawmill on it.
There are a number of settlements
in the township.

A list of the names of the individuals Employed to assist in running measuring and marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No 9 north of the Base line of range no 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian Showing the respective capacities in which they acted

Talorand Pool Chainman
Stephen Wilkinson Chainman
Stephen Lyon Flagman
Thomas Pierce Axeman

# Field Notes
## of the
Survey of the Subdivision Lines in Township 10 North of the Base Line Range 13 E. 6th Principal Meridian

Survey commenced June 24th 1855
Survey completed July 3d 1855 (No 5)

By Thomas Patterson
Deputy Surveyor
Under his contract bearing date the 31st day of Oct. 1855

Complete

Corner stones undescribed
the words "from which corner I ran"
omitted throughout the field notes
Alexander Ryan

Township 10 North Range 13 East 6th P. M.

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| 6 | 67 | 5 | 48 | 4 | 37 | 3 | 25 | 2 | 14 | 1 | |
| 66 | | 64 | | 47 | | 35 | | 24 | | 13 | |
| 7 | 63 | 8 | 46 | 9 | 34 | 10 | 23 | 11 | 12 | 12 | |
| 62 | | 60 | | 45 | | 33 | | 22 | | 11 | |
| 18 | 59 | 17 | 44 | 16 | 32 | 15 | 21 | 14 | 10 | 13 | |
| 58 | | 57 | | 43 | | 31 | | 20 | | 9 | |
| 19 | 56 | 20 | 42 | 21 | 30 | 22 | 19 | 23 | 8 | 24 | |
| 55 | | 54 | | 41 | | 29 | | 18 | | 7 | |
| 30 | 53 | 29 | 40 | 28 | 28 | 27 | 17 | 26 | 6 | 25 | |
| 52 | | 51 | | 39 | | 27 | | 16 | | 4 | |
| 31 | 49 | 32 | 38 | 33 | 26 | 34 | 15 | 35 | 3 | 36 | |

A list of the names of the individuals. Employed to assist in running measuring and marking the lines and corners described in the following field Notes of the Survey of the subdivision lines in Township No 10 North Range No 13 E, 6th Principal Meridian. Showing the respective capacities in which they acted,

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|---|---|
| Isaac H Alexander | Chainman |
| Levinus W. Patterson | Chainman |
| John Ford | Flagman |
| Coral W. Holcomb | Axeman |
| Thomas Pierce | Axeman |
| Justus L. Cozad | Compassman |

Township 10 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

Field Notes of the Survey of the Subdiv. Lines in Township 10 N. Range 13 E. 6 Prin. Meridian.

Survey commenced June 24th 1856

Chain 4 rods long. compared a standard and found correct. 3.00

To adjust my compass for subdividing this Township. I begin at the corner to Sections 34, 35, 2, 3. the South bounding of the Township 41.00

and run East on a blank line 44.50

along the south side of section 35 49.00

Variation 10° 30' East

39.94 To a point 2 links north of the quarter section corner

79.90 To a point 4 links south of the corner to sections 35, 36, 1 and 2. 80.00

True Variation by my compass is 10° 32' East

~~Subdivisions commenced June 24th~~



Township 10 N Range 13 E. 6th Pr Med

I commenced on the south boundary of the Township at the corner to sections 35 and 36 and run north between sects 35 & 36

Variation 10° 30' E.

Dry ravine bears W

Set a lime stone 18 in long 6 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

Spring run 1 link wide runs N N E

Same run 1 link wide runs N N W.

Mr Smiths House five chains West of line

Right bank of the Weeping water 68 lks wide runs N E.

Set a lime stone 15 in long 11 in wide 6 in thick for corner to sections 25. 26. 35. 36

South half. 2nd rate broken Prairie

North half. 1st rate dry bottom land.

Smith claims the N E quarter of Section 35. Scattering Cottonwood on Creek

Township 10 N Range 11 E of the 6th

East on a random line between sections 36 and 25

Variation 10° 30' East

15.00 J H Tuckers House bears south 15 chains dist

17.80 Wefpingwater 50 lks wide runs N E

34.75 Wefpingwater 50 lks wide runs S E

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

45.85 Wefpingwater runs N E by E. 70 lks at right-angles

The line follows down the creek for some chains making an offset necessary

44.50 Offset 2.40 lks north.

52.50 Offset 2.40 lks south to the line, upon the bank of the Creek

79.00 Run 2 lks wide runs N E

79.50 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 10 lks N of the corner to sections 25 and 36.



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. M.

from which E. Frosts house bears N 25° W 10 chs dist

~~East~~ West on true line between sects 25, 36

Variation 10° 26' E

39.75 Set a lime stone 15 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

79.50 The corner to sections 25. 26 35 and 36.

1st rate dry bottom land Scattering Cottonwood Elm and Willow on the banks of the Creek.

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Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th Pr M

North between Sects 25 and 26
Variation 10° 45' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long 10 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner

50.00 Leave bottom land and into gently rolling prairie bearing E.

80.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for corner to section 23. 24. 25. 26

1st rate land

Large fenced field in the S.E. quarter of section 26. under cultivation



Township 10 N. Range 13 E. of the 6th Pr. Meridian

East on a random line between sections 24 and 25
Variation 10° 30' E

36.00 Ravine runs south.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

80.30 Intersected the East boundary of the Township 60 lks N of the corner to sections 24. and 25.

West on a true line between sections 24 and 25
Variation 10° 04' East.

40.15 Set a lime stone 25 in long 10 in wide 2½ in thick for quarter section corner

80.30 The corner to sections 25. 24 25. 26

2ond. rate high rolling prairie

Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th Pr Mer

North between sects 23 and 24
Variation 10° 00 E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00. Set a lime stone 14 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for ~~corner~~ to sections 13. 14. 23. 24.
2nd rate high rolling Prairie



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th Pr Merid.

East on a random line between sections 13 and 24.
Variation 10° 00 E

8.20 Leave Prairie. Enter breaking bears N & S

13.60 Enter Prairie bears N and S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

45.00 Ravine with hazel brush. bears South.

65.00 Ravine with hazel brush bears S.W

80.00 Intersected the East boundary of the Township at the corner to sections 13 and 24

West on a true line between sects 13 & 24
Variation 10° 00 East

40.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 To the corner to sections 13.14 23. 24

High rolling Prairie 2nd rate

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P.M.

North between sections 13 and 14

Variation 10° 15' E.

19.00 Log. Cabin 5 chains East of the line

40.00 Set a lime stone in Rains 17 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner from which 4 Burr Oak 10 in diam. bears N 5° E 260 lks dist. No other blaze

59.82 Spring run 2 links wide runs S.W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 13 in wide 4 in thick for corner to sections 11. 12. 13. 14 in Brush

Hugh Simmons Claims N.W. quarter of Sec 13

Thos Simmons Claims S.W quarter of Sec 13

Henry Mann Claims N.E. quarter of Sec 14

Fine grove of young timber upon the N W quarter of section 13

Tuesday June 24th 1856.



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P.M.

East on a random line between sections 12 and 13.

Variation 10° 35' E.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

68.00 Enter timber bearing N and S.

71.25 Run 4 lks wide runs S.E

73.38 Same run runs N E. 4 links wide.

78.20 Run 2 lks wide (near its junction with an other.) runs North.

79.88 Intersected the East boundary of the Township 22 lks North of the corner to sections 12 and 13.

West on true line between sections 12 and 13.

Variation 10° 26' East

39.94 Set a lime stone 15 in long. 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

79.88 To the corner to sections 11. 12. 13. 14

West portion 1st rate high rolling prairie. East portion of line runs through timber Elm. Black Walnut. Lynn and. Ironwood

Township 10 N Range 13 E. 6th Pr. Meridi

North between Sects 11 and 12

Variation 10° 20' East.

3.00 Enter ploughed field bearing E and W.

6.00 Enter prairie bearing E and W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 13 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 1. 2. 11. 12

1st rate gently rolling prairie



Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th Pr Mer

East on a random line between sections 1 and 12

Variation 10° 25' E

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

51.32 Enter ploughed field bearing N and S.

53.25 Enter Prairie bearing N and S.

79.44 Intersected the East boundary of the Township 32 links S of the corner to sections 1 and 12

West on true line between sections 1 and 12

Variation 10° 39' E.

39.72 Set a lime stone 17 in long. 12 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

79.44 The corner to sections 1. 2 11 and 12

1st rate gently rolling Prairie

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P.M.

North on a random line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 10° 50' E

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

41.00 Marsh bearing E and W

51.00 Enter Prairie bearing W & N E.

79.54 Intersected the north boundary of the Township 13 lks E of the corner to sections 1 and 2.

South of true line between sections 1 and 2

Variation 10° 56' E

39.54 Set a lime stone 19 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

79.54 The corner to sections 1. 2 11. 12

1st rate gently rolling Prairie



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P.M.

North between sections 34 and 35

Variation 10° 30' E

13.00 Enter hazel brush and young timber bears E and W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 7 in wide and 5 in thick for quarter section corner

44.00 Leave undergrowth, bearing E and W.

48.00 Enter Marsh bearing N E and S. W.

54.00 Enter high rolling Prairie bearing N E and S. W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 7 in thick for corner to sections 26. 27. 34. 35

2nd rate high rolling Prairie

A fine grove of timber west of line containing about fifty acres. Timber. B. Walnut Oak (various kinds); hickory.

Township 10 N Range 13 E. of the 6th

East on a random line between sections 26 and 35
Variation 10° 20' E

10.00 Enter Marsh bearing N & S.
17.70 Enter dry bottom land bearing N E and S. W
30.00 Slough runs N. 50 lks. wide
40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner
43.40 Weepingwater 55 lks wide runs S.
57.75 Enter breaking bearing N and S.
75.00 Enter Prairie bearing N and S.
80.02 Intersected the N & S line 34 links S of the corner to Sections 25. 26. 35. 36
West on a true line between Sec 26 &
Variation 10° 35' E.
40.01 Set a lime stone 17 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner from which a willow 8 in diam bears S. 31 lks dist
No other trees at hand



Township 10 N Range 13 E. of the 6th Pr Mer.

80.02 The corner to sections 26. 27. 34. 35
Bottom land 1st rate
Upland land 2nd rate.
Scattering timber along the Weepingwater.

North between sections 26 and 27.
Variation 10° 20' E.

6.00 Ravine with high grap bears S.E
40.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner
80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 6 in wide 6 in thick for corner to sections 22. 23. 26. 27 from which a Black walnutt 14 in diam bears S. 89° 30' E. 65 lks dist no other trees at hand
1st rate bottom land. East of line
2nd rate high broken Prairie W of line

Township 10 N. Range 13 E. of the 6th P. M.

East on a random line between sections 23 and 26

Variation 10° 20' E.

1.50 Right bank of the weeping water 60 lks wide Runs S.E.

3.00 Enter cornfield bearing N.W. & S.E.

3.00 A. Folders House bears S. 41° E 8 chains dist

15.00 Enter Prairie bearing N & S.

32.00 Leave bottom land and Enter high Prairie bearing. S E and N W.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

79.96. Intersected the N & S. line 48 lks S. of the corner. to sects 23. 24. 25. 26

West on true line between sects 23 & 2

Variation 10° 40' E

39.98 Set a lime stone 14 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section Corner

79.96. The corner to sections 22. 23. 26. 27

Bottom. first rate Upland 2nd rate rolling prairie



Township 10 N Range 13 E. 6th P. M. Mind

North between sections 22 and 23

Variation 10° 15' E

4.90 R Bank of the Weepingwater 60 lks wide Runs S. E.

8.75 Weepingwater. 200 lks across it on line 50 lks at right angles to the stream Runs N.W.

17.68 Weepingwater. 50 lks wide Runs S. E.

31.52 Run 6 lks wide runs S.W. some timber on this run

32.90 Same run runs. S. E 6 lks. wide.

35.30 Same run runs S. W. 6 lks. wide.

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

64.00 Leave bottom land and enter Upland bearing. E and W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 13 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 22. 23. 24. 15

Bottom land. 1st rate Upland, 2d rate rather broken

Matthias Tyson Claims the N E. quarter Sec 22.

Township 10 N Range 13. E. of the 6

East on a random line between sections 14 and 23.

Variation 10° 50' E.

38.50 Run 5 lks wide runs SW.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

43.20 Spring run 1 lk wide runs N W

80.24 Intersected the N and S line at the corner to sections 13. 14. 23. 24

West on true line between sections 14 and 23 –

Variation 10° 50' E

40.12 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter sec. cor

80.24 The corner to sections 14. 15. 22. 23. rolling prairie 2ond rate farming Land



Township 10 N Range 13 E. of the 6th P. Mer.

North between sections 14 and 15

Variation 10° 30' E.

28.87. Branch. 2 links wide runs W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 6½ in thick for corner to sections 10. 11. 14. 15

South part 2ond rate broken Prairie

North part. 1st rate, gently rolling Prairie A small stream runs S. W of the line

Township 10 N Range 13. E. of 6th P. Mer

East on a random line between
sections 11 and 14
Variation 10° 45' E.

34.50 Bend of creek flows S.E. to line thence N.E.
35.00 Cross crk. 10 lks wide runs S.
40.00 Set a stake for temporary
quarter section corner
80.50 Intersected N & S. line 22 lks
N of corner to sections 11. 12. 13. 14
West on true line between sects
11 and 14
Variation 10° 36' E.
40.25 Set a lime stone 20 in long
12 in wide 3 in thick for
quarter section corner
80.50 The corner to sections 10. 11. 14. 15
1st rate high rolling Prairie

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th Pr M

North between sections 10 and 11

Variation 10° 25' E.

35.00 Enter hazel brush bearing E & W

40.00 Set a lime stone 22 in long 10 in thick 3 in wide for quarter section corner

51.48 Creek 6 lks wide runs S. E.

56.24 Same creek runs W 6 lks. wide

71.75 Same creek runs S. E 6 lks. wide

73.94 Spring run 1 lk wide runs W

75.00 Enter Prairie bearing E & W

80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for corner to sections 2.3.10.11

2nd rate land S. E. quarter of section 10 is rolling Prairie N. E. quarter of section 10 is covered with hazel brush and considerable timber N W quarter of section 11 is high rolling Prairie S W quarter of sec 11 has timber



Township 10. N Range 13. E. of the 6th Pr Mer

East on a random line between sections 2 and 11

Variation 10° 40' E.

6.36 Spring run 2 lks wide runs S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

50.00 Slough 50 lks wide runs S. W.

80.70 Intersected the N and S. line 25 links N of the corner to sections 1, 2, and 11 and 12

West on true line betwee Sects 2 & 11

Variation 10° 29' E.

40.35 Set a lime stone 13 in long 12 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

80.70 The corner to sections 2, 3 10. 11 1st rate high rolling Prairie

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Mer.

North on a random line
between sections 2 and 3.
Variation 10° 40' E.

5.75 Enter fenced field bearing E & W.
30.50 Leave fenced field bearing E & W
30.75 Augustus Casiehouse 7 chs W.
35.50 South branch of the Nebraska City
and Platsmouth road bears N E & S W.
40.00 Set a stake for temporary
quarter section corner.
54.90 North branch of Nebraska City
and Platsmouth road. N E & S W
79.35 Intersected the north boundary
of the Township 43. 1 chs west of the
corner to sects 2 and 3 –
South on true line between sections 2 and 3.
Variation 10° 22' East
39.35 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in
wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner
79.35 The corner to sections 2, 3, 10, 11
1st rate farming land. a large grove
of timber W of the line Thursday
June 26th 1856



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Mer.

North between sections
33 and 34.
Variation 10° 15' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long
10 in wide 3 in thick for
quarter section corner
80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long
10 in wide 5 in thick for
corner to sections 27, 28, 33, 34
1st rate rolling prairie

Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th P M

East on a random line between sections 27 and 34

Variation 10° 40' E.

28.50 Nebraska City and Plattsmouth road bears

32.00 Enter hazel brush bearing N E & S W.

46.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

70.00 Leave undergrowth bearing N E and S W.

79.82 Intersected N and S line 4 links south of the corner to sections 26. 27. 34. 35

West on a true line between section 27 and 34

Variation 10° 42' E

39.91 Set a limestone 17 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

79.82 The corner to sections 27. 28. 33. 34

West half gently rolling Prairie 1st rate

East half 2nd rate, ridges covered with bushes. hazel. Oak &c



Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th P M

North between sections 27 and 28

Variation 10° 30' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner from which an Elm 10 in diam bears S. 59° W. 15 lks dist

A Lynn 6 in diam bears N 6° 45' E. 42 lks dist. timber 2 chs wide at this corner

43.85 South fork of the Weepingwater 40 lks wide runs N. E.

51.00 Enter breaking bearing N E & S W.

54.50 Enter Prairie bearing N W and S E.

56.00 Geo Hunts house 25 links W of line

80.00 Set a limestone 18 in long 12 in thick 8 in wide for corner to sections 21. 22. 27. 28

South half 2nd rate broken Prairie

North half 1st rate bottom land.

Geo. Hunt is Erecting a saw mill on the N. W ¼ of Section 27

Township 10 N. Range 13. E. of the 6th Pr. Md.

East on a random line between sections 22 and 27.

Variation 10° 40' East

28.60 South branch of the Weepingwater 25 lks wide runs N E.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

56.70 Nebraska City and Platsmouth road bears. N and S.

80.00 Intersected the N and S. line 36. lks south of the corner of sections 22. 23. 26. 27

West on true line between sections 22 and 27.

Variation 10° 35' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner, from which

A Bur Oak 8 in diam bears S 2° W. 93 lks dist

A Bur Oak 9 in diam bears N 8° W 165 lks dist

80.00 To the corner to sections 21. 22. 27. 28 West. part. 1st rate bottom land East. part. 2nd rate rolling Prairie Scattering Oak & Elm timber on Creek



Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th Pr. Md.

North between sections 21 and 22

Variation 10° 30' E.

37.50 Main branch of the Weepingwater 50 lks wide runs East.

40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner & Blonshire has a field of breaking west of the line

65.00 Leave bottom land and enter high rolling Prairie bearing East W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 9 in wide 3 in thick for corner to sections 21. 22. 15. 16 Middle portion along creek 1st rate bottom land. Ballance 2nd rate high rolling Prairie

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Township 10 N. Range 13 E of the 6th P. M.

East on a random line betw
sections 15 and 22.

Variation 10° 55' E

25.00 Spring run 1 lk wide runs S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary
quarter section corner

43.75 Nebraska City and Plattsmouth road
bears N and S.

72.85 Run 5 lks wide runs South

80.15 Intersected N and S. line 39 lks
N of corner to sections 14.15.22.23

West on true line between
sections 15 and 22

Variation 10° 38' E.

40.07½ Set a line 17 in long 9 in wide
3½ in thick for ~~quarter~~ sections
corner.

80.15 To the corner to sections 15.16.21.22
2nd rate high rolling Prairie



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P M.

North between sections 15 and 16.

Variation 10° 35' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long
10 wide 5 in thick for
quarter section corner.

63.90 Run 1 link wide runs S. W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long
11 in wide ~~14~~ 5 in thick for
corner to sections 9.10.15.16
South part 2nd rate gently rolling
prairie North part broken
prairie occationally a
Burr Oak tree.

Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th Pr Md

East on a random line between sections 10 and 15

Variation 10° 50' E.

37.55 Nebraska City and Platsmouth road bears N and S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

68.00 Run 2 lks wide runs south

80.36 Intersected N and S. line 13 lks North of Corner to sections 10. 11. 14. 15.

West on a true line between sections 10 and 15

Variation 10° 44' E

40.18 Set a lime stone 17 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.36 The Corner to sections 9. 10. 15. 16

2ond rate high rolling Prairie

Friday June 27th 1856.



Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th Pr Md.

North between sections 9 and 10

Variation 10° E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 9 in ~~wide~~ 4 in thick for quarter section corner from which a Burr Oak 14 in diam bears N 74° E 64 lks dist no other tree near

50.50 Enter hazel brush bearing E and W.

56.00 Enter Prairie bears E and W.

59.00 Road leading from Platsmouth to Kirkpatricks Saw Mill bear N E & S W.

63.00 Enter timber bearing E and W.

71.00 Enter prairie bearing E and N W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 12 in wide 7 in thick for corner to sections 3. 4. 9. 10

2ond rate broken land. A little Burr Oak timber –

Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th P.

East on a random line between sections 3 and 10.

Variation 10° 50' E.

39.00 Platsmouth road bearing N & S.

39.50 Enter wheat field bearing N E and S W

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

60.78 Leave field Enter timber bearing N W and S. E.

75.45 Run 4 links wide runs South

75.50 Enter. Prairie and leave timber bearing N and S.

80.16 Intersected N and south line 7 links N of Corner to sections 2. 3. 10. 11

West on true line between sections 3 and 10

Variation 10° 47' E.

40.08 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner



Township 10 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Md

80.16 The corner to sections 3.4.9.10

1st rate farming land

Timber Oak (various kinds) Elm. Black walnut and hickory

Undergrowth same and hazel bushes.

John. F. Buck lives on the S. W. 1/4 of Section 3. is post master of "Three Grove" post office.

Township 10. N. Range 13 E. 6th of the Pr Mer.

North on a random line between sections 3 and 4

Variation 10°30' E.

8.00 Leave brush bearing E and W.

19.00 Enter brush. bearing E and W.

20.48 Spring run 2 lks wide runs W.

21.60 Enter Prairie bearing E and. W.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

79.60 Intersected the N boundary of the Township 70 lks W of the corner to sections 3 and 4.

South on true line between sections 3 and. 4.

Variation 10° E

39.60 Set a lime stone 19 in long 13 in wide 7 in thick for quarter section corner

79.60 The corner to sections 3.4.9.10

1st rate farming land rolling prairie John F. Buck claims N W and S. W. quarter of sect 3.

M. B. Case claims N E quarter of sec 4

Township 10 N. Range 13. E of the 6th P. Mer'd

North between sections 32 and 33

Variation 10° 20' E.

22.80 Run 4. lks wide runs N E.

24.00 James Bryan's house bears W. 8 chs dist

40.00 Set a lime stone 26 in long 8 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 7 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 28. 29. 32. 33.

South half rather broken North half gently rolling Prairie 2nd rate.

Hazel bushes small oak and hickory on Each bank of the run which the line crosses about 5 chains in width



Township 10 N. Range 13. E of the 6th P. Mer.

East on a random line between sections 28 and 33.

Variation 10° 20' E.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner.

44.70 Creek. 15 lks wide runs N E.

64.40 Run 3 lks wide runs N

80.04 Intersected the N and S. line 31 lks south of the corner to sections 27. 28. 33. 34

West on true line between section 28 and 33.

Variation 10° 33' E

40.02 Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.04 The corner to sections 28. 29. 32. 33 2nd rate high rolling Prairie

Township 10 N. Range 13. E. of the 6th P. M. Mer.

North between sections 28 and 29.

Variation 10° 20' E.

36.90 Creek 20 lks wide runs E

40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long. 8 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sects 20. 21. 28. 29.

A small quantity of good. bottom Land. upon the creek. ballance 2nd rate. rolling prairie

Cottonwood. Oak. and Elm. timber about 2 chs wide along the Creek

There is a large field of breaking in the S. 1/2 of Section 29.



Township 10. N. Range 13. E of the 6th P. M. Mer.

East on a random line between sections 21 and. 28.

Variation 10° 30' East.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner.

79.83 Intersected N and S. line 39 links south of the corner to sections 21. 22. 27. 28

West on a true line between sects 21. and. 28.

Variation 10° 47' E.

39.91½ Set. a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

79.83. The corner to sections 20. 21. 27. 28. 2nd rate high rolling Praire

Saturday June 28th 1856.

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P M

North between sections 20. and 21

Variation 10° 30' E.

27.00 Enter timber bearing E and W.

29.30 Right bank of the Weepingwater 75 lks across it upon the line 45 lks at right angles to the line. Runs S. E.

32.75 Same stream runs S. S. W. 145 lks wide

39.70 Same stream runs S. E. 40 lks wide

40.00 Domes in the Creek.

40.50 Set a Box Elder post for ~~[illegible]~~ Witness, corner from which a Box Elder 10 in diam bears N 80° E 30 lks dist & Box Elder 10 in diam bears S. 64° W. 20 lks dist

41.50 Enter Prairie bearing E and. W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for cor to sections 16. 17. 20. 21

Good Bottom land north of creek about 20 chs wide ballance 2nd rate land.

Timber. Elm. Black Walnut & cottonwood



Township 10 N. Range 13 E of the 6th P M

East on a random line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 10° 50' E.

20.00 Enter bottom land bearing N and S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter-section corner

48.75 Run 4 lks wide runs S.

53.30 Enter Cornfield bearing N and S.

62.00 Enter Prairie bearing N and. S.

80.00 Intersected N and S. line at the corner to sections 15. 16. 21. 22

West on true line between sections 16 and 21

Variation 10° 50' E

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.00 The corner to sections 16. 17. 20. 21

West portion 2nd rate sedges

East portion 1st rate bottom,

Township 10 N. Range 13 E. of the 6th P. Mer.

North between sections 16 and 17.
Variation 10° 20' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner from which A. Burr Oak. 14 in diam bears S 38° W. 69. lks dist
A. Burr Oak 12 in diam bears S. 50° E 64 lks dist

80.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 15 in wide 3 in thick for corner to sections 8. 9. 16. 17.
2ord rate. land. scattering Oak trees, and considerable hazel. brush. rolling land



Township 10 N Range 13 E. of the 6th P. Mer.

East on a random line between sections 9 and 16.
Variation 10° 50' E.

8.50 Enter breaking. bearing. N and S.
21.50 Leave breaking crop sod fence bearing N and S.
40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner.
65.18 Creek 4. lks wide runs S E
67.15 Same creek. runs N E. 4 lks wide
69.87 same creek runs S. 4 lks wide
79.47 Intersected N and S. line 3 lks N of the corner to sections 9. 10. 15. 16
West on true line between sections 9 and 16.
Variation 10° 49' E.
39.73½ Set a lime stone 15 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner
79.47 The corner to sections 8. 9. 16. 17.
West part. 1st rate undulating prairie
East part. 2nd rate, rolling prairie

Township 10 N. Range 13. E of the 6th P.M.

North between sections 8 and 9.
Variation 10° E.

4 40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long. 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

68.00 Enter. Ploughed field bearing East and West.

80.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long 13 in wide 7 in thick for corner to sections 4. 5. 8 and 9 in field
1st rate farming land, rolling prairie
John Murray Claims the S.W. quarter of section 9.
Henry Wolfe has a claim in the North part of sections 9.
Wm DeGage has a claim in the south part of sections 4 and 5.



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Mer.

East on a random line between sections 4 and 9
Variation 10° 45' E.

11.40 Leave ploughed field bearing N and S.
37.00 Hazel brush bearing N and S.
40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner
60.53 Run 4 lks wide runs S. E
64.68 Run. 1 lk wide runs S.
80.23 Intersected N and S. line at the corner to sections 4. 5. 8. and 9
West on true line between sects 4 and 9.
Variation 10° 45' E
40.11½ Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 7 in thick for quarter section corner
80.23 The Corner to sections 4. 5. 8. 9
West half 1st rate farming land rolling prairie
East half. 2nd rate broken Prairie with hazel brush

Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th P. M.

North on a ~~random~~ line between sections. 4 and 5.

Variation 10° E

13.65 Fence bearing E and. W.

20.00 W. D. Sage's house bears West

39.85. Leave plowed field bearing E and W.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

79.76 Intersected the N boundary of the Township 23. links West of the corner to sections 4 and 5 from which D. C. Brannans house bears S 68° 45' W. about 20 ch. dist N W. quarter of sec 5 is laid ~~in~~ ~~laid~~ out for a City by the name of Mt. Pleasant. W. D. Sage's house bears south 7° 30' W.

South on ~~true~~ line between sections 4 and 5

Variation 7° 50' E

39.76 Set a lime stone 15 in long 11 in wide 7 in thick for



Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th P. M.

quarter section corner

79.76 The corner to sections 4. 5. 8. 9

1st rate farming land

A large grove of timber in section 4 near the center

Monday June 30th 1856

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North between sections 31 and 32

Variation 10° 15' E.

5.00 Enter timber bearing E and W.

9.88 Creek 30 lks wide runs N E.

13.00 Same Creek. runs. N W. 30 lks. wide

16.60 Same creek runs S. E 30 lks. wide

17.50 Leave timber bearing N W and S E

33.30 Same creek. runs N W. 30 lks. wide

34.00 Leave bottom land. and ascend a high lime stone bluff 75 feet. high

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for

Township 10 N Range 13. E of the 6th P.M.

quarter section corner on high lime stone bluff

58.00 Creek 30 lks wide runs N E (Same creek

78.00 Enter timber bearing N W and S S E

80.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long 14 in wide 3 in thick for corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32 from which A Box Elder, 5 in diam bears S. 74° 30' E. 30 lks dist A sycamore 36 in diam bears N 31° W 118 lks dist no other trees at hand.

James. Bryan. claims a part of S E. quarter of section 31 East of line 3rd rate bluffs with a few cedar trees known as "Cedar Bluff" West of line 2nd rate broken Prairie Timber Oak Black Walnut. Elm Cedar. and Cottonwood.



Township 10 N. Range 13 E. of the 6th P.M.

East on a random line between sections 29 and 32

Variation 10° 30' E

2.35 Creek 25 lks wide runs N E.

8.00 Enter Prairie bearing N and S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner.

79.94 Intersected N and S. line 35 lks south of the corner to section 28. 29. 32. 33

West on true line between sections 29. and 32

Variation 10° 45' E.

39.97 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

79.94 The corner to sections 29.30.31.32

East part 1st rate farming land. rolling prairie

ballance 2d rate broken R O Elvine

Claims the S. W. quarter of sects 29 and S E quarter of sects 29.

Township 10 N. Range 13 E of the 6th P. Merid

West on a random line between sections 30 and 31

Variation 10° 45' E.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

42.60 Run 2 lks wide runs S. E.

77.90 Intersected the W boundary of the Township at the corner to sections 30 and 31

East on a true line between sections 30 and 31

Variation 10° 45' E

37.90 Set a lime stone 15 in long 8 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

77.90 The corner to sections 29.30.31.32

East part broken 3rd rate high rolling Prairie. West part 2d rate high rolling prairie

Tuesday July 1st 1856.



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Merid

North between sections 29 and 30

Variation 10° 40' E.

2.50 Old bed of Creek. bearing W and S E

3.50 Old bed of Creek. bearing N E. and S. W.

6.00 Leave timber bearing E and W.

33.00 Upland. bearing E and S. W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long 12 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner.

78.00 Enter hazel brush. bearing E and W.

80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for corner to sections 19. 20. 29. 30 in hazel brush.

2nd rate farming Land. broken

Timber – Oak. Elm bottomwood Black. Walnut

Lime stone in abundance

Township 10 N. Range 13. E. of the 6th P. M.

East on a random line between sections 20 and 29.
Variation 10° 50' E.

9.00 Leave hazel brush

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

80.18 Intersected N and S. line 18 lks N of the corner to sections 20 21 28. 29.

West on true line between sections 20 and. 29.
Variation 10° 42' E.

40.09 Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80.18 The corner to sections 20. 29. 19. 31
2nd rate high rolling Prairie Hazel brush and. Shrub Oak on the West half —



Township 10 N Range 13 E. of the 6th P. M.

West on a random line between sections 19 and 30
Variation 10° 45' E.

8.14 Spring run. 4 lks wide runs N E and disappears in the bottom

10.50 Leave brush bearing N E and S W.

38.75 Spring run 2 lks wide runs N E and disappear in the bottom

42.65 Nebraska City and Kirkpatricks road bearing N and S.

77.73. Intersected the west boundary of the Township at the Corner to sections 19 and 30

East on true line between sections 19 and 30
Variation 10° 45' E

37.73 Set a lime stone 15 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

77.73 The corner to section 19. 20. 29. 30
1st rate high rolling Prairie

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P.M.

North between sections 19 and 20.
Variation 10° 25' E

40.00 Set a lime stone 14 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

45.00 Enter bottom Land bearing E and W

63.45 Main branch of the Wapingwata 40 lks wide runs East

80.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 10 in wide 6 in thick for corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20
South part high rolling Prairie
North part bottom land. 1st rate
Cottonwood Oak Elm and Willow timber along the bank of the creek



Township 10 N. Range 13 E. of the 6th P. Mer.

East on a random line between sections 17 and 20
Variation 10° 45' E.

12.00 Slough 175 lks wide runs S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

72.25 Enter marsh runs South.

75.00 Enter Prairie bearing N and S.

80.00 Intersected the N and S line 23 lks North of the corner to sections 16, 17, 20, 21
West on true line between sections 17 and 20
Variation 10° 35' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 The corner to sections 17, 18, 19, 20
South of line 1st rate rolling prairie farming land
North of line 2nd rate broken Prairie
Isaac Pollard Jr. claims N W quarter of sec 20

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. M.

West on a random line between sections 18 and 19.

Variation 10° 30' E

15.40 Fence bearing N E and S. W.

16.00 Kirkpatricks house bears south 59° W 10 chs dist

23.65 We spring water 100 lks wide runs S E which is west side of field

27.59 Same stream 60 lks wide runs N E

39.55 Same stream 40 lks wide runs S E

41.56. same stream 30 lks wide runs N E

48.50 Same stream 55 lks wide runs S E

77.92 Intersected the west boundary of the Township 22 lks south of the corner to sections 18 and 19.

East on true line between sections 18 and 19.

Variation 10° 20' E.

The true point for quarter section corner comes in creek

38.92 Set a lime stone 26 in long 7 in wide 4 in thick 100 lks



East of the point for the true quarter section corner from which an Elm 30 in diam bears S. 28° 15' W. 38 lks dist. no other tree here.

77.92 The corner to sections 17. 18. 19. 20

1st rate bottom land. B Walnut. Oak Elm Box Elder Cottonwood scattered along the creek

Kirkpatrick has a saw mill on the N W. quarter of section 19.

July 2nd 1856.

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North between sections 17 and 18.

Variation 10° 15' E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 22 in long 15 in wide 3 in thick for quarter sec cor from which A Bur Oak 24 in diam bears S. 50° W. 100 lks dist

A Bur Oak 5 in diam N 12° 30' E. 121 lks dist

80.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th Pr. Mer.

9 in wide 6 in thick for corner to sections 7. 8. 17. 18
2nd " rate prairie South part gently rolling North part high rocky. A few scattering bur Oak trees.

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East on random between sections 8 and 17.

Variation 10°45' E.

26.00 Kirkpatrick and Nebraska City Road, bearing N E and S. W.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

57.50 Enter Hazel brush and timber bearing N and S.

62.00 Spring on 4 lks wide runs south.

67.00 Enter prairie bearing N and S.

80.23 Intersected the N and S. line 35 lks north of the corner to sections 8. 9. 16. 17.

West on true between sections 8 and 17.



Township 10 N. Range 13 E of the 6th Pr. Merid

Variation. 10°30' E.

40.11½ Set a lime stone 23 in long 10 in wide 2½ thick for quarter section corner.

80.23½ The corner to sections 7. 8. 17. 18
West half 3rd " rate broken Prairie
East half 2nd " rate farming Land. rolling prairie
Timber — Oak. Elm. Black-Walnut. S. E. quarter of section 8 is claimed by some persons

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Mer.

West ~~[illegible]~~ on a random line between sections 7 and 18.

Variation 10° 30' E.

0.50 Enter Oak hazel and hickory undergrowth bearing N and S.

21.50 Enter Prairie bearing N and S.

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

56.21 North fork of the Wapingonetta 30 links wide runs south.

77.70 Intersected the West boundary of the township 27 lks N of the corner to sections 7 and 18.

~~East on true line between sections 7 and 18.~~

East on true line between sections 7 and 18

Variation 10° 41' E

37.70 Set a line stone 16 in long 10 in wide 3½ in thick for quarter section corner.



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77.70 The corner to sections 7. 8. 17. 18 Black Walnut. Oak. Willow and Cottonwood on the creek A small quantity of good farming land along the creek. ballance 2nd rate surface rolling S. W. quarter of section 7 is claimed by some person

North between sections 7 and 8

Variation 10° 00' E.

9.00 Enter hazel brush bearing E and W

16.00 Enter. Prairie bearing E and W

40.00 Set a lime stone 23 in long. 13 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner.

44.00 Enter hazel brush. bearing E and W.

80.00 Set a linear stone 22 in long 13 in wide 6 in thick for corner to sections 5. 6. 7. 8. in hazel brush 2nd rate broken Prairie A few scattering Oak trees

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Merid

East on a random line between sections 5 and 8

Variation 10° 30' E

4.00 Enter timber bearing N & S
15.00 Spring run 2 lks wide runs N W.
31.45 Spring run 2 lks wide runs S. W
35.05 same stream 2 lks. wide runs N W
36.41 Same stream 2 lks " wide runs S. W
39.29 Same stream 2 lks " wide runs N W
40.00 Set stake for temporary quarter section corner
40.50 Same stream 2 lks " wide runs. S W.
43.34 Same stream 2 lks " wide runs N W.
50.00 Enter Prairie bears S E by E and N W by W
52.00 Enter brush bears E and W.
53.30 Enter Prairie bears N and S.
69.50 Enter ploughed field bears N and S.
80.00 Intersected the N and S. line 22 links north of the corner to sections 4.5.8.9

West on true line between sections 5 and 8



Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Merid

Variation 10° 20' E

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner from which a Bass Wood bears N 40° 30' E 14 lks dist
Bass Wood. 10 in diam bears S 49° 15' W. 20½ lks dist
80.00 The corner to sections 5.6.7.8
1st rate farming land, Oak Elm Black Walnut. Lynn and Ironwood timber
Surface broken

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. M.

West on a random line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 10° 30' E

36.00 Creek ~~xxxx~~ 2 lks wide runs South

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

50.00 Enter hazel brush bearing N & S

54.06 North Branch of the Wapingwater 25 links wide runs south

57.10 Same stream 25 links wide runs N W

60.15 Same stream 25 links wide runs South

61.00 Leave hazel brush bears N and S

78.14 Intersected west boundary of the Township 59 links N of the corner to sections 6 and 7

East on true line between sections 6 and 7

Variation 10° 55' E

38.14 Set a lime stone 17 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner



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78.14 The corner to sections 5.6.7.8

A little good farming land along the Creek Tallance 2nd rate, broken Prairie

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North on a random line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 10° 00' E.

2.90 Slough runs W. 130 lks wide

6.30 Slough runs S.W. 90 lks wide

32.00 Leave brush bears E and W.

47.40 Mt Pleasant road, bearing E and W.

79.38 Intersected north boundary of the Township 18 lks west of the corner to sections 5 and 6

South on true line between sections 5 and 6

Variation 9° 52' E

39.38 Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

Township 10 N Range 13 E of the 6th P. Mer.

79.38 The corner to section 5.6.7.8
2nd rate broken Prairie

Thursday July 3rd 1856.

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General Description

The weeping water creek a stream about 50 links wide runs East through the central part of the township.
A Road leading from Nebraska City to Plattsmouth passes northerly through the central part of the township.
The quality of the land in this township is rather above the average. The bottom lands along the Weeping water creek are quite large and dry 1st class. The up lands are rolling. 1st and 2d classes interspersed with numerous small streams. There is ~~quite~~ a great number of cool springs of water. There is a saw and grist mill in process of erection on the N. W. 1/4 of Section 27.
There is 3 groves of timber in the Northerly part of the township from

which "Three grove" post Office takes its name. This post office is located on the S.W. 1/4 of Sec 3. Good lime stone are found in great abundance along the Weaping water creek in Sections 7, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31. This township is well adapted to thick settlement. at present there is scarcely a ~~claim~~ half section but what has some claim stakes on it.

A list of the names of the Assistants Employed, showing their respective occupations.

Levinus W. Patterson. Chainman
Isaac H. Alexander Chainman
John Ford Flagman
Coral W. Holcomb Axeman
Thomas Pierce Axeman
Justus L. Cozad Compassman



A list of the names of the individuals Employed to assist in running measuring and marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No 10 North of the Base line Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian Showing the respective capacities in which they Acted

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# Field Notes
of the
Survey of the Subdivision lines in Township No 11 North of the Base line of Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian

Survey commenced
July 7th 1856

Survey completed July 15th 1856

By Thomas Patterson
Deputy Surveyor
Under his contract bearing date the 31st day of Oct. 1855

No 67

(Geo d) correct

Complete.

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Township 11 North Range 13 East 6th P. M.

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| 51 | | 50 | | 37 | | 28 | | 20 | | 11 |
| 7 | 50 | 8 | 37 | 9 | 28 | 10 | 19 | 11 | | 12 |
| 48 | | 47 | | 36 | | 27 | | 18 | | 9 |
| 18 | 47 | 17 | 35 | 16 | 26 | 15 | 18 | 14 | 8 | 13 |
| 46 | | 45 | | 34 | | 25 | | 17 | | 7 |
| 19 | 44 | 20 | 34 | 21 | 25 | 22 | 16 | 23 | 6 | 24 |
| 45 | | 43 | | 33 | | 24 | | 15 | | 5 |
| 30 | 42 | 29 | 33 | 28 | 23 | 27 | 15 | 26 | 5 | 25 |
| 41 | | 40 | | 31 | | 23 | | 14 | | 4 |
| 31 | 40 | 32 | 31 | 33 | 22 | 34 | 14 | 35 | 3 | 36 |

A list of the names of the individuals Employed to assist in running measuring and marking the lines and corners described in the following field notes of the survey of the subdivision lines in Township No 11 North of Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian Showing the respective capacities in which they acted

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|---|---|
| Levinus Patterson | Chainman |
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Field Notes of the Survey of the Subdivision lines in Township No 11 North of the Base line of Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian

Survey commenced July 7th, 1880

Use Burts Solar Compass.

Use a 4 pole chain. which we test and make correct by my standard. To adjust my compass for subdividing this Township I begin at a line stone of the required size on the East boundery of the Township at the corner to sections 25.30 31.36. and Run South on a blank line along the East side of section 36

Variation 10° 35' East

39.42 To a point 2 links East of the quarter Section Corner

79.79 To a point 5 links west of



Township 11 N Range 13 E. 6th Pr. Mdn.

the Township Corner

True Variation 10° 37' East

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From the South East corner of the Township I run West on a blank line along the South side of section 36

Variation 10° 37' East

39.98 To a point 14 links North of quarter section corner

79.95 A point 36 links North of the corner to Sections 1.2.35.36.

True Variation 10° 52' East

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North between Sections 35 and 36

Variation 10° 40' East

40.00 Set a line stone 17 in long. 9 1/2 in wide. 3 in thick. for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Set a line stone 18 in long. 9 in wide 6 in thick for corner to Sections 25.26. 35. 36.

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1st rate high rolling prairie
A large field of breaking in the central part of Section 36.

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East on a random line between Sections 25 and 36.
Variation 10° 50' East

37.00 Enter undergrowth bearing N & S.
38.05 Enter slough 45 links wide runs
40.00 Set temporary quarter section corner
79.66 Intersect the East boundary of the township 67 links North of the corner to Sections 25 and 36. from which corner I run.

West on true line between Sections 25 and 36
Variation 10° 21' East

39.83 Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner, from which
A Bur Oak 10 in diam bears N 78° E 87 lks distant



Township 11 N Range 13 E. 6th Principal Meridian

A B. Walnut 6 in diam ~~bears~~ N 89¼° E 96 links dist
79.66 The corner to Sections 25.26.35.36.
East part. broken; covered with hazel brush. 2d rate
West part 1st rate undulating prairie. A few scattering Oak and Black walnut trees

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North between Sections 25 & 26
Variation 10° 45' East

13.40 Nebraska City and Kanosha road bearing N E and S W.
40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner
80.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 11 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sections 24.25.26.23
1st rate undulating prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 24 and 25
Variation 10° 30' East

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12.04 Run 2 links wide Runs North

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

80.24 Intersect the East boundary of the township 9 links South of the corner to sections 24 and 25 from which corner I run West on true line between Sections 24 and 25

Variation 10° 34' East

40.12 Set a line stone 17 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.24 The corner to Sections 23, 24, 25, 26.

1st rate undulating prairie

Elgy Martin claims N 1/2 of Sec 25

Milton Morris claims S 1/2 of Sec 24

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North between Sections 23 & 24

Variation 10° 30' East

40.00 Set a line stone 13 in long 11 in wide 7 in thick for quarter Section Corner

43.25 Run 5 links wide Runs North East

45.10 Enter wheat field bearing N E & S



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70.25 Sod fence between James Gardners and James Driskells claims. bearing N W and S E

80.00 Set a line stone 15 in long 9 in wide 7 in thick for corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 24 in field of wheat — 1st rate farming land. surface rolling

Monday July 7th 1856

East on a random line between Sections 13 and 24

Variation 10° 50' East

11.90 Leave plowed field Enter prairie bearing N W and S E

19.00 Enter brush bearing N E. & S W.

20.44 Creek 5 links wide Runs N E

40.00 Set Temporary quarter Section Corner

40.68 Creek 5 links wide Runs North

67.00 Leave brush bearing N & South

75.07 Branch 2 links wide Runs N. W.

80.57 Intersect the East boundery of the township 23 links North of the

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corner to Sections 13 and 24
From which corner I run
West on true line between Sections
13 and 24

Variation 10° 40' East

40,28½ This point comes in the creek.
I set a line stone 18 in long 13
in wide 3 in thick for witness corner 25 links
west of the true point for quarter Section
corner. from which an Elm
14 in diam bears S 60° E, 8 links dist.
No other trees at hand
80,57 The corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 24
High rolling prairie. 2d rate.
A large grove of timber South of
the line. A few trees north of
the line, timber Oak. Elm. hickory
Black walnut.

North between Sections 13 and 14

Variation 10° 30' East

6,30 Leave field bearing N E & S W
— near right angle corner
10,25 Enter hazel brush bearing E & W



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37,80 Leave brush bearing N. W & S E
40,00 Set a line stone 19 in long 10 in
wide 3 in thick for quarter Section. Cor.
63,50 Rock Bluff and Salt Creek road
bearing E and West
80,00 Set a line stone 25 in long 10 in
wide 3 in thick. for corner to
Sections 11, 12, 13, 14
1st rate undulating prairie
Joseph Longpoint claims N. W. ¼ of
Section 13

East on a Random line between Sections
12 and 13

Variation 10° 30' East

11,22 Run 2 links wide Runs S. East
13,25 Same stream Runs N. E. 2 lks wide
13,25 Enter timber bearing N E & S W.
17,74 Same Stream 2 lks wide bearing S E.
19,20 Same stream 2 lks wide Runs N. E.
28,30 Enter prairie bearing N E. & S W.

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38.30 Enter timber bearing N W & S E.

40.00 Set temporary quarter Section corner.

46.10 Run 4 links wide Runs S E.

60.80 A grave, 10 links south of the line.

80.26 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 42 links south of the corner to Sections 12 and 13.

From which Corner I run West on true line between Sections 12 and 13

Variation 10° 48' East

40.13 Set a line stone 19 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section cor.

No trees near enough for bearing trees

80.20 The corner to Sections 11, 12, 13, 14

East part 2d rate land surface broken covered with brush and timber

West part 1st rate farming land surface rolling timber. Cat. 13 Walnut Elm, Undergrowth same and hazel, sumac, hickory.



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Md

North between Sections 11 and 12

Variation 10° 30' East

40.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 16 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Set a line stone 20 in long 10 in wide 6 in thick for corner to Sections 1, 2, 11, 12

1st rate undulating prairie

East on a random line between Sections 1 and 12

Variation 10° 45' East

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter section corner

48.80 Indian trail bearing N and South

79.57 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 55 links south of the corner to Sections 1 and 12

From which corner I run West on true line between Sections 1 and 12

Variation 11° 9' East

Township 11 N. Range 13 E 6th Pr. Md.

39,78½ Set a lime stone 19 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section Corner

79,57 The corner to Sections 1, 2, 11, 12
1st rate undulating prairie
Wm Young has a good farm South of the line
There is a house on the S. E ¼ of section 1. A log cabin on the N. W. ¼ of Sec 1.

North on a random line between Sections 1 and 2
Variation 10° 30' East

40,00 Set a temporary quarter section corner

67,90 Plattsmouth and Kirkpatrick's road bearing N E and S W.

80,14 Intersect the North boundary of the Township 31 links East of the corner to Sections 1 and 2
South on true line between



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Md

Sections 1 and 2
Variation 10° 43' East

44,14 Set a lime stone 19 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section Corner

80,14 The corner to Section 1, 2, 11, 12
1st rate undulating prairie
Tuesday July 8th 1856.

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North between Sections 34 and 35

Variation 10° 35' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 16 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 8 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 27, 26, 34, 35.

1st undulating prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 26 and 35

Variation 10° 30' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

59.80 Nebraska City and Plattsmouth road bearing N E and S W.

79.91 Intersect North and South line 30 links south of corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36

West on a true line between



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th P. Mer

Sections 26 and 35

Variation 10° 43' East

39.95½ Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

79.91 The corner to sections 26, 27, 34, 35

1st rate undulating prairie

No water or timber.

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North between sections 26 & 27

Variation 10° 45' East

27.90 Cassville and Kenoshaville road bearing East and West

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 6 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27

1st rate gently rolling prairie

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East on random line between Sections 23 & 26

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Variation 10° 50' East

14.44 Branch 2 links wide Runs North

40.00 Set a flag for Temporary quarter section corner

72.80 Run 2 links wide Runs North

79.41 Intersect North and South line 44 links south of the corner to Sections 23, 24, 25, 26.

West on true line between Sections 23 and 26

Variation 11° 9' East

39.70 1/2 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner.

79.41 The corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27

1st rate undulating prairie

North between Sections 22 and 23

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a lime stone 22 in long 8 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section



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corner

44.32 Creek 4 links wide. Runs East

80.00 Set a lime stone 30 in long 8 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sections 14, 15, 22, 23.

2d rate rolling prairie

East on a random line between Sections 14 and 23

Variation 11° East

29.20 Run 3 links wide Runs South

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner.

76.36 Sod fence — Enter ploughed field bearing N.E and S.W.

79.53 Intersect North and south line 11 links North of the corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 24.

West on true line between Sections 14 and 23

Variation 10° 55' East

Township 11 N. Range 13 E 6th Pr. Md.

39.76½ Set a lime stone 22 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section corner.

79.53 The Corner to Sections 14.15.22.23.
1st rate undulating prairie

North between Sections 14 and 15
Variation 10° 50' East

17.65 Road leading from Plattsmouth to Cassville bearing N E & S W

40.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner

55.30 Road bearing N E and S W leading from Rock Bluff to to Salt Creek

80.00 Set a lime stone 25 in long 6 in wide 4 in thick, for corner to Sections 10.11.14.15
1st rate gently rolling prairie

East on a random line between Sections 11 and 14



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Chains Variation 11° 10' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter Section corner

48.37 Road bearing N E and S W leading from Plattsmouth to Cassville

80.44 Intersect the North and South line 32 links South of the corner to Sections 11.12.13.14

West on true line between Sections 11 and 14
Variation 11° 24' East

40.22 Set a lime stone 12 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section corner

80.44 The corner to Sections 10.11.14.15
1st rate undulating prairie

North between Sections 10 and 11
Variation 10° 25' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 8 in wide 6 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in

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Chains wide 4 in thick for corner to
Sections 2, 3, 10, 11
1st rate undulating prairie

East on a random line between
Sections 2 and 11
Variation 10° 50' East
40,00 Set a flag for temporary quarter
quarter Section corner
59,10 Road bearing North and South
leading from Plattsmouth to Cassville
80,78 Intersect North and South line
30 links south of the corner to
Sections 1, 2, 11, 12
West on true line between Sections
2 and 11
Variation 11° 3' East
40,39 Set a line stone 16 in long 12 in
wide 3 in thick for quarter
section corner,
80,78 The corner to Sections 2, 3, 10, 11



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th P.M.

West part of line crosses a strip of
rather wet bottom land. East part
undulating prairie, 1st rate.

North on a random line between
Sections 2 and 3
Variation 10° 25' East
19,00 Enter bottom land bearing West and
South East.
40,00 Set a flag for temporary quarter
Section corner,
74,00 Leave bottom land Enter upland
bearing North west and South E.
80,30 Intersect the North boundary of
the Township at the corner to
Sections 2, 3, 35, 34.
South on true line between
Sections 2 and 3
Variation 10° 25' East
40,30 Set a line stone 18 in long 12 in
wide 3 in thick for quarter

Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mdn.

| Chains | Section Corner |
|---|---|
| 80.30 | The corner to Sections 2.3.10.11. Middle portion of the line passes down a valley of rather wet bottom land. Ballance undulating prairie. 1st Rate. |

Begin at a stone on the South boundary of the Township at the corner to Sections 33 and 34 and run North between Sections 33 and 34

Variation 10° 45' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Sec Cor.

80.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 6 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 27.28.33.34.

1st Rate undulating prairie



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Mdn.

East on a random line between Sections 27 and 34

Variation 10° 45' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner.

80.38 Intersect North and South line 24 links South of the corner to Sections 26.27.34.35

West on true line between Sections 27 and 34

Variation 10° 55' East

40.19 Set a lime stone 17 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

80.38 The corner to Sections 27.28.33.34

1st Rate undulating prairie

North between Sections 27 and 28

Variation 10° 45' East

8.35 Road bearing E and West leading from Kenosha to Cassville

Township 11 North Range 13 E 6th P. Mer.

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner.

67.90 Road bearing N E and S W leading from Plattsmouth to Cassville

80.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sections 21, 22, 27, 28.
1st rate undulating prairie

East on a random line between Sections 22 and 27
Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter Section Corner

80.43 Intersect the North and South line at the Corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27.

× West on true line between Sections 22 and 27.



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Chains Variation 11° East

40.21½ Set a lime stone 18 in long 8 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.43 The corner to Sections 21, 22, 27, 28.
1st rate undulating prairie

North between Sections 21 and 22
Variation 10° 45' East

27.50 Slough 50 links wide Runs N E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 21 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Sect. Cor.

80.00 Variation 11° 15' East

80.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 8 in wide 6 in thick for corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22.
1st rate undulating prairie

East on a random line between Sections 15 and 22
Variation 11° 30' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter

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section corner.

50.00 Variation 11° 10' East

79.85 Variation 10° 45' East

79.85 Intersect North and South line 35 links South of the Corner to Sections 14, 15, 22, 23

West on true line between Sections 15 and 22

Variation 11° East

39.92½ Set a line stone 18 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner.

79.85 The Corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22

1st rate undulating prairie

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North between Sections 15 and 16

Variations 11° 15' East

30.00 Variation 10° 45' East

40.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.



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80.00 Set a line stone 20 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for Corner to Sections 9, 10, 15, 16.

1st rate undulating prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 10 and 15

Variation 10° 45' East

21.45 Slough 145 links wide Runs North

30.00 Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section Corner

79.20 Intersect North and South line 26 links south of the corner to Sections 10, 11, 14, 15

West on true line between Sections 10 and 15

Variation 11° 11' East

39.60 Set a line stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner.

79.20 The corner to Sections 9, 10, 15, 16

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1st rate rolling prairie

North between Sections 9 and 10
Variation 10° 45' East
40.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 11 in wide 5 in. thick for quarter section corner
80.00 Variation 11° 30' East
80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 14 in wide 3 in thick for corner to sections 3, 4, 9, 10
2d rate rolling prairie

East on a random line between Sections 3 and 10
Variation 12° 00 East
40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner
41.25 Enter bottom land bearing N E and S W
49.00 Enter upland bearing N E & S. W.
60.00 Variation 11° 30' East



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79.59 Intersect North and South line 12 links South of the corner to Sections 2, 3, 10, 11
Pass on true line between Sections 3 and 10
Variation 11° 35' East
39.79½ Set a lime stone 18 in long 14 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.
79.59 The corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10
1st rate undulating prairie

North on a random line between Sections 3 and 4
Variation 11° 30' East
40.00 Set temporary quarter section corner
60.00 Variation 11° 15' East
80.00 Variation 11° East
80.94 Intersect the North boundery of the Township 17 links East of the

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Chains Corner to Sections 3, 4, 33, 34

South on true line between Sections 3 and 4

Variation 11° 7' East

40.94 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

80.94 The corner to Sections 34, 9, 10

1st rate undulating prairie

No timber or water



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North between sections 32 and 33

Variation 10° 40' East

7.50 Road leading from Plattsmouth to Cassville bearing N E and S W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 23 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

41.00 Enter brush bearing East and West

42.40 Spring run 2 links wide Runs West

45.00 Enter prairie bearing East and West

65.46 Run 4 link wide Runs S. West.

80.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 28, 29, 32, 33.

1st rate undulating prairie

Michael Brannan claims S. W 1/4 of section 33. G. W. More claims N. E. 1/4 of Section 32

East on a random line between Sections 28 and 33

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Variation 10° 45' East

3,50 Run 2 links wide Runs S.S.W.

16,30 Run 2 links wide Runs S.W.

40,00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

54,25 Road bearing N N E and S S W leading from Plattsmouth to Cassville

65,10 Road leading from Kenosha to Cassville bearing N E and S W

79,50 Intersect North and South line 4 links North of the corner to Sections 27, 28, 33, 34

West on true line between Sections 28 and 33

Variation 10° 43' East

39,75 Set a lime stone 21 in long 12 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

79,50 The corner to Sections 28, 29 32, 33, 1st rate undulating prairie



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Mdn.

chains North between Sections 28 and 29

Variation 10° 45' East

40,00 Set a lime stone 21 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80,00 Set a lime stone 30 in long 6 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 20, 21, 28, 29,

1st rate undulating prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 21 and 28

Variation 10° 45' East

40,00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

79,72 Intersect North and South line 12 links North of the corner to Sections 21, 22, 27, 28

West on true line between Sections 21 and 28

Variation 10° 40' East

39,86 Set a lime stone 21 in long 12 in wide

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Chains 4 in. thick for quarter Section Corner

79.72 The corner to Sections 21, 22, 28, 27
1st rate land. East part table
land. West part undulating
prairie

North between Sections 20 and 21
Variation 10° 45' East

4.95 Spring run 1 link wide Runs
South west

40.00 Set a lime stone 22 in long 12 in
wide 3 in thick for quarter
section corner

71.00 Enter slough bearing N W & S E

80.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 12 in
wide 5 in thick for corner to
Sections 16, 17, 20, 21
1st rate undulating prairie

East on a random line between
sections 16, 21
Variation 10° 45' East



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1.70 Leave Slough bearing N. N W. & S S E.

28.00 Slough Running North (100 links wide)

40.00 Set a stake for temporary quarter
section corner

65.00 Variation 11° 15' East

79.94 Intersect North and South line
14 links North of the corner to
sections 15, 16, 21, 22.
West on true line between
Sections 16 and 21
Variation 11° 09' East

39.97 Set a lime stone 24 in long 15 in
wide 4 in thick for quarter
section corner.

79.94 The corner to Sections 16, 17, 20, 21
2d rate. undulating prairie.

North between Sections 16 and 17
Variation 10° 45' East

32.00 Leave marsh bearing N N W & S S E.

40.00 Set a lime stone 23 in long 12 in

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chains wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 6 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 8, 9, 16, 17
1st rate undulating prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 9 and 16
Variation 10° 45' East

34.06 Run 2 links wide Runs North

40.00 Set a temporary quarter Section Corner

63.86 Pottawattomie trail bearing N & S

80.26 Intersect North and South line 26 links North of the corner to Sections 10, 9, 16, 15.
West on true line between Sections 9 and 16
Variation 10° 34' East

40.13 Set a lime stone 18 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for quarter



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Section corner

80.26 The corner to Sections 9, 8, 17, 16.
2d rate rolling prairie

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North between Sections 8 and 9
Variation 10° 45' East

12.00 Enter bottom land bearing N N E and S S W

20.00 Enter upland bearing N N E and S S W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section corner

80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 5 in thick 11 in wide for corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9
2d rate undulating prairie

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East on a random line between Sections 4 and 9
Variation 10° 45' East

Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th P. Mdn

25.00 Enter bottom land bearing North and South

31.80 Run 3 links wide Runs North

35.50 Enter upland prairie bearing North and South

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

62.80 Indian trail bearing N & S.

80.47 Intersect North and South line 27 links North of the corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10 West on true line between Sections 4 and 9

Variation 10° 34' East

40.23½ Set a lime stone 18 in long 11 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section corner

80.47 The corner to Sections 4, 5, 8, 9, 2d rate undulating prairie



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North on a random line between Sections 4 and 5

Variation 10° 50' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

58.00 Enter bottom land bearing N N E and S S W.

79.76 Intersect the North boundary of the township 23 link west of the corner to Sections 4 & 5 South on true line between Sections 4 and 5

Variation 10° 40' East

39.76 Set a lime stone 16 in long 11 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

79.76 The corner to Sections 4, 5, 8, 9 1st rate undulating prairie

Monday July 14th 1856

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| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 31 and 32 |
| | Variation 10° 45' East |
| 35.70 | Creek 8 links wide Runs S. W. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 19 in. long. 10 in. wide. 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner. |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 17 in. long. 12 in. wide 5 in thick. for Corner to Sections 29, 30, 31, 32 |
| | South part 2d rate broken prairie North part 1st rate undulating prairie. A few scattering Bur Oak trees |
| | East on a Random line between Sections 29 and 32 |
| | Variation 10° 45' East |
| 17.15 | Creek 4 links wide Runs South W. |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner. |
| 79.89 | Intersect North and South line 3 links South of the corner to |



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| Chains | |
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| | Sections 28, 29, 32, 33. |
| | West on True line between Sections 29 and 32 |
| | Variation 10° 45' East |
| 39.94½ | Set a lime stone 14 in long 13 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 79.89 | The corner to Sections 29, 30, 31, 32; |
| | West part 2d rate broken land covered with hazel brush |
| | East part 1st rate farming land Surface rolling |
| | A fine grove of Bur Oak timber South of the line |
| | West on a Random line between Sections 30 and 31 |
| | Variation 10° 45' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 50.00 | Slough 30 links wide Runs S. West |
| 63.17 | North Fork of the Weapingwater 6 links wide Runs South |
| 64.73 | Same stream Runs North west 6 lks. wide |

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| 65.30 | Same stream 6 lks wide Runs South |
| 78.94 | Intersect the west boundary of the township 39 links North of the corner to Sections 30 and 31 |
| | East on true line between Sections 30 and 31 |
| | Variation 11° 02' East |
| 38.94 | Set a lime stone 21 in. long 10 in. wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 78.94 | The corner to Sections 29.30.31.32 1st rate undulating prairie |

North between Sections 29 and 30

Variation 10° 45' East

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| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in. wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 19 in long, 15 in wide, 4 in thick for corner to Sections 19, 20, 29, 30.- 1st rate undulating prairie |



Township 11 N. Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Merid.

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| Chains | East on a random line between Sections 20 and 29. |
| | Variation 10° 45' East |
| 18.40 | Creek 3 links wide Runs South |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary ¼ section corner. |
| 43.22 | Run 2 links wide Runs S. West |
| 75.93 | Run 1 link wide Runs South West |
| 79.97 | Intersect the North and South line 78 links south of the corner to Sections 20.21.28.29 |
| | West on true line between Sections 20 and 29 |
| | Variation 11° 17' East |
| 39.98 | Set a lime stone 19 in long 18 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 79.97 | The corner to Sections 19.20.29.30 1st rate gently rolling prairie |

West on a random line between Sections 19 and 30

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| Chains | |
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| | Variation 10° 50' East |
| 34.60 | Run 2 links wide Runs South |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 75.79 | Branch 2 links wide Runs South |
| 78.72 | Intersect the west boundary of the Township 38 links North of the Corner to Sections 19, 30 and 30 |

East on true line between Sections 19 and 30

Variation 11° 5' East

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| 38.72 | Set a line stone 24 in long 4 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner. |
| 78.72 | The corner to Sections 19, 20, 29, 30 |

1st rate undulating prairie No timber.

North between Sections 19 and 20

Variation 10° 50' East

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| 40.00 | Set a line stone 20 in long 14 in. wide 6 in. thick for quarter Section corner |



Township 11 N Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Merid.

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| 66.25 | Road bearing East and West leading from Rock Bluffs to Salt Creek |
| 80.00 | Set a line stone 18 in long 14 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sections 17, 18 19, 20. |

1st rate gently rolling prairie

East on a random line between Sections 17 and 20.

Variation 10° 50' East

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section Corner |
| 77.00 | Enter slough runs North |
| 79.77 | Intersect North and South line 2 links South of the corner to Section 16, 17, 20, 21 |

West on true line between Section 17 and 20

Variation 10° 51' East

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| 39.88½ | Set a line stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner |

Township 11 N. Range 18 E. 6th Princip. Merid.

| Chains | |
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| 79.77 | The Corner to Sections 17, 18, 19, 20 |
| | 3rd rate high rolling prairie |
| | West on a Random line between Sections 18 and 19 |
| | Variation 11° 15' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter Section Corner |
| 44.40 | Road bearing N. W and S. E, leading from Rock Bluffs to Salt Creek |
| 78.81 | Intersect the West boundary of the township 9 links North of the corner to Sections 18 and 19 |
| | East on a true line between Sections 18 and 19 |
| | Variation 11° 19' East |
| 38.81 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 78.81 | The Corner to Sections 17, 18, 19, 20 |
| | 1st rate gently rolling prairie |



Township 11 N Range 18 E 6th Prin. Merid.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 17 and 18 |
| | Variation 10° 55' East |
| 9.00 | Enter slough bearing N. N. W |
| 21.00 | Leave slough Enter upland bearing N. N. W. |
| 31.00 | Enter same slough bearing N. N. E |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner. |
| 46.00 | Enter upland - leave slough - bearing N. N. E |
| 53.00 | Enter another slough, bearing East & W |
| 61.00 | Enter upland bearing E & W. |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 20 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for corner to sections 7, 8, 17, 18. |
| | 2d rate rolling prairie — |
| | Tuesday July 15th 1850 |
| | East on a Random line between Sections 8 and 17 |
| | Variation 11° 15' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter Sec Cor. |
| 65.50 | Branch 1 link wide Runs North |

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79.62 Intersect the north and south line 8 links south of the corner to Sections 8, 9, 16, 17

West on true line between Sections 8 and 17

Variation 11° 18' East

39.81 Set a lime stone 20 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

79.62 The corner to Sections 7, 8, 17, 18 1st rate gently rolling prairie

West on a random line between Sections 7 and 18

Variation 11° 15' East

40.00 Set a ~~flag~~ temporary for quarter section corner

46.65 Plattsmouth and California Emigrant trail bearing N 35° E and S 35° W

78.68 Intersect the west boundary



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Chains of the township 45 links north of the corner to Sections 7 and 18

East on true line between Sections 7 and 18

Variation 11° 34' East

38.68 Set a lime stone 17 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

78.68 The corner to Sections 7, 8, 17, 18 1st rate undulating prairie

Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mdn

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 5 and 8 |
| | Variation 11° 15' East |
| 40,00 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide, 3 in thick for quarter Section corner. |
| 80,00 | Set a lime stone 24 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to sections 5, 6, 7, 8. |
| | 1st rate undulating prairie |
| | East on a random line between Sections 5 and 8 |
| | Variation 10° 45' East |
| 40,00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79,71 | Intersect North and South line 23 links south of the corner to sections 4, 5, 8, 9. |
| | West on true line between Sections 5 and 8 |
| | Variation 10° 55' East |



Township 11 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

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|---|---|
| 39,85½ | Set a lime stone 19 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79,71 | The corner to Sections 5, 6, 7, 8. |
| | 1st rate gently rolling prairie |
| | West on a random line between Sections 6 and 7. |
| | Variation 11° 25' East |
| 7,80 | Emigrant trail leading from Plattsmouth to Salt Lake bearing N 30° E and S 30° W. |
| 40,00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter Section corner |
| 40,39 | Spring branch 2 links wide runs North |
| 76,50 | Enter timber bearing North and South |
| 78,59 | Intersect the West boundary of the township 3 links south of the corner to Sections 6 and 7. This corner is in timber, but no bearing trees were taken. |
| | East on true line between Sections |

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5 and 7

Variation 11° 24' East

38.59 Set a line stone 21 in. long 15 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner.

78.59 The corner to Sections 5, 6, 7, 8.

1st rate farming land. Surface rolling

A large grove of timber. principaly Bur Oak. north of the line,

North on a Random line between Sections 5 and 6.

Variation 11° 15' East

15.05 Emigrant trail leading from Plattsmouth to Salt lake. bearing N 40° E. S 40° W.

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner.

55.10 Plattsmouth and 8 Mile grove road. bearing East and West

79.87 Intersect the North boundary of the township 26 links west



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chains of the corner to Sections 5 and 6

South on a true line between Sections 5 and 6

Variation 11° 4' East

39.87 Set a line stone 20 in long 15 in wide 3 in. thick for quarter section corner

79.87 The corner to Sections 5, 6, 7, 8.

1st rate gently rolling prairie

The North and West portions of Section 6 are timbered lands. known as the 8 Mile Grove.

Wednesday July 16th 1856

## General Description

This township is mostly upland prairie 1st and 2d rates, well adapted to cultivation.

Rock Creek heads near the centre of the township. The North Fork of the Neapingwater heads near the South western portion of the township.

Lime stone were discovered in sections 19, 20, 29, 30.

There is very little timber in the township. The timber is various kinds of Oak, Elm, Black walnut, hickory and lynden, it occupies part of sections 12, 13, 24, 32, 6, and 7.

A great many claims have been made and some improvements and settlements are going on



A list of the name and duties of assistance employed

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Levinus H. | Patterson | Chainman |
| Isaac H. | Alexander | Chainman |
| John | Ford | Flagman |
| Thomas | Pierce | Axeman |
| Coral W. | Holcomb | Axeman |
| Justus L. | Cozad | Compassman |

A list of the names of the individuals Employed to assist in running measuring or marking the line and corners described in the foregoing field notes of Township No 11 N. Range No 13 E. 6th Principal meridean in the Territory of Nebraska, Showing the capacities in which they respectively acted

Levinus W. Patterson Chainman
Isaac H Alexander Chainman
John Ford Flagman
Thomas Price Axeman
Coral W. Holcomb Axeman
Justus L. Cozad Compassman

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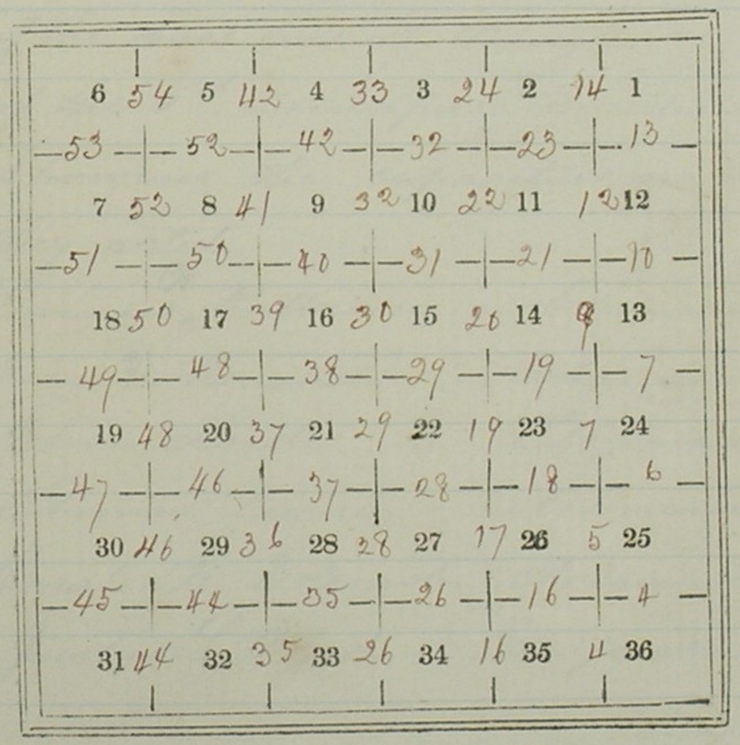
# Field Notes
of the
Survey of the Subdivision lines in Township No 12 North of the Base Line. Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian

Survey Commenced July 17th 1855
Survey Completed July 28th 1855
By Thomas Patterson
Deputy Surveyor
Under his contract bearing date the 31st day of Oct. 1855 (1067)

Complete

Road – one stone undersize
(Section 6 miscloses –)

Township 12 North Range 13 East 6th P. M.



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| Levinus W. Patterson | Chainman |
| Isaac H. Alexander | Chainman |
| John Ford | Flagman |
| Thomas Pierce | Axeman |
| Coral W. Wolcomb | Axeman |
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Field Notes of the Survey of the Subdivision lines in Township No 12 North of the Base line, of Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian.

Survey Commenced July 17th 1855

Use Burts Solar Compass.

Use a four pole chain. Chain compared with standard and found correct.

To adjust my compass for subdividing this Township, I begin on the South boundery of the township at the corner to Sections 35 and 36 1 and 2. And run East along the south side of Section 36, - on a blank line

Variation 10° 45' East

40.09 To a point 53 links South of the quarter Section corner

80.00 To a point 93 links South of the township corner



Township 12 N. Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Md.

True variation of this line by my compass is 11° 25' East.

From the South East corner of the township I run North on a blank line along the East side of Section 36.

Variation 11° 45' East

39.92 To a point 20 links west of the quarter section corner

80.00 To a point 32 links west of the corner to Sections 25, 30, 30, 31

True Variation by my compass 11° 31' East

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Begin at a stone on the South boundery of the township at the corner to Sections 35 and 36 and Run North between Sections 35 and 36.

Variation 11° 25' East

31.25 Emigrant trail. Leading from

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

Chains Plattsmouth to Salt lake, bearing East and West

40.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

69.00 Enter marsh bearing N W by W and S E by E

80.00 Leave marsh bearing N W by W and S E by E

80.00 Set a line stone 20 in long 5 in wide 5 in. thick for corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36,

1st rate farming land, rolling prairie

East on a Random line between Sections 25 and 36

Variation 11° 30' East

40.00 Set a temporary quarter Section Corner

47.32 Indian trail bearing North & South

65.60 Fence bearing East and South

79.82 Intersect the East boundary of the township at the corner to



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Sections 25 and 36.

West on true line between Sections 35 and 36.

Variation 11° 30' East

39.91 Set a lime stone 17 in. long 14 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

79.82 The corner to sections 25, 26, 35, 36, 1st rate farming land, undulating prairie

There is a field of breaking on the S. W. 1/4 of Sec 25. Owned by Samuel Maxwell. Seth Johnson has settled and improved the North half of Section 36.

North between Sections 25 and 26

Variation 11° 15' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long, 13 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 8 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 23, 24, 25, 26, 1st rate gently rolling prairie

Township 12 N. Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Mer.

East on a random line between Sections 24 and 25

Variation 11° 15' East

18.00 A. J. Todd's house 2 chains North of line

22.10 Indian trail bearing N. & South

31.00 Enter Ploughed field bearing North and South.

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

79.79 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 60 links South of the corner to Sections 24 and 25

West on true line between Sections 24 and 25.

Variation 11° 41' East

39.89½ Set a line stone 18 in long 8 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section Corner

79.79 The corner to Sections 23, 24, 25, 26

1st rate farming land.

Surface rolling.



Township 12 N. Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Mer.

North between Sections 23 and 24

Variation 11° 25' East

36.00 Fence bearing East and West

40.00 Set a line stone 16 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section Corner

50.80 Indian trail bearing E and West

80.00 Set a line stone 23 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 24

1st rate gently rolling prairie

East on a random line between Sections 13 and 24

Variation 11° 30' East

1.50 Isaac Wilds house bears N. 25 links dist.

19.00 Fence bearing N. W. and S. E.

21.00 Enter brush and timber bearing N. W. and S. E.

35.00 Leave timber bearing North and South

35.05 Indian trail bearing N. and S. W.

37.00 Enter timber bearing North and South

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40.00 Set stake for temporary quarter section corner

52.97 Indian trail bearing North & South

53.61 South West corner of Plattsmouth City. bears North 55 links dist.

56.00 Leave timber bearing N & South

64.82 Indian trail bearing N & S.

65.00 Enter valley bearing N & S.

75.00 Enter upland bearing N & S.

79.82 Intersect the East boundary of the township at the corner to Sections 13 and 24

West on true line between Sections 13 and 24.

Variation 11° 30' East

59.91 Set a lime stone 15 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner, from which A Burr Oak 15 in diam bears N 89° E 64 links dist. A Black Walnut 8 in diam bears N 60½° W 29 links dist.

79.82 The corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 24



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mdn

West part 1st rate farming land
East part 2d rate surface rolling " timber. Oak varying kinds — Black Walnut Hickory and Elm. Rendingpoints same. and hazel brush.

Thursday July 17th 1855

John Ford Flagman was taken sick. And Moses Patterson takes his place

North between Sections 13 and 14

Variation 11° 30 East

6.75 Mr Wilds house bears West 150 links distant

7.00 Fence bearing East and West

7.50 Enter brush bearing East and West

14.25 23 ranch 1 link wide runs East

32.00 Leave brush bearing East and West

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner.

50.50 Fence bearing East and S. S. E

Township 12 N Range 13 E 5th Prin Mer

58.50 Emigrant trail leading from Plattsmouth to Salt Lake bearing N.E and S.W.

72.00 Enter brush bearing N N and S E.

80.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 11 in wide 3 in thick for corner to sections 11, 12, 13, 14 from which A Red Oak 12 in diam bears N 63 33' E 70 links dist, A hickory 5 in diameter bears S 84 1/4° E 65 links dist, No other trees near 2d rate rolling land, Prairie Except some patches of hazel brush

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East on a random line between sections 12 and 13

Variation 11° 30' East

1.00 Enter timber bearing N & S.

6.12 Leave timber bearing N and South

10.12 Emigrant trail bearing North and South West

11.25 Enter brush bearing N and South



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Mer.

Chains

13.00 Enter timber bearing North and South

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

67.00 Leave timber bearing North and South

80.45 Intersect the East boundary of the township 3 links south of the corner to sections 12 and 13

Meat on true line between Sections 12 and 13

Variation 11° 31' East

40.24 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner, from which A Bur Oak 24 in diam bears S 40° W 100 links distant, No other trees at hand

80.48 The corner to Sections 11, 12, 13, 14 Land rolling, 1st rate, Timber various kinds of Oak, B. Walnut Elm, Hickory, Lynden and Ironwood Undergrowth same and hazel, East half of Section 12 is laid out

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Merdn.

Chains ~~for~~ a town. Known as Wm H. Shafers addition to Plattsmouth. The East half of Section 13 has been laid out by different persons as a town sight.

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

2.00 Enter timber bearing N. N. W and S. E

15.70 Leave timber bearing N. N. W and S.

38.00 Enter timber bearing N. N. W and S S E.

40.00 Set a line stone 17 in long 15 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section corner from which

1 Red Oak 15 in diam bears S 43¾° E 50 links dist

A Bur Oak 12 in diam. bears N 45° W 61 links dist.

41.20 A red Oak 16 in diam.

42.00 Leave timber bearing E and West

62.50 Enter Slough 100 links wide



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Merdn.

Chains Runs North West

80.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for Corner to Sections 1, 2, 11, 12. Rather broken. 3d Rate. Timber Oak (various kinds) Black walnut and Lynden Undergrowth same and hazel.

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

13.50 Enter hazel brush bearing N and S.

20.00 Leave brush bearing North and S.

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter Section corner.

80.70 Intersect the East boundary of the Township 21 links North of the corner to sections 1 and 12

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West on true line between Sections 1 and 12
Variation 11° 20' East

Township 12 N. Range 13 E 6th P.M. Mer.

40.35 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner from which. A Red Oak 15 in diameter bears S 59¼° W 67 links dist. A Bur Oak 3 in diam bears N 23¾° E 15 links distant

80.70 The corner to Sections 1, 2, 11, 12

3d rate broken ridges, covered with scattering Red and Bur Oak timber.

North on a true line between Sections 1 and 2

Variation 10° 50' East

1.00 Enter slough 200 links wide Runs North East.

30.50 Top of bluff 100 feet high above Platt river bottom land bearing E & W.

40.00 Set a lime stone 11 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

44.00 Enter Platt river bottom land bearing East and West



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th P.M. Mer.

77.47 Intersect North boundary of the township 9.40 chains W. of Cor. to Sects. 35 and 36 at which point I set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for closing corner to Sections 1 and 2. Stone marked as per instructions South part 2d rate. Broken prairie North part 1st rate dry bottom land.

East on the 3d standard parallel North along the North side of Section 1.

Variation 10° 50' East

9.40 The standard section corner

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 15 in wide 3 in thick marked ¼ and C. C. on the south side as per instructions for closing quarter section corner.

49.25 The standard quarter section corner

Friday July 18th 1856

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin Merid.

North between Sections 34 and 35

Variation 11° 30' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner.

78.10 Plattsmouth and Salt Lake Emigrant track bearing N.W. & S.E.

80.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for corner to Sections 26, 27, 34, 35,

A strip of bottom land west of the line about 10 chains wide. Ballance undulating, — prairie, 1st rate,

East on a Random line between Section 25 and 35

Variation 11° 30' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

49.00 Enter bottom land bearing N.W and South East

80.40 Intersect North and South



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin Merid.

Chains line 4 links North of the corner to Sections 25, 26, 35, 36.

West on true line between Sections 25 and 35.

Variation 11° 29' East

40.20 Set a lime stone 15 in long 8 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section corner.

80.40 The corner to Sections 26, 27, 34, 35, 1st rate undulating prairie.

North between Sections 26 and 27

Variation 11° 28' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long 8 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner.

57.00 Enter bottom land bearing N.W. & S.E.

68.00 Branch 3 links wide Runs N. West

79.00 Enter upland. bearing E & W

80.00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 8 in wide 4 in thick for corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27.

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
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| | 1st rate undulating prairie |
| | Saturday July 19th 1856. |
| | East on a random line between |
| | Sections. 23 and 26 |
| | Variation 11° 30' East |
| 11.60 | Fence bearing North and South |
| 38.06. | Leave field bearing North and South. |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter |
| | section corner. |
| 80.20 | Intersect the North and South |
| | line 17 links North of the corner |
| | to Sections. 23, 24, 25, 26. |
| | West on true line between Sections |
| | 23 and 26. |
| | Variation 11° 23' East |
| 40.10 | Set a line stone 20 in long |
| | 9 in wide 3 in thick for |
| | quarter section corner |
| 80.20 | The corner to Sections 22, 23, 26, 27. |
| | 1st rate farming land. |
| | Gently rolling — No timber |



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th P. M.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 22 and 23 |
| | Variation 11° 20' East |
| 21.50 | Enter marsh bearing East and West |
| 35.00 | Mr Jackson's house 4 chains West. |
| 40.00 | Set a line stone 20 in long 13 in |
| | wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 41.00 | Leave marsh bearing N E and S West |
| 62.00 | Platte mouth and Salt Lake Emi- |
| | grant trail bearing N E and S West |
| 80.00 | Set a line stone 15 in long ~~8~~ 12 in wide |
| | 5 in thick for corner to Sections |
| | 14, 15, 22 and 23. 1st rate farming |
| | land — prairie rolling. |

East on a random line between
Sections 14 and 23
Variation 11° 30' East
15.25 Emigrant trail bearing N E and
South West.
40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter
section corner.

Township 12 N. Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Mer.

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| 48.40 | Fence bearing N and South |
| 80.19 | Intersect the North and South line 3 links South of the corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 24. |
| | West on true line between Sections 14 and 23. |
| | Variation 11° 31' East |
| 40.09 | Set a lime stone 20 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.19 | The corner to Sections 13, 14, 23, 22 |
| | First rate farming land prairie rolling |
| | North between Sections 14 and 15 |
| | Variation 11° 20' East |
| 17.50 | Enter slough bearing N E and S W. |
| 21.00 | Leave slough bearing N E and S W. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 62.20 | Road leading from Plattsmouth to Sales sawmill bearing E & West. |



Township 12 N. Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

| Chains | |
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| 69.00 | Enter brush bearing N N. W and S S E |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 14 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for corner to Sections 10, 11, 14, 15. |
| | 1st rate gently rolling prairie Except some thickets of hazel brush. |
| | East on a random line between Sections 11 and 14 |
| | Variation 11° 30' East |
| 0.25 | Leave hazel brush bearing N & S |
| 12.00 | Enter brush bearing N & South |
| 15.65 | Leave hazel brush bearing North and South |
| 30.70 | Enter brush bearing North and South |
| 32.00 | Leave brush bearing North and South |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner. |
| 57.00 | Enter hazel brush bearing N & S |
| 57.94 | Spring branch 4 link wide runs North |
| 60.00 | Leave brush bearing N and South |
| 60.24 | Enter field bearing North and South |

Township 12 N Range 13 E 5th Prin. Mer.

67.00 Leave field bearing North and South.

79.25 Enter brush bearing North & South.

80.15 Intersect the North and South line 25 links North of the corner to Sections 11, 12, 13, 14

West on true line between Sections 11 and 14

Variation 11° 19' East

40.08 Set a lime stone 14 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.15 The corner to Sections 10, 11, 14, 15 1st rate rolling prairie,

North between Sections 10 and 11

Variation 11° East

28.00 Enter timber bearing E and West.

29.60 Red Oak 14 inches in diameter

35.00 Leave timber bearing East and West

35.00 Enter swail bearing N W and E.

38.30 Leave slough bearing North West



Township 12 N Range 13 E 5th Pr. Md

Chains

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner

67.00 Indian Trail bearing East and West

80.00 Set a lim stone 19 in long 10 in wide 4 in thick for corner to Sections 2, 3, 10, 11, Rather broken 2d rate Timber Oak, Underground hazel bushes

East on a random line between Sections 2 and 11.

Variation 11° 15' East

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner.

47.35 Enter timber and brush bearing N and South.

74.00 Leave timber and brush bearing North and south.

77.00 Enter slough 2 chains wide. Runs North East.

80.27 Intersect North and South line 50 links North of the corner to

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Mer.

Chains Sections 1, 2, 11, 12

West on true line between Sections 2 and 11

Variation 10° 54' East

40.18½ Set a lime stone 13 in long 7 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner.

80.27 The corner to Sections 2, 3, 10, 11

2d rate rolling land. East part covered with timber and hazel brush. West part prairie

Timber Oak Elm and B. Walnut.

Corn stalks and Bean poles are seen in places along this line which is an Evidence that Indians cultivated portions of this land.

North on a true line between Sections 2 and 3

Variation 11° East

83.00 Top of bluffs bearing E and West



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40.00 Set a lime stone 19 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner.

59.00 Enter Platte river bottom land bearing East and West.

77.45 Intersect 3d standard parallel 9.50 chs. West of the corner to Sects 3 4 and 35

North at which point I set a lime stone 18 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for closing Corner

South part 2d rate broken prairie

North part 1st rate dry bottom land.

East on 3d standard parallel along the North side of Section 2

Variation 10° 55' East

9.50 The standard Section corner

40.05 Set a lime stone 17 in long 15 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

49.37 The Standard quarter Section Corner

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 33 and 34 |
| | Variation 11° 15' East |
| 40.00 | Set a line stone 24 in long 7 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 42.00 | Enter bottom land bearing N. W. W and S S E, |
| 64.23 | Creek 3 links wide Runs East |
| 65.00 | Leave bottom land bearing East and West |
| 80.00 | Set a line stone 19 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 27, 28, 33, 34, |
| | A strip of bottom land along the creek, Ballance undulating prairie, 1st rate |
| | East on a random line between Sections 27 and 34 |
| | Variation 11° 20' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

| Chains | |
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| 63.44 | Creek 10 links wide Runs North |
| 64.00 | Same stream 10 links wide " Runs South East |
| 67.31 | Bend of Same stream Runs to line thence S. E. N. E " |
| 68.25 | Cross same stream 10 links wide " Runs North |
| 79.00 | Emmigrant trail leading from Plattsmouth to Salt Lake bearing N W and S E, |
| 79.76 | Intersect the North and South line 2 links North of the corner to Sections 26, 27, 34, 35, |
| | West on true line between Sections 27 and 34 |
| | Variation 11° 19' East |
| 39.88 | Set a line stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner, |
| 79.76 | The corner to Sections 27, 28, 33, 34. South of line a strip of bottom land along the creek Ballance gently rolling prairie 1st rate. |

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Md.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 27 and 28 |
| | Variation 11° East |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 14 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner. |
| 40.48 | Emigrant trail bearing E and W. |
| 44.57 | Emigrant trail bearing N E & S W. |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 21 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for Corner to Sections 21, 22, 27, 28 |
| | 1st rate rolling prairie |

East on a random line between Sections 22 and 27

Variation 11° 35 East

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| 35.75 | Emigrant trail bearing N. E and S W. |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter Section corner |
| 54.91 | Creek 8 links wide Runs N W. |
| 80.36 | Intersect North and South line 31 links north of the corner to sections 22, 23, 26, 27. |

West on true line between Sections 22 and 27



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Pr. Md

| Chains | |
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| | Variation 11° 12' East |
| 40.18 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.36 | Sec corner to Sections 21, 22, 26, 27 |
| | 1st rate rolling prairie |

North between Sections 21 and 22

Variation 11° 15 East

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| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 20 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 40.70 | Creek 8 links wide runs North West |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 23 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for Corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22 |
| | 1st rate rolling prairie |

East on a random line between Sections 15 and 22

Variation 11° 15 East

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter Section corner |

Township 12 N. Range 13 E. 6th P.M. Neb.

61.00 Enter swale bearing North and South

75.00 Leave swale bearing North and South

80.25 Intersect North and South line 14 links South of the Corner to Sections 14, 15, 22, 23

West on true line between Sections 15 and 22

Variation 11° 21' East

40.25 Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.25 The corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22 1st rate rolling prairie

North between Sections 15 and 16

Variation 11° 15' East

40.00 Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter Section Corner

75.75 Road leading from Plattsmouth to Sales saw mill, bearing N.W. and S.E.

80.00 Set a lime stone 15 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 9, 10, 15, 16. 1st rate gently rolling prairie

Tuesday July 22d 1856



Township 12 N. Range 13 E. 6th P.M. Neb.

Chains East on a random line between Sections 10 and 15

Variation 11° 15' East

4.40 Enter hazel brush bearing North and South

10.90 Leave hazel brush bearing North and South

16.25 Enter hazel brush bearing North and South

30.30 Leave hazel brush bearing North and South

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter Sec. Corner

77.60 Enter hazel brush bearing North and South

80.44 Intersect North and South line 2 links North of the Corner to Sections 10, 11, 14, 15

West on true line between Sections 10 and 15

Variation 11° 14' East

40.22 Set a lime stone 24 in long 7 in wide 5 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.44 The corner to Sections 9, 10, 15, 16 2d rate rolling prairie North of the line 1st rate gently rolling prairie South of the line

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Md.

Chains North between Sections 9 and 10

Variation 11° 10' East

38,23 Bur Oak 14 inches in diameter

40,00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 8 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Sec. Corner

From which A Bur Oak 15 in. diam bears N 14° E 9 links distant

A. Bur Oak 15 in diam bears S 6° 35' W 31 links dist

75,50 Creek 15 links wide Runs East

80,00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10. 2d rate rolling land A few scattering Bur Oak trees.

East on a random line between Sections 3 and 10

Variation 11° 10' East

4,75 Creek 10 links wide Runs North

40,00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

43,75 Enter swail bearing North & South



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46,25 Leave swail running North

67,58 Indian trail bearing North and South

80,35 Intersect North and South line 27 links South of the corner to Sections 2, 3, 10, 11

West on true line between Sections 3 and 10

Variation 11° 22' East

40,17½ Set a lime stone 15 in long 7 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

80,35 The corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10.

2d rate broken prairie

North on true line between Sections 3 and 4

Variation 11° 15' East

14,48 Creek 14 links wide Runs N. West

17,77 Creek 20 links wide Runs N. East

18,36 Same Creek 15 links wide Runs N. West

21,00 Elm 28 in diam

21,20 Same Creek 15 links wide Runs N. E.

37,00 Enter plowed land bearing N. N. W and S. S. E.

40,00 Set a lime stone 20 in long 10 in wide

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| Chains | |
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| | 3 in. thick for quarter section Corner |
| 34.37 | Same creek 10 links wide Runs S. & W. |
| 56.00 | same creek 15 links wide Runs N. E. leave field |
| 77.68 | Set a line stone 19 in long. 6 in wide 5 in thick at the intersection of My line with the 3d standard parallel. For Closing Corner to Sections 3 and 4. 1st Rate Bottom land 10.29 chs. West of the Cor. to Sects. 33 & 34 |
| | a few trees on the creek, Timber B. Walnut. |
| | ~~East on the 3d standard parallel north along the North side of Section 3.~~ |
| | ~~Variation 1° East~~ |
| ~~10.29~~ | ~~Standard corner to Sections 33 and 34~~ |
| ~~40.39~~ | ~~Set a line stone 15 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for closing quarter section corner to Section 3~~ |

Wednesday July 23d 1856



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Md

| Chains | |
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| | Begin at a line stone on the south boundary of the Township at the corner to Sections 32 and 33 and Run North between Sections 32 and 33 |
| | Variation 11° 15' East |
| 14.18 | Creek 5 links wide Runs N. W. |
| 20.75 | Same Creek Runs N. E. 5 links wide |
| 40.00 | Set a line stone 15 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 52.00 | Leave bottom land Enter upland bearing East and West |
| 78.25 | Salt Lake trail bearing N. E and S. W. |
| 80.00 | Set a line stone 25 in long 6 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 28, 29, 32, 33. South part bottom land North part gently rolling — prairie — 1st rate. |
| | East on a random line between Sections 28 and 33 |
| | Variation 11° 20' East |
| 3.00 | Salt Lake trail bearing N. E and S. W. |

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

chains

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

79.96 Intersect North and South line 17 links south of the corner to Sections 27, 28, 33, 34.

West on true line between Sections 28 and 33

Variation 11° 27' East

39.98 Set a line stone 17 in long 13 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Sec. Corner

79.96 The corner to Sections 28, 29, 32, 33.

1st rate rolling prairie

North between Sections 28 and 29

Variation 11° 15' East

40.00 Set a line stone 25 in long 9 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80.00 Set a line stone 25 in long 10 in wide 3 in thick for Corner to Sections 20, 21, 28, 29

1st rate rolling prairie



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

chains

East on a random line between sections 21 and 28

Variation 11° 15' East

14.75 Slough bearing North & South

16.75 Leave Slough bearing N & S

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner.

79.66 Intersect north and South line 22 links South of the corner to Sections 21, 22, 27, 28.

West on true line between Sections 21 and 28

Variation 11° 25' East

39.83 Set a line stone 18 in long 14 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner.

79.66 The corner to Sections 20, 21, 28, 29.

1st rate rolling prairie

North between Sections 20 and 21

Variation 11° 15' East

12.50 Slough 150 link wide Runs N.E.

33.30 Branch 2 links wide Runs N.W.

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34.03 Same branch Runs N. E. 2 lks. wide

35.20 Same branch Runs N. W. 2 lks wide

40.00 Set a line stone 22 in long 7 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

42.50 Creek 5 links wide Runs N E

44.10 Same Creek 10 links wide Runs N W.

46.20 Same Creek 10 links wide Runs N E

55.45 Same Creek 15 links Wide Runs N W

70.00 Same Creek 10 links wide Runs N E

78.56 Same Creek 10 links wide Runs N W

80.00 Set a line stone 24 in long 8 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 15, 17, 20, 21, from which A Box Elder 10 in diam bears S 70¼° W. 56 links dist.
No other trees near
The banks of the creek are covered with high weeds vines and hazel brush.
1st rate undulating prairie

East on a Random line between Sections 15 and 21



Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

Chains Variation 11° 15' East

33.23 Creek 12 links wide Runs N West

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

79.84 Intersect North and South line 4 links south of the corner to Sections 15, 16, 21, 22.

West on true line between Sections 15 and 21

Variation 11° 17' East

39.92 Set a line stone 19 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

79.84 The corner to Sections 16, 17, 20, 21
1st rate gently rolling prairie

North between Sections 15 and 17

Variation 11° East

10.73 Creek 4 links wide Runs N. E.

32.73 Branch 1 link wide Runs East

40.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

49.00 Enter timber bearing N W and S E.

49.20 Burr Oak 10 in diameter

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52.70 Leave timber bearing N. E and S W.

67.82 Branch 1 link wide Runs East

80.00 Set a line stone 28 in long 8½ in wide 5 in thick for Corner to Sections 8, 9, 16 & 17, A little B. Walnut, Oak, hickory and Elm timber along the Creek East of the line, Ballance rolling prairie Land 1st class

Lorenzo Johnson Claims N W ¼ of Section 16.

East on a random line between Sections 9 and 16.

Variation 10° 45' East

1.68 Indian trail bearing N & S.

16.82 Creek 10 links wide Runs N E

22.85 Same Creek Runs S. E 10 lks wide

23.48 Same Creek Runs N E 10 lks wide

40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

76.94 Plattsmouth and Sales mill road bearing N W and S E



Township 12 N Range 13 E. 6th Prin. Mer.

Chains

80.00 Intersect North and South line 3 links south of the corner to Sections 9, 10, 15, 16.

West on true line between Sections 9 and 16.

Variation 10° 45' East

40.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 8 in wide 5 in thick for quarter Section corner

80.00 The corner to Sections 8, 9, 16, 17

East part 2d rate rolling prairie

West part 1st rate gently rolling prairie a few trees along the creek Timber Elm & B. walnut

Thursday July 24th 1856

North between Sections 8 and 9

Variation 11° East

40.00 Set a line stone 18 in long 14 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner

51.62 Road leading from Plattsmouth to Sales mills. bearing East and West

80.00 Set a line stone 19 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for corner to Sections 4, 5, 8, 9 1st rate rolling prairie, Indian graves are seen East of the line

Township 12 N. Range 13 E 6th Prin. Md.

East on a random line between Sections 4 & 9

Variation 11° 15' East

13,97 Branch 1 link wide Runs S. E

26,23 Indian trail bearing N & S

40,00 Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner

80,18 Intersect N & S line 3 links South of the corner to Sections 3, 4, 9, 10.

West on true line between Sections 4 and 9

Variation 11° 16' East

40,09 Set a lime stone 19 in long 16 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner

80,18 The corner to Sections 4, 5, 8, 9.

East part bottom land, West part undulating. 1st rate, — prairie —

North between Sections 4 and 5

Variation 11° 30' East

40,00 Set a lime stone 25 in long 8 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner

49,00 Enter hazel brush bearing NE & NW



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77,50 Set a lime stone 17 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick in hazel brush, at the intersection of my line with the 3d Standard parallel north, 1107 links West of the Corner to Sections 32 and 33 for Corner to Sections 4 and 5. Rolling prairie, 2d rate

East on 3d Standard parallel North along the North side of Section 4

Variation 11° 26' East

11,07 The standard corner to Sections 32 and 33

40,39 Set a lime stone 25 in long 8 in wide 3 in thick for closing quarter Section Corner

50,97 The standard quarter Section Corner

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Mer.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 31 and 32 |
| | Variation 11° 15' East |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 19 in long 14 in wide 6 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 17 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 29, 30, 31, 32 |
| | 1st rate gently rolling prairie |
| | East on a random line between Sections 29 and 32 |
| | Variation 11° 28' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79.43 | Intersect the North and South line 5 links North of the corner to Sections 29, 28, 32, 33. |
| | West on true line between Sections 29 and 32 |
| | Variation 11° 26' East |
| 39.71½ | Set a lime stone 18 in long 14 in wide 3 in thick for quarter section corner |



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| 79.43 | The corner to sections 29, 30, 31, 32 |
| | 1st rate high rolling prairie |
| | West on a Random line between Section 30 & 31 |
| | Variation 11° 27' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 50.40 | Creek 5 links wide Runs North |
| 78.26 | Intersect the West boundary of the township 10 links North of the corner to Sections 30 and 31 |
| | East on true line between Sections 30 and 31 |
| | Variation 11° 31' East |
| 38.26 | Set a lime stone 16 in long 9 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 78.26 | The corner to Sections 29, 30, 31, 32. |
| | 1st rate gently rolling prairie |
| | Friday July 25th 1856. |

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin Merid.

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| | North between Sections 29 and 30 |
| | Variation 11° 20' East |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 24 in long 7 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 18 in long 15 in wide 3 inches thick for Corner to Sections 19, 20, 29, 30, 1st rate gently rolling prairie |

East on a random line between Sections 20 and 29

Variation 11° 15' East

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 79.72 | Intersect North and South line 4 links North of the corner to Sections 20, 21, 28, 29. |

West on true line between Sections 30 and 29

Variation 11° 13' East

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| 39.86 | Set a lime stone 16 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.72 | The corner to Sections 19, 20, 29, 30, 2d rate rolling prairie |



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| | West on a Random line between Sections 19 and 30 |
| | Variation 11° 25' East |
| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 52.00 | Enter timber bearing S E & N E |
| 52.38 | Creek 25 links wide Runs North |
| 56.38 | Creek 25 links wide Runs South |
| 77.86 | Intersect the west boundary of the Tp. 43 links North of the corner to Sections 19 and 30 |

East on true line between Sections 19 and 30

Variation 11° 43' East

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| 37.86 | Set a lime stone 16 in long 12 in wide 3½ in thick for quarter section corner |
| 77.86 | The corner to Sections 19, 20, 29, 30 2d rate rolling land |

East part prairie, West part timbered land. Timber various kinds of Oak, Elm, B. Walnut, hickory, Underwrouth Sassafras & hazel bushes & vines

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th Prin. Merid.

| Chains | |
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| | North between Sections 19 and 20. |
| | Variation 11° 30' East |
| 16.26 | Creek 8 links wide Runs N E. |
| 40.00 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 80.00 | Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 17, 18, 19, 20. 1st rate land South part dry bottom land North part gently rolling prairie |

East on a Random line between sections 17 and 20

Variation 11° 15' East

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 77.00 | Creek 10 links wide Runs N W |
| 77.75 | Same stream Runs S. W. 10 links wd. |
| 78.70 | Same stream Runs N. W 10 lks. wd. |
| 79.90 | Intersect the North and South line 15 links South of the corner |



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| | to Sections 16, 17, 20 and 21. |
| | West on true line between Sections 17 and 20 |
| | Variation 11° 21' East |
| 39.95 | Set a lime stone 15 in long 11 in wide 4 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 79.90 | The corner to Sections 17, 18, 19, 20 East part bottom land. West part rolling. 1st rate prairie Willows and weeds along the Creek |

West on a Random line between Sections 18 and 19

Variation 11° 30' East

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter Section corner. |
| 77.28 | Intersect the west boundary of the township at the corner to Sections 18 and 19 |

East on true line between Sections 18 and 19

Variation 11° 30' East

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| 37.28 | Set a lime stone 13 in long 11 in wide 5 in thick for quarter Section Corner |

Township 12 N Range 13 E 6th P.M. Mdn

77.28 The corner to Sections 17.18.19.20
1st rate rolling prairie

North between Sections 17 and 18
Variation 11° 20' East
40.00 Set a lime stone 22 in long 6 in wide
6 in thick for quarter section corner
67.00 Slough 2 chains wide Runs East
80.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 8 in wide
6 in thick for corner to Sections 7.8
17.18. 1st rate rolling prairie
Saturday July 25th 1885.

East on a Random line between Sections
8 and 17.
Variation 11° 20' East
40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter
section corner
46.00 Enter bottom land bearing N.W. & S.E.
57.00 Leave bottom land bearing N.W. & S.E.
79.91 Intersect North and South line



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chains 33 links South of the corner to Sections
8.9.16.17.
West on true line between Section
17 and 8
Variation 11° 34' East
39.95½ Set a lime stone 26 in long 8 in wide
6 in thick for quarter section corner
79.91 The corner to Sections 8 and 17.7 and 18
1st rate rolling prairie

West on a random line between Sections 7 and 18
Variation 11° 30' East
40.00 Set a flag for temporary quarter
section corner
76.61 Intersect the West boundary of the
township 51 links North of the corner
to Sections 7 and 18
East on a true line between Sections
7 and 18
Variation 11° 52' East
36.61 Set a lime stone 13 in long 12 in wide

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| 76.61 | 5 in thick for quarter Section Corner<br>The corner to Sections 7.8.17.18<br>1st rate gently rolling prairie |

North between Sections 7 and 8
Variation 11° 30' East

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| 37.50 | Plattsmouth and Salisville road bearing N.E by E and S.W. by W. |
| 40.00 | Set a line stone 15 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for quarter Section Corner |
| 43.00 | Enter hazel brush bearing E & W. |
| 48.00 | Enter Slough. Leave hazel brush bearing East and West |
| 51.00 | Leave slough bearing East and West |
| 80.00 | Set a line stone 23 in long 9 in wide 5 in thick for corner to Sections 5.6.17.18. 2d rate rolling prairie |

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



Township 12 N. Range 13 E 6th Prin Md.

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |
| 77.38 | Indian grave surrounded with cedar posts 20 links South of the line |
| 79.97 | Intersect the North and South line 28 links south of the corner to Sections 4.5.8.9. |

West on true line between sections 5 and 8
Variation 11° 57' East

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| 39.98½ | Set a line stone 19 in long 11 in wide 2½ in thick for quarter section corner |
| 79.97 | The corner to Sections 5.6.7.8<br>2d rate high rolling prairie |

West on a random line between Sections 6 and 7
Variation 12 East

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| 40.00 | Set a flag for temporary quarter section corner |

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76.25 Intersect the West boundary of the Township at the corner to sections 6 and 7.

East on true line between Sections 6 and 7
Variation 12° East

36.25 Set a lime stone 18 in long 10 in wide 5 in thick for quarter section corner

76.25 The corner to Sections 5, 6, 7, 8
1st rate undulating prairie

North on true line between Sections 5 and 6
Variation 11° 20' East

31.70 Indian trail bearing E and W

36.00 Indian trail bearing N W & S E

40.00 Set a lime stone 24 in long 8 in wide 7 in thick for quarter section corner

77.70 Set a lime stone 15 in long 12 in wide 3 in thick for closing corner of the corner to sections 31 & 32 to sections 5 and 6, 11 Chs. 60 lks. West 3d rate bluffs, Some scattering Bur Oak timber, Some lime stone



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are seen in the bluffs.

East on the 3d Standard parallel North along the North side of Section 5
Variation 11° 15' East

11.60 The standard corner to Sections 31 & 32

40.25 Set a lime stone 24 in long 5 in wide 5 in thick for quarter Section corner from which

A Bur Oak 12 in diam Bears S 73° E 53 links dist

A Bur Oak 12 in diam Bears S 74° W 25 links dist

From Closing Corner to Sections 5 & 6 I run West on 3d standard parallel North along the North side of Section 6
Variation 11° 15' East

38.22 The standard quarter section corner

40.00 Set a lime stone 18 in long 12 in wide 4 in thick for closing quarter section corner

Monday July 28th 1856

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Meanders of the Right Bank of Platte River through the township commence at the Meander corner on the 3d standard parallel North Thence Along Section 1. T. 12. N. Range 13 E.

Variation 11° E.

1 S 25¼° E 9.47 Chains to the meander corner on Range Line between T 12 N. Ranges 13 and 14 E

Land high bottom prairie

This line was run Saturday May 17th 186

at the same time the Meander line were run in T. 12. N. Range 14 E.



General Description

The greater part of the land in this township is upland prairie. Principaly 1st class. Parts of Sections 1. 2. 3 and 4 are bottom land along the Platte river. Parts of Sections 1. 12. 2. 5. 6. are 2d and 3d class. bluffs.

Timber, chiefly. Black Walnut. various kinds of Oak. hickory. Elm and Cypress comprises parts of sections 19. 30. 1. 12. 13. 24. 2 and 11.

Platte river cuts off a few acres from the North East corner of the township.

Lime stone were seen in Sections 5. 6. 9. 19. 30.

Quite a number of settlements are already made. The location of this town with refrence to the Missouri river makes it one very desirable to settle in.

A list of the names of the individuals Employed to assist in running measuring and marking the lines and corners described in the foregoing field Notes of Townships No 9, 10, 11, 12 North of the Base Line Ranges No 13 and 14 East of the 6th Principal Meridian showing the respective capacities in which they acted.

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| Isaac H Alexander | Axeman Chainman and |
| Levinus N Patterson | Chainman " |
| John Ford | Flagman " |
| Moses Patterson | Flagman " |
| Coral W. Holcomb | Axeman " |
| Thomas Pierce | Chainman Axeman and " |
| Charles W. Thompson | Chainman " |
| Talorand T. Pool | Chainman " |
| Stephen Wilkinson | Chainman " |
| Stephen Lyon | Flagman " |
| Jesse A. Cox | Chainman and Axeman |
| Sebastian Vogler | Chainman and Axeman |

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We hereby certify that we assisted Thomas Patterson, deputy surveyor, in subdividing fractions

We hereby certify that we assisted Thomas Patterson, deputy surveyor, in subdividing fractional Township number (12) twelve North of the base line of Range number (14) fourteen East of the (6th) sixth Principal Meridian, and that said Township has been in all respects to the best of our knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed, and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Charles W Thompson — Chainman
Isaac H Alexander — Axeman
Levinus W. Patterson — Chainman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons, before me, a County Clerk for the County of Cass in the Territory of Nebraska this 21st day of June 1856

Joseph. Lousignont
County Clerk

I hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson Deputy Surveyor in subdividing Fractl Townships Number Nine & Ten North of the Base line of Range Fourteen East of the 6th Principal Meridian line and that said Townships have in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief been well and faithfully subdivided into sections and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

C K Ingraham

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named Cyrus Ingraham before me a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cass in the Territory of Nebraska this 23 day of May 1856—

Allen Watson J.P.

I hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson Deputy Surveyor in subdividing Fractional Township No. 1 South in Range 6 East of the Base line of Range

Sebastian Vogler Chainman and Axeman over

I hereby certify that we assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor in subdividing township number nine North of the base line & Range number nine East of the sixth principal Meridian and that said township has in all respects, to the best of our knowledge and belief been well and faithfully subdivided into Sections and the boundaries established & marked by the Surveyor General in accordance to Sect. 2 of the instructions of the General Commissioner

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Chairman
Wm Wilkinson Chairman
Stephen Spencer Chairman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons before me a Justice of the Peace for the County of Otoe in the Territory of Nebraska this 11th day of December 1855.

Milton Rees J. P.



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Chairman
Chairman
Chairman

✓ Wm Cooper F Lagman
✓ Martin V. B. Crouch Chairman
✓ Cyprus R. Ingraham Chairman
Justus D. Cyad Compassman

I, Jesse A. Cox hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor in surveying the subdivision lines in township number Eleven and twelve North Range 14 East of the 6th Principal meridian, and that said townships have been in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief, well and faithfully surveyed, and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General.

Jesse A. Cox
Jesse A. Cox Axeman and Chainman

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Jesse A Cox before me, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cass in the Territory of Nebraska This 2d day of August 1856

Benjamin Williams
Justice of the Peace



I, Moses Patterson hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor in surveying the subdivision lines in township twelve north of the base line, Range 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian and that said township has been in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General.

Moses Patterson Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Moses Patterson before me a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cass Territory of Nebraska This 2d day of August 1856

Benjamin Williams
Justice of the Peace

We hereby certify that we assisted Thomas Patterson, deputy Surveyor in Surveying the subdivision lines in Townships No 10. 11. 12. North of the Base Line of Range No 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian And that Said townships have been in all respects to the best of our knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundery monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Coral W. Holcomb Chainman
John Ford Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the above named persons, before me, a ~~Justice of the Peace~~ County Clerk for the County of Cass in the Territory of Nebraska This 1st day of August 1856

J H Brown
County Clerk N.B.
of Cass Co



We hereby certify that we assisted Thomas Patterson deputy Surveyor in surveying the subdivision lines in Townships number ten, Eleven and twelve North of the Base line Range number thirteen East of the sixth principal meridian and that said townships have been in all respects to the best of our knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed - and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor general.

Levinus N. Patterson Chainman
Isaac H. Alexander Chainman

Subscribed by the above named persons before me, a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cass Territory of Nebraska This 2d day of August 1856

Benjamin F. Kelley
Justice of the Peace

I. Thomas Pierce hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor, in surveying the subdivision lines in townships number 9, 10, 11, and 12 North, Range 13 East of the 6th Principal Meridian. Also townships number nine ten and Eleven North of the Base line, Range number fourteen East of the 6th Principal meridian. And that said townships have been in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Thomas x Pierce Chainman and Axeman

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Thomas Pierce before me this 9th day of August 1856

Benjamin Williams
Justice of the Peace



I. Sebastian Bogler hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor in surveying the subdivision lines in townships nine ten and Eleven north of the Base line Range fourteen East of the 6th Principal Meridian and that said townships have been in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundary monument planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General.

Sebastian Bogler Chainman and Axeman

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Sebastian Bogler before me a Justice of the Peace for the county of Nuf Territory of Nebraska. This 2d day of Aug 1857

Benjamin Williams
Justice of the Peace

I, William Vogler, hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor in surveying the subdivision line in Township number nine, ten, Eleven and twelve North of the Base line Range fourteen East of the 6th Principal Meridian and that said townships have been in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

William Vogler. Flagman

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Wm Volgler before me a Justice of the Peace for the County of Cass Territory of Nebraska. This 2d day of Aug 1860

Benjamin Williams
Justice of the Peace

I hereby certify that I assisted Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor in surveying the subdivision lines of townships Number ten, Eleven and twelve north of the base line Range number thirteen East of the 6th principal meridian and that said townships have been in all respects to the best of my knowledge and belief well and faithfully surveyed and the boundary monuments planted according to the instructions furnished by the Surveyor General

Justus L. Ozad Compassman

Subscribed and sworn to by the said Justus L. Ozad before me Clerk of the County Court of Cass County Territory of Nebraska, This 4th day of Aug. 1855

Joseph. Lousignont
Clerk of Court.

I, Thomas Patterson, 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 31st day of October 1855 and in strict conformity to the laws of the United State and the instructions furnished by the said Surveyor General, I have faithfully surveyed the subdivision and meander lines of Townships number nine, ten, Eleven and twelve North of the Base Line, Ranges number thirteen and fourteen East of the sixth principal meridian, in the territory of Nebraska, and do further solemnly swear that the foregoing are the true and original field notes of such survey

Thomas Patterson
Deputy Surveyor



Subscribed by said Thomas Patterson deputy surveyor, and sworn to before me, a clerk of the County Court of Cass County Territory of Nebraska. This 4 day of Aug. 1856

Joseph. Sousignont
Clerk of Court.

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The forgoing field notes of the survey of the meanders and subdivision lines of Townships Nine Ten Eleven and Twelve North of Ranges Thirteen and Fourteen East of the Sixth Principal Meridian in the Territory of Nebraska Executed by Thomas Patterson Ds under his Contract No 67 dated Thirty first October 1855 for the months of November and December 1855 and April May June July 1866 having been critically examined the necessary corrections and explanations made the said field notes and the surveys they describe are hereby approved

J. Calhoun
Surveyor General

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